About SIF

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What are Specialized Investment Funds (SIFs)

To address the structural gap between Mutual Funds and PMS, the Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) has introduced a new regulatory framework titled Specialized Investment Funds (SIFs) as a part of MF Regulations, positioned as an intermediate investment vehicle that combines the regulatory transparency of mutual funds with portfolio flexibility.

MUTUAL FUNDS

Offers wide range of products, but restricted in portfolio flexibility including advanced derivative strategies

THE GAP

SIFs

A middle ground > Offers portfolio flexibility including advanced derivative strategies at INR 10 lakh and above entry point

PMS/AIF

Offers portfolio flexibility. but requires a minimum ticket size of INR 50 lakh and above for PMS & INR 1cr and above for AIF

Comparative Positioning

Feature	Mutual Funds	SIFs	PMS/AIFs
Regulation	SEBI (Mutual Funds) Regulations, 2026	Chapter IX of SEBI (Mutual Funds) Regulations, 2026	SEBI (Portfolio Managers) Regulations, 2020 SEBI (Alternative Investment Funds) Regulations, 2012
Investor Base	Retail and HNI	HNI	HNI and Ultra HNI
Minimum Investment	₹100+	₹10 lakh	₹50 lakh & above
Base Expense	Max at 2.10% and 1.85%	Max at 2.10% and 1.85%	Management Fee + Performance Fee
Derivatives	For Hedging & Portfolio Re-balancing	Unhedged Derivatives + Hedging + Portfolio Re-balancing	PMS: For Hedging & Portfolio Re-balancing AIF: Allowed
Single Issuer Limit for Debt Instruments (% of AUM)	Upto 10%	Upto 20%	AIF Cat III: Upto 10%; PMS: No Limit

Market Outlook

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Equity Outlook & Triggers

Global Update: In July 2026, the S&P 500 and Nasdaq 100 experienced severe volatility, marked by semiconductor sell-offs, status quo on Federal Reserve rate decision amid rising Treasury yields, and choppy tech earnings. The S&P 500 index fell 0.1% and Nasdaq 100 fell 6.6% in July 2026.

In the UK, the FTSE 100 showed a resilient upward trajectory because of strength in its energy, mining and banking constituents, which benefited from higher oil prices and a run of stronger than expected earnings. The index rose 3.5% in July 2026.

The STOXX 600 achieved its fourth consecutive monthly gain, driven by artificial intelligence optimism, resilient corporate earnings, and global technology rallies. The pan-European benchmark Stoxx600 index closed 1.2% higher in July 2026.

China's equity market barometer index, Shanghai Composite, declined by roughly 6.4% in July 2026. This downward movement was driven by weak domestic manufacturing data, contracting factory activity, and global technology sector volatility.

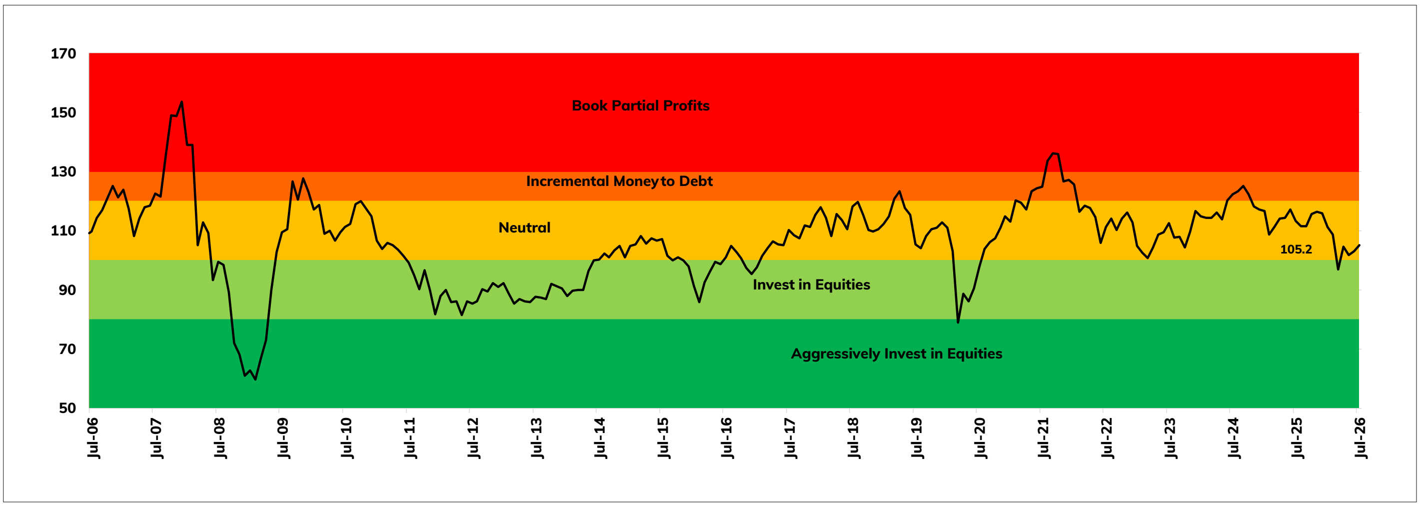
Japan's Nikkei 225 declined 8.1% in July 2026 primarily due to a global selloff in artificial intelligence and semiconductor stocks, a stronger yen, and rising geopolitical tensions.

India Update: Indian equities rallied during the month due to surge in technology sector, renewed foreign institutional buying, and solid corporate earnings. The Sensex rose 2.1% whereas the Nifty50 rose 2.2% in July 2026. FPIs bought Rs.20,220 crore in July 2026 compared to outflow of Rs.49,340 crore in June 2026. (Source: NSDL)

Sector-wise, BSE Capital Goods (-5.4%), BSE Power (-5.3%) and BSE Bankex (-0.2%) were laggards, whereas, BSE Infotech (+14.7%), BSE Consumer Durables (+9.3%) and BSE Realty (+8.6%) gained the most. (Source: BSE)

Our view going forward:

- Although Indian markets rallied in July 2026, they continue to remain volatile given – a) sharp swings in crude oil prices due to renewed tensions between US & Iran b) uncertainty around US Fed communication c) Rupee staying at the weaker end.
- Performance during the month, was largely driven by rotation into India due to the Global AI de-risking phase.
- On the macro front, the Rupee has depreciated ~10% in last one year, making it an undervalued currency. Concerns around Current Account Balance eased a bit as Mar-2026 quarter saw a surplus at 0.7% of GDP.
- India's GDP numbers were resilient for FY25-26 as it accelerated to 7.7% in FY26 (vs 7.1% in FY25) reflecting stronger economic activity.
- Other macro indicators too remain robust – Fiscal Deficit is under control, demand environment is good, in the current fiscal, Govt. has kick started capex on a high note and earnings are resilient in the wake of geo-political tensions
- These factors bode well for long term prospects of the economy and markets
- However, in the near term we believe markets will be volatile as the uncertainty around the conclusion of US-Iran war remains high. Also, other triggers which may impact markets in near term include a heavy domestic IPO market and elevated global valuations driven by AI rally
- Equity valuations continue to remain in neutral zone currently. We continue recommending investing in equities in a staggered manner through SIP in investment Strategy that have the flexibility to maneuver across sectors / market cap.
- Since market volatility may persist in the near term, we also continue to recommend investing in Hybrid / Asset Allocation investment Strategy.



Data as on July 31, 2026 has been considered. Equity Valuation Index (EVI) is a proprietary model of ICICI Prudential AMC Ltd. (the AMC) used for assessing overall equity market valuations. The AMC may also use this model for other facilities/features offered by the AMC. Equity Valuation index is calculated by assigning equal weights to Price-to-Earnings (PE), Price-to-Book (PB), G-Sec*PE and Market Cap to GDP ratio and any other factor which the AMC may add / delete from time to time. G-Sec – Government Securities. GDP – Gross Domestic Product.

Market Outlook

Debt Outlook & Triggers

In July 2026, fixed income yields experienced a sharp increase, driven by rising global bond rates, concerns over domestic inflation stemming from higher crude oil prices, and shifting foreign investor flows. Despite this, credit growth has remained robust, and if economic growth continues on its upward trajectory, we expect the output gap to narrow.

The recent postponement of G-sec bond inclusion in global indexes has reduced the likelihood of a G-sec rally in the near term. On the positive side, however, the Reserve Bank of India's measures aimed at attracting NRI deposits and covering hedging costs for banks are anticipated to generate significant deposits for banks and improve liquidity conditions. The measures may cap risk premiums on yields in the short term, resulting in a generally positive outlook for debt markets.

That said, we believe that much of the easing in yields may already be behind us. Therefore, we advise investors to avoid making aggressive long-term duration bets. Instead, the focus should be on steady carry, capital preservation, and risk-adjusted returns.

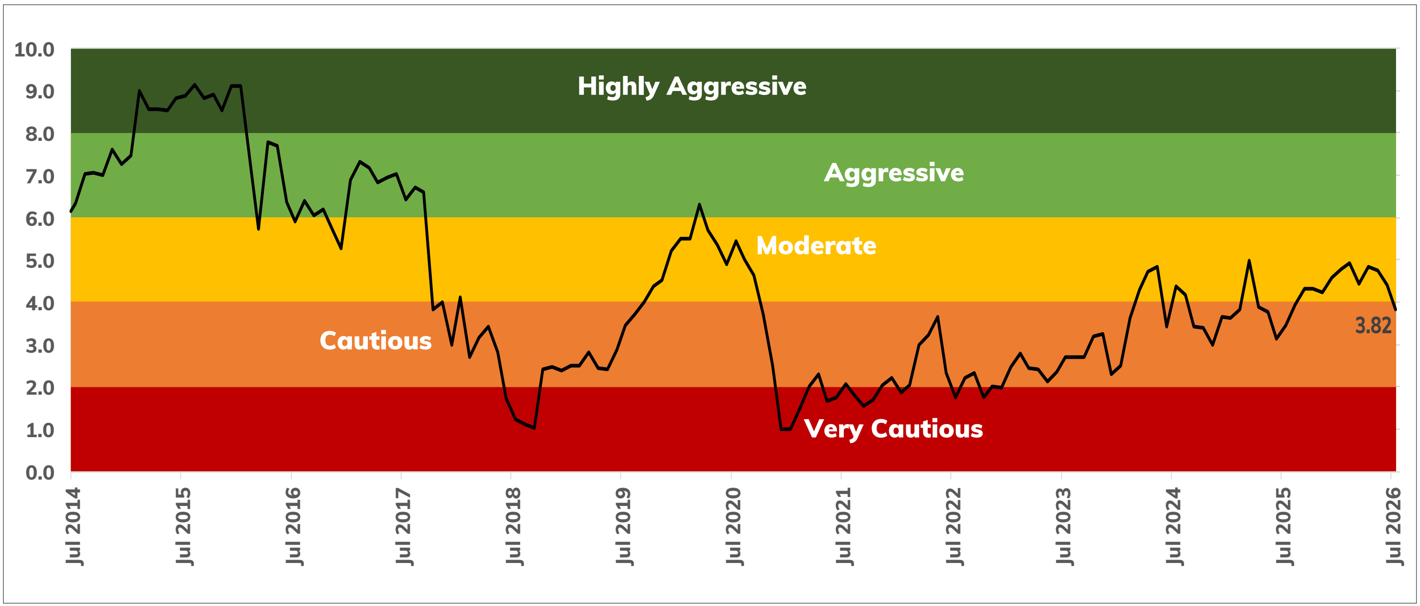
Within the fixed income market, we favor corporate bonds in the 1- to 3-year duration range. On the sovereign side, we maintain a positive outlook on long-dated State Government Securities. Consequently, we recommend investment in short-term products, corporate bonds, floating interest instruments, and banking and PSU debt in the current environment.

Market Activity

The 10-year Indian benchmark bond yield rose to 6.83% on July 31, 2026, up 7 bps compared to 6.76% as on June 30, 2026.

Liquidity conditions were generally in surplus during the month. The 91-day T-bill yield rose 10 bps on-month to 5.34% whereas the 182-day T-bill rose 17 bps to 5.59%. (Source: CCIL)

bps – basis points; T-bill – Treasury Bill; RBI – The Reserve Bank of India; MPC – Monetary policy committee; SDL – State Development Loans. GST – Goods and services tax.



Data as on July 31, 2026. Debt Valuation Index considers WPI, CPI, Sensex returns, Gold returns and Real estate returns over G-Sec yield, Current Account Balance, Fiscal Balance, Credit Growth and Crude Oil Movement and any other factor which the AMC may add / delete from time to time for calculation. Debt Valuations Index is a proprietary model of ICICI Prudential AMC Ltd (the AMC) used for assessing overall debt valuations. The AMC may also use this model for other facilities / features offered by the AMC.

iSIF Equity Long-Short Fund

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Investment Objective

To generate capital appreciation in long term by predominantly investing in listed equity and equity related instruments. The Investment Strategy may also invest in various derivative instruments, including limited short exposure through unhedged derivative positions in equity up to 25%.
There is no assurance that the investment objective of the Investment strategy will be achieved.

Investment Approach

Equity and Equity related instruments* (80%-100%) (including up to 25% in Unhedged short exposure through derivative instruments)#	Debt (0%-20%)	InviTs (0%-20%)
Across market capitalization, sectors and styles	Debt & Money Market Instruments and Units of Debt Oriented Mutual Funds	Units issued by Infrastructure Investment Trust (InvITs)

#Derivatives exposure will be upto 100% & Unhedged short position will be upto 25% of net assets.
*Includes investments of upto 35% in overseas market in equity and equity related instruments
Exposure through such derivative Instruments (including unhedged short exposure) shall include Stock / Index Futures, Stock / Index Options and other derivative instruments permitted by SEBI.

Investment Parameters

Below mentioned are some key parameters that may be used for allocating exposure:

Earnings/ Outlook
Inflection to identify themes to allocate between sectors

Equity
Equity allocation will be determined based on Equity Market Valuations

Derivative
Derivatives strategies will be used to enhance returns and manage risk

Macro Indicators
With an overlay of various Macro Indicators like Crude, CAD, FED rates, US:10yr etc

Minimum Equity allocation 80%

Maximum: Equity allocation 100%

Please note that the investment approach will be as per ISID.
CAD: Current Account Deficit, FED: Federal Reserve. The investments of the Investment Strategy would be as per the asset allocation and investment approach of the Investment Strategy Information Document

Why invest in iSIF Equity Long-Short Fund?

PHILOSOPHY
The investment strategy aims to identify and invest in potential opportunities across market capitalization, sectors and styles

UNIVERSE
The investment strategy will focus on 650+ companies under coverage to capture market opportunities

SECURITY SELECTION
The investment strategy will choose stocks that will be selected basis various factors – fundamentals of the business, industry structure, quality of management, key earning drivers etc. at reasonable valuations vis a vis its growth prospects

TAXATION
Enjoys LTCG rate of 12.5% with holding period of 12 months
LTCG – Long Term Capital Gain

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Investment Strategy Details

Fund Managers :
Mittul Kalawadia (Managing this Investment Strategy since June, 2026 & Overall 20 years of experience)
Nitya Mishra (Managing this Investment Strategy since June, 2026 & Overall 14 years of experience)
Sri Sharma (Managing this Investment Strategy since June, 2026 & Overall 9 years of experience)

Plans : Regular / Direct

Benchmark : Nifty 500 TRI

Monthly AAUM as on 31-July-26 : Rs. 343.29 crores
Closing AUM as on 31-July-26 : Rs. 399.70 crores

Inception Date : June 5, 2026

Investment Strategy Options :
Options under each Plan(s): Growth

Minimum Application Amount :
- Rs.10,00,000/- and in multiples of Re.1/- thereafter
- Minimum amount for accredited investor Rs. 10,000/- and in multiples of Re. 1/- thereafter

Investment Horizon :
3 years and above

Exit load :
- 1% of applicable Net Asset Value - If the amount sought to be redeemed or switched out within 12 months from allotment.
- NIL - If the amount sought to be redeemed or switched out after 12 months.

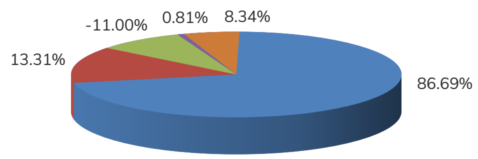
Base Expense Ratio As on 31-July-2026 :
Regular : 2.10%
Direct : 0.85%
For TER, Investor may refer to our website at https://www.isif.iciciprumc.com/about-us/financials-&-disclosures?currentTabFilter=Total+Expense+Ratio&subCatTabFilter=Total+Expense+Ratio

NAV (As on 31-July-2026): Growth Option : 10.47 | Direct Plan - Growth : 10.49

Portfolio Holding Details as on July 31, 2026

	Company/Issuer	Rating	% to Nav	% to Nav Derivatives
	Equity Shares		**86.69%**	**-1.86%**
	Agricultural Food & Other Products		**1.05%**	**-0.54%**
	Tata Consumer Products Ltd.		1.05%	-0.54%
	Agricultural, Commercial & Construction Vehicles		**1.09%**	**0.79%**
	Tata Motors Ltd.		1.09%	
	Ashok Leyland Ltd.			0.79%
	Auto Components		**0.82%**	
	Kross Ltd.		0.82%	
	Automobiles		**8.02%**	**-1.02%**
•	Mahindra & Mahindra Ltd.		2.43%	
•	TVS Motor Company Ltd.		1.98%	-0.47%
	Maruti Suzuki India Ltd.		1.60%	
	Hyundai Motor India Ltd.		1.22%	-0.56%
	Eicher Motors Ltd.		0.78%	
	Aerospace & Defense			**0.55%**
	Bharat Electronics Ltd.			0.55%
	Banks		**14.01%**	**-3.00%**
•	HDFC Bank Ltd.		6.91%	-3.00%
•	ICICI Bank Ltd.		4.73%	
	State Bank Of India		1.03%	
	Axis Bank Ltd.		0.87%	
	Kotak Mahindra Bank Ltd.		0.49%	
	Capital Markets		**4.05%**	**0.37%**
	SBI Funds Management Ltd.		1.28%	
	360 One Wam Ltd.		1.18%	-0.07%
	HDFC Asset Management Company Ltd.		0.91%	
	Angel One Ltd.		0.67%	0.44%
	Cement & Cement Products		**1.01%**	
	Star Cement Ltd.		1.01%	
	Chemicals & Petrochemicals		**0.84%**	
	Galaxy Surfactants Ltd.		0.84%	
	Commercial Services & Supplies		**1.27%**	
	International Gemmological Institute (India) Ltd.		0.77%	
	Eclerx Services Ltd.		0.50%	
	Consumer Durables		**1.21%**	
	Pg Electroplast Ltd.		1.00%	
	Crompton Greaves Consumer Electricals Ltd.		0.21%	
	Consumable Fuels			**0.35%**
	Coal India Ltd.			0.35%
	Diversified Fmcg		**2.12%**	**-1.12%**
•	Hindustan Unilever Ltd.		2.12%	-1.12%
	Electrical Equipment		**9.44%**	**0.27%**
•	TD Power Systems Ltd.		3.51%	
	Premier Energies Ltd.		1.63%	0.48%
	ABB India Ltd.		1.62%	-0.49%
	Bharat Heavy Electricals Ltd.		1.18%	-0.60%
	SIEMENS ENERGY INDIA LTD		0.65%	
	Ge Vernova T&D India Ltd.		0.34%	0.32%
	Voltamp Transformers Ltd.		0.32%	
	Powerica Ltd		0.20%	
	Suzlon Energy Ltd.			0.56%
	Ferrous Metals		**0.69%**	
	Tata Steel Ltd.		0.69%	

Asset Allocation Details (%)



Disclaimer : Gross Equity portion is without adjusting the derivative exposure and including preference shares if any. The net equity level is after adjusting for derivatives (including Notional exposure of index options) %. Thus the total of the portfolio may exceed 100%.

Market Cap Break-Up Allocation Details

Allocation	Gross	Net
Large Cap Allocation	47.19%	39.61%
Mid Cap Allocation	11.13%	16.42%
Small Cap Allocation	28.37%	28.81%

Top 10 Stocks

HDFC Bank Ltd.	6.91%
ICICI Bank Ltd.	4.73%
Reliance Industries Ltd.	4.26%
TD Power Systems Ltd.	3.51%
Mahindra & Mahindra Ltd.	2.43%
MAS Financial Services Ltd.	2.25%
Avenue Supermarts Ltd.	2.12%
Hindustan Unilever Ltd.	2.12%
Cummins India Ltd.	2.07%
TVS Motor Company Ltd.	1.98%

Top 5 Sectors

Financial Services	26.09%
Capital Goods	21.01%
Automobile And Auto Components	8.84%
Consumer Services	8.80%
Oil, Gas & Consumable Fuels	7.05%

Risk-band

The product is suitable for investors who are seeking#
- Capital appreciation over long term
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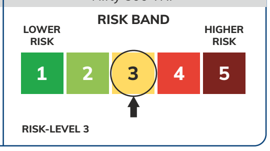
#Investors should consult their financial advisers in if doubt about whether the product is suitable for them.

Risk-band*

Benchmark Risk-band:
Nifty 500 TRI



*The Risk Band is as per AMFI Specifications.

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	Fertilizers & Agrochemicals		**0.78%**	
	Coromandel International Ltd.		0.78%	
	Finance		**5.39%**	
•	MAS Financial Services Ltd.		2.25%	
	Sundaram Finance Ltd.		1.32%	
	Bajaj Finance Ltd.		1.03%	
	Aavas Financiers Ltd.		0.80%	
	Gas		**0.35%**	
	Gujarat Gas Ltd.		0.30%	
	GSPL India Transco Ltd		0.05%	
	Healthcare Services		**4.27%**	
	Manipal Health Enterprises Ltd.		1.25%	
	Fortis Healthcare Ltd.		1.13%	
	Rainbow Childrens Medicare Ltd		1.00%	
	Healthcare Global Enterprises Ltd.		0.89%	
	Industrial Manufacturing		**3.13%**	
	Indo-Mim Ltd.		1.57%	
	Standard Engineering Technology Ltd.		0.96%	
	Honeywell Automation India Ltd.		0.60%	
	Industrial Products		**4.65%**	
•	Cummins India Ltd.		2.07%	
	Universal Cables Ltd		1.38%	
	Carborundum Universal Ltd.		0.63%	
	Polycab India Ltd.		0.57%	
	Insurance		**1.66%**	
	SBI Life Insurance Company Ltd.		0.89%	
	Canara HSBC Life Insurance Co Ltd		0.77%	
	Leisure Services		**1.46%**	
	Sapphire Foods India Ltd		1.46%	
	Oil		**1.28%**	**0.81%**
	Oil India Ltd.		1.28%	0.81%
	Other Utilities		**0.92%**	
	VA Tech Wabag Ltd.		0.92%	
	Personal Products		**0.67%**	
	Godrej Consumer Products Ltd.		0.67%	
	Petroleum Products		**4.26%**	**-1.63%**
•	Reliance Industries Ltd.		4.26%	-1.63%
	Pharmaceuticals & Biotechnology		**0.64%**	**1.51%**
	Torrent Pharmaceuticals Ltd.		0.64%	0.61%
	Mankind Pharma Ltd.			0.90%
	Power		**2.18%**	**-0.95%**
	Juniper Green Energy Ltd.		1.25%	
	NTPC Ltd.		0.93%	-0.95%
	Retailing		**4.53%**	**2.81%**
•	Avenue Supermarts Ltd.		2.12%	1.31%
	Eternal Ltd.		1.00%	
	Arvind Fashions Ltd.		0.83%	
	Medplus Health Services Ltd		0.57%	
	Swiggy Ltd.			1.50%
	Textiles & Apparel		**2.27%**	
	Kusumgar Ltd		1.78%	
	Sanathan Textiles Ltd.		0.49%	
	Transport Services		**2.62%**	**-1.05%**
	Interglobe Aviation Ltd.		1.03%	-1.05%
	The Great Eastern Shipping Company Ltd.		0.93%	
	Shadowfax Technologies Ltd		0.65%	
	Short Term Debt and net current assets		**13.31%**	
	Total Net Assets		**100.00%**	

• Top Ten Holdings
^ Value Less than 0.01% of NAV in absolute terms.