



# ICICI Prudential PMS Growth Leaders Strategy

Leadership qualities that sparks potential growth



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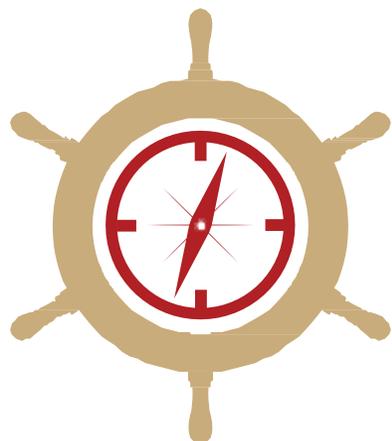
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# Key Drivers of Stock Price



Fundamentally  
Driven

Function of RoE and  
Capital Allocation

**Price Benefitting from Both Earnings growth & P/E rerating.**

# Markets Reward Companies with Earnings Potential

Universe of top NSE 500 Companies by Market Cap (Dec 2007 – Dec 2022)

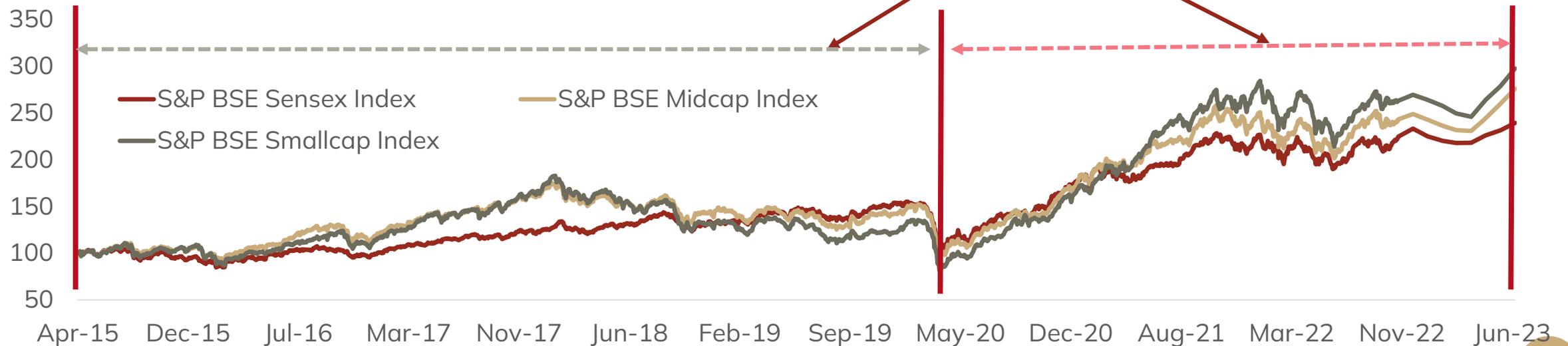
	15-Year CAGR ↓	No. of Companies	PAT Growth	Median ROE		Median P/E		
				2007	2022	2007	2022	
Focus to Identify	>15%	105	16.7% ↑	18.05	18.52 ↑	19.59	39.65	PE Rerating
	0% - 15%	282	10.4%	18.81	12.61	17.35	19.51	
Aim to Eliminate	-15% - 0%	96	3.9%	16.25	4.06	19.98	7.32	PE Derating
	<-15%	17	Negative Growth	14.80	Negative Earnings	45.46	Negative Earnings	

Source: Edelweiss Securities Limited, NSE India | Data as on Dec 31, 2022 | Profit Growth: Reported Profit After Tax. Return/Market Cap between December 31, 2007 to December 31, 2022 | Universe of top 500 NSE Listed companies by Marketcap over the 15 year period. Past Performance may or may not sustain in future.

# The Trend has Changed

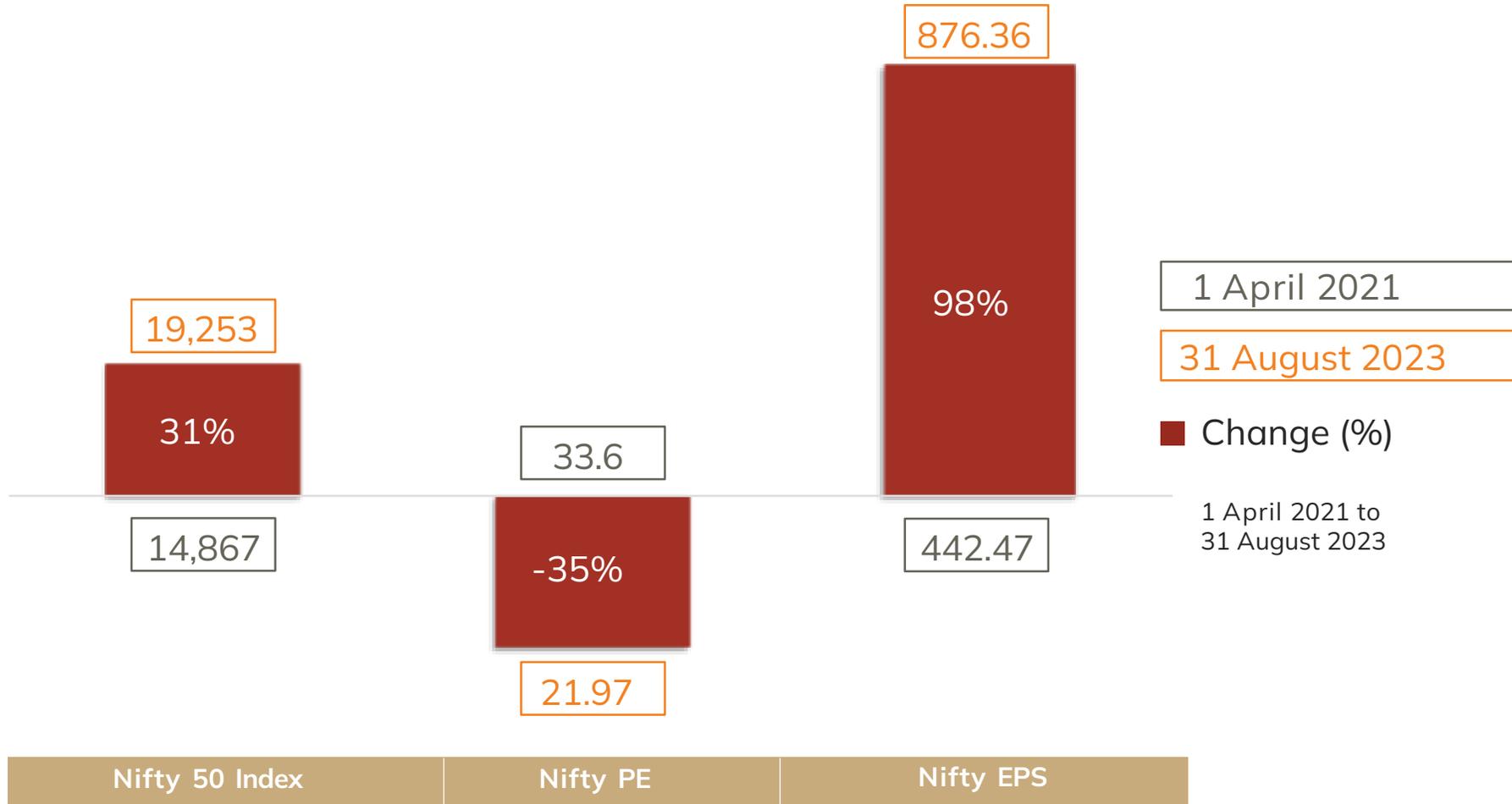
“There are decades where nothing happens; and there are weeks where decades happen”  
- Vladimir Ilyich

Index	April 30, 2015 to June 30, 2023		April 30, 2015 to December 31, 2019		January 1, 2020 to June 30, 2023	
	Price CAGR	EPS CAGR	Price CAGR	EPS CAGR	Price CAGR	EPS CAGR
S&P BSE Sensex	10.4%	7.6%	9.5%	1.6%	11.6%	16.9%
S&P BSE Midcap	11.1%	11.3%	8.1%	2.2%	15.7%	25.8%
S&P BSE Smallcap	12.0%	19.2%	4.9%	0.0%	23.2%	53.4%

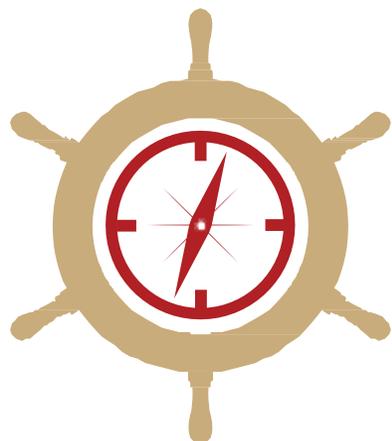


Source: Index Values - [www.bseindia.com](http://www.bseindia.com). Data as on June 30, 2023. EPS – Earnings per Share of Index constituents.  
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# Nifty 50 Index Movement



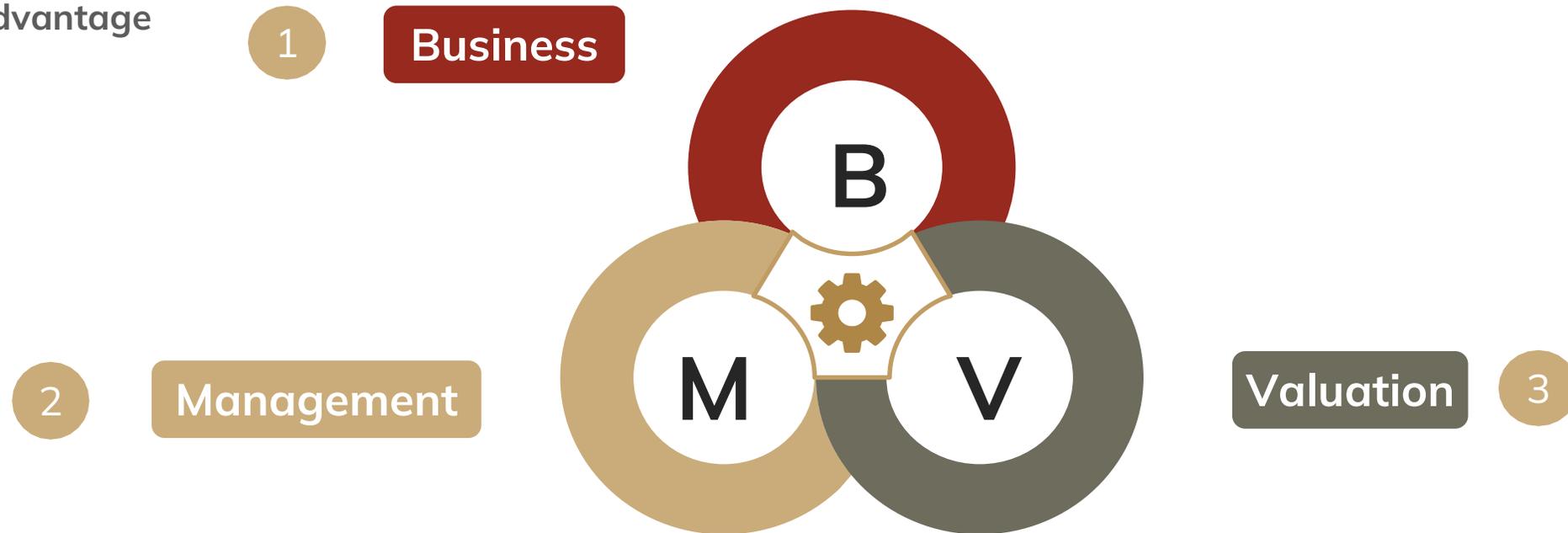
Source: Index Values -NSE India Limited. Data as on August 31, 2023. PE – Price to Earnings of Nifty 50 Index constituents | EPS – Earnings per Share of Nifty 50 Index constituents. Past Performance may or may not sustain in future



# INVESTMENT FRAMEWORK

# Investment Framework

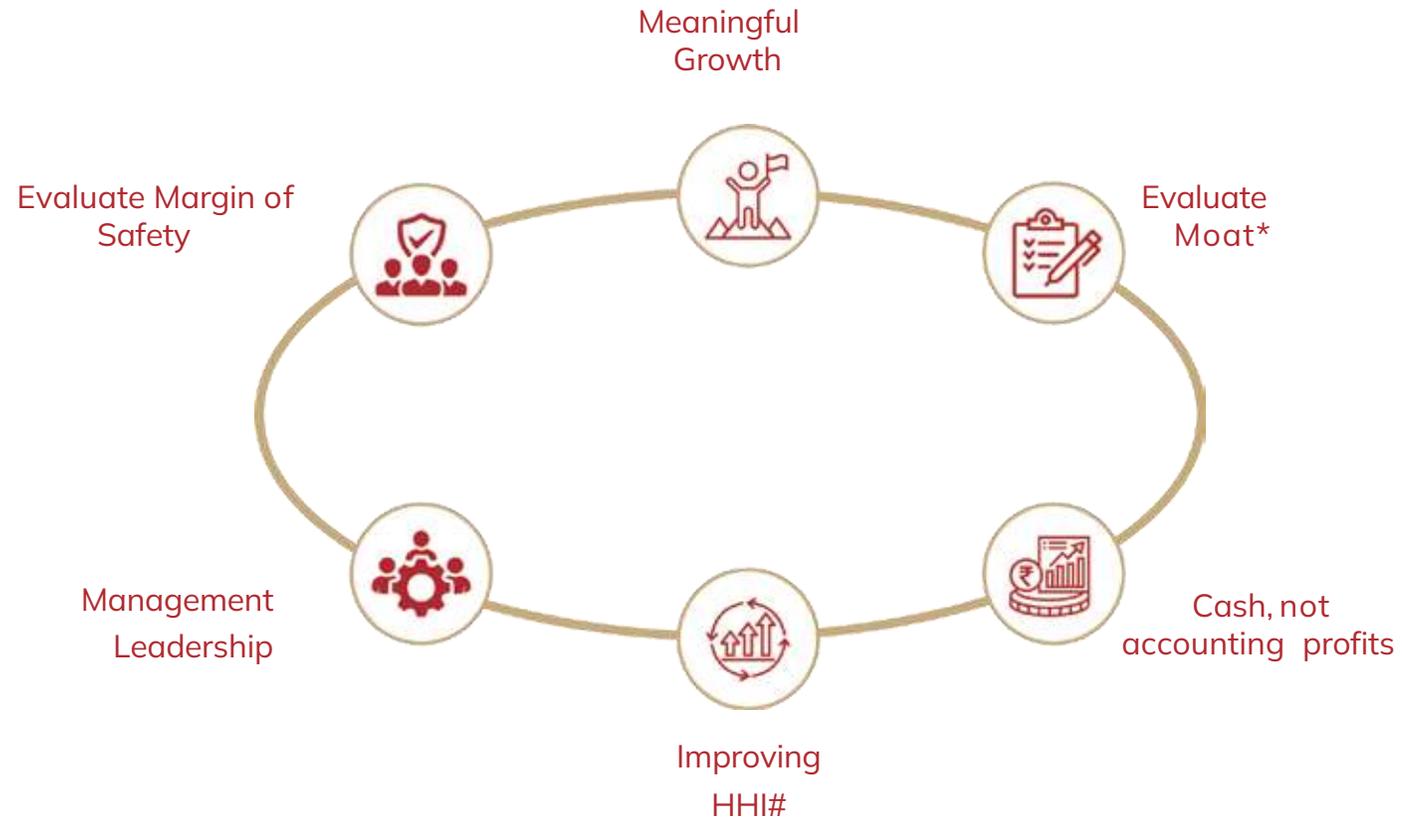
In search of companies  
with meaningful earnings  
growth and sustainable  
competitive advantage



**Aims to Identify Prominent businesses, with  
Competent Management, at Reasonable Valuations**

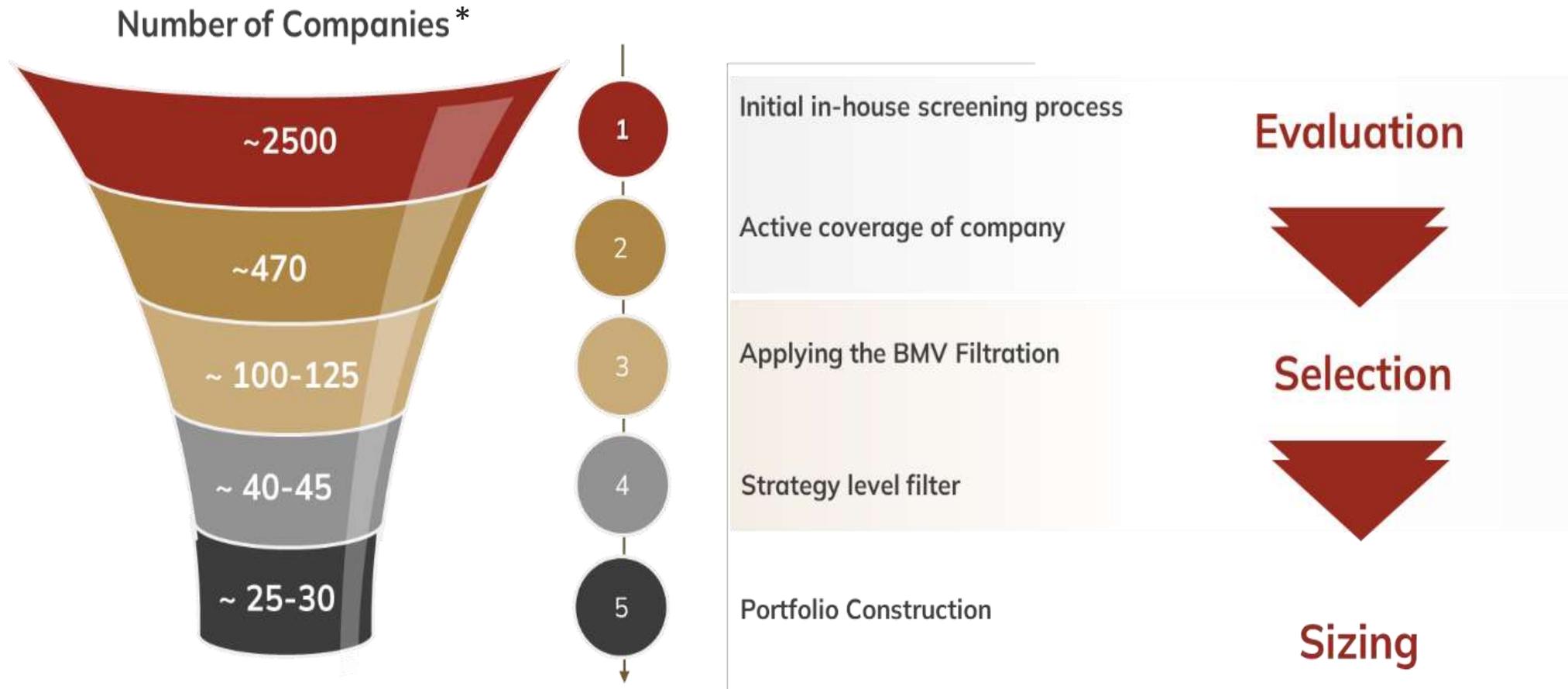
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# The Circle of Competence



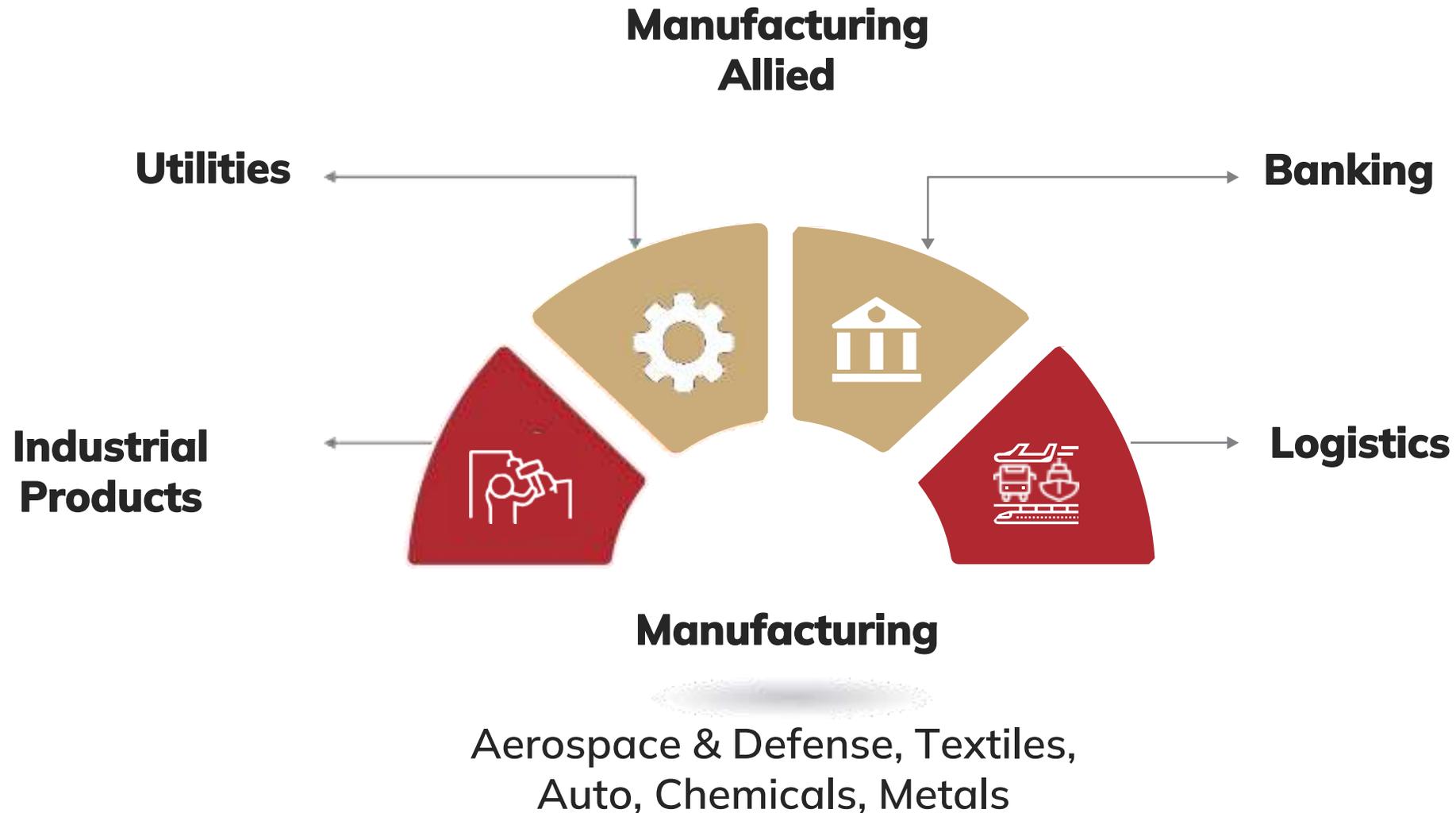
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\*Moat: A competitive sustainable advantage

# Evaluation, Selection and Sizing



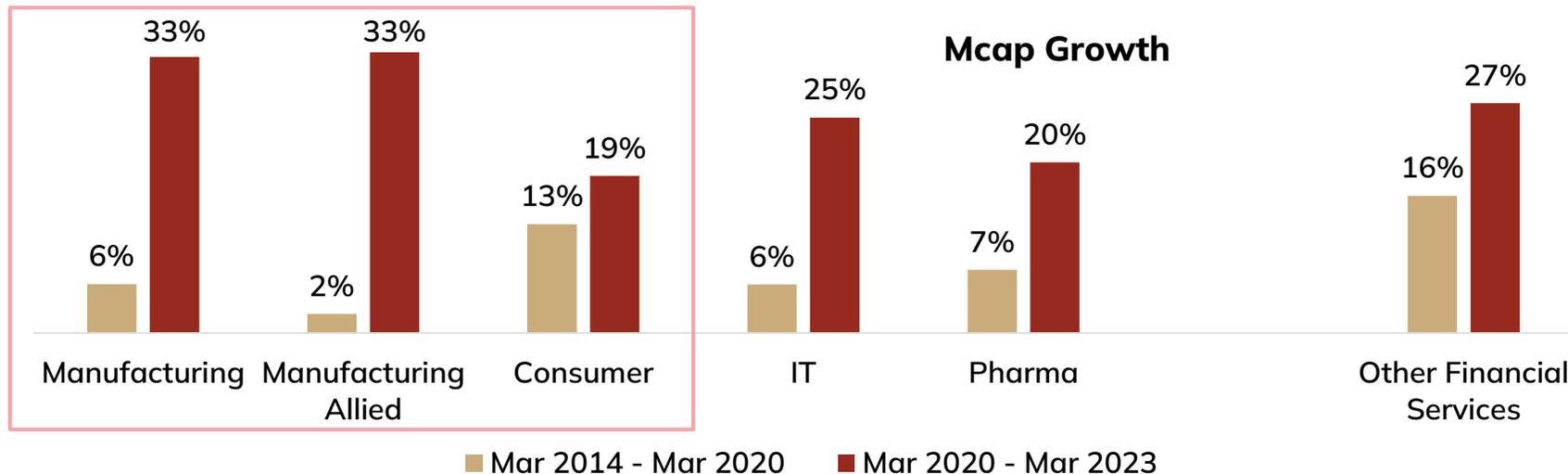
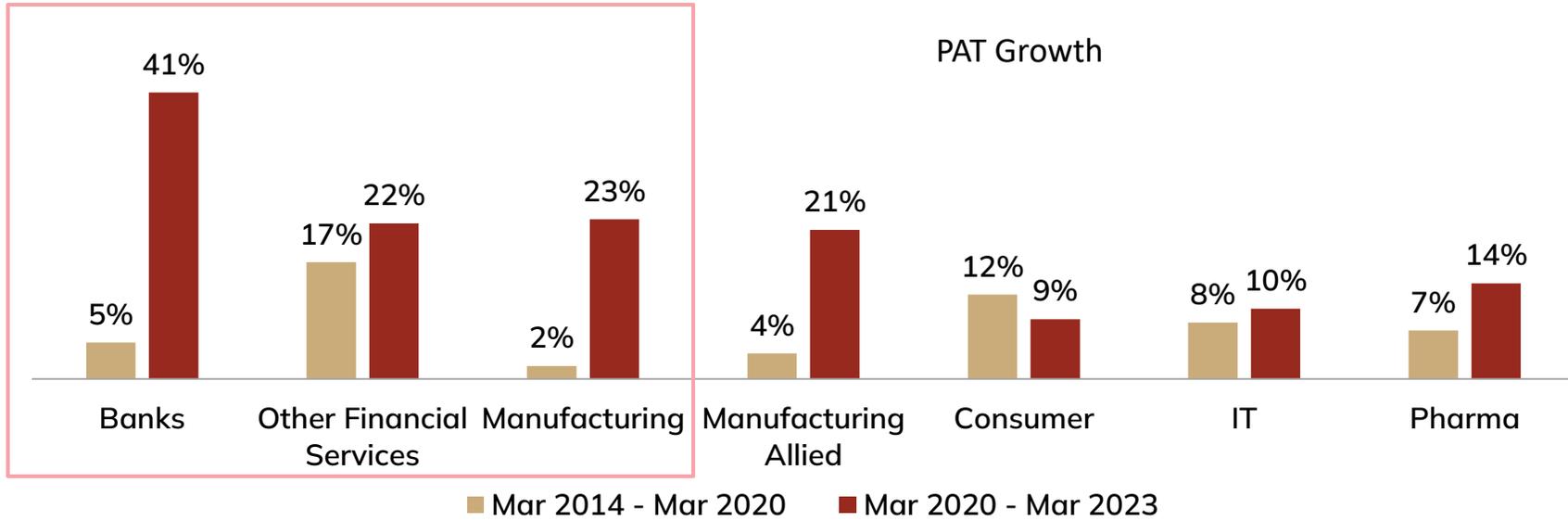
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# Prominent Portfolio Theme : Manufacturing & Manufacturing Allied



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# B2B: Emerging as Faster Growth Companies



As the economy opened up, the reforms implemented by the government over the past decade acted as a catalyst and the low interest rates and improved demand environment played a role in B2B companies growth.

Source for financials and price - NSE India (<https://www.nseindia.com/companies-listing/corporate-filings-financial-results>), Data as of March 2023.

## A Multifaceted ~20 Member Research Team\*



\*The above mentioned sectors does not represent a list of exhaustive sectors. Research team which includes Equity Research analysts across the business activities engaged by the AMC. IPAMC: ICICI Prudential Asset Management Company Ltd. Note: Investment team shall be supported by the dealing team and common research team

# Fund Management Strength



**ANAND SHAH**  
Head – PMS & AIF Investment

## Portfolio Managers



**Chockalingam Narayanan**  
Sr. Fund Manager  
PMS Equity



**Geetika Gupta**  
Fund Manager  
PMS Equity

## Investment Support



**Sandip Santdasani**  
AVP - Investments



**Manan Shah**  
Senior Investment Analyst

## Dealing Team



**Dhaval Desai**  
AVP - Dealing



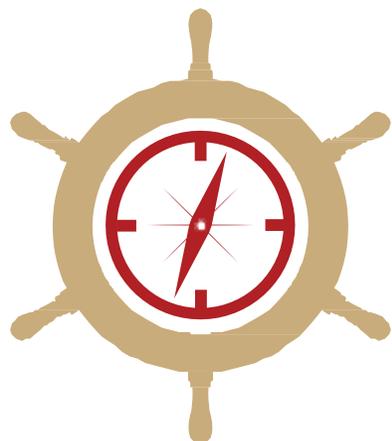
**Priti Agarwal**  
Dealing – PMS & AIF



**Vineet Sawant**  
Dealing – PMS & AIF

**Equity Research Analysts\*\***

\*\*We have an integrated common research team which includes Equity Research analysts across the business activities engaged by ICICI Prudential Asset Management Company Ltd.  
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— PRESENTING —

**ICICI Prudential PMS**

# **GROWTH LEADERS STRATEGY\***

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# Leadership Qualities that Sparks Potential Growth

## Leaders through secular growth

- Companies improving margins through efficient processes
- Return on Equity remaining higher than cost of capital for longer period of time



## Leaders through Scalable Business & Pricing Power

- Industries enjoying a large profit pool which can be effectively tapped into by a company with a differentiated value proposition or strategy
- Scalable businesses with pricing power can maintain profit margins even as they expand, providing a sustainable source of returns



## Leaders through Sustainable Competitive Edge

- Companies that grow sustainably for longer period of time strengthen their competitive advantage
- Companies may have recognition or dominance in a particular industry or geography



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# Key Traits of Growth Leaders

<b>GROWTH POTENTIAL</b>	Companies growing faster than industry and industry growing faster than GDP	<b>MARKET LEADERSHIP</b>	Dominant in a product or service
<b>ECONOMIC MOATS</b>	Having a sustainable competitive advantage	<b>MARKET SHARE</b>	Focused on growing market share
<b>PRODUCT SPECIALIZATION</b>	Specialized in products they offer	<b>INNOVATION</b>	Emphasis to launch new & innovative products

The above parameters only highlight features of stocks. The stocks may or may not sustain these qualities throughout its market cycle. The same may not apply to all stocks in the portfolio. The strategy will invest in line with the PMS disclosure document.

# Key Features of the Strategy

## Investment Approach

The strategy is a blend of “**top down**” and “**bottom up**” approach. Prominence among the two would vary from time to time depending on macroeconomic, sectorial and company specific fundamentals.

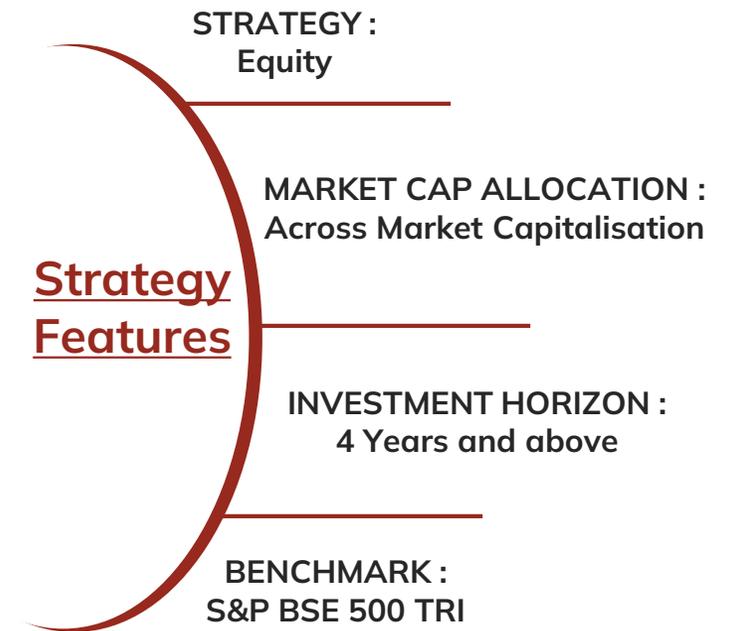
- **Top-down approach:** Identify key macroeconomic and sectorial themes and subsequently help identify stocks.
- **Bottom-up approach:** Identify individual companies providing attractive investment opportunities in various industries and market conditions.

## Portfolio Strategy

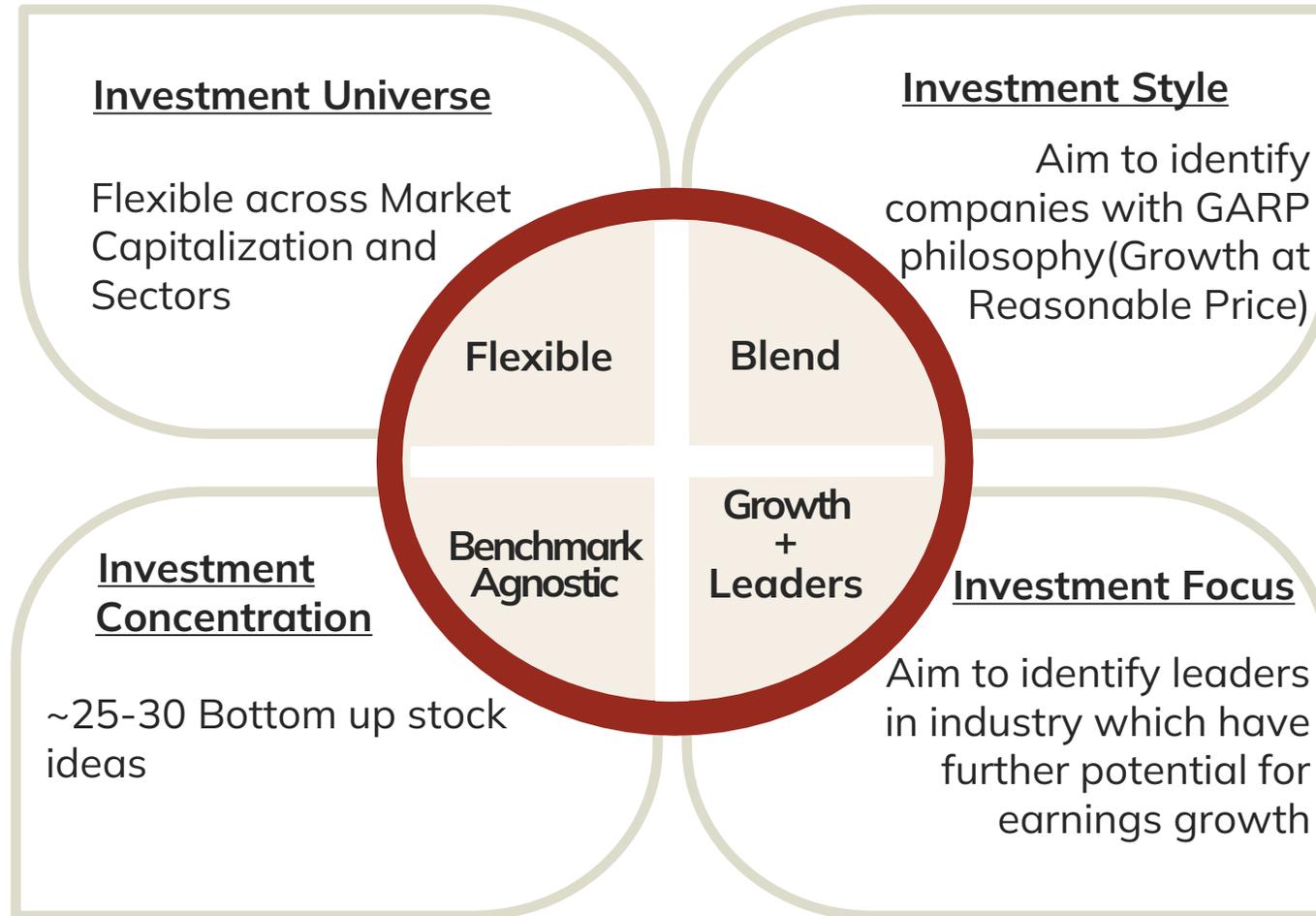
- **The Core Portfolio** predominantly invests to capture underlying value of the business which gets “unlocked” over a period of time.
- **The Satellite Portfolio** is tactically managed aiming to take advantage of market trend.

Portfolio aims to systematically increase weightage as risk reward ratio improves in core portfolio by reducing satellite portfolio weight.

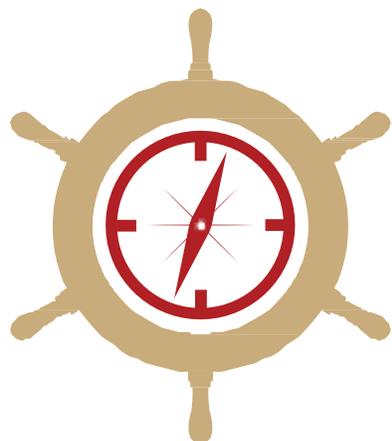
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# Investment Approach



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# Current Portfolio Positioning

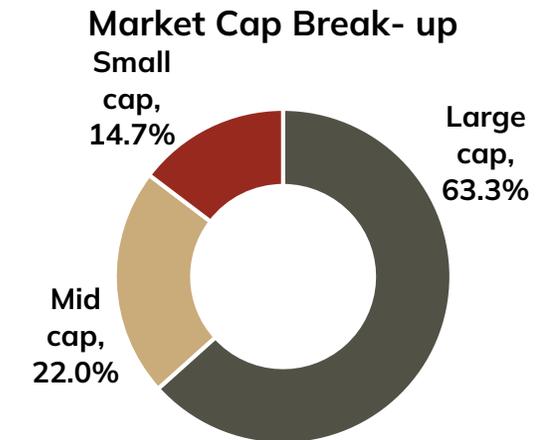
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August 31, 2023



Top 15 Holdings	% Assets
ICICI Bank Ltd	8.45
HDFC Bank Ltd	6.70
Bank Of Baroda	5.54
Larsen & Toubro Ltd	5.25
Bharti Airtel Ltd	4.88
Muthoot Finance Ltd	4.71
TVS Motor Company Ltd	4.70
State Bank of India	4.55
Bharat Forge Ltd	3.85
Tata Steel Ltd	3.80
The Great Eastern Shipping Company Ltd	3.66
Cummins India Ltd	3.65
SBI Life Insurance Company Limited	3.48
Hindustan Aeronautics Limited	3.18
Jindal Stainless Ltd	3.13

	Sector	% Assets	Total
<b>Financial Services</b>	Banks	28.19	<b>36.38</b>
	Finance	4.71	
	Insurance	3.48	
<b>Manufacturing</b>	Ferrous Metals	6.93	<b>24.42</b>
	Automobiles	4.70	
	Auto Components	4.47	
	Aerospace & Defense	3.18	
	Non - Ferrous Metals	3.02	
	Textiles & Apparels	2.12	
<b>Manufacturing Allied</b>	Transport Services	7.82	<b>22.60</b>
	Industrial Products	7.50	
	Construction	5.25	
	Power	2.03	
	Other Utilities	0.94	
<b>Consumer</b>	Telecom - Services	4.88	<b>10.61</b>
	Realty	3.07	
	Entertainment	2.66	
<b>IT</b>	IT - Software	2.21	<b>4.23</b>
<b>Healthcare</b>	Pharmaceuticals & Biotechnology	2.02	



\*Growth Leaders Strategy – Formerly known as Flexicap Strategy

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# Strategy Performance as on August 31, 2023



Performance as on August 31, 2023									
	1 Month	3 Months	6 Months	1 Year	2 Years CAGR	3 Years CAGR	4 Years CAGR	5 Years CAGR	Since Inception*
<b>Growth Leaders Strategy</b>	<b>-1.93%</b>	<b>6.94%</b>	<b>17.01%</b>	<b>12.64%</b>	<b>8.82%</b>	<b>22.39%</b>	<b>18.71%</b>	<b>12.68%</b>	<b>11.30%</b>
S&P BSE 500 TRI	-0.61%	7.73%	17.34%	11.34%	9.15%	23.33%	18.70%	12.56%	12.33%

Calendar Year Performance as on August 31, 2023				
	YTD	2022	2021	2020
<b>Growth Leaders Strategy</b>	<b>9.42%</b>	<b>6.17%</b>	<b>30.49%</b>	<b>16.64%</b>
S&P BSE 500 TRI	10.31%	4.77%	31.63%	18.41%

For performance relative to other Portfolio Managers within the Strategy by Association of Portfolio Managers in India (APMI) visit: [APMI \(apmiindia.org\)](http://APMI.apmiindia.org).  
Performance data provided herein is not verified by SEBI.

**Growth Leaders Strategy – ICICI Prudential PMS Growth Leaders Strategy ( formerly known as ICICI Prudential PMS Flexicap Strategy )**  
Inception Date : Growth Leaders Strategy : 22-Dec-00  
\*Since Inception Return from 31-Mar-2007 or inception date whichever is later

Index Data Source: [www.bseindia.com](http://www.bseindia.com) | Strategy performance mentioned above is the aggregate performance of all Clients in the Strategy using the Time Weighted Rate of Return (TWRR) methodology and the performance of an individual Client may vary significantly from the above. Returns for one year or less are on absolute basis, while returns more than one year are on annualized basis. All the returns calculated above are after deduction of the applicable expenses. Please note that performance of your portfolio may vary from that of other clients and that generated by the Investment Approach across all clients because of 1) the timing of inflows and outflows of funds; and 2) differences in the portfolio composition because of restrictions and other constraints. Past performance may or may not be sustained in future and is no guarantee of future results. clients may note that the entity level performance of the Portfolio Manager is disclosed in the Disclosure Document and the same is available on the website of Portfolio Manager - [www.iciciprupms.com](http://www.iciciprupms.com)

# Key Highlights of The Strategy



**Investment Objective:** ICICI Prudential PMS Growth Leaders Strategy (the “Growth Leaders Strategy”) is a diversified equity strategy that endeavors to achieve long term capital appreciation and generate returns by investing across market capitalisation

**Strategy:** Equity

**Types of securities:** Predominantly invests in listed equity and equity related securities. The Growth Leaders Strategy may also take exposure to exchange traded derivative instruments for hedging purpose.

For liquidity or defensive considerations or pending deployment, the Portfolio Manager may invest in debt, money market instruments, mutual fund schemes or debt ETFs.

**Basis for Selection of securities:** The Portfolio Manager selects equity and equity related securities of companies from the listed universe space across market capitalisation which fit into the investment strategy of the portfolio. The Portfolio Manager uses a blend of top-down and bottom-up approach for stock selection. The top-down approach is used to identify key macro-economic and sectoral themes for stock selection. The bottom-up approach is used to identify companies that are believed to be attractive investment opportunities in various industries and market

conditions.

**Investment Horizon:** 4 years and above | **Inception Date:** December 22, 2000 | **Benchmark:** S&P BSE 500 TRI | **Minimum Investment:** Rs 50 Lacs

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# Strategy Specific Risks

- The securities in the Growth Leaders Strategy may be predominantly characterized by a stock selection where more emphasis is on 'Growth at Reasonable Price'. There could be time periods when securities of this nature may underperform relative to other stocks in the market which could impact the performance.
- The Growth Leaders Strategy aims at maintaining a diversified portfolio without any undue concentration in any sector or stock and the portfolio may underperform relative to concentrated portfolios during certain periods of time.
- The Growth Leaders Strategy invests across market capitalisations. The small/mid cap stocks give an opportunity to go beyond the usual large blue chip stocks and present possible higher capital appreciation, it is important to note that small/mid cap stocks can be riskier and more volatile on a relative basis. Therefore, the risk levels of investing in small/mid cap stocks are more than investing in large cap stocks. It may be noted that over a time these two categories have demonstrated different levels of volatility and investment returns. Among the reasons for the greater price volatility are the less certain growth prospects of small/mid cap stocks, the lower degree of liquidity in the markets for such securities, and the greater sensitivity of small/mid cap stocks to changing economic conditions. Small/mid cap stocks carry large amount of liquidity risk compared to the large cap stocks, as the ability to sell is limited by overall trading volume in the securities, which it invests.
- In addition to the above, the Portfolio would be subject to the following risks, which are elaborated in the Risk Factors section of the Disclosure Document:
  - Risks related to equity and equity related instruments
  - Risks related to derivative investments
  - Risks related to investments in debt and debt related instruments

The above mentioned risk factors and general risk factors relating to the Portfolio are elaborated in the 'Risk Factors' section of the Disclosure Document.

<https://www.icicirupms.com/downloads/disclosure-document>

# Risk Factors & Disclaimers



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