

# Multi Asset Portfolio

## Based on Personalised Asset Allocation

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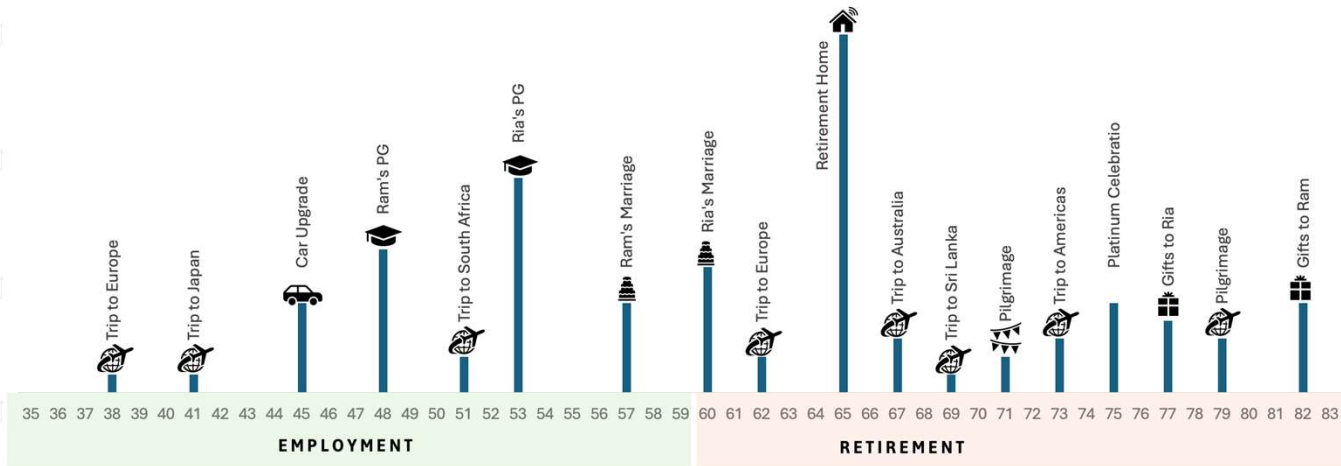


# A personalized financial plan paves path to achieving life goals



A financial plan translate life goals into clear, measurable, & time bound financial goals.

-  Buy a House
-  Upgrade Cars
-  Higher Education
-  Marriage
-  Debt Free
-  Retirement
-  Travel
-  Gifts and Legacy



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# Cost of living is surging



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- Cost of a typical vegetarian thali rose at 11% p.a. in the last 5 years
- Cost of an Alto (small car) rose by 8% p.a. from FY19 to FY25.
- Price of Hero Splendor (entry level motorcycle) rose by 7% p.a. from FY19 to FY25.
- Transport and communication CPI has risen by ~5% p.a. over the last 6 years.
- As per RBI's data, outstanding education loans rose from Rs. 65.3K crores in 2020 to Rs. 1.37 lakh crores in 2025, a CAGR of nearly 16% p.a.

# Goals need careful planning due to surging costs and soaring inflation



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## Studying in the UK costs Rs 30-40 lakh/year: Key factors to consider

*Study abroad: With rising tuition fees, living expenses, and unpredictable currency fluctuations, managing your finances effectively is crucial*

Surbhi Gloria Singh | New Delhi

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Are you ready to spend up to Rs 30-40 lakh per year for your child's education abroad? On average, studying at a college in the UK costs about that much, which is lower than the expenses in the US and Australia. College abroad is expensive. For many middle and upper-middle-class families, hence, the dream of sending their child to a top college abroad requires careful financial planning.

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# Asset allocation helps translate financial plan into action



## Personal and Financial Information

- Income - Expenses
- Future Savings
- Current Investments
- Loans and Liabilities
- Future Goals
- Retirement Plans
- Risk Preferences

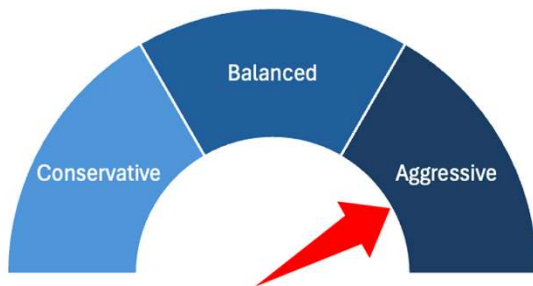
## Strategic Asset Allocation



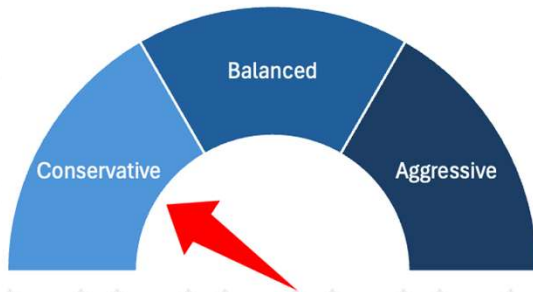
## Investment Portfolio

US Opportunities Mutual Fund	₹₹₹₹
Gold ETF	₹₹₹₹
REIT (Dir)	₹₹₹₹
Arbitrage Fund (Dir)	₹₹₹
NCD	₹₹
Large Cap Fund (Dir)	₹₹₹₹₹
Flexi Cap Fund (Dir)	₹₹₹₹
Small Cap Fund (Dir)	₹₹₹₹
Value-Growth Fund	₹₹

# Asset allocation should be tailored to your individual needs.....

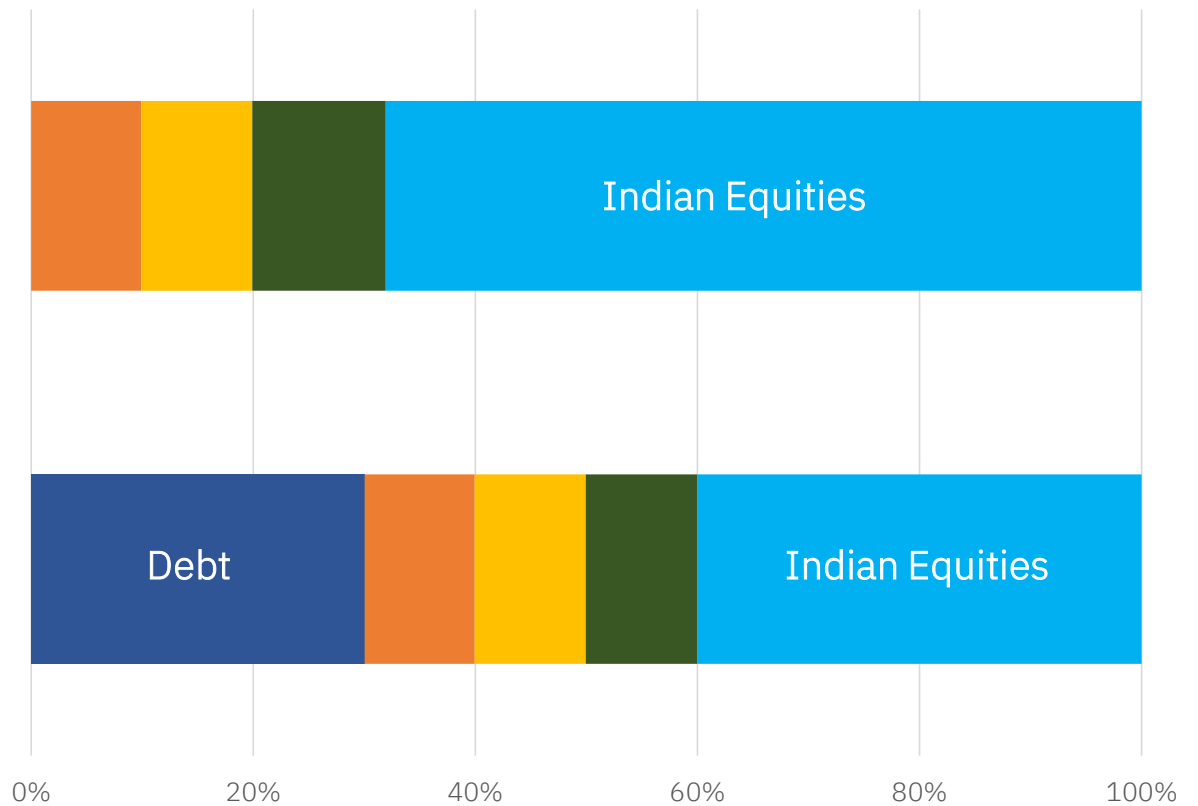


An investor in their 30s with distant goals and foreseeable savings



An investor with conservative retirement goals seeking certainty of returns

■ Low Risk Debt ■ Income ■ Gold ■ Global Equities ■ Indian Equities

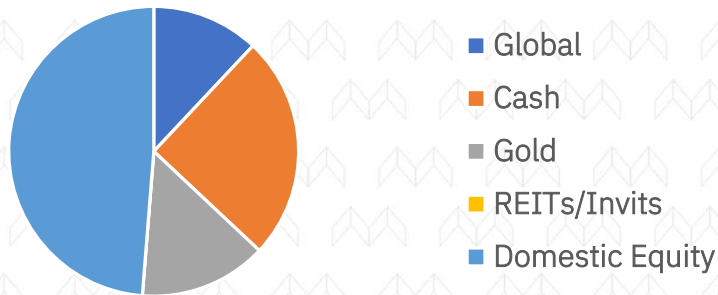


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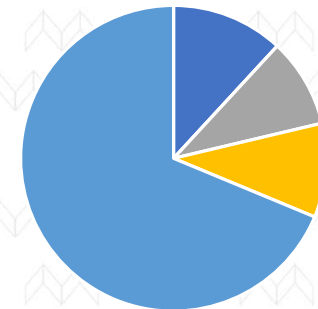
# ..... and should change with changing market environment



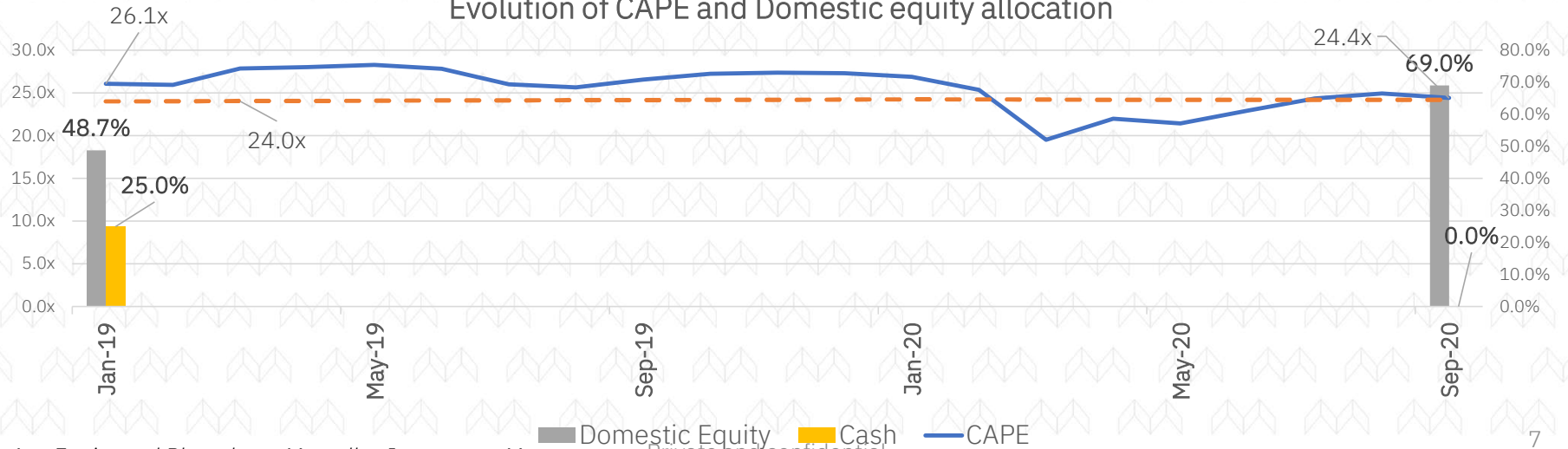
Asset allocation for Aggressive as of Jan-2019



Asset allocation for Aggressive as of Sept-2020



Evolution of CAPE and Domestic equity allocation



Source: Ace Equity and Bloomberg, Marcellus Investment Manager

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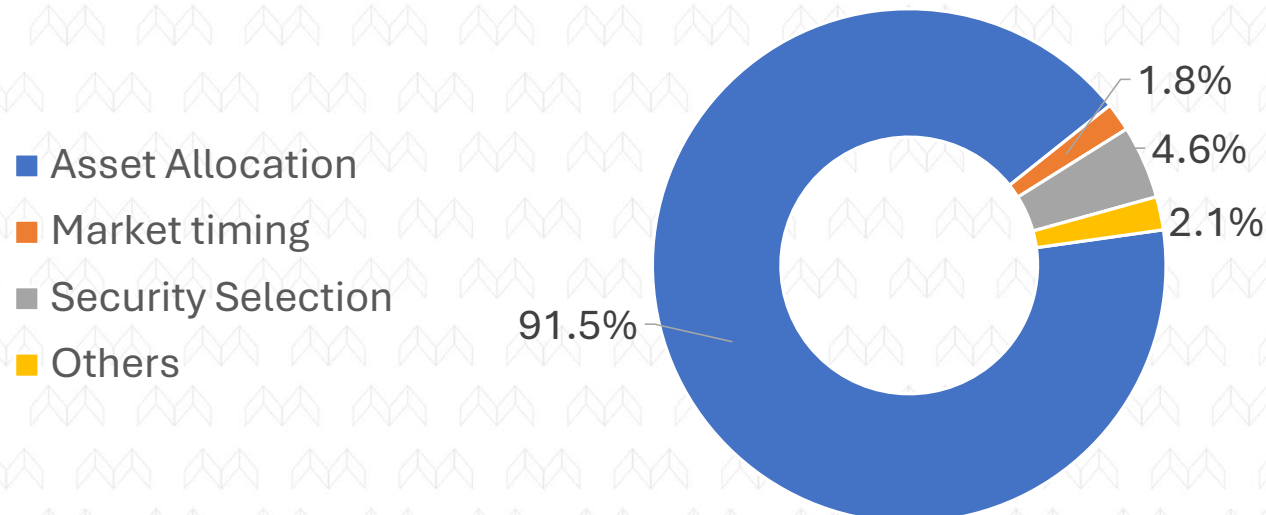
# Asset allocation is the biggest driver of your overall investment returns



Investors often worry about which stock to buy or which fund to invest in.

However, asset allocation explains most of variation in investment returns and portfolio performance - both across time as well as across funds.

Determinants of investment performance



Source: "Determinants of Portfolio Performance- II- an update" by Gary P Brinson, Brian D Singer and Gilbert Beebower  
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**Diversification** spreads exposure reducing concentration risk (all eggs in one basket?!)  
**Uncorrelated** assets move differently - lowering volatility & enhancing stability

- ✓ Nifty 50 have topped the table only in 1 out of last 10 years
  - ✓ US Equities (S&P500\*) has been a top performer in 5 out of 10 years
  - ✓ Gold has been best performer for 4 5ears, but also the worst performer in 1 out of 10 years
- ALL asset classes delivered positive returns in 7 out of 10 years.

	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	CYTD [Mar-2026]
Returns ↓	14.9 % SP 500 INR	30.3 % Nifty 50 TR	7.1 % Gold	34.4 % SP 500 INR	31.2 % Gold	31.2 % SP 500 INR	14.4 % Gold	27.1 % SP 500 INR	29 % SP 500 INR	75.8 % Gold	10% Gold
	12.9 % Debt	14.4 % SP 500 INR	7 % Cash	21.3 % Gold	21.4 % SP 500 INR	25.6 % Nifty 50 TR	5.7 % Nifty 50 TR	21.3 % Nifty 50 TR	20.4 % Gold	23.5 % SP 500 INR	1.3% Cash
	10.8 % Gold	7.1 % Gold	5.9 % Debt	13.5 % Nifty 50 TR	16.1 % Nifty 50 TR	3.5 % Cash	4.9 % Cash	15.4 % Gold	10.1 % Nifty 50 TR	11.9 % Nifty 50 TR	-0.6% Debt
	7 % Cash	6.3 % Cash	4.6 % Nifty 50 TR	10.7 % Debt	12.3 % Debt	3.4 % Debt	2.5 % Debt	7.3 % Debt	9 % Debt	6.8 % Debt	-2.5% SP 500 INR
	4.4 % Nifty 50 TR	4.7 % Debt	4.4 % SP 500 INR	6.5 % Cash	4.5 % Cash	-6.7 % Gold	-9.1 % SP 500 INR	7 % Cash	7.2 % Cash	6.1 % Cash	-14.4% Nifty 50 TR

Source: Ace Equity and Bloomberg, Marcellus Investment Manager

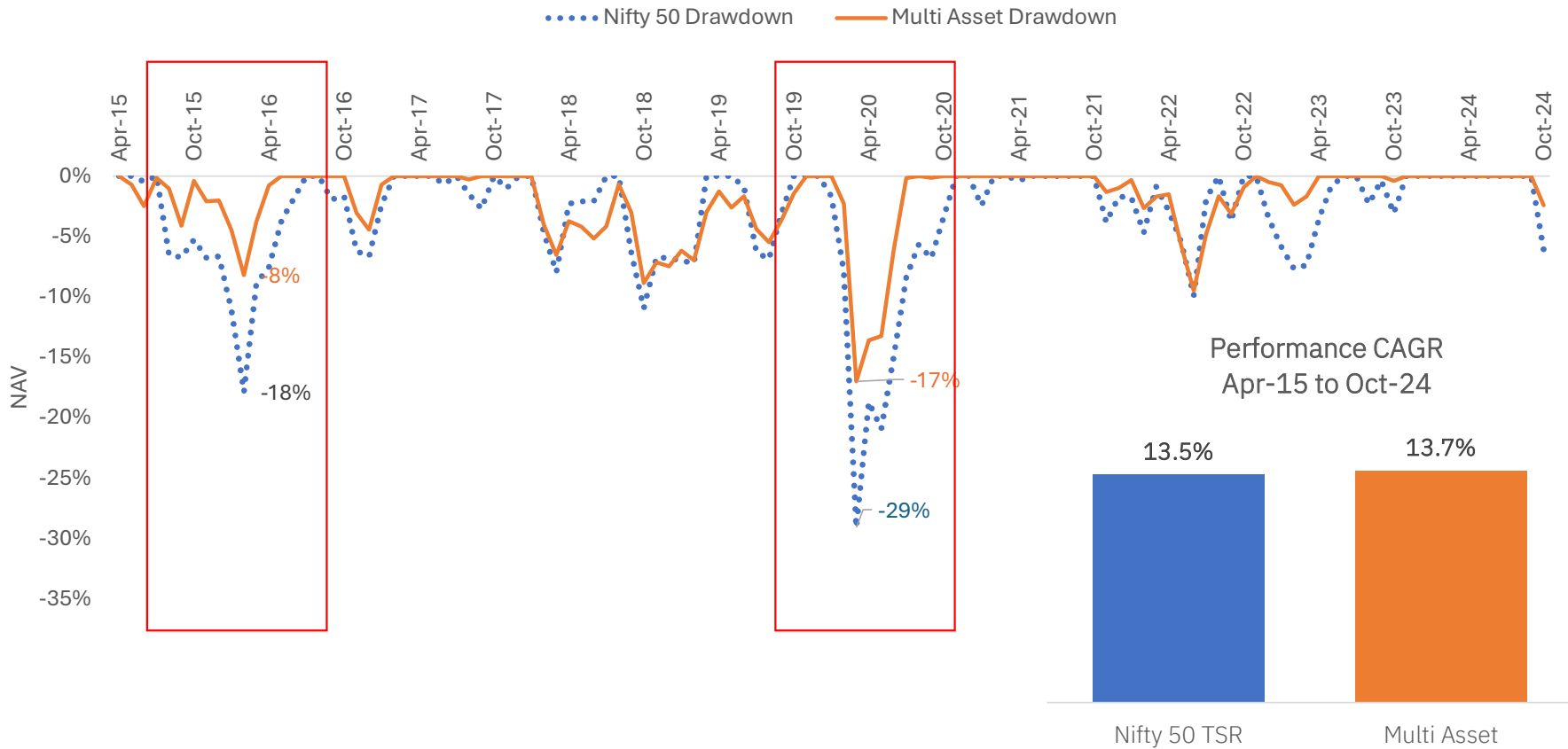
## Even within equities, performance of market caps & investing styles rotate frequently



CY 2015	CY 2016	CY 2017	CY 2018	CY 2019	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022	CY 2023	CY 2024	CY 2025
Small Cap (11%)	Value (25%)	Small Cap (59%)	Quality (9%)	Large Cap (12%)	Small Cap (27%)	Small Cap (63%)	Value (23%)	Value (63%)	Small Cap (27%)	Value (13%)
Mid Cap (10%)	Mid Cap (7%)	Mid Cap (56%)	Large Cap (3%)	Quality (6%)	Quality (26%)	Value (56%)	Large Cap (5%)	Small Cap (49%)	Mid Cap (24%)	Large Cap (10%)
Quality (2%)	Large Cap (5%)	Value (47%)	Mid Cap (-13%)	Mid Cap (1%)	Mid Cap (26%)	Mid Cap (48%)	Mid Cap (4%)	Mid Cap (45%)	Value (20%)	Mid Cap (7%)
Large Cap (-1%)	Small Cap (1%)	Large Cap (33%)	Small Cap (-26%)	Small Cap (-7%)	Large Cap (16%)	Large Cap (26%)	Small Cap (-3%)	Quality (32%)	Quality (14%)	Quality (4%)
Value (-7%)	Quality (1%)	Quality (30%)	Value (-26%)	Value (-14%)	Value (9%)	Quality (26%)	Quality (-4%)	Large Cap (21%)	Large Cap (13%)	Small Cap (-5%)

Source: Ace Equity and Bloomberg, Marcellus Investment Manager, data updated till Nov'25

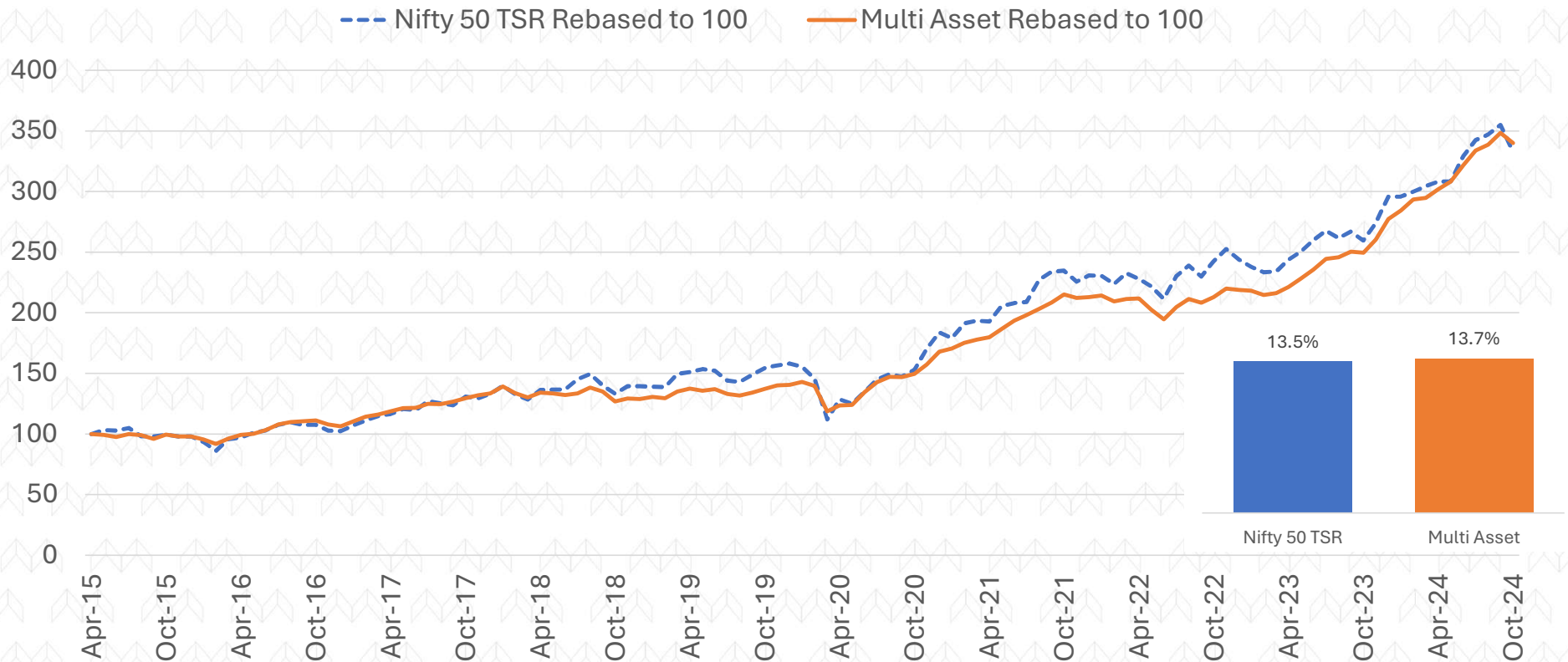
# A diversified multi asset portfolio\* can reduce risk ....



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# .... without compromising returns



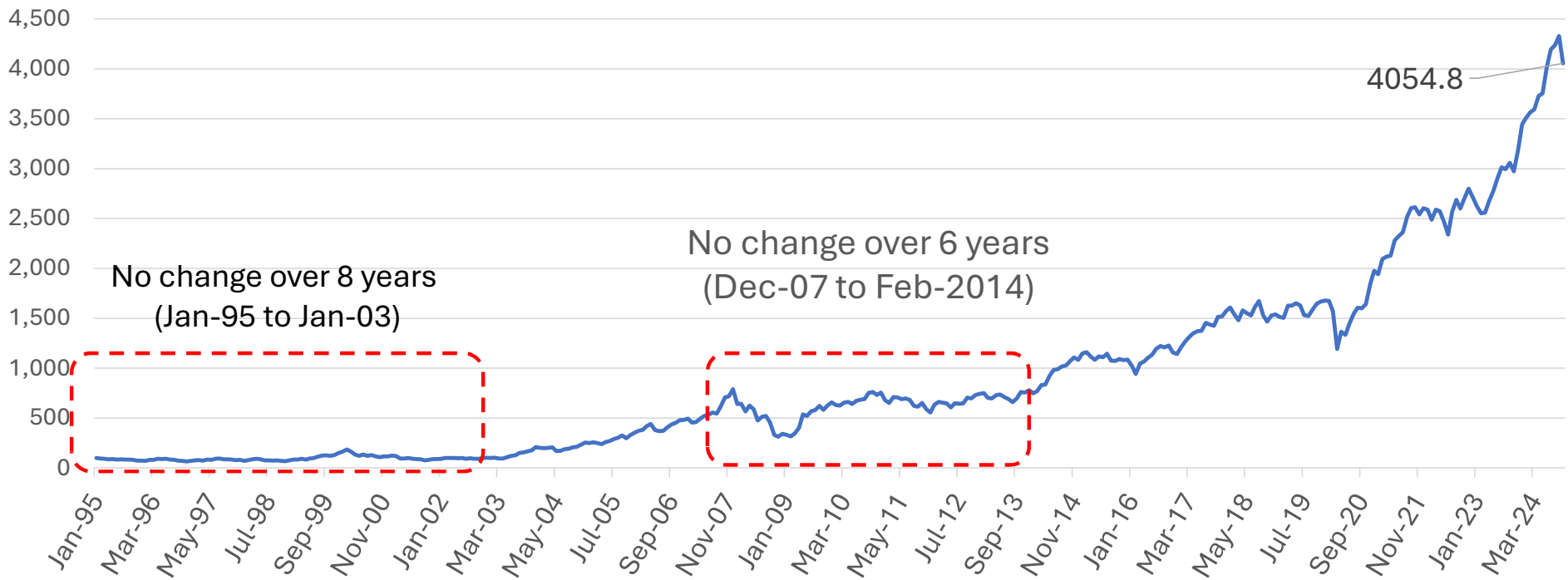
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# In time periods where equities do not deliver...



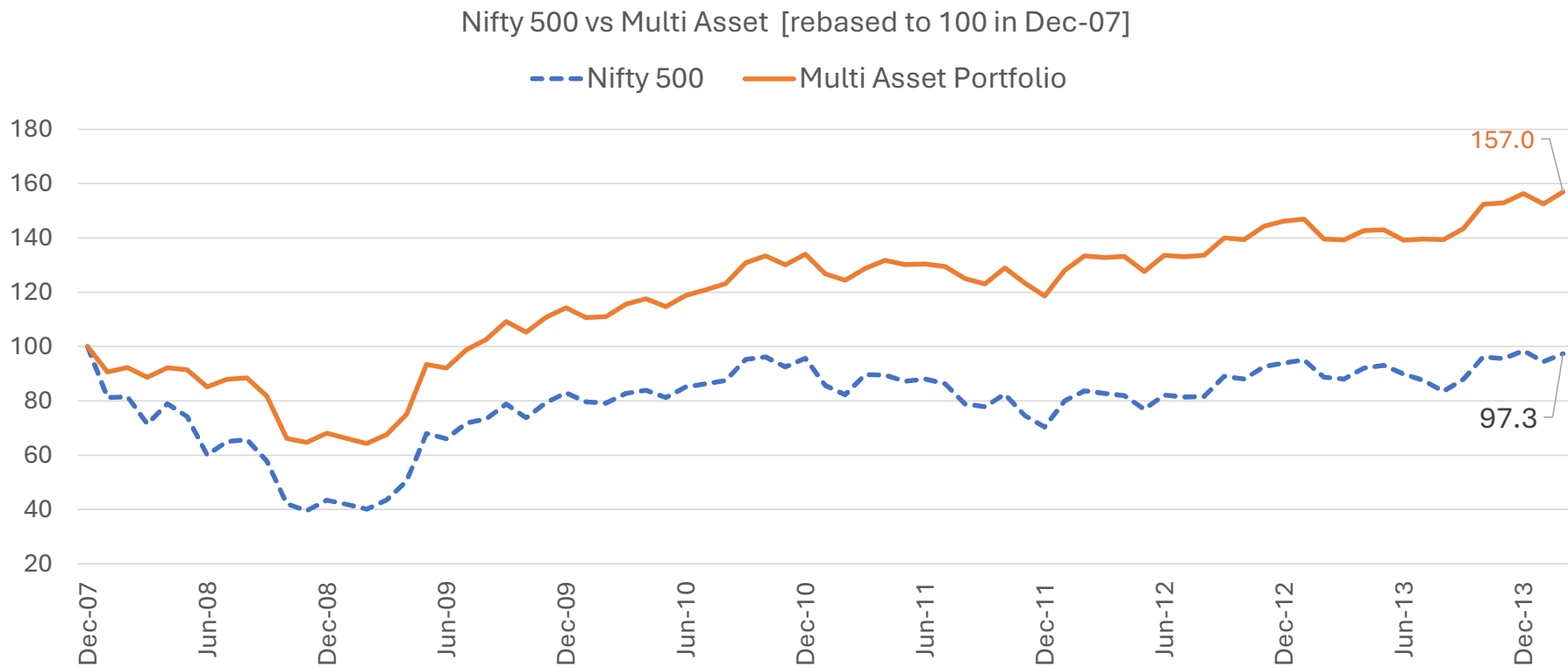
Nifty 500: ~30Y CAGR at 13.2%



Source: Ace Equity, NSE historical data and Bloomberg, Marcellus Investment Managers

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## ... an example Multi Asset Portfolio continues to perform



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# Marcellus' Multi Asset Portfolios (MAP)



Diversified investing across asset classes and investing styles

- Asset Classes
  - ▣ Low Risk Debt
  - ▣ Equities
  - ▣ Income
  - ▣ Gold
- Equity Markets
  - ▣ Indian
  - ▣ Global
- Indian Equities
  - ▣ Large Cap
  - ▣ Value
  - ▣ Small and Mid Cap
  - ▣ Quality



- Actively managed PMS
- Diversification to reduce drawdown risks
- Tactical rebalancing to enhance returns
- No conflict of interest – investments in Direct MF, ETF and actively traded securities
- Fund selection based on consistent performance and cost

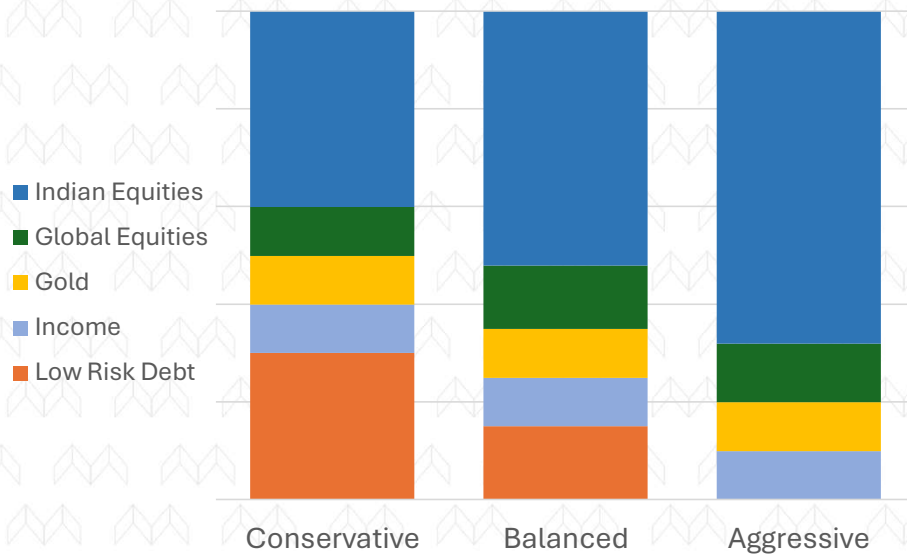
# MAP has multiple variants to align with your needs



Your personalized financial plan drives the asset allocation for your Multi Asset Portfolio

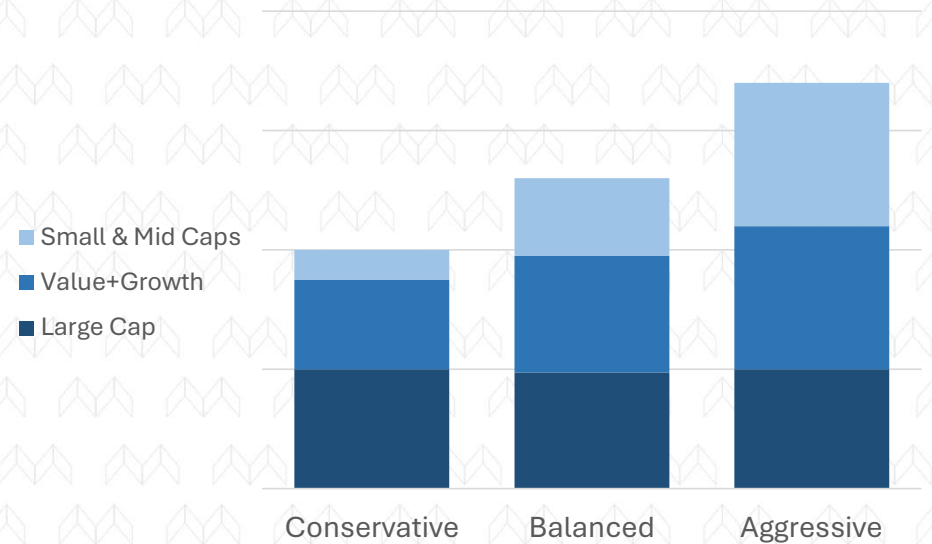
## Allocation Across Asset Classes

Aggressive Allocation overweights on Indian Equities

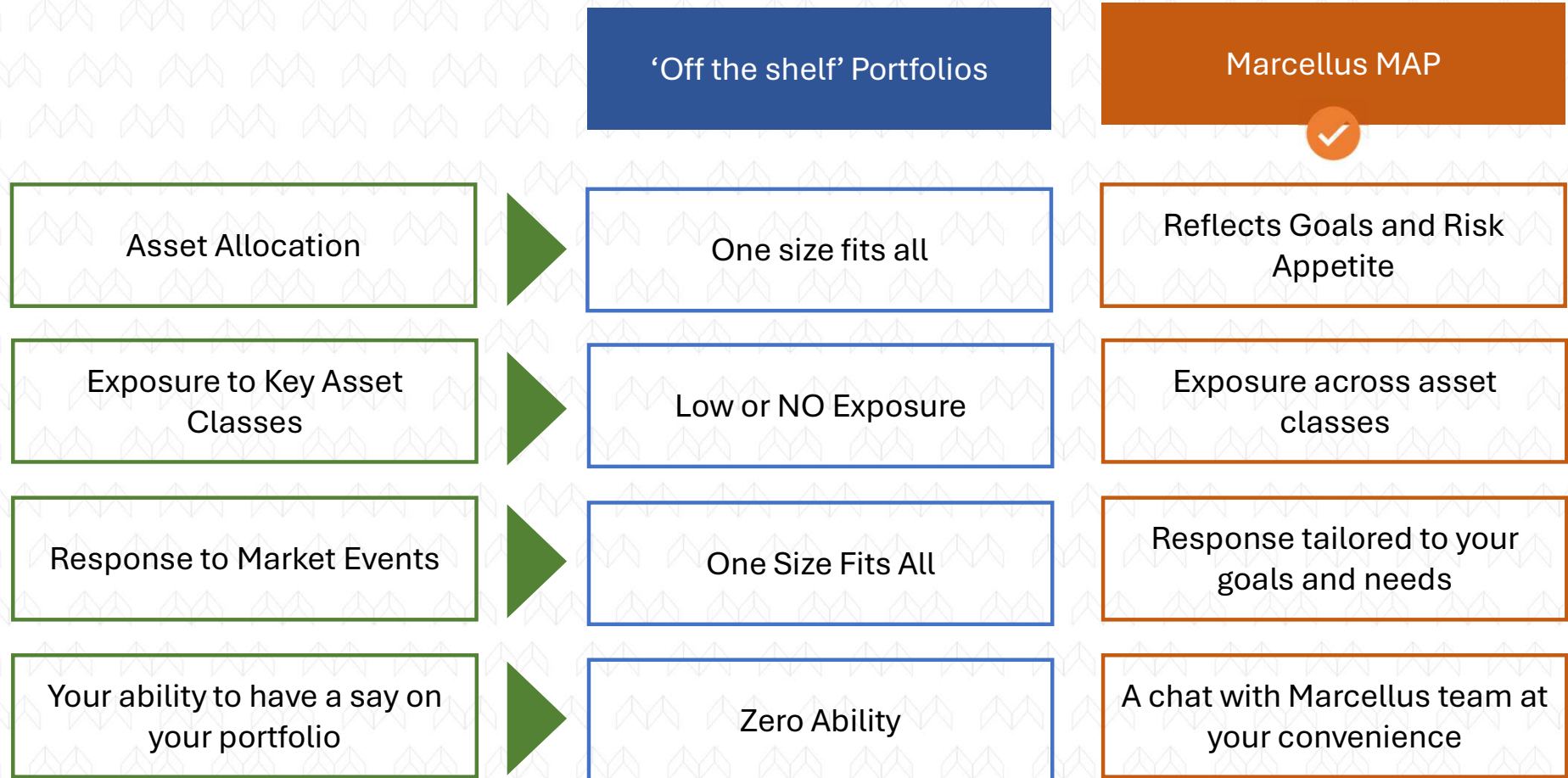


## Allocation Within Indian Equities

Aggressive Allocation Overweights on Small and Mid Caps



# 'Off the shelf' Multi Asset Portfolios are **NOT** tailored to your specific needs



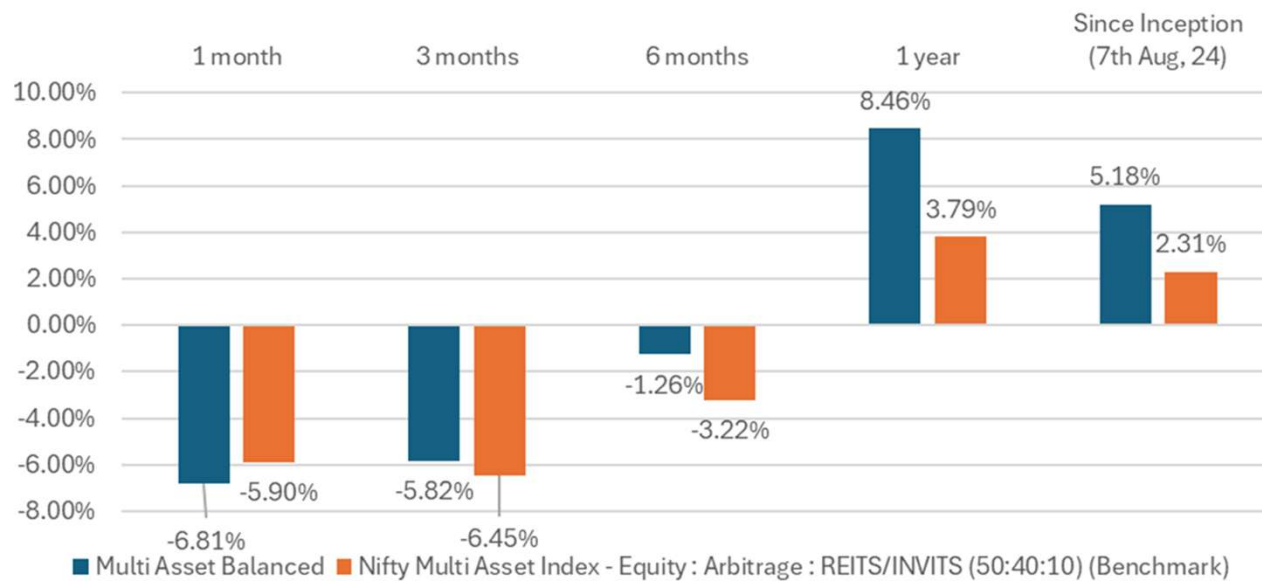
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# Marcellus' Multi Asset PMS (MAP) Performance



## Marcellus Multi Asset Portfolio (MAP) – Balanced Allocation

Fund performance till 31st March, 2026



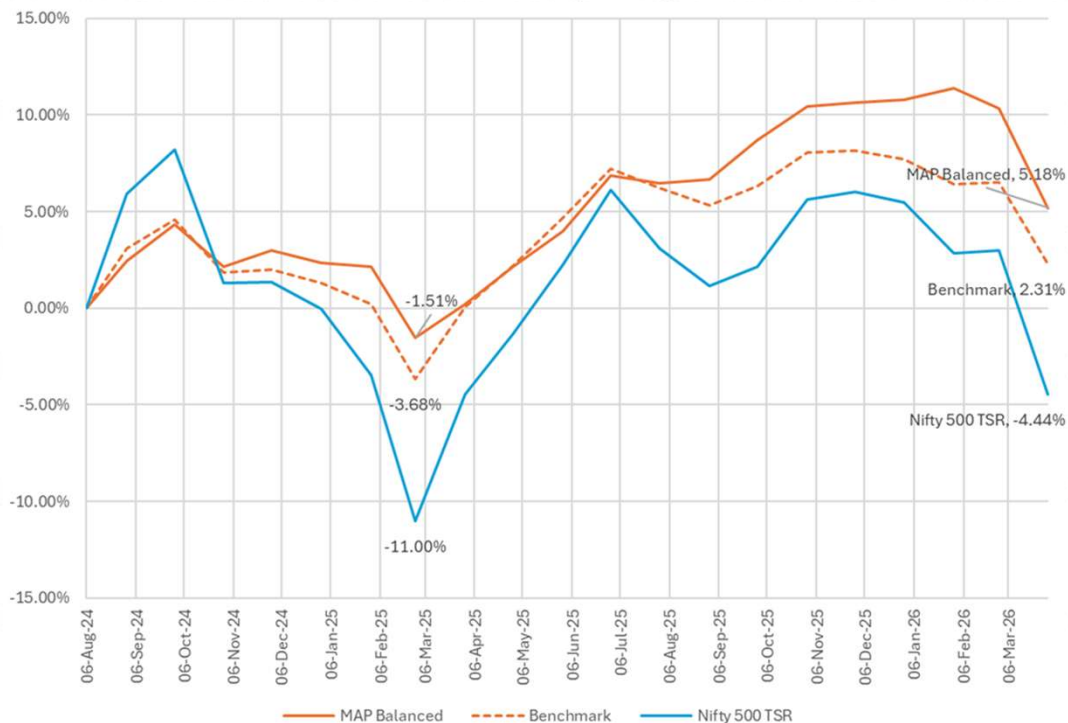
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# Marcellus' Multi Asset Balanced PMS (MAP) outperformed benchmark and NIFTY 500 TSR with significantly lower drawdown



## Marcellus Multi Asset Portfolio (MAP) – Balanced Allocation



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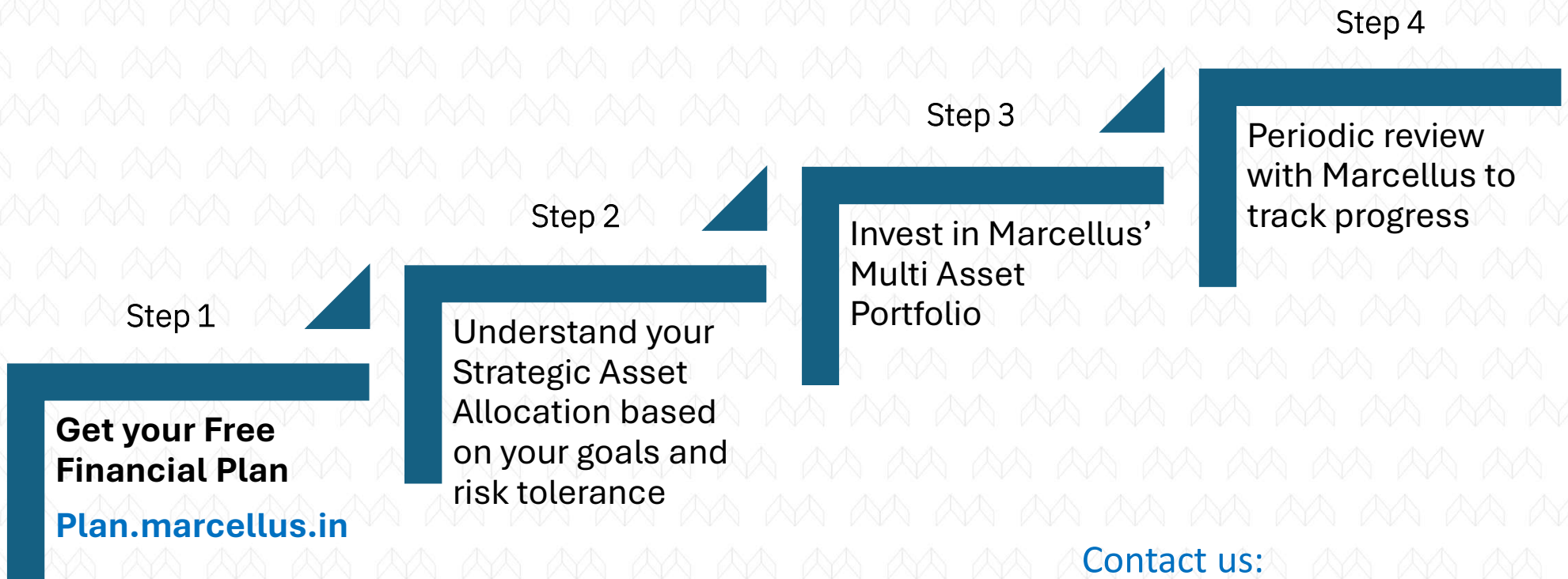
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- Best suited for investors looking to build a CORE Portfolio
- Minimum Investment: Rs 50 lakhs
- Investments in 'Direct' code MF, ETF and actively traded securities
- Transparent fee with no conflict of interest
- Marcellus Fee: 0.50% Fixed Fee per annum (charged quarterly on average daily AUM)
- Available for Resident Indians

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## Exhibit 1: Multi Asset Model Portfolio used for demonstrating drawdowns



Sector Representative	Index	Weight
Income	CRISIL Comp. Bond Index	25.0%
Gold	Gold	10.0%
Global Equities	SP500 TR INR	13.0%
India Small Cap	Nifty Smallcap 250	12.0%
India Large Cap	Nifty 50 TR	20.0%
India Quality	Nifty 200 Quality 30	10.0%
India Value	Nifty 500 Value 50	10.0%
	Total	100.0%

Source: Bloomberg, NSE  
Nifty = Nifty TSR  
Rebalanced Monthly

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