

**TOP
30
QUALITY
COMPANIES**

Quality Players Help Win Matches

**Quality Companies
Build Quality Portfolios**



NFO Opens: 17th March 2025 | NFO Closes: 28th March 2025

Launching

TATA
BSE QUALITY INDEX FUND

(An open ended fund replicating / tracking the BSE Quality Total Return Index (TRI))

This product is suitable for investors who are seeking*:

- Long Term Capital Appreciation.
- Returns that correspond to the total returns of the securities as represented by the BSE Quality Total Return Index, subject to tracking error.

*Investors should consult their financial advisors if in doubt about whether the product is suitable for them.

(The above product labelling assigned during NFO is based on internal assessment of the scheme characteristics and the same may vary post NFO when the actual investments are made. The same shall be updated as per provision no. 17.4.3.1 of SEBI Master Circular on Mutual Fund dated June 27, 2024, on Product labelling in mutual fund schemes on ongoing basis.)



Active investing

- Judgement based
- Outperformance potential
- Strategic & sophisticated

Smart Beta Funds

- Rule based filtration basis metrics to capture investment factors
- Aims to beat the broader market
- Complexity of factors with simplicity of rules

Passive investing

- Rule Based
- Market Returns
- Straightforward & simple

Types of Passives

Broad Market Indices

Representative of Equity Market, including companies across Market Caps, Sectors & Themes

Strategy/Factor Indices

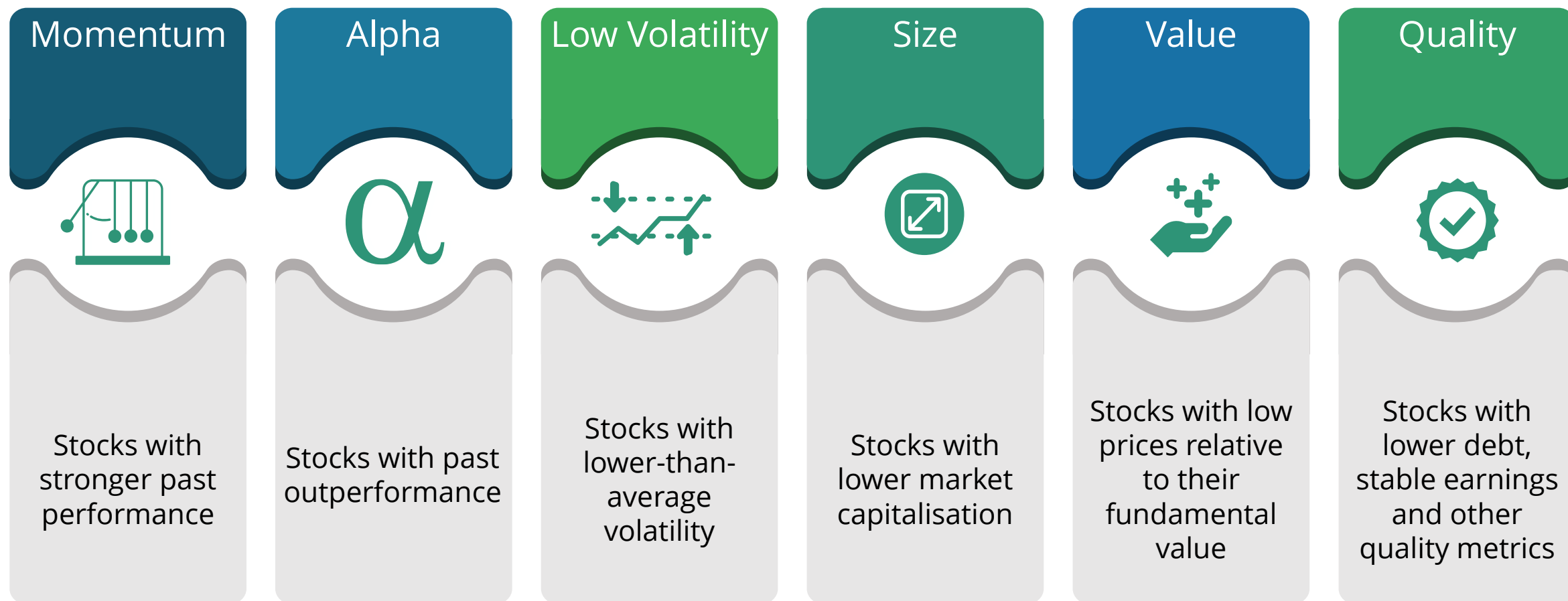
Stocks capturing certain characteristics important in explaining their returns & risk

Sectoral & Thematic Indices

Stocks capturing certain Sectors or Themes

Factor based investing

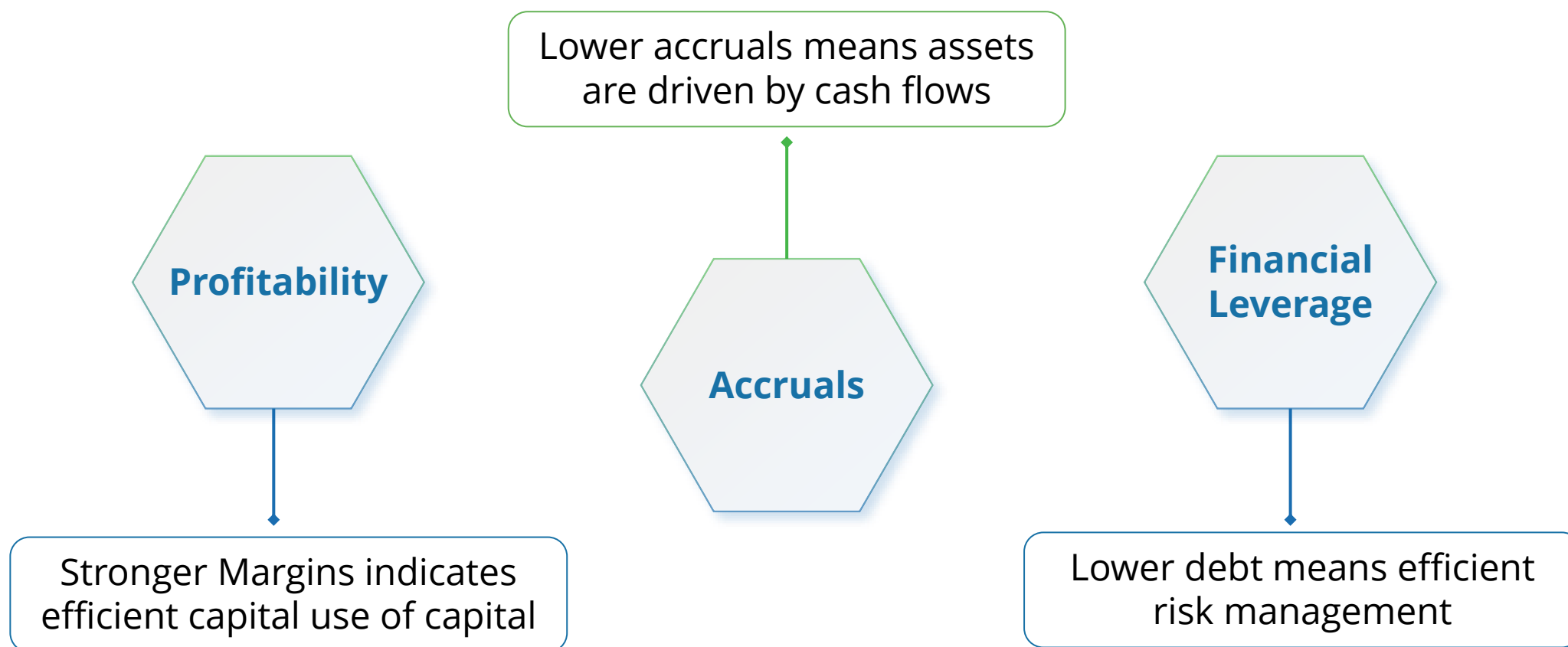
Factor can be considered as any definable characteristic (trait) relating to a group of securities/portfolio that is important in explaining their returns and risk



What is Quality investing?

Defining Quality

Quality factor takes into consideration 3 key fundamental ratios (ROE, Accruals and Financial Leverage) for screening stocks. This approach has helped to bring robustness in the performance of quality as a factor compared to its universe*.



The index quantifies Quality using 3 key financial indicators to identify fundamentally strong companies

Efficiency of capital: It measures how well a company uses its own capital.



ROE

Higher the better

Quality of earnings: It measures the part of assets generated from receivables/non-cash items.



Accruals Ratio

Lower the better

Sources of earnings: It measures what's driving the growth i.e., debt or self funded



Financial Leverage

Lower the better

Benefits of Quality investing

Quality factor in investing refers to a set of financial and business characteristics that indicate a company's robustness, profitability, and operational efficiency.

Robust performance during market contractions

Quality as a factor has performed better or in line with its universe*.

Long term growth potential

Quality investing selects businesses with robust balance sheets, enabling sustainable growth overtime.

Better Risk adjusted returns

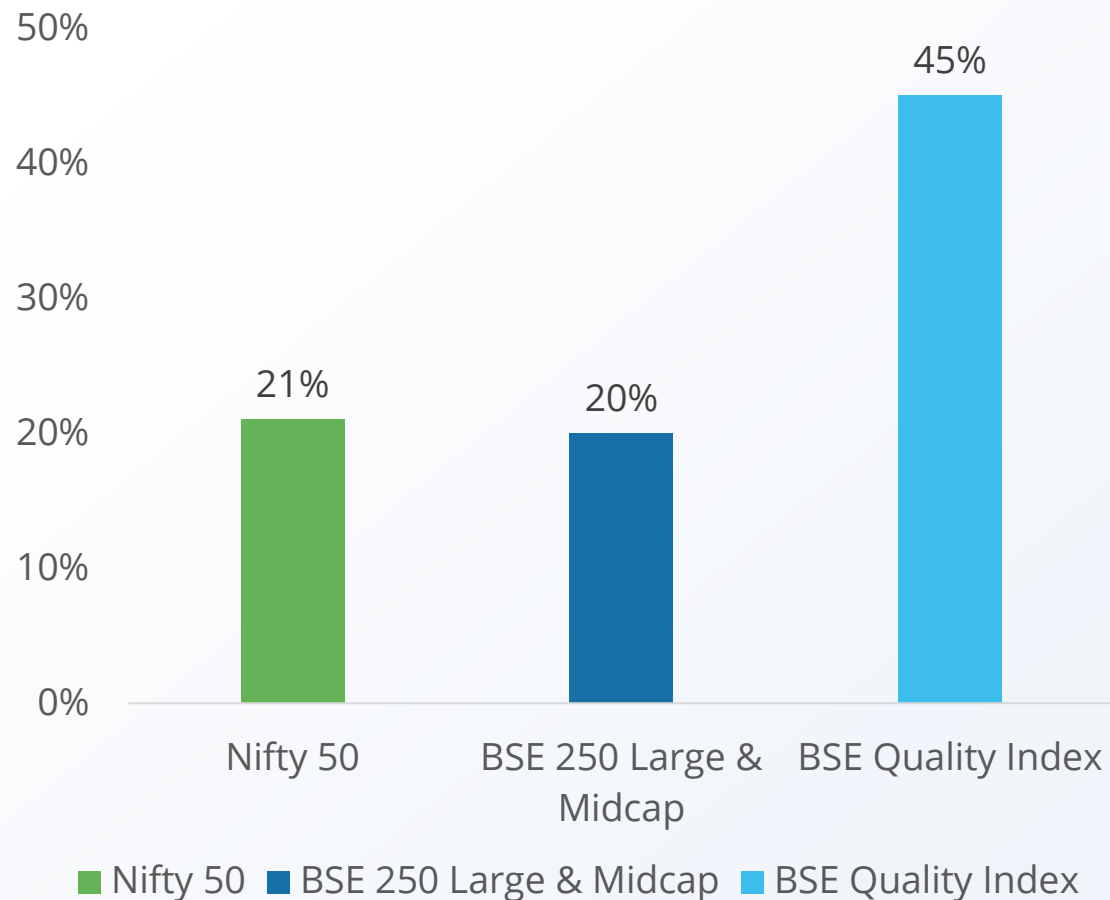
- Historically, Quality as a factor has delivered better risk adjusted returns in comparison to its universe*.

Sector Tilt

- Skewed towards defensive / non-cyclical sectors to gain more stability.

Quality Investing – High ROE + Low Debt

Return on Equity (ROE)

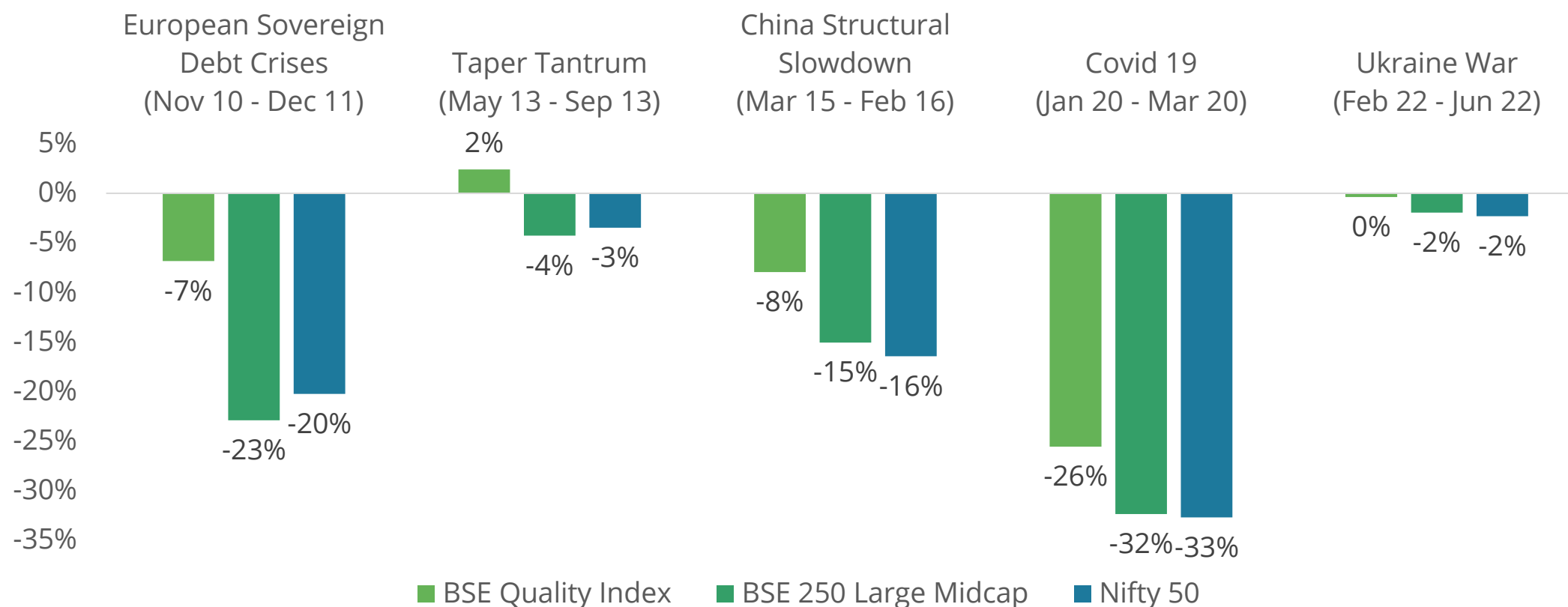


Debt to Equity Ratio



Quality performs during market stress

Historically, Quality factor has performed relatively better during broad market contractions, adding necessary cushion during market downturns.



Source: BSE, NSE | Past performance may or may not be sustained in the future and does not guarantee any future returns. The above examples are for illustration purposes only.

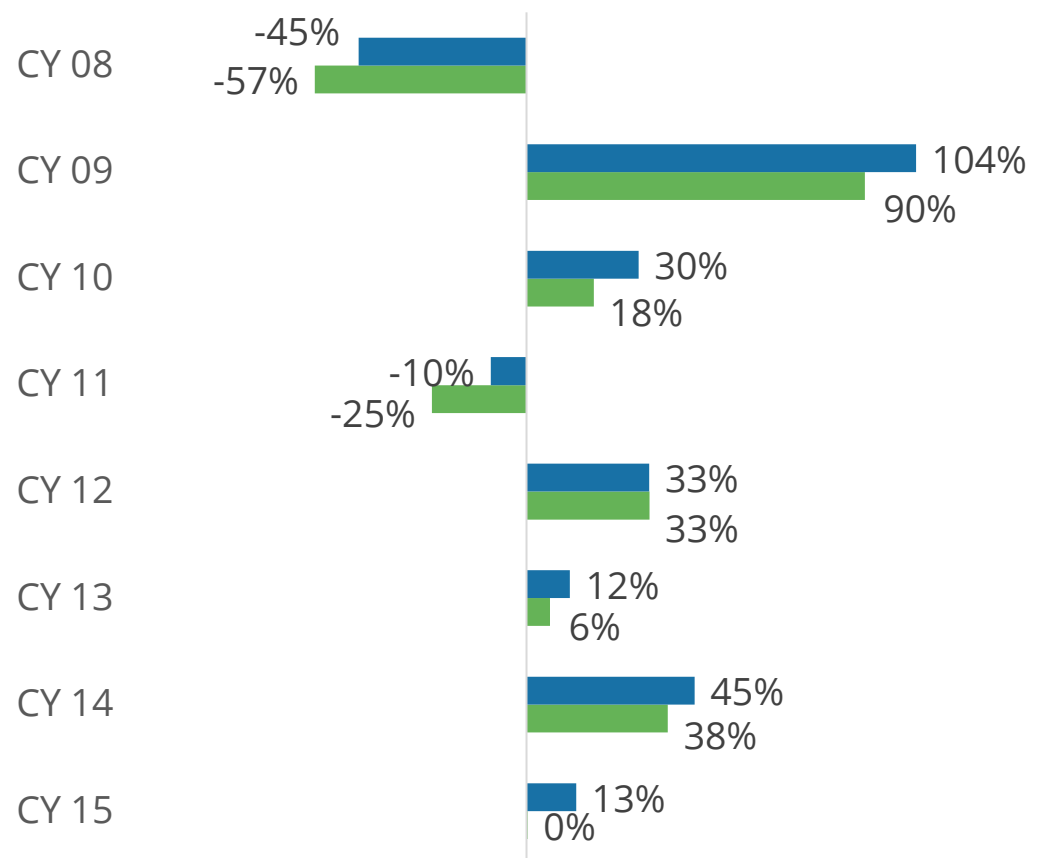
Quality provides Better Risk adjusted returns

Quality portfolio tends to run a higher risk-adjusted return and lower drawdown than the benchmark indices.

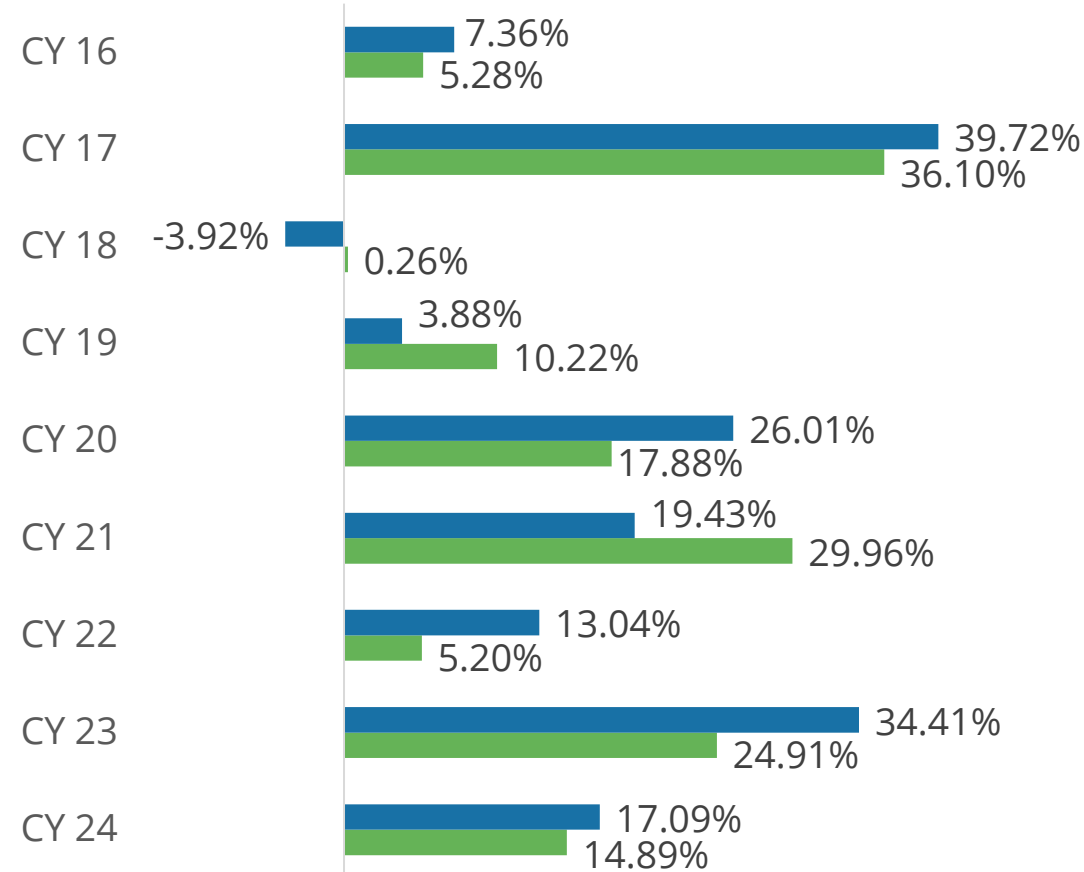
Period	Returns			Standard Deviation			Return per unit of risk		
	BSE Quality Index	BSE 250 Large & Midcap	Nifty 50	BSE Quality Index	BSE 250 Large & Midcap TRI	Nifty 50	BSE Quality Index	BSE 250 Large & Midcap	Nifty 50
3 Year	17.49%	13.90%	11.63%	16.46%	13.70%	12.68%	1.06	1.01	0.92
5 Year	20.85%	18.49%	16.40%	16.71%	18.77%	18.41%	1.25	0.98	0.89
7 Year	13.93%	13.63%	12.91%	15.80%	17.55%	17.17%	0.88	0.78	0.75
10 Year	14.22%	12.46%	11.18%	15.17%	16.44%	16.14%	0.94	0.76	0.69

Quality offers downside protection

Quality as a factor has provided better downside protection compared to its universe of BSE 250 Large & Midcap with a reasonable upside.



■ BSE Quality Index TR ■ BSE 250 Large & Midcap TRI

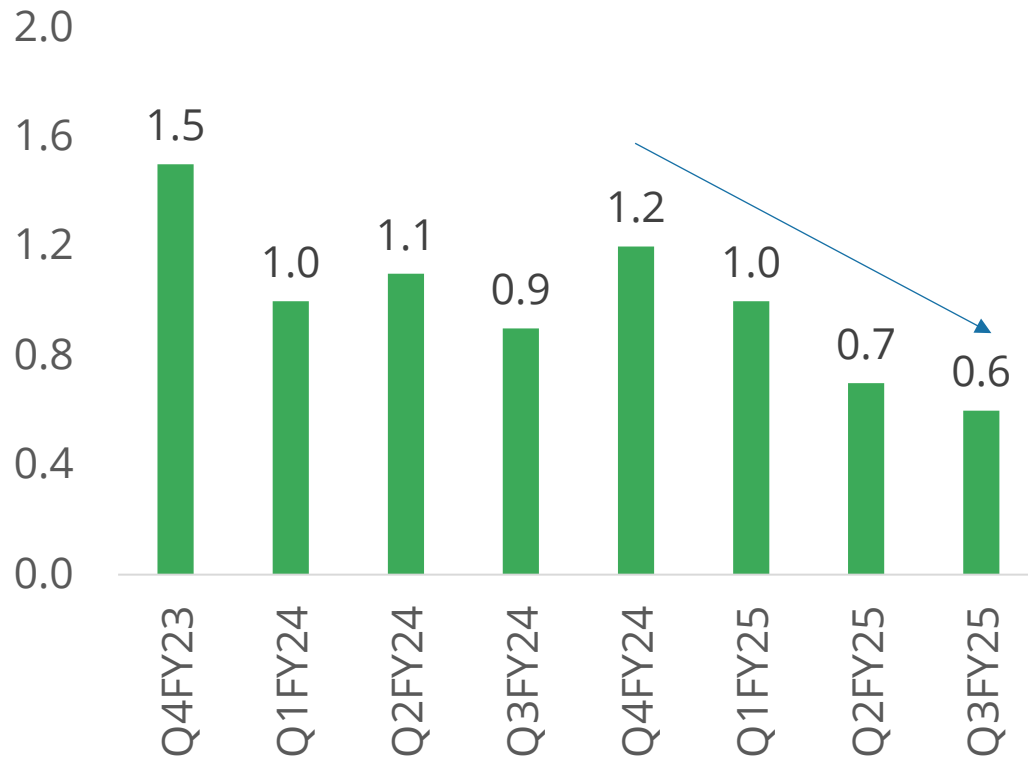


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Case for Quality

Why Quality Now?

Beat to miss ratio

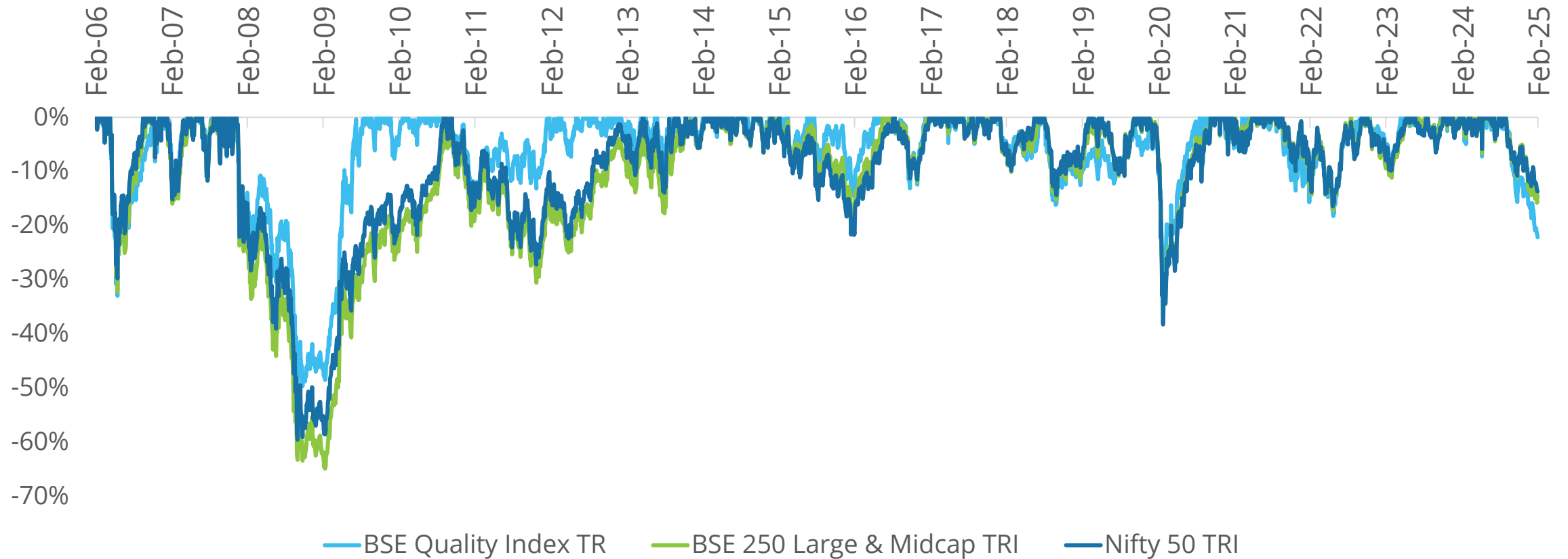


Quality has always been an important factor to consider while investing but its relevance has increased now as:

1. Valuations are running high across the market relative to earnings.
2. Lack of earning surprises as more companies are expected to miss their targets.
3. Volatility has increased in the Markets due to geopolitical tensions, high FII outflows and underperformance of Indian equity markets relative to EM peers.

Drawdowns

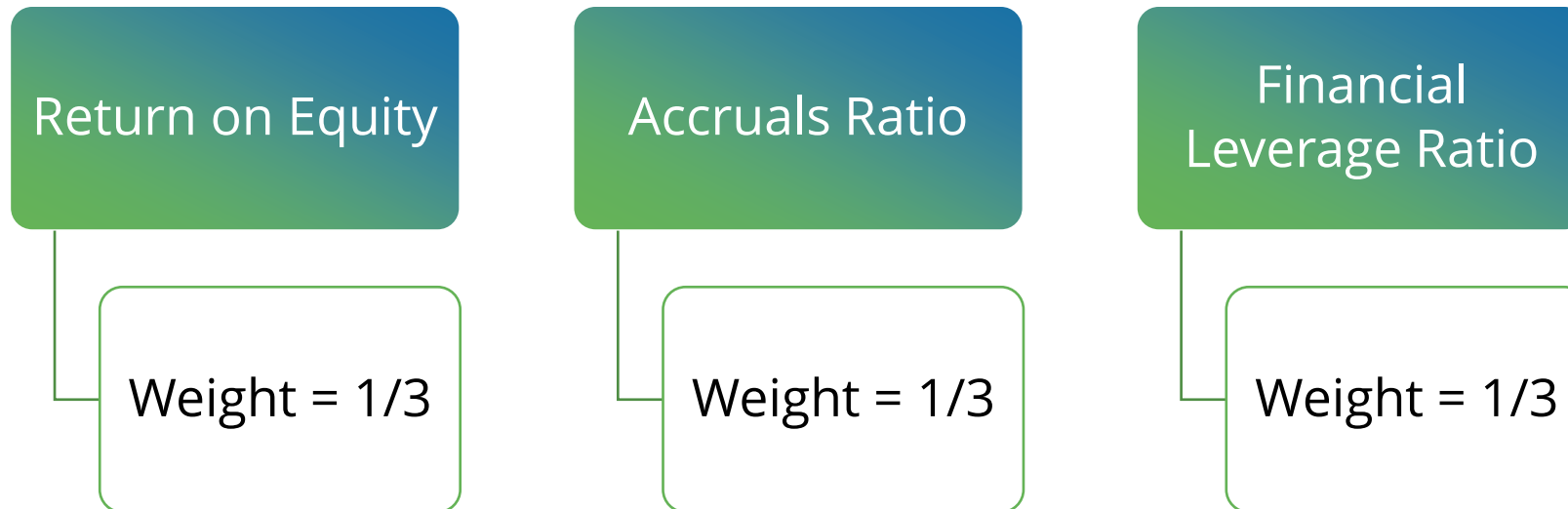
A Quality factor-oriented portfolio helps reducing the downside during market corrections, thus offering a lower downside relative to its universe*.









Tata BSE Quality Index Fund- Methodology and Portfolio

Investment Objective: The investment objective of the scheme is to provide returns, before expenses, that commensurate with the performance of BSE Quality Total Return Index (TRI), subject to tracking error.

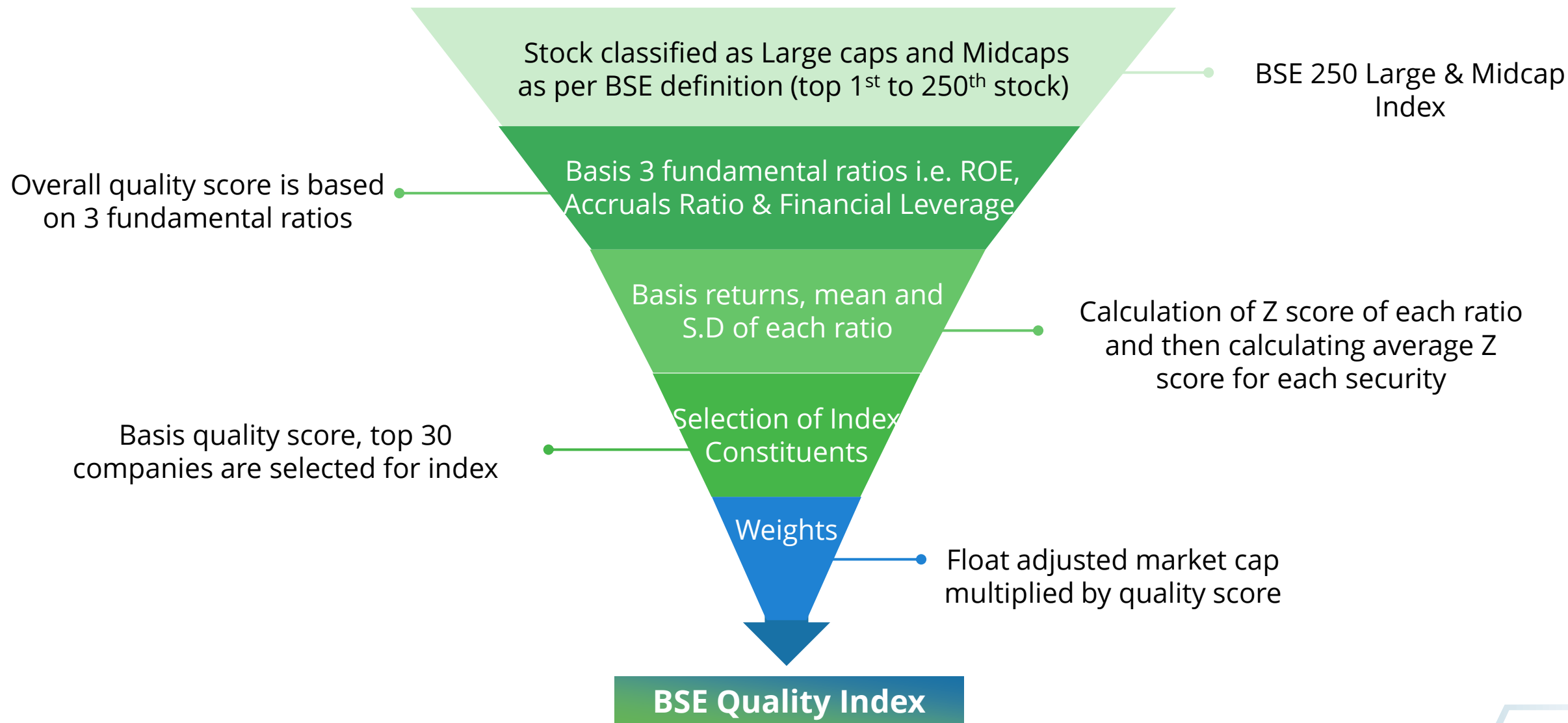
Quality is defined by 3 fundamental ratios



BSE Quality Index aims to track the performance of the top 30 companies with high quality within the BSE 250 Large and Midcap Index.

Universe  BSE Large & Midcap 250	Selection parameter  Normalized Quality score calculated basis weighted average Z score for each stock (based on score of 3 key ratios)	Selection Criterion  Top 30 based on Quality score
Index weights  Factor tilt (Quality score * Float- adjusted Market Cap)	Reconstitution/Rebalancing  Semi-annual	Stock cap & Industry cap  <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Stock cap - Lower of 5% or 20 times of its Float adjusted MCAP weight▪ Industry cap - 30% of macroeconomic sector

Index methodology



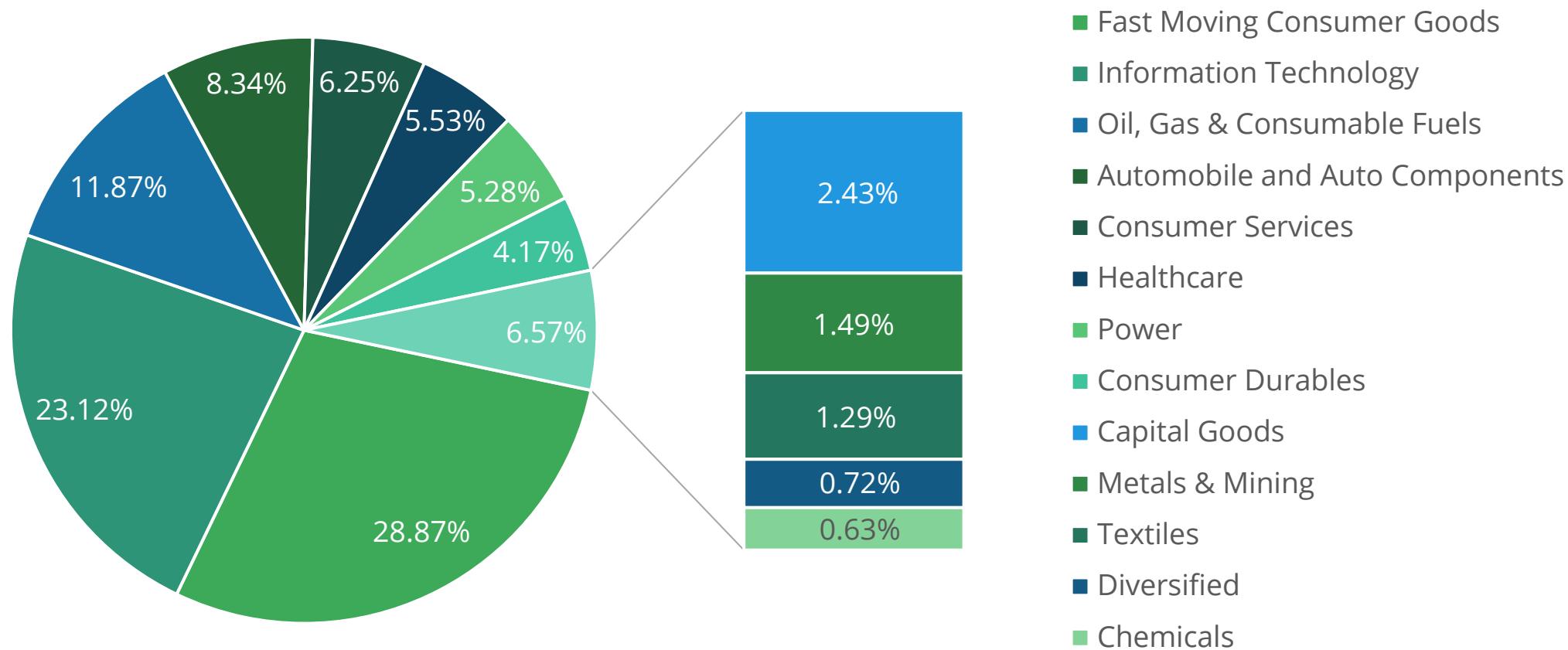
Dominated by defensives like FMCG and IT

Quality index is skewed towards defensives sectors like FMCG and IT.

Sectors	Mar-22	Sep-22	Mar-23	Sep-23	Mar-24	Sep-24
Automobile and Auto Components	-	-	1.99%	-	6.43%	9.85%
Capital Goods	9.50%	2.99%	9.00%	14.63%	13.80%	2.07%
Chemicals	1.29%	0.98%	-	1.06%	0.82%	0.65%
Consumer Durables	1.06%	5.00%	5.96%	3.41%	2.05%	4.80%
Consumer Services	-	3.82%	3.53%	2.99%	3.09%	7.23%
Diversified	-	-	-	1.42%	1.11%	0.70%
Fast Moving Consumer Goods	28.74%	29.40%	27.87%	17.67%	19.29%	28.74%
Financial Services	9.26%	8.74%	6.05%	10.08%	8.61%	-
Healthcare	8.13%	2.89%	2.71%	8.11%	9.79%	4.54%
Information Technology	11.76%	16.17%	22.34%	11.62%	14.05%	20.66%
Metals & Mining	14.45%	16.14%	8.98%	6.33%	1.08%	1.50%
Oil, Gas & Consumable Fuels	10.79%	5.69%	6.96%	13.77%	14.27%	12.78%
Power	-	-	-	5.41%	5.60%	5.45%
Services	-	3.01%	-	3.52%	-	-
Textiles	5.03%	5.18%	4.61%	-	-	1.03%

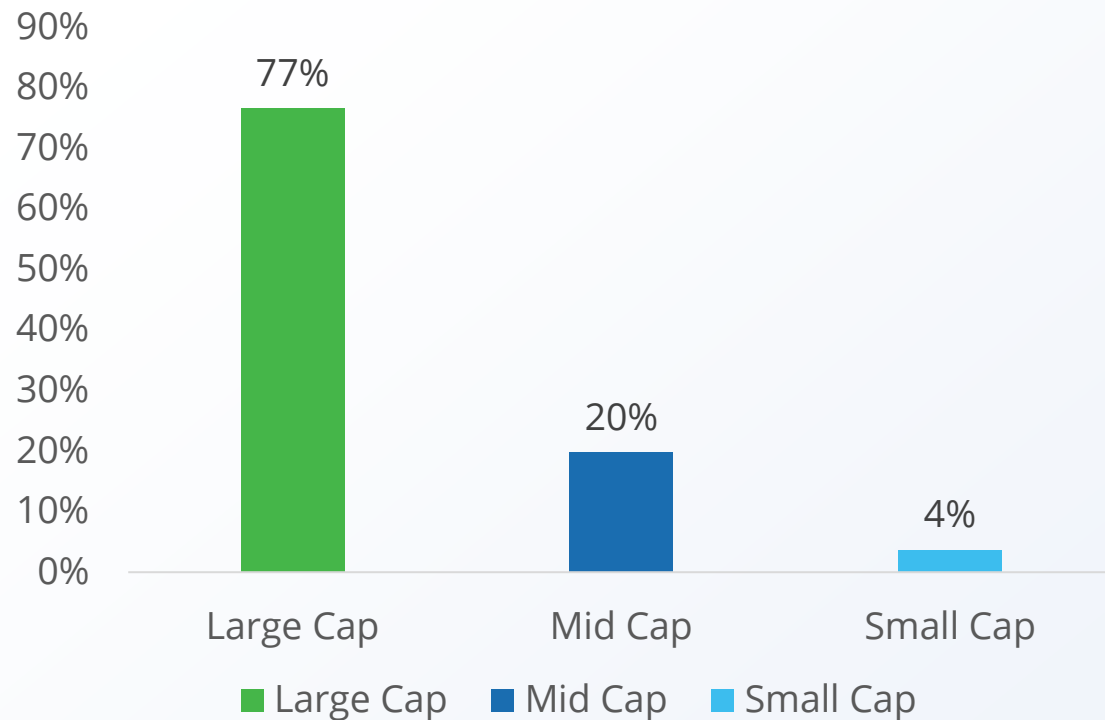
Source: BSE | Data as on 30th Sep 2024

BSE Quality Index - Sector allocation



BSE Quality Index - Snapshot

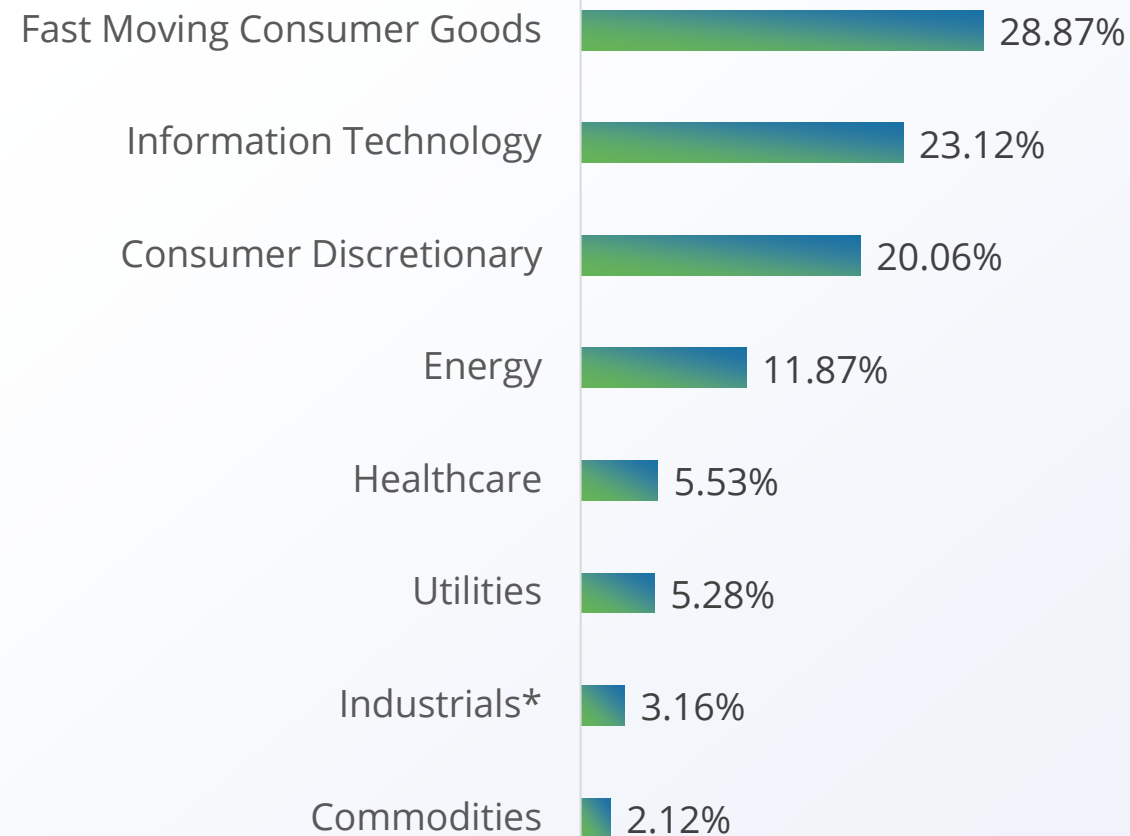
Market Cap Classification



Market capitalization as per SEBI circular:

- Large Cap: 1st -100th company in terms of full market capitalization.
- Mid Cap: 101st -250th company in terms of full market capitalization.
- Small Cap: 251st company onwards in terms of full market capitalization.

Macro Economic sectors



BSE Quality Index - Portfolio

Security	Weight (%)	Security	Weight (%)
HCL Technologies Ltd.	6.91%	Torrent Pharmaceuticals Ltd.	2.77%
Infosys Ltd.	6.89%	Oracle Financial Services Software	2.10%
Nestle India Ltd.	6.76%	Mazagon Dock Shipbuilders Ltd.	1.71%
Tata Consultancy Services Ltd.	6.06%	Abbott India Ltd.	1.56%
ITC Ltd.	5.98%	Hindustan Zinc Ltd.	1.49%
Britannia Industries Ltd.	5.98%	Page Industries Ltd.	1.29%
Coal India Ltd.	5.95%	Castrol India Ltd.	1.20%
Trent Ltd.	5.29%	Glaxosmithkline Pharmaceutical Ltd.	1.20%
Adani Power Ltd.	5.28%	L&T Technology Services Ltd.	1.16%
Tata Motors Ltd.	4.96%	Emami Ltd.	1.10%
Bharat Petroleum Corporation Ltd.	4.72%	Indian Railway Catering And Tourism Corp.	0.96%
Colgate - Palmolive (India) Ltd.	4.51%	Gillette India Ltd.	0.74%
Asian Paints Ltd.	4.17%	Honeywell Automation India Ltd.	0.72%
Marico Ltd.	3.79%	3m India Ltd.	0.72%
Bajaj Auto Ltd.	3.38%	Bayer Cropsience Ltd.	0.63%

Tata BSE Quality Index Fund- Performance

Rolling Performance

Security selections based on quality fundamental ratios has helped the index provide consistent outperformance in terms of rolling returns across periods.

Index	Average Rolling Returns			
	1 Year Rolling	3 Year Rolling	5 Year Rolling	10 Year Rolling
BSE Quality Index	24.40%	16.52%	14.87%	16.93%
BSE 250 Large & Midcap TRI	20.90%	15.55%	14.18%	13.56%
Nifty 50 TRI	18.25%	14.67%	13.53%	12.53%

Past performance may or may not be sustained in future and should not be used as a basis for comparison with other investments.

Source: BSE, ICRA-MFI | Data from 1st Jan 2020 to 28th Feb 2025

3 Year rolling returns



% of times		
Return band	BSE Quality Index	BSE 250 Large & Midcap TRI
Negative return	2.68%	5.81%
0% to 8%	6.80%	20.13%
8% to 15%	21.55%	35.87%
15% to 20%	32.43%	24.71%
more than 20%	36.55%	13.48%
Return band	BSE Quality Index	BSE 250 Large & Midcap TRI
Min	-5.12%	-10.06%
Max	42.83%	33.24%
Average	17.69%	12.57%

5 Year rolling returns



% of times		
Return band	BSE Quality Index	BSE 250 Large & Midcap TRI
Negative return	0.00%	0.84%
0% to 8%	2.04%	17.63%
8% to 15%	26.97%	45.23%
15% to 20%	34.07%	32.23%
more than 20%	36.92%	4.07%
Return band	BSE Quality Index	BSE 250 Large & Midcap TRI
Min	2.06%	-0.95%
Max	31.34%	23.78%
Average	17.73%	12.63%

Point to Point Performance

Period	BSE Quality Index TRI	BSE 250 Large & Midcap TRI	Nifty 50 TRI
1 Years	-1.66%	3.01%	3.87%
2 Years	22.05%	19.03%	15.53%
3 Years	17.72%	13.36%	11.65%
5 Years	20.99%	18.15%	16.40%
10 Years	14.29%	12.30%	11.18%
15 Years	16.98%	12.84%	12.03%

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Source: BSE, ICRA-MFI | Data as on 24th Feb 2025

Tata BSE Quality Index Fund

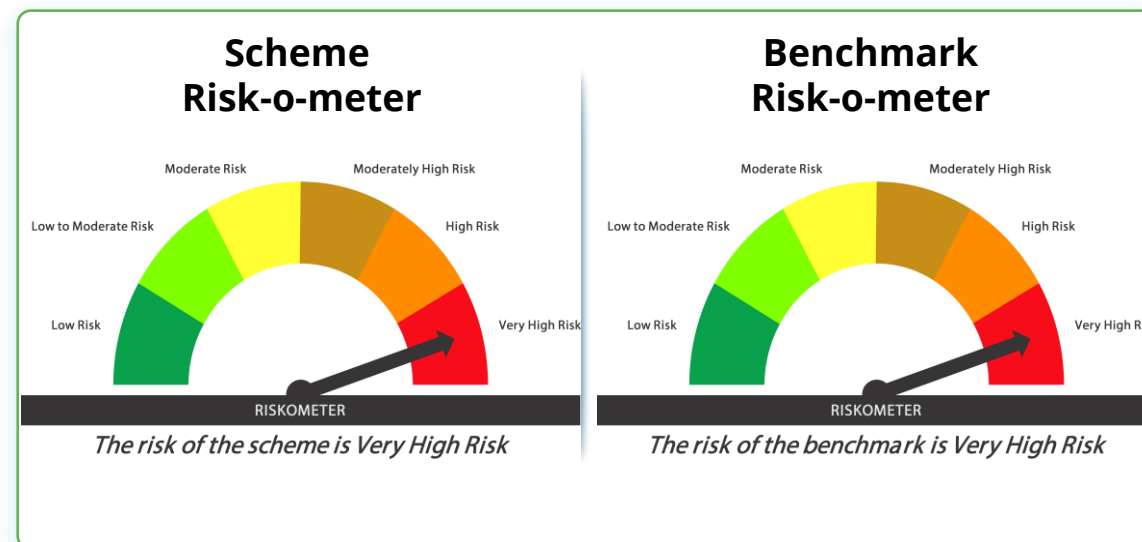
Scheme	Open-ended scheme
Scheme code	TATA/O/O/OIN/25/02/0075
NFO date	17 th March 2025 28 th March 2025
Benchmark	Nifty Large Midcap 250 TRI
Fund managers	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mr. Kapil Menon - (overall experience = 21 years)• Mr. Rakesh Prajapati - (overall experience = 19 years)
Minimum investment	Rs 5,000/- and in multiple of Re.1/- thereafter.
Additional investment	Rs.1,000/- and in multiples of Re.1/- thereafter
Exit load	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 0.25% of the applicable NAV, if redeemed on or before 15 days from the date of allotment

Disclaimer & Risk-o-meter

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Thank You

Annexures

Quality Z score calculation

Z Score Calculation

1 x ROE

-1 x Financial
Leverage Ratio

-1 x Accrual Ratio

Accrual Ratio not applicable
for companies in sectors like:
1. Financial Services
2. Realty

Simple Average is taken of the above 3 ratios taken to calculate Average Z score

Calculation of Quality Score

Quality Score computation:

1. If average Z score is above 0, Quality Score = $1 + \text{Z score}$
2. If average Z score is equal to 0, Quality Score = 1
3. If average Z score is below 0, Quality Score = $1 / (1 - \text{Z score})$

Securities are then arranged in ascending order

- Top 24 companies are selected for index inclusion.
- Existing constituents ranked 25 to 36 are selected in order of highest rank till the constituents reach 30.

1

Z-scores for each stock are calculated based on ROE, Accruals Ratio and Debt to Equity ratio.

2

For companies belonging to sectors excluding Financial Services and Realty: Weighted Z-score = $1/3 * \text{Z score of ROE} + 1/3 * -(\text{Z score of Accruals Ratio}) + 1/3 * -(\text{Z score of Financial Leverage})$.

3

For companies belonging to sector Financial Services and Realty: Weighted Z-score = $1/2 * \text{Z score of ROE} + 1/2 * -(\text{Z score of Financial Leverage})$.

4

Quality score = $(1 + \text{Average Z score})$ if Average Z score > 0 $(1 - \text{Average Z score})^{-1}$ if Average Z score < 0 .

5

Stock weight = Square root of float adjusted market capitalization multiplied by the Quality Score. Each stock is capped at 5% or 20 times its float adjusted market cap weight and macro economic industry is capped at 30%.

6

Top 24 companies are selected for index inclusion, existing constituents are ranked in order of highest rank until the target constituent count of 30 is reached.

Sector Rotation in the Index

Date*	Inclusion/Exclusion	Sectors		
Sep-22	Inclusion	Consumer Services	Services	-
	Exclusion	-	-	-
Mar-23	Inclusion	Automobile and Auto Components	-	-
	Exclusion	Chemicals	Services	-
Sep-23	Inclusion	Chemicals	Power	Services
	Exclusion	Automobile and Auto Components	Textiles	-
Mar-24	Inclusion	Automobile and Auto Components	-	-
	Exclusion	Services	-	-
Sep-24	Inclusion	Textiles	-	-
	Exclusion	Financial Services	-	-