



## **ALCHEMY SMART ALPHA 250**

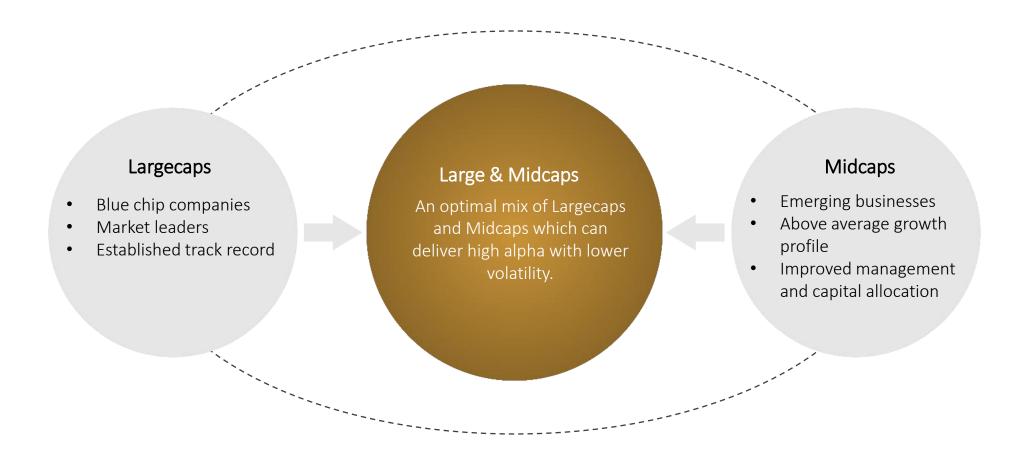
Strategy Endeavouring to Deliver Consistent Alpha

Fund Manager: Alok Agarwal



### WHY INVEST IN LARGE & MIDCAPS?

- Largecaps help reduce the impact on the portfolio during volatility, while Midcaps offer superior growth potential.
- Largecap and Midcap universe accounts for 80%\* of the total market capitalisation of all listed companies on NSE & BSE.

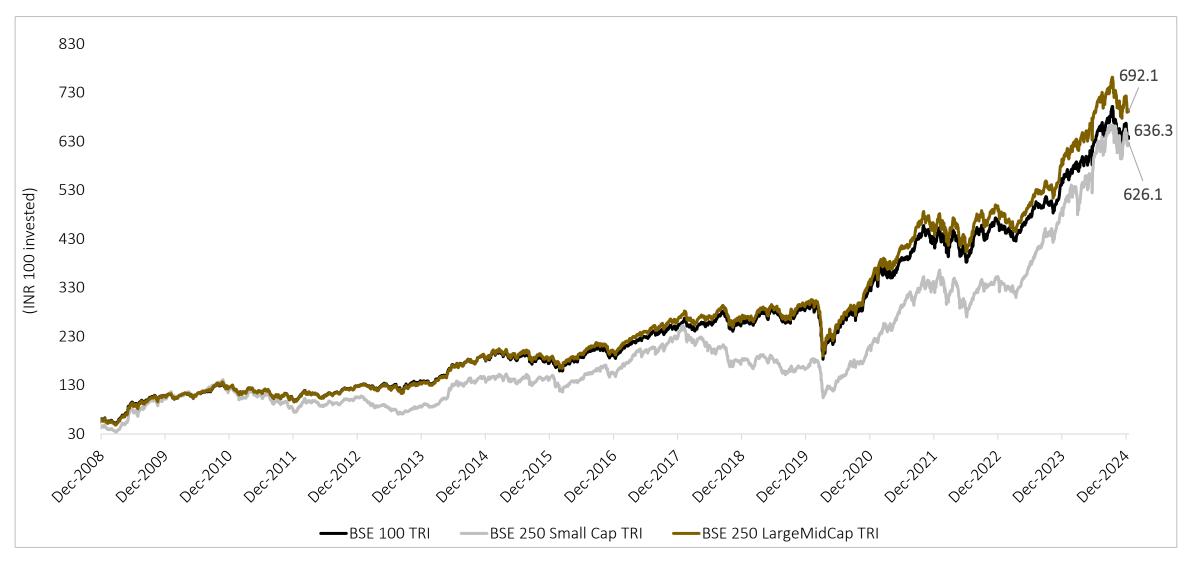


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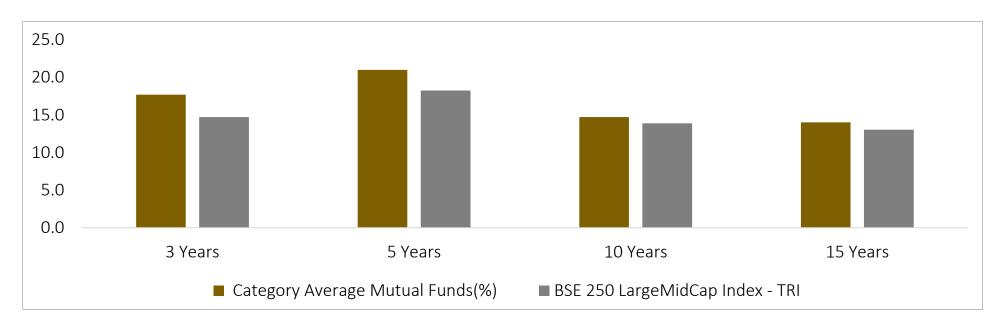


### HISTORICAL PERFORMANCE OF INDICES





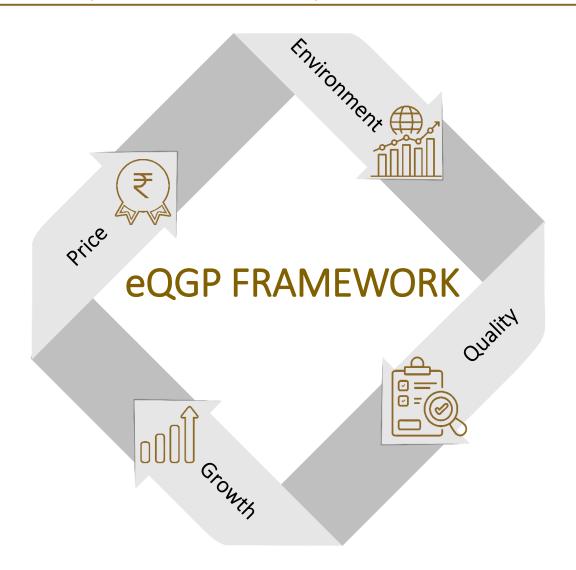
### PARADOX OF LARGE & MIDCAP INVESTING



	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	15 Years
Category Average Mutual Funds(%)	17.7	21.0	14.7	14.0
BSE 250 Large Midcap — TRI(%)	14.7	18.2	13.9	13.0

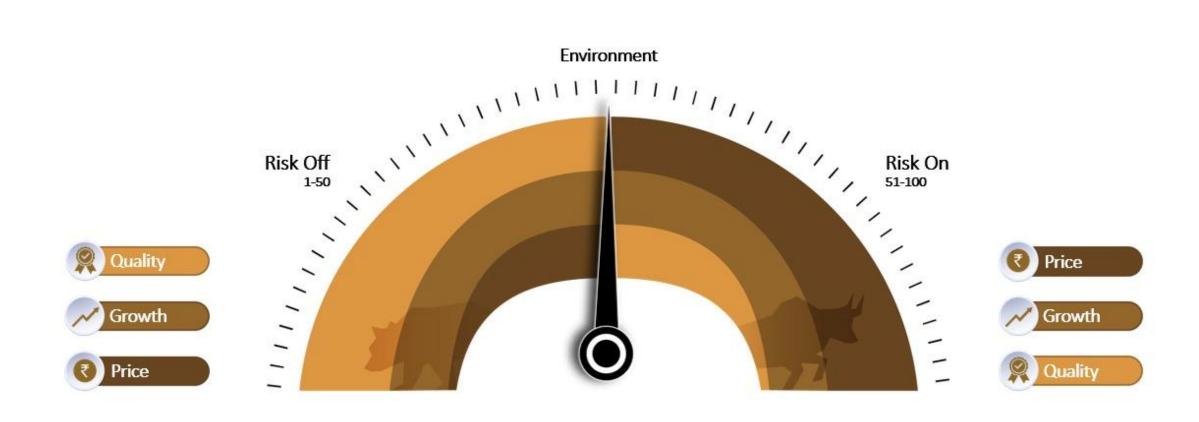
## UNIQUE METHOD – EQGP FRAMEWORK





















### eQGP - Environment

The philosophy of the product is to get aggressive in a risk-on environment and defensive in a risk-off environment. Our rating band on the environment is based of multiple factors. Few of them are:

- Liquidity conditions in the market
- Interest rate conditions in the market
- Improving or deteriorating macro growth
- Improving or deteriorating macro balance sheet
- Price action parameters in multiple sections of the market
- Trends in corporate profits
- Currency situation
- Policy level support





### eQGP - Quality

The quality of a business comes from multiple attributes. The higher the number of these attributes in favour, the higher the quality. Our quality rating band is based of multiple factors. Few of them are:

- Capital efficiency absolute & relative
- Leverage ratios absolute & relative
- EVA generation track record
- OCF generation track record
- Consistency in profit generation
- FCF track record
- Credit rating
- Management quality





All good things in the company need to culminate into business growth. Our growth rating band is based of multiple factors. Few of them are:

- Profit growth absolute and relative
- Operating efficiency absolute and relative
- Business growth
- Market share gains
- Consistency of growth





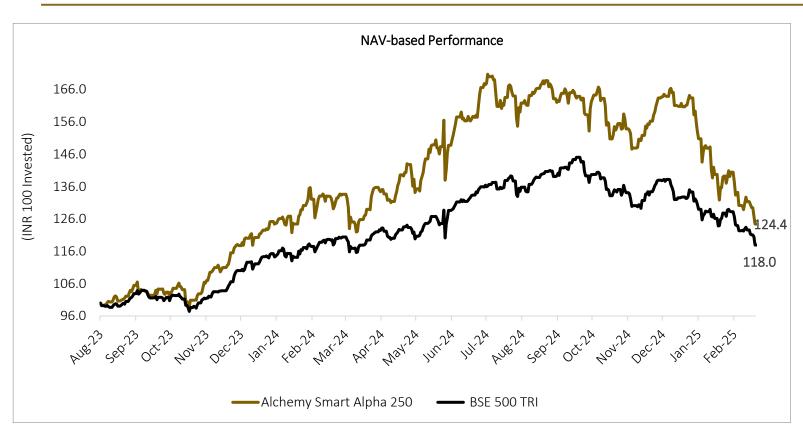
### eQGP - Price Action

**Returns come from price action and movement.** Our price action rating band is based of multiple factors. Few of them are:

- Tailwinds in the price behaviour absolute and relative
- Ownership trends
- Consistency of outperformance
- Liquidity
- Risk reward potential



### LIVE PERFORMANCE



Period	Alchemy Smart Alpha 250^	BSE 500 TRI	Alpha
1 Month	-10.5%	-7.7%	-2.7%
3 Months	-20.3%	-12.2%	-8.1%
6 Months	-26.2%	-16.1%	-10.1%
1 Year	-4.2%	-0.4%	-3.8%
Since Inception^^	15.1%	11.2%	3.9%

Data as of February 28, 2025.

#### ^Performance related information provided herein is not verified by SEBI.

^^ Inception date: August 10,2023

<sup>^</sup> Returns are net of fees, expenses & taxes (if applicable).

<sup>^</sup>Returns less than 365 days: Absolute, greater than 365 days: CAGR (Computed using TWRR method).

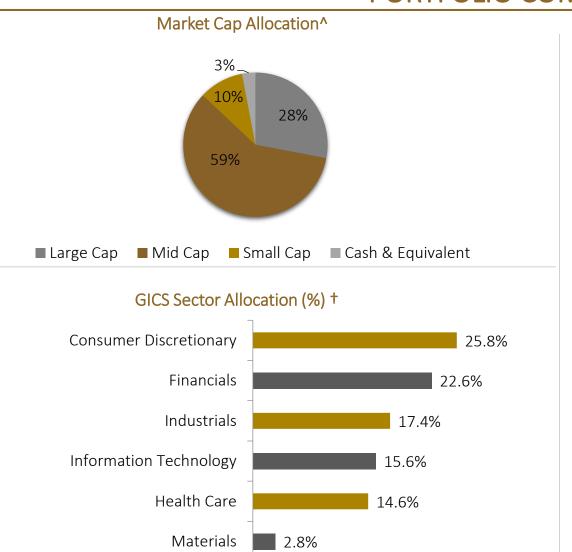
<sup>^</sup>Past Performance is not indicative of future performance.

<sup>^</sup>The above performance figures are aggregate of all discretionary clients; the investor's actual portfolio may differ.

<sup>^</sup>Please follow the given link for viewing Performance relative to other portfolio managers: https://www.apmiindia.org/apmi/welcomeiaperformance.htm?action=PMSmenu.

## ALCHENY CAPITAL MANAGEMENT

### PORTFOLIO COMPOSITION \*



### Top Holdings

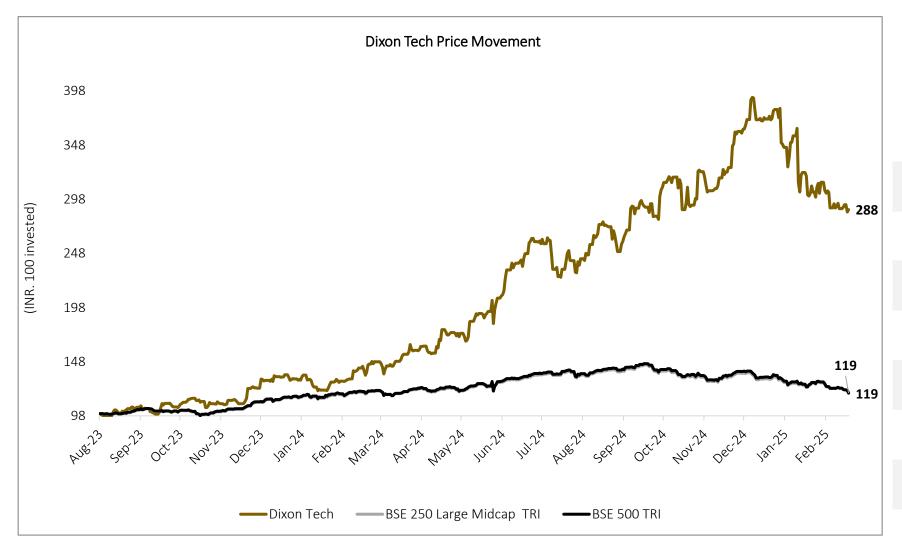
Top 10 Stocks by Weight	% Weight
Dixon Technologies India Ltd	9.1%
Trent Ltd	6.5%
PB Fintech Ltd	4.9%
Interglobe Aviation Ltd	4.9%
Hitachi Energy India Ltd	4.6%
BSE Ltd	4.5%
Divis Laboratories Ltd	4.4%
Mazagon Dock Shipbuilders Ltd	4.3%
Persistent Systems Ltd	3.8%
Uno Minda Ltd	3.7%

#### **Ratios**

Ratio	Alchemy Smart Alpha 250^^
Upside Capture Ratio##	133%
Downside Capture Ratio##	132%
Capture Ratio##	101%

## ALCHEMY CAPITAL MANAGEMENT

### **CASE STUDIES**





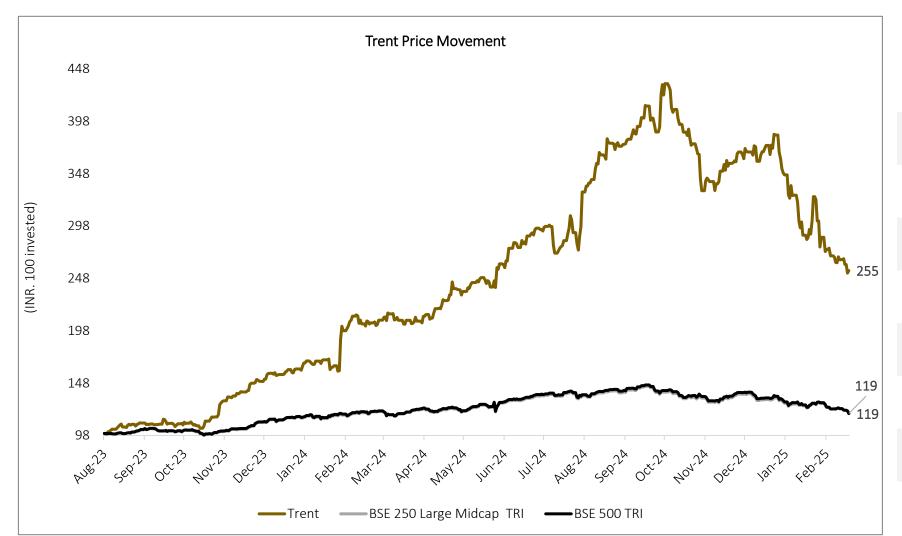
Entry date	11-Aug-23
Entry price	INR 4831
Exit date	NA (in portfolio)
Current Price	INR 13936
Absolute Gain	188%
BSE 500 TRI	19%
BSE 250 LargeMidcap TRI	19%

Source: Bloomberg

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## ALCHEMY CAPITAL MANAGEMENT

### **CASE STUDIES**





Entry date	11-Aug-23
Entry price	INR 1899
Exit date	NA (in portfolio)
Current Price	INR 4851
Absolute Gain	155%
BSE 500 TRI	19%
BSE 250 LargeMidcap TRI	19%

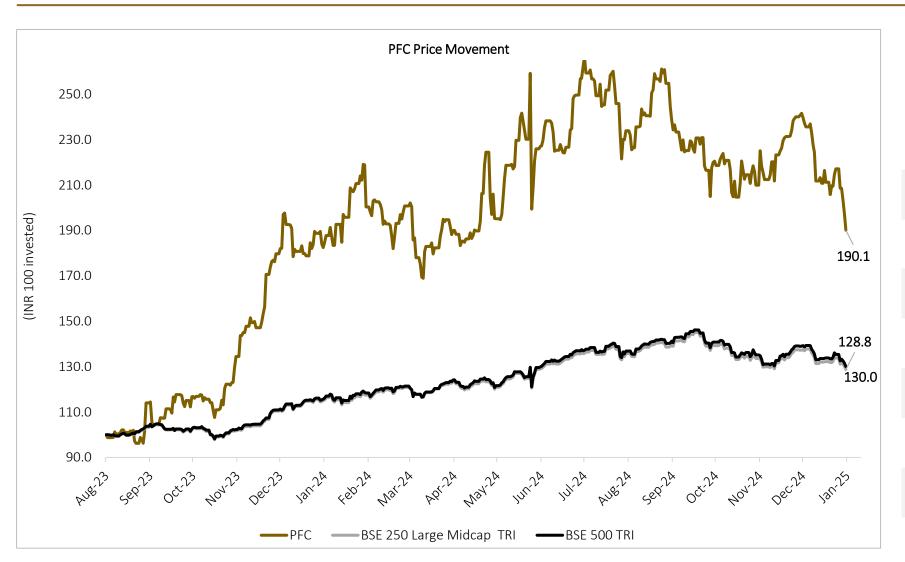
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### **CASE STUDIES**





Entry date	11-Aug-23
Entry price	INR 214
Exit date	10-Jan-25
Exit Price	INR 407
Absolute Gain	90%
BSE 500 TRI	30%
BSE 250 LargeMidcap TRI	29%

Source: Bloomberg

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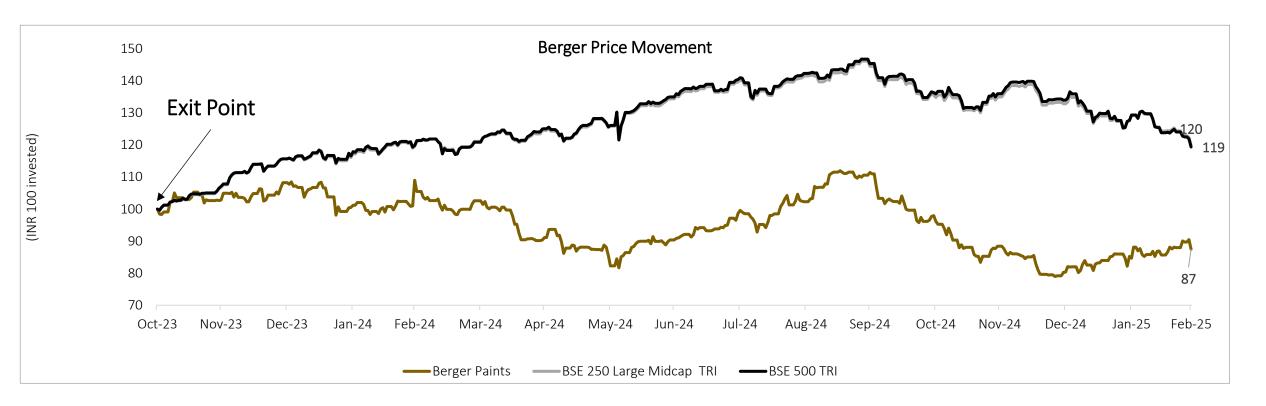
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### **EXITS ARE AS IMPORTANT AS ENTRIES**



About 69% of the stocks that we exited since inception^ have underperformed BSE 250 LargeMidcap index post our exit. Below is one of the example of Berger Paints Ltd.





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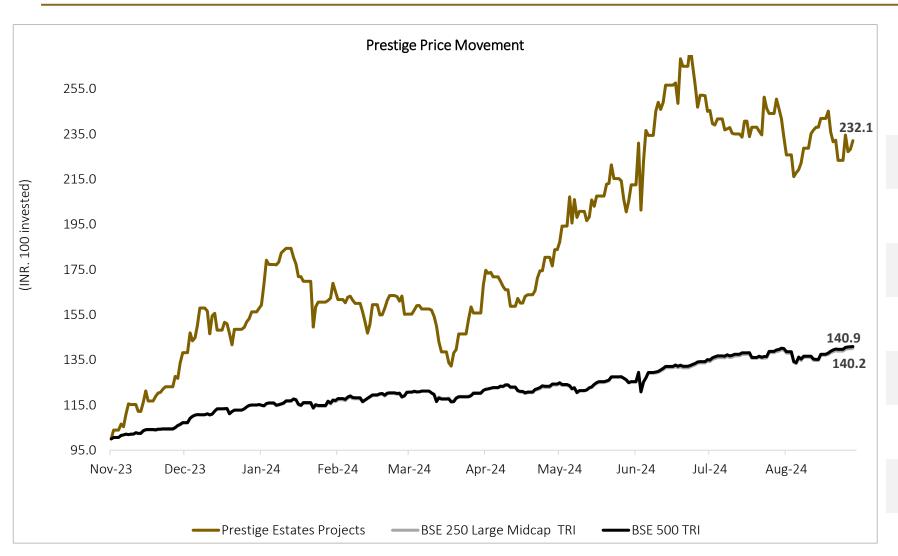
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### **CASE STUDIES**





PRESTIGE ESTATES PROJECTS LIMITED

Entry date	2-Nov-23
Entry price	INR 751
Exit date	30-Aug-24
Exit Price	INR 1743
Absolute Gain	132%
BSE 500 TRI	41%
BSE 250 LargeMidcap TRI	40%

Source: Bloomberg

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## ALCHEMY CAPITAL MANAGEMENT

### **PRODUCT HIGHLIGHTS**

- Objective: To generate long term risk adjusted returns.
- Philosophy & Strategy\*\*: A High-Risk High Return oriented strategy which aims at generating long term consistent alpha by majority investing in large and mid cap companies using objective, back tested and data driven approach based on various parameters such as growth, valuation, quality earning and balance sheet health.
- Fund Manager: Alok Agarwal
- Description of types of securities: Equity
- Basis of selection of types of Securities as part of the Product/ Investment Approach: Equity stocks are chosen for investment on the basis of following factors: 1 The company fundamentals, as reflected in reported numbers. 2 Investment strategy research regarding various market cycles. 3. Risk & Reward ratios. 4.Predominantly large & mid cap focused.
- Allocation of Portfolio across types of Securities: Upto 100% in equity (cash portion may be deployed in liquid funds/ debt securities).
- Benchmark: BSE 500 TRI
- Basis for choice of benchmark: As per APMI Circular APMI/2022-23/02 dated March 23, 2023.
- Indicative Tenure or Investment horizon: 3 to 5 Years
- Risk associated with Product/Investment approach^^: High Risk

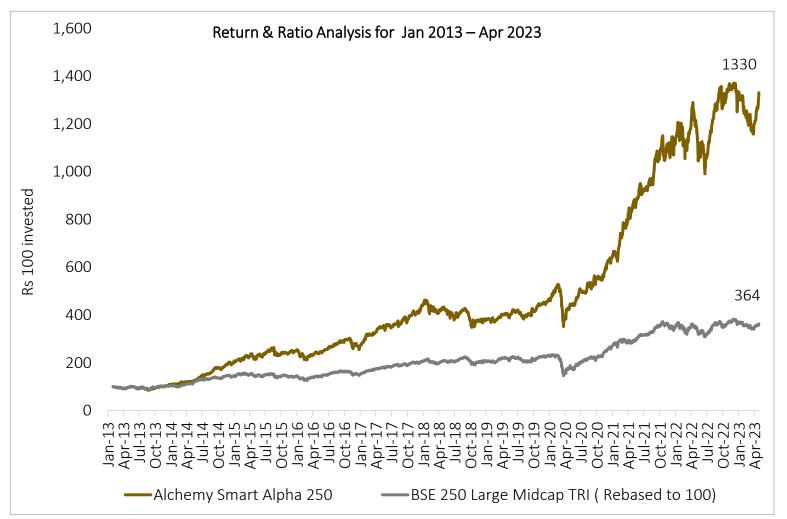
<sup>\*\*</sup>The investment objectives, strategy and allocation are indicative and there are no assurances that it will be achieved. Investors are advised to take independent tax, legal, risk, financial and other professional advice.

<sup>^^</sup> All product/ investment approach attract various kinds of risks. Please read the relevant Disclosure Document/ Client Agreement carefully before investing.



### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

# ALCHENY CAPITAL MANAGEMENT



Period	Alchemy Smart Alpha 250^	BSE 250 Large Midcap TRI	Alpha
3 Years	44.0%	24.7%	19.3%
5 Years	25.1%	11.6%	13.5%
10 Years	29.9%	14.1%	15.8%
Since Inception^^	28.7%	13.4%	15.3%

Ratio	Alchemy Smart Alpha 250^	BSE 250 Large Midcap TRI
Standard Dev	18.3%	16.7%
Sharpe	1.0	0.4
Beta	0.9	1
Upside Capture Ratio##	126%	
Downside Capture Ratio <sup>##</sup>	66%	
Capture Ratio##	190%	
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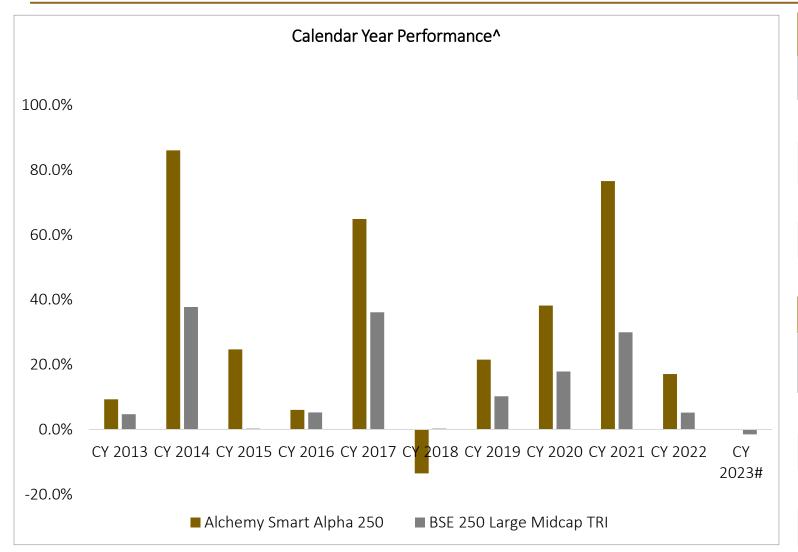
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<sup>^^</sup> Inception date: January 31,2013

<sup>##</sup>Calculated using Geometric Mean of monthly returns.





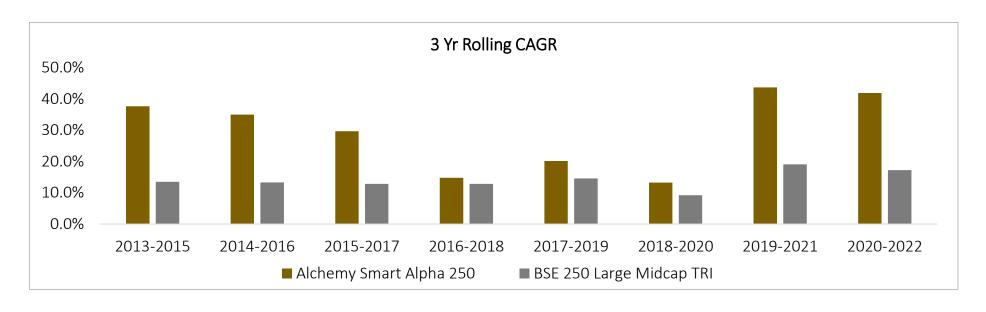
Rolling analysis of data points for the back test period							
Period Analysis 1 Year 3 Years 5 Years							
Total Rolling Points Of Observation	2115	1891	1368				
Success Ratio ( Alpha >0%)	88%	100%	100%				
Min Alpha ^^	-15.7%	1.4%	6.6%				
Max Alpha ^^	69.7%	29.6%	19.2%				
Median Alpha	16.4%	16.8%	12.9%				
Portfolio Metrics							
Alchemy Smart BSE 250 Large Alpha 250 Midcap TRI							
1 Yr Forward PE (X)	d PE (X) 24.5 18.5						
2 Yr EPS Growth (%)	26.2 14.7		14.7				
PEG (X)	0.9 1.3						
ROE (%)	21.0 15.6						

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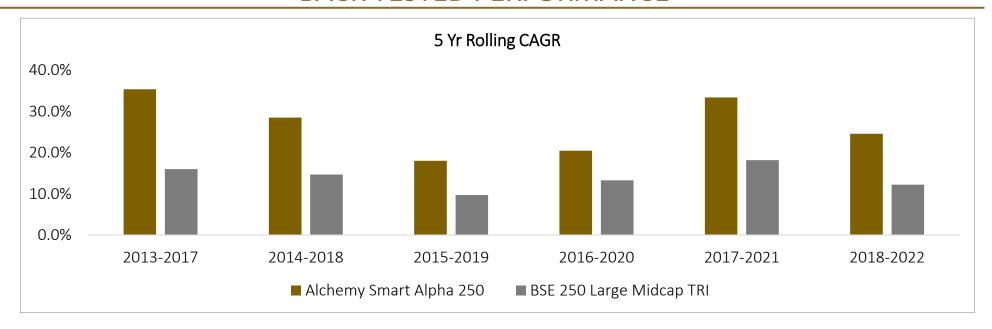
<sup>^^</sup> Period of Min Alpha (1 Yr: Mar 2019 3 Yr: Jan 2019 5 Yr: Jan 2021), Period of Max Alpha (1 Yr: May 2015 3 Yr: Apr 2022 5 Yr: Mar 2018)





	2013-2015	2014-2016	2015-2017	2016-2018	2017-2019	2018-2020	2019-2021	2020-2022
Alchemy Smart Alpha 250^	37.6%	34.9%	29.6%	14.8%	20.1%	13.2%	43.6%	41.9%
BSE 250 Large Midcap TRI	13.5%	13.3%	12.8%	12.8%	14.6%	9.2%	19.1%	17.2%
Alpha	24.1%	21.6%	16.8%	1.9%	5.5%	4.0%	24.6%	24.6%

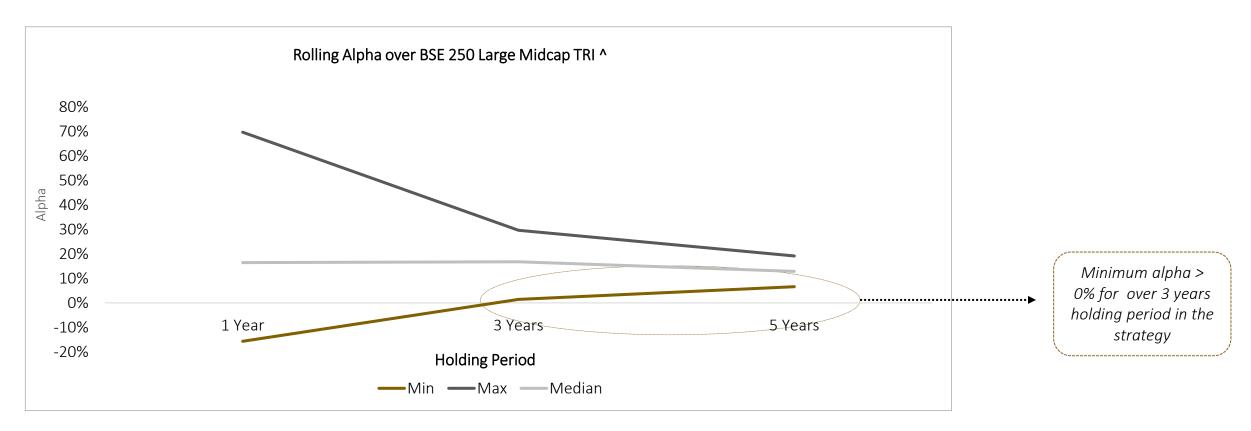




	2013-2017	2014-2018	2015-2019	2016-2020	2017-2021	2018-2022
Alchemy Smart Alpha 250^	35.4%	28.5%	18.0%	20.5%	33.4%	24.6%
BSE 250 Large Midcap TRI	16.0%	14.7%	9.7%	13.3%	18.2%	12.2%
Alpha	19.4%	13.8%	8.3%	7.2%	15.2%	12.4%

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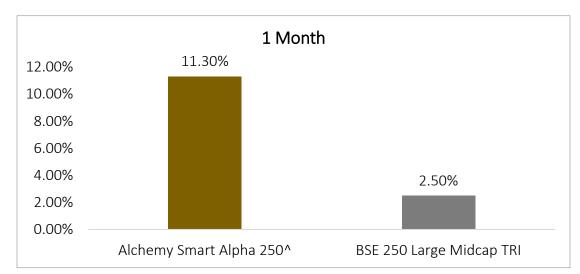


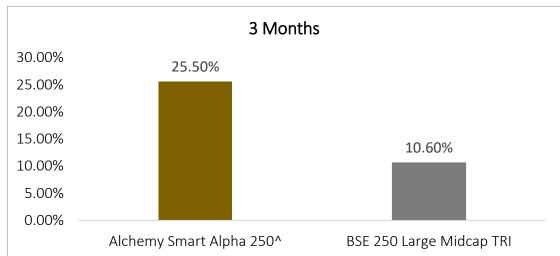
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### **REAL-TIME MODEL TESTING\***





Period	Alchemy Smart Alpha 250^	BSE 250 Large Midcap TRI	Alpha
1 Month	11.3%	2.5%	8.9%
3 Months	25.5%	10.6%	14.9%

<sup>\*</sup>Prior to the product launch, the model was tested on paper trades in Bloomberg.

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\*Data as of February 28, 2025



### **OUR INVESTMENT PHILOSOPHY**

- We believe that consistent and superior long term absolute returns can be made across market cycles by investing in growth companies with good management teams.
- We like businesses which address large and growing external opportunities, have a competitive advantage in effectively exploiting those opportunities and have a scalable business model with higher-than-average Return on Capital Employed (ROCE) over the investment horizon.
- We believe that management teams are key to business success. We look for managements which have aggression, are aligned to business outcomes while simultaneously having respect for governance and capital allocation.
- While growth companies form the core of our portfolio, we also tactically invest in deep value opportunities and special situations that may appear due to and during market cycles.

### **INVESTMENT TEAM**





Hiren Ved
Director & CIO
Experience: 30+ Y

#### **INVESTMENT**



Alok Agarwal Head - Quant & Fund Manager Experience: 22 Y



Himani Shah Co-Fund Manager Experience: 20 Y



Mythili Balakrishnan Co-Fund Manager Experience: 22 Y

### RESEARCH



Amaresh Mishra SVP - Research Analyst Experience: 19 Y



Vimal Gohil Research Analyst Experience: 13 Y



Haresh Kapoor
Research Analyst
Experience: 12 Y

Ruchika Bhatia
Research Analyst
Experience: 9 Y



Hrushikesh Shah Research Analyst Experience: 1 Y



Deven Ved Co-Fund Manager, Quant Experience: 17 Y



Jagpreet Chhabra
VP – Quant Research Analyst
Experience: 22 Y



Rishabha Doshi Quant Analyst Experience: 3 Y



Gayathree T V
Quant Research Analyst
Experience: Fresher

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