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# **Equity Outlook**

The Nifty fell 2.9% in July, marking an end to a four-month winning streak. Sentiment remained cautious amid uncertainty around India-US trade negotiations and a tepid Q1 results season with cautious management commentary. Mid-cap and Small-cap indices underperformed Large-cap and were down 4% and 6%, respectively. Almost all sectors ended in the red, except healthcare (+3%) and FMCG (+2%). IT, Realty, and Capital goods indices were down 9%, 7% and 6%, respectively. India was among the worst-performing markets, along with Brazil (-4%), the Philippines (-2%) and Malaysia (-1%). While Thailand (+14%), Indonesia (+8%) and Taiwan (+6%) were among the top gainers. FIIs sold in July 2025 to the tune of \$4.3bn (secondary) and DIIs remained net buyers to the tune of \$7bn.

On the domestic economy front, high frequency indicators (like E-way bill, GST collection, CPI, PMI) suggest marginal improvement in economy. GST collection for the month of June (collected in July) was at Rs1,957 bn (May: Rs1,846 bn), growth of 7.5% YoY (May: 6.2% YoY). June CPI inflation moderated to 2.1% (May: 2.8%). Food prices contracted by 1.1% YoY (accelerated 1.1% mom), led by a sharp decline in prices of vegetables, pulses, cereals, sugar, and spices. Goods trade deficit in June too narrowed from May levels to US\$18.8bn driven by 3.7% YoY decline in imports to US\$53.9 bn (May: US\$60.6 bn). IIP growth in June decreased to 1.5% (May: 1.9%) with manufacturing production growth at 3.9%, electricity at (-)2.6% and mining at (-)8.7%.

Other key developments: (1) The RBI MPC unanimously kept the policy reporate unchanged at 5.5% while maintaining the stance at neutral, (2) India and the UK signed a Comprehensive Economic and Trade Agreement (CETA) aiming to boost annual bilateral trade, (3) the IMF raised India's FY2026 GDP growth outlook to 6.4% from 6.2%, (4) the US Fed kept the interest rates unchanged, (5) the US announced a 25% minimum tariff on Indian exports to the US and (6) 1QFY26 net income of the Nifty-50 Index came in as expected; however, downbeat guidance from management dented sentiments.

Overall, at the portfolio level, we remain invested in high quality franchisees and expect these businesses to continue to deliver healthy earnings growth over the medium to long term.

Source: Internal Research

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# **ABSL India Special Opportunities Portfolio**

### **Investment Theme**

The strategy aims to invest in companies that are primed to benefit from the following catalysts - Micro turnaround, Macro Turnaround, Management Change, Deleveraging, Demerger, Mid to Largecap potential and Secular growth companies.

### **Fund Details**

Structure: Discretionary PMS | Strategy Name: ABSL India Special Opportunities Portfolio | Benchmark: BSE 500 TRI |

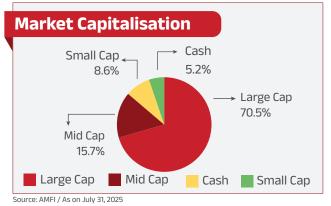
Fund Inception Date: June 14, 2018 | Fund Manager: Sameer Narayan & Salvin Shah

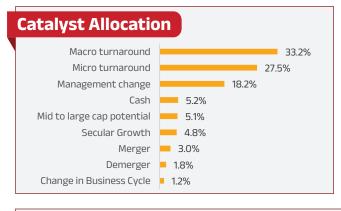


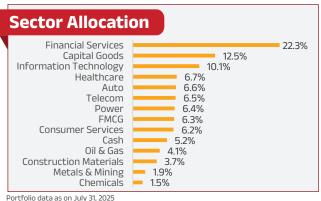
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# Risk Ratios Standard Deviation 13.81% Sharpe Ratio 0.81 Beta 0.97 Portfolio Turnover (%) 0.44 Above Ratios are 3 year ratios calculated on annualised basis







## **Top 10 Portfolio Holdings**

| Companies               | % to Net Assets |
|-------------------------|-----------------|
| Bharti Airtel Ltd       | 6.5%            |
| Bharat Dynamics Limited | 6.3%            |
| ICICI Bank Ltd          | 5.8%            |
| Trent Ltd               | 5.1%            |
| Bank Of Baroda          | 3.7%            |

| Companies                          | % to Net Assets |
|------------------------------------|-----------------|
| Axis Bank Ltd                      | 3.6%            |
| Sun Pharmaceuticals Industries Ltd | 3.5%            |
| Cholamandalam Inv. & Fin. Co. Ltd  | 3.4%            |
| United Spirits Ltd                 | 3.2%            |
| Torrent Pharmaceuticals Ltd        | 3.2%            |

### **ABSL Select Sector Portfolio**

### **Investment Theme**

The strategy aims to invest in companies of high quality with consistency in growth, high ROE, low leverage & high potential for growth. It is predominantly Small & Midcap oriented portfolio.

### **Fund Details**

Structure: Discretionary PMS | Strategy Name: ABSL Select Sector Portfolio | Benchmark: BSE 500 TRI |

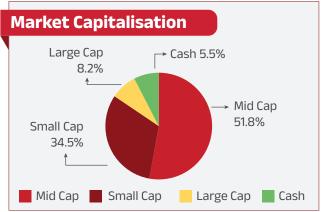
Fund Inception Date: October 6, 2009 | Fund Managers: Sameer Narayan & Salvin Shah



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| Risk Ratios   |        |
|---|--------|
| Standard Deviation  | 14.52% |
| Sharpe Ratio  | 1.53   |
| Beta  | 0.89   |
| Portfolio Turnover (%)  | 0.25   |
| Above ratios are 3 year ratios calculated on annualised basis |        |



Source: AMFI / As on July 31, 2025

| Sector Allocati   | ion   |
|---|---|
| Financial Services Capital Goods Auto Chemicals Information Technology Cash Construction Materials Services Healthcare Metals & Mining Power Utilities Oil & Gas Consumer Services Realty Textiles Construction | 18.9% 16.7% 11.9% 10.0% 5.5% 4.5% 4.1% 3.0% 2.4% 2.1% 2.0% 1.7% 1.6% 1.6% 1.6% 0.9% |
| Portfolio data as on July 31, 2025  |   |

| Top 10 Portfolio Holdings    |                 |  |  |
|------------------------------|-----------------|--|--|
| Companies                    | % to Net Assets |  |  |
| BSE Limited                  | 9.0%            |  |  |
| Hitachi Energy India Ltd     | 5.8%            |  |  |
| Persistent Systems Ltd       | 5.4%            |  |  |
| Deepak Fertilizers & Petro   | 5.1%            |  |  |
| Corp Ltd                     |                 |  |  |
| Lumax Industries Ltd         | 4.5%            |  |  |
| ICICI Bank Ltd               | 4.2%            |  |  |
| Federal Bank Ltd             | 3.2%            |  |  |
| EID Parry India Ltd          | 2.9%            |  |  |
| Coromandel International Ltd | 2.9%            |  |  |
| Triveni Turbine Ltd          | 2.8%            |  |  |

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4.2%

# **ABSL Innovation Portfolio**

### **Investment Theme**

The strategy aims to invest in companies which are beneficiaries of the fast changing landscape across industries (innovation led) and companies that have a scalability in the form of market size over the next decade (secular growers).

### **Fund Details**

**Structure:** Discretionary PMS | **Strategy Name:** ABSL Innovation Portfolio | **Benchmark:** BSE 500 TRI **Fund Inception Date:** April 24, 2018 | **Fund Manager:** Salvin Shah

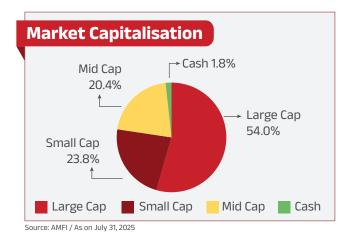
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# Risk Ratios Standard Deviation 13.22% Sharpe Ratio 1.15 Beta 0.89 Portfolio Turnover (%) 0.18 Above ratios are 3 year ratios calculated on annualised basis



**Sector Allocation** Financial Services 28.5% Chemicals 10.5% Information Technology 9.7% Telecom 9.0% **Consumer Services** 7.5% 6.9% Auto Capital Goods 6.5% Construction 6.2% Oil & Gas 4.9% Utilities 3.1% Healthcare Consumer Durables 2.0% Cash 18% FMCG = 1.6%

| 1 | Companies               | % to Net Assets |
|---|-------------------------|-----------------|
|   | ICICI Bank Ltd          | 8.9%            |
|   | Bharti Airtel Ltd       | 8.5%            |
|   | Trent Ltd               | 7.5%            |
|   | Persistent Systems Ltd  | 7.0%            |
|   | Larsen & Toubro Ltd     | 6.2%            |
|   | HDFC Bank Ltd           | 5.6%            |
|   | Reliance Industries Ltd | 4.9%            |
|   | Bajaj Finance Ltd       | 4.8%            |
|   | FIEM Industries Limited | 4.6%            |

PI Industries Ltd

**Top 10 Portfolio Holdings** 

## **ABSL Top 200 CEP**

### **Investment Theme**

The strategy aims to invest in companies that consistently create value through favourable industry operating conditions. It is predominantly a Large Cap oriented portfolio.

### **Fund Details**

Structure: Discretionary PMS | Strategy Name: ABSL Top 200 CEP | Benchmark: Nifty 50 TRI |

Fund Inception Date: May 27, 2015 | Fund Manager: Salvin Shah

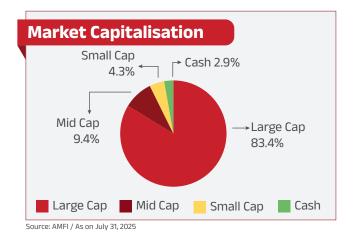
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# Risk Ratios Standard Deviation 12.94% Sharpe Ratio 0.72 Beta 0.97 Portfolio Turnover (%) 0.14 Above ratios are 3 year ratios calculated on annualised basis



Sector Allocation **Financial Services** 28.0% Information Technology 10.3% **FMCG** 7.6% Services 7.5% Telecom 7.5% Consumer Services 7.0% Capital Goods 7.0% Healthcare 5.5% Power 4.0% Construction Materials 3.7% Metals & Mining 3.3% Oil & Gas 3.1% 2.9% Cash Chemicals **1.3%** Auto = 1.1%

| Companies                     | % to Net Assets |
|-------------------------------|-----------------|
| Bharti Airtel Ltd             | 7.5%            |
| ICICI Bank Ltd                | 7.3%            |
| Trent Ltd                     | 6.9%            |
| HDFC Bank Ltd                 | 6.1%            |
| Interglobe Aviation Ltd       | 5.7%            |
| Infosys Ltd                   | 5.2%            |
| LTIMINDTREE LIMITED           | 5.1%            |
| Cummins India Ltd             | 4.2%            |
| Power Grid Corp. of India Ltd | 4.0%            |
| Sun Pharmaceuticals           |                 |

3.5%

Top 10 Portfolio Holdings

Industries Ltd

# **ABSL Core Equity Portfolio**

### **Investment Theme**

The strategy aims to invest in businesses having sustainable growth over long-term in select industries, which endeavors to make up for most of the GDP growth patterns. It is a Multicap portfolio unconstrained by any market segments.

### **Fund Details**

Structure: Discretionary PMS | Strategy Name: ABSL Core Equity Portfolio | Benchmark: Nifty 50 TRI |

Fund Inception Date: January 07, 2009 | Fund Manager: Salvin Shah

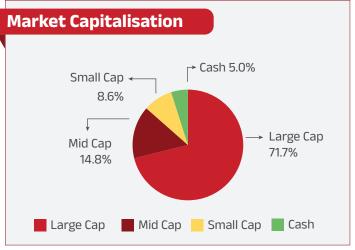
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Source: AMFI / As on July 31, 2025

|   | Sector Allocation      | on          |
|---|------------------------|-------------|
| ٦ | Financial Services     | 30.8%       |
|   | Services               | 7.9%        |
|   | Information Technology | 6.9%        |
|   | Auto                   | 6.6%        |
|   | Capital Goods          | 6.2%        |
|   | Telecom                | 5.4%        |
|   | Oil & Gas              | 5.4%        |
|   | Cash                   | 5.0%        |
|   | Consumer Services      | 4.3%        |
|   | Healthcare             | 4.0%        |
|   | Metals & Mining        | 4.0%        |
|   | Power                  | 3.8%        |
|   | FMCG                   | 3.6%        |
|   | Construction           | 2.4%        |
|   | Construction Materials | 2.4%        |
|   | Consumer Durables      | <b>1.1%</b> |

## **Top 10 Portfolio Holdings**

| Companies                  | % to Net Assets |
|----------------------------|-----------------|
| Interglobe Aviation Ltd    | 8.0%            |
| ICICI Bank Ltd             | 6.5%            |
| Bharti Airtel Ltd          | 5.5%            |
| HDFC Bank Ltd              | 4.3%            |
| Sun Pharma. Industries Ltd | 4.0%            |
| Infosys Ltd                | 3.9%            |
| United Spirits Ltd         | 3.6%            |
| Tata Motors Ltd            | 3.4%            |
| Jio Financial Services Ltd | 3.3%            |
| ICICI Lombard General      | 3.2%            |
| Insurance Company Limited  |                 |

### **ABSL Next 100 Portfolio**

### **Investment Theme**

The portfolio would primarily invest in Large & Mid caps. It captures a sweet spot between Large Caps and Mid Caps with a perfect balance of growth and quality. The strategy aims to invest predominantly in top 150 companies (excluding Nifty 50).

### **Fund Details**

Structure: Discretionary PMS | Strategy Name: ABSL Next 100 Portfolio | Benchmark: Nifty 50 TRI |

Fund Inception Date: September 27, 2019 | Fund Manager: Salvin Shah

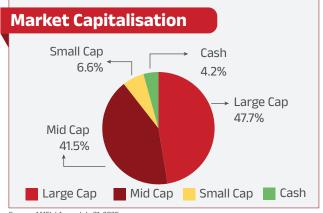
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# Risk Ratios Standard Deviation 14.26% Sharpe Ratio 0.63 Beta 0.97 Portfolio Turnover (%) 0.11 Above ratios are 3 year ratios calculated on annualised basis



Source: AMFI / As on July 31, 2025

| Sector Allocation  | 1  |
|--|--|
| Financial Services Capital Goods Services FMCG Consumer Services Chemicals Consumer Durables Metals & Mining Construction Materials Cash Healthcare Information Technology Power Textiles Realty Oil & Gas | 14.4%  10.6%  6.9%  6.5%  5.7%  5.3%  5.0%  4.7%  4.3%  3.5%  3.0%  2.7%  2.6%  2.5%  2.2% |

| Top 10 Portfolio Holdings  |                 |  |  |
|----------------------------|-----------------|--|--|
| Companies                  | % to Net Assets |  |  |
| Interglobe Aviation Ltd    | 7.5%            |  |  |
| PB FINTECH LIMITED         | 6.2%            |  |  |
| Jindal Steel and Power Ltd | 5.3%            |  |  |
| CG Power and Industrial    | 5.2%            |  |  |
| Solutions Limited          |                 |  |  |
| Ambuja Cements Ltd         | 4.9%            |  |  |
| Federal Bank Ltd           | 4.8%            |  |  |
| Bajaj Finserv Ltd          | 4.7%            |  |  |
| Muthoot Finance Ltd        | 4.4%            |  |  |
| Ashok Leyland Ltd          | 4.3%            |  |  |
| Info Edge India Ltd        | 4.1%            |  |  |

| ABSL India Special Opportunities Portfolio |        |       |       |
|--|--------|-------|-------|
|  | Growth | Blend | Value |
| Large Cap                                  |        |       |       |
| Mid & Small                                |        |       |       |

| ABSL Select Sector Portfolio |        |       |       |
|------------------------------|--------|-------|-------|
|                              | Growth | Blend | Value |
| Large Cap                    |        |       |       |
| Mid & Small                  |        |       |       |

| ABSL Innovation Portfolio |        |       |       |
|---------------------------|--------|-------|-------|
|                           | Growth | Blend | Value |
| Large Cap                 |        |       |       |
| Mid & Small               |        |       |       |

| ABSL Top 200 CEP |        |       |       |
|------------------|--------|-------|-------|
|                  | Growth | Blend | Value |
| Large Cap        |        |       |       |
| Mid & Small      |        |       |       |

| ABSL Core Equity Portfolio |        |       |       |
|----------------------------|--------|-------|-------|
|                            | Growth | Blend | Value |
| Large Cap                  |        |       |       |
| Mid & Small                |        |       |       |

| ABSL Next 100 Portfolio |        |       |       |
|-------------------------|--------|-------|-------|
|                         | Growth | Blend | Value |
| Large Cap               |        |       |       |
| Mid & Small             |        |       |       |

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