



Met Invest Group Fund Monthly Fund Performance

May 2023 Edition

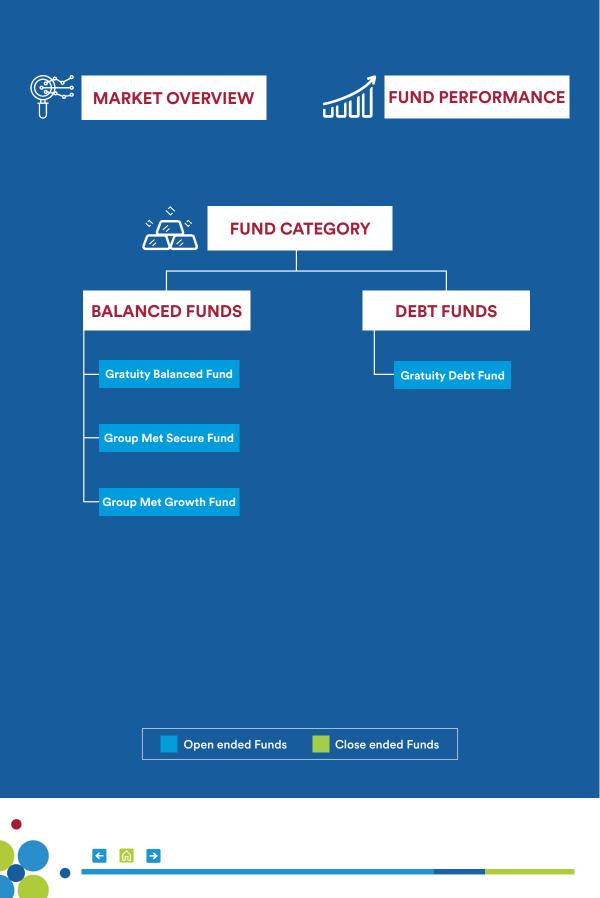


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Sanjay Kumar Chief Investment Officer

The month gone by – A snapshot

Global economy and markets: The uncertainty related to resolution of US debt ceiling and its potential implications led to heightened volatility in global financial markets in May. Its resolution is expected to reduce market concerns. High frequency data points from the US indicates that the economy continues to remain resilient. China's post covid reopening economic momentum, however, seems to be faltering, while Europe's biggest economy, Germany, is now in recession.

Given the still elevated inflation, the US Fed as well as the European Central Bank raised policy rates last month. While Fed has indicated that the decision to raise rates further will be data dependent, ECB policymakers have indicated that more rate hikes can be expected.

After rallying in April, global equity markets exhibited subdued performance last month, with MSCI World Index declining by 1% and MSCI Emerging Market index declining by 2%. MSCI India outperformed global markets with a 3% return as inflow from foreign institutional investors continued. Crude oil prices declined by 9% last month due to concerns over weakening global demand.

Fitch has reaffirmed India's sovereign credit rating at BBB-. It has cited India's 'robust growth outlook' and 'resilient external finances' as supporting factors. All three major global credit rating agencies continue to rate India in the investment grade category.

Economy: GDP data a positive surprise

The January-March 2023 quarter GDP growth at 6.1% was significantly better than expected. Economy has benefited from growth in the construction sector, revival in services and strong performance in exports. Trade data suggests that services exports continue to perform well.

High frequency data points such as GST collections, automobile sales and PMI data indicate that strong economic momentum continues in April-June 2023 quarter as well. Policymakers remain optimistic about the near to medium term growth prospects. The progress of south-west monsoons, and possibility of slowdown in global growth remain key monitorables.

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Fixed Income market: Inflation declines further

The retail inflation has been trending down over the past few months and is now within RBI's threshold limits. Given benign outlook on inflation, most analysts expect the monetary policy committee to keep interest rates unchanged in the near term. RBI's decision to significantly increase its dividend is expected to aid the government's fiscal position.

Outlook: Easing inflation has led to further decline in Indian 10-yr GSec yields to 7.0%. Expectations of liquidity infusion into the banking system due to RBI's withdrawal of Rs 2,000 currency note from circulation has led to decline in short-term and money market yields. Given the improvement in macroeconomic outlook, we expect domestic yields to remain stable in the near term.

Equity markets: Buoyancy continues, Nifty near all-time high

Indian equity markets continue to remain buoyant amidst significant inflows from foreign institutional investors (FIIs). Nifty index surged by 2.6% in May and is currently trading near all-time high levels. Automobile, Information Technology and FMCG sectors outperformed while Oil & Gas and Metals sectors underperformed. Foreign institutional investors bought equities worth US\$ 418mn in May.

Outlook: While global economic environment continues to remain challenging, India's macro-economic conditions have witnessed significant improvement driven by sharp improvement in current account deficit, benign commodity prices and robust economic growth. Corporate results have been better-than-expected and management commentaries suggest continued momentum across most sectors. Our view on equity markets remains positive owing to strong outlook on corporate profitability driven by strong manufacturing cycle and stable economic environment.



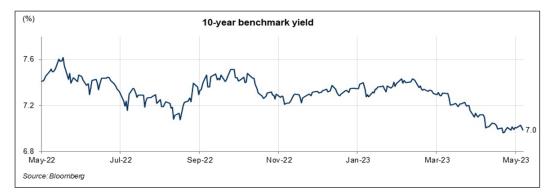


Economic and market snapshot

Indicators	May 2022	Feb 2023	May 2023	QoQ Change	YoY Change
Economic indicators					
Consumer Price Index (CPI) Inflation (%)	7.8	6.5	4.7	-1.8	-3.1
Gross Domestic Product (GDP Growth) %	4.0	4.5	6.1	1.6	2.1
Index of Industrial Production (IIP) (%)	2.2	5.1	1.1	-4.0	-1.1
Brent crude oil (USD/barrel)	123	84	73	-13%	-41%
Domestic Markets					
Nifty Index	16,585	17,304	18,534	7%	12%
S&P BSE Mid-cap Index	23,144	24,158	27,100	12%	17%
10-year G-Sec Yield (%)	7.4	7.4	7.0	-40 bps	-40 bps
30-year G-Sec Yield (%)	7.7	7.5	7.2	-30 bps	-50 bps
10-year AAA PSU Corporate Bond Yield (%)	7.8	7.8	7.4	-40 bps	-40 bps
Exchange rate (USD/INR) *	77.6	82.7	82.7	0%	7%
Global Markets					
Dow Jones (U.S.)	32,990	32,657	32,908	1%	0%
FTSE (U.K.)	7,608	7,876	7,446	-5%	-2%
Nikkei 225 (Japan)	27,280	27,446	30,888	13%	13%

number signals depreciation.

10-year government bond yield trend







Gratuity Balanced (Open Fund)

SFIN No: ULGF00205/06/04GRABALANCE117 May 31, 2023



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Funds Managed by the Fund Managers

MD

47

Equity - 3 | Debt - 0 | Balanced -3

Equity - 0 | Debt - 3 | Balanced -5

Rs. 109 crore

 Fund Details

 Investment Objective:
 To generate capital appreciation and current income, through a judicious mix of investments in equities
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 and fixed income securities.
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Investment Philosophy: The fund will target 30% investments in Equities and 70% investments in Government & other debt securities to meet the stated objectives.

Fund v/s Benchmark Return (%)

	Fund	Benchmark*
1 Month	1.8%	1.6%
6 Months	3.4%	2.9%
1 Year	10.4%	9.7%
2 Years	7.3%	6.0%
3 Years	12.0%	11.7%
5 Years	9.0%	9.0%
Inception	9.0%	8.9%

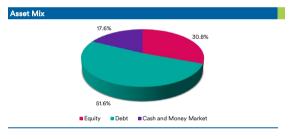
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*Benchmark is 30% Nifty 50 and 70% CRISIL Composite Bond Index

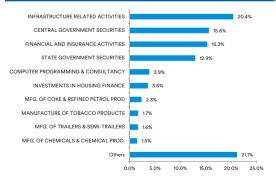
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Actual v/s Targeted Asset Allocation (%)					
Security Type	Min	Max	Actual		
Government and other Debt Securities	25%	95%	51.6%		
Equities	5%	35%	30.8%		
Money Market and other liquid assets	0%	40%	17.6%		

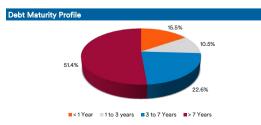
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Industry Wise Exposure**



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7 2%

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Rs. 32.9913

Inception Date

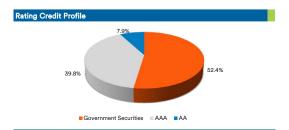
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Fund Manager(s)

Deb Bhattacharya

Gauray Balre

Security Name	Rating	Net Asset (%)
Equity		
I C I C I BANK LTD.		2.4%
RELIANCE INDUSTRIES LTD.		2.0%
H D F C BANK LTD.		1.9%
I T C LTD.		1.7%
INFOSYS LTD.		1.5%
STATE BANK OF INDIA		1.3%
AXIS BANK LTD.		1.2%
TATA CONSULTANCY SERVICES LTD.		1.1%
LARSEN & TOUBRO LTD.		1.1%
BHARTI AIRTEL LTD.		0.9%
Others		15.9%
Total		30.8%
Government Securities		
7.26% GOI 2029		5.2%
7.42% SDL 2034		4.6%
8.25% SDL 2026		2.8%
5.74% GOI 2026		2.7%
7.85% SDL 2042		2.4%
7.06% SDL 2032		2.1%
7.26% GOI 2032		1.9%
7.57% GOI 2033		1.4%
7.1% GOI 2029		1.4%
7.8% SDL 2042		1.0%
Others		0.2%
Total		25.6%
Corporate Bonds		
POWER FINANCE CORPN. LTD.	AAA	8.9%
REC LTD.	AAA	8.2%
INDIABULLS HOUSING FINANCE LTD	AA	3.7%
HDFC LTD.	AAA	3.6%
SUNDARAM FINANCE LTD	AAA	0.9%
PIRAMAL CAPITAL & HOUSING FIN LTD.	AA	0.6%
Total		25.9%
Cash and Money Market		17.6%
Portfolio Total		100.0%



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Gratuity Debt (Open Fund) SFIN No: ULGF00105/06/04GRADEBTFND117 May 31, 2023



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Funds Managed by the Fund Managers

MD

44

Equity - 0 | Debt - 3 | Balanced -5

Rs. 114 crore

 Fund Details

 Investment Objective: To earn regular income by investing in high quality fixed income securities.
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Investment Philosophy: The fund would target 100% investments in Government & other debt securities to meet the stated objectives.

Fund v/s Benchmark Return (%)			
	Fund	Benchmark*	
1 Month	1.2%	1.1%	
6 Months	5.0%	4.7%	
1 Year	9.0%	8.8%	
2 Years	5.3%	4.7%	
3 Years	5.0%	5.2%	
5 Years	5.7%	7.8%	
Inception	7.3%	8.0%	

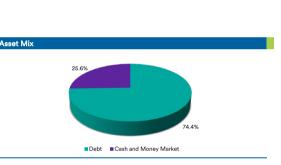
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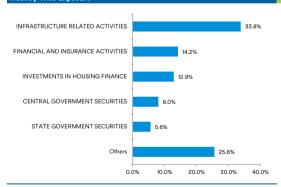
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Actual v/s Targeted Asset Allocation (%)					
Security Type	Min	Max	Actual		
Government and other Debt Securities	60%	100%	74.4%		
Money Market and other liquid assets	0%	40%	25.6%		

The actual asset allocation will remain within the 'minimum' and 'maximum' range based on market opportunities and future outlook of the markets.

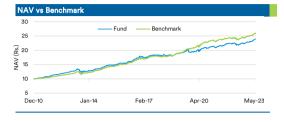


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NAV

Rs. 23.9400

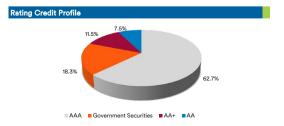
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20-Dec-2010

Gauray Balre

Fund Manager(s)

Security Name	Rating	Net Asset (%)
Government Securities		
7.17% GOI 2030		5.3%
7.26% GOI 2032		2.7%
7.71% SDL 2033		2.4%
7.85% SDL 2042		2.3%
7.8% SDL 2042		0.9%
7.95% GOI 2032		0.0%
Total		13.6%
Corporate Bonds		
IRFC LTD.	AAA	9.1%
POWER FINANCE CORPN. LTD.	AAA	8.9%
HDFC LTD.	AAA	8.8%
REC LTD.	AAA	8.5%
SHRIRAM TRANSPORT FINANCE CO. LTD	AA+	4.5%
L&T INFRA DEBT FUND LTD	AAA	4.5%
INDIABULLS HOUSING FINANCE LTD	AA	4.4%
CHOLAMANDALAM INVEST & FIN CO. LT	AA+	4.1%
L I C HOUSING FINANCE LTD.	AAA	4.0%
SIKKA PORTS & TERMINALS LTD.	AAA	2.7%
Others		1.2%
Total		60.8%
Cash and Money Market		25.6%
Portfolio Total		100.0%



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Group Met Secure fund (Open Fund)

SFIN No: ULGF00410/09/14METSECUREF117

May 31, 2023

 Fund Details

 Investment Objective: To generate regular income by investing in high investment grade Fixed Income Securities and to generate capital appreciation by investing a limited portion in equities.
 Incept 29-Details

AUM Inception Date NAV YTM MD 29-Dec-2020 Rs. 14 crore Rs 11 4792 7.0% 51 Funds Managed by the Fund Managers Fund Manager(s) Equity - 3 | Debt - 0 | Balanced -3 Deb Bhattacharva Gauray Balre Equity - 0 | Debt - 3 | Balanced -5

Investment Philosophy: The fund will target 15% investments in Equities and 85% investments in Government & other debt securities (Including Money Market) to meet the stated objectives.

Fund v/s Benchmark Return (%)	
	Fund	Benchmark*
1 Month	1.5%	1.3%
6 Months	4.1%	3.6%
1 Year	9.8%	9.0%
2 Years	5.7%	5.4%
3 Years	-	-
5 Years	-	-
Inception	5.9%	5.6%

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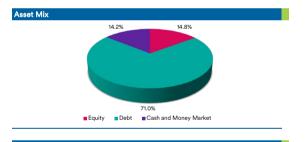
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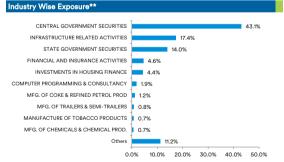
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Actual v/s Targeted Asset Allocation (%)

Security Type	Min	Max	Actual
Listed Equities	10%	20%	14.8%
Government and other Debt Securities	10%	80%	71.0%
Money Market and other liquid assets	10%	80%	14.2%

The actual asset allocation will remain within the 'minimum' and 'maximum' range based on market opportunities and future outlook of the markets.





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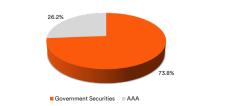
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Security Name	Rating	Net Asset (%)
Equity		
I C I C I BANK LTD.		1.1%
RELIANCE INDUSTRIES LTD.		0.9%
H D F C BANK LTD.		0.9%
INFOSYS LTD.		0.8%
I T C LTD.		0.7%
STATE BANK OF INDIA		0.6%
AXIS BANK LTD.		0.5%
TATA CONSULTANCY SERVICES LTD.		0.5%
LARSEN & TOUBRO LTD.		0.5%
BHARTI AIRTEL LTD.		0.4%
Others		7.9%
Total		14.8%
Government Securities		
7.1% GOI 2029		17.5%
7.06% SDL 2032		14.0%
5.74% GOI 2026		10.3%
6.99% GOI 2051		4.9%
5.15% GOI 2025		2.7%
6.95% GOI 2061		1.3%
Total		50.7%
Corporate Bonds		
POWER FINANCE CORPN. LTD.	AAA	7.2%
REC LTD.	AAA	6.9%
HDFC LTD.	AAA	4.4%
STATE BANK OF INDIA	AAA	1.8%
Total		20.3%
Cash and Money Market		14.2%
Portfolio Total		100.0%

Rating Credit Profile



Group Met Growth Fund (Open Fund)

Fund Details

Inception Date

29-Dec-2020

Fund Manager(s)

Deb Bhattacharya

Gauray Balre

SFIN No: ULGF00510/09/14METGROWTHF117

May 31, 2023

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Funds Managed by the Fund Managers

MD

49

Equity - 3 | Debt - 0 | Balanced -3

Equity - 0 | Debt - 3 | Balanced -5

Rs. 12 crore

Investment Objective: To generate capital appreciation and current income, through a judicious mix of investments in equities and fixed income securities.

Investment Philosophy: The fund will target 55% investments in Equities and 45% investments in Government & other debt securities (Including Money Market) to meet the stated objectives.

Fund v/s Benchmark Return (%)

	Fund	Benchmark*
1 Month	2.1%	1.9%
6 Months	2.2%	1.2%
1 Year	11.6%	10.3%
2 Years	8.5%	7.2%
3 Years	-	-
5 Years	-	-
Inception	10.1%	9.0%

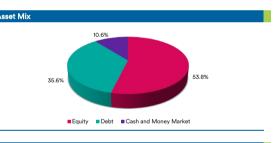
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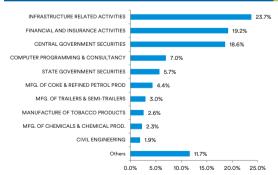
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Actual v/s Targeted Asset Allocation (%)				
Security Type	Min	Max	Actual	
Listed Equities	30%	60%	53.8%	
Government and other Debt Securities	10%	60%	35.6%	
Money Market and other liquid assets	10%	60%	10.6%	
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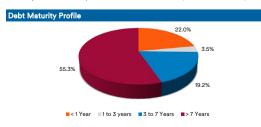
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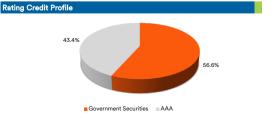
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7.0%

NAV

Rs. 12.6180

Security Name	Rating	Net Asset (%)
Equity		
I C I C I BANK LTD.		5.0%
RELIANCE INDUSTRIES LTD.		3.4%
H D F C BANK LTD.		3.2%
INFOSYS LTD.		2.9%
I T C LTD.		2.6%
STATE BANK OF INDIA		2.4%
AXIS BANK LTD.		2.3%
LARSEN & TOUBRO LTD.		1.7%
TATA CONSULTANCY SERVICES LTD.		1.6%
BHARTI AIRTEL LTD.		1.6%
Others		27.1%
Total		53.8%
Government Securities		
7.1% GOI 2029		8.8%
7.06% SDL 2032		5.7%
5.15% GOI 2025		1.6%
7.4% GOI 2062		0.9%
Total		16.9%
Corporate Bonds		
POWER FINANCE CORPN. LTD.	AAA	8.5%
REC LTD.	AAA	8.0%
STATE BANK OF INDIA	AAA	2.1%
Total		18.6%
Cash and Money Market		10.6%
Portfolio Total		100.0%



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