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## Greater India Fund (C)

Focused on equity opportunities in the India region.

C Share Class

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ECGIX

**\$29.77 \$**0.26 NAV as of May 2, 2024

Fact Sheet Mar 31, 2024

#### The Fund

The Fund seeks long-term capital appreciation by investing primarily in securities of companies that are located in India or surrounding countries of the Indian subcontinent, possibly including Pakistan and Sri Lanka. The Fund invests in companies with a broad range of market capitalizations including smaller companies.

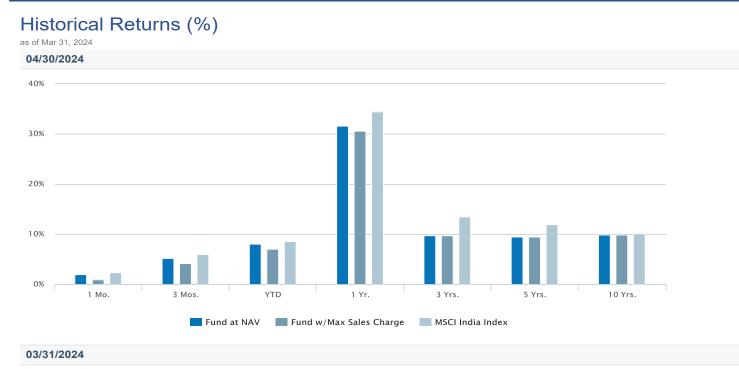
#### The Approach

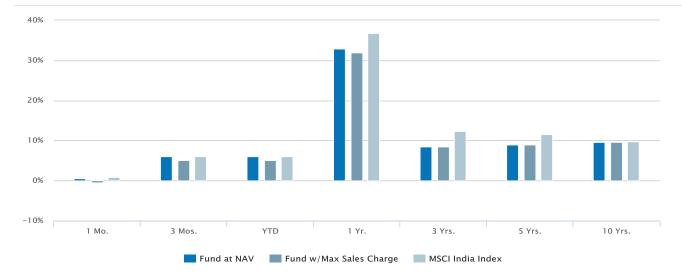
The Fund's investments are selected using a strong valuation discipline based on industry specific metrics, to purchase what the Fund manager believes are wellpositioned, cash-generating businesses run by shareholder-oriented management teams. From a valuation perspective, the Fund manager uses proprietary estimates to determine underappreciated and undervalued companies. Allocation of the Fund's investments is determined by the Fund manager's assessment of a company's upside return potential relative to downside risk and other fund positions. Impact on sector and industry weightings is also considered.

#### **The Features**

The Fund provides investors access to a range of companies with the potential to benefit from India's competitive advantages in the global economy including its political stability, welldeveloped banking system, vibrant capital market, tradition of education, and strong pool of scientific and technical labor. The Fund has the ability to invest in companies with a broad range of market capitalizations.

#### Overview





04/30/2024							
Fund at NAV	1.93	5.13	8.02	31.54	9.71	9.47	9.81
Fund w/Max Sales Charge	0.93	4.13	7.02	30.54	9.71	9.47	9.81
MSCI India Index <sup>1</sup>	2.32	5.97	8.53	34.40	13.51	11.92	10.06
03/31/2024							
Fund at NAV	0.49	5.97	5.97	32.83	8.50	8.87	9.55
Fund w/Max Sales Charge	-0.51	4.97	4.97	31.83	8.50	8.87	9.55
MSCI India Index <sup>1</sup>	0.81	6.07	6.07	36.83	12.29	11.54	9.69

Past performance is no guarantee of future results. Investment return and principal value will fluctuate so that shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost. Performance is for the stated time period only; due to market volatility, the Fund's current performance may be lower or higher than quoted. Returns are historical and are calculated by determining the percentage change in net asset value (NAV) with all distributions reinvested. Returns for other classes of shares offered by the Fund are different. Performance less than or equal to one year is cumulative. Total return prior to the commencement of the class reflects returns of another Fund class. Prior returns are adjusted to reflect applicable sales charge (but were not adjusted for other expenses). If adjusted for other expenses, returns would be lower. Max Sales Charge: 1%.

#### Fund Facts as of Mar 31, 2024

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Class C Inception	07/07/2006
Performance Inception	05/02/1994
Investment Objective	Long-term capital appreciation
Total Net Assets	\$249.3M
Minimum Investment	\$1000
Expense Ratio <sup>2</sup>	2.29%
CUSIP	277905592

## Top 10 Holdings $(\%)^{3,4}$

as of Mar 31, 2024	
ICICI Bank Ltd	8.23
Infosys Ltd	5.78
Bharti Airtel Ltd	4.09
Axis Bank Ltd	3.99
Sun Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd	3.65
Reliance Industries Ltd	3.43
Bajaj Finance Ltd	3.43
Mahindra & Mahindra Ltd	3.15
Tata Motors Ltd	3.01
Zomato Ltd	2.88
Total	41.65

## Portfolio Management

Hiren Dasani, CFA

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## **RISK CONSIDERATIONS**

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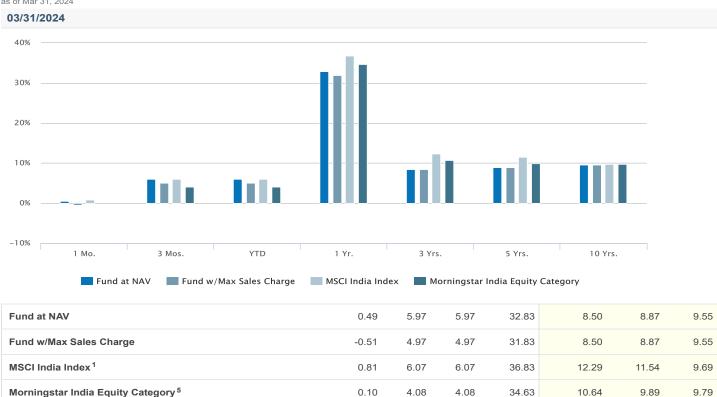
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- 2. Source: Fund prospectus.
- 3. Top 10 Holdings excludes cash and equivalents.
- 4. Percent of total net assets.

#### Performance

## Historical Returns (%) as of Mar 31, 2024



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## Calendar Year Returns (%)

	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Fund at NAV	38.25	-5.63	1.95	43.81	-12.76	9.69	12.64	23.17	-16.10	19.73
MSCI India Index <sup>1</sup>	23.87	-6.12	-1.43	38.76	-7.30	7.58	15.55	26.23	-7.95	20.81

### **Fund Facts**

Class C Inception	07/07/2006
Performance Inception	05/02/1994
Expense Ratio <sup>2</sup>	2.29%
Distribution Frequency	Annually

## Risk Measures (3 Year)<sup>6</sup>

as of Apr 50, 2024	
Alpha (%)	-1.36
Beta	0.83
R-Squared (%)	88.54
Standard Deviation (%)	13.99
Sharpe Ratio	0.50

## Morningstar Rating™

as of Mar 31, 2024

Time Period	Rating	Funds in India Equity Category
Overall	***	22
3 Years	**	22
5 Years	**	20
10 Years	***	17

The Morningstar Rating<sup>™</sup> for funds, or "star rating", is calculated for managed products (including mutual funds and exchange-traded funds) with at least a three-year history. Exchange-traded funds and open-ended mutual funds are considered a single population for comparative purposes. It is calculated based on a Morningstar Risk-Adjusted Return measure that accounts for variation in a managed product's monthly excess performance, placing more emphasis on downward variations and rewarding consistent performance. The top 10% of products in each product category receive 5 stars, the next 22.5% receive 4 stars, the next 35% receive 3 stars, the next 22.5% receive 2 stars, and the bottom 10% receive 1 star.

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## **NAV History**

Date	NAV	NAV Change
May 02, 2024	\$29.77	\$0.26
May 01, 2024	\$29.51	\$0.00
Apr 30, 2024	\$29.51	\$0.02
Apr 29, 2024	\$29.49	\$0.11
Apr 26, 2024	\$29.38	-\$0.02
Apr 25, 2024	\$29.40	\$0.23
Apr 24, 2024	\$29.17	-\$0.03
Apr 23, 2024	\$29.20	\$0.05
Apr 22, 2024	\$29.15	\$0.33
Apr 19, 2024	\$28.82	\$0.13

## Distribution History<sup>7</sup>

Ex-Date	Distribution	Reinvest NAV
Dec 08, 2022	\$0.59240	\$25.36
No records in this table indicates that there has not bee	n a distribution greater than .0001 within the past 3 years.	

Fund prospectus

## Capital Gain History<sup>7</sup>

Ex-Date	Short-Term	Long-Term	Reinvest NAV
Dec 07, 2023		\$1.71770	
Dec 08, 2022	\$0.37170	\$5.54080	\$25.36
Dec 09, 2021	\$0.49150	\$3.46600	\$35.81

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5. The Morningstar India Equity Category includes funds that invest primarily in Indian equities.

6. Alpha measures risk-adjusted performance, showing excess return delivered at the same risk level as the benchmark. Beta measures the volatility of a fund relative to the overall market. R-Squared represents the percentage of the portfolio's movement that can be explained by the general movement of the market. Standard deviation measures the historic volatility of a fund. Sharpe Ratio uses standard deviation and excess return to determine reward per unit of risk.

7. A portion of the Fund's returns may be comprised of return of capital or short term capital gains. The Fund will determine the tax characteristics of all Fund distributions after the end of the calendar year and will provide shareholders such information at that time. Please consult your tax advisor for further information.

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#### Portfolio

Total

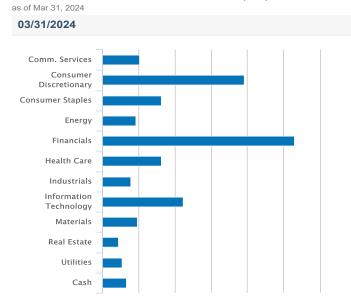
## Asset Mix (%)<sup>4,8</sup>



### **Portfolio Statistics**

as of Mar 31, 2024	
Number of Holdings	62
Active Share <sup>9</sup>	60.41%

## GICS Sector Breakdown (%)<sup>4</sup>



5.09	3.19
19.57	12.78
8.08	7.86
4.57	11.25
26.45	24.83
8.14	5.33
3.88	9.11
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Materials	4.84	8.13
Real Estate	2.23	1.15
Utilities	2.71	4.58
Cash	3.31	

# Assets by Country (%)<sup>4</sup> as of Mar 31, 2024

India	95.63
United States	1.06
Cash & Other Assets	3.31
Total	100.00

# Geographic Mix (%)<sup>4</sup> as of Mar 31, 2024

as of Mar 31, 2024
03/31/2024
Cash & Other Assets North America Asia/Pacific

Total	100.00
Cash & Other Assets	3.31
North America	1.06
Asia/Pacific	95.63

# Fund Holdings (%)<sup>4,10</sup> as of Mar 31, 2024

as of Mar 31, 2024	
Holding	% of Net Assets
ICICI Bank Ltd	8.04%
Infosys Ltd	5.65%
Bharti Airtel Ltd	3.99%
Axis Bank Ltd	3.90%
Sun Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd	3.57%
Reliance Industries Ltd	3.35%
Bajaj Finance Ltd	3.35%
Mahindra & Mahindra Ltd	3.07%
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Tata Motors Ltd	2.94%
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4. Percent of total net assets.

8. A delay in transaction settlement may result in a negative cash position.

9. Active Share is a measure of the differentiation of the holdings of a portfolio from the holdings of its appropriate benchmark index. It is calculated as one half of the sum of the absolute value of the differences found between the portfolio weights and the benchmark weights.

10. The following list reflects unaudited securities holdings (excluding derivatives positions). Holdings information may differ if presented as of trade date. Due to rounding, holdings of less than 0.005% may show as 0.00%. Portfolio information subject to change due to active management.

#### Management

#### Hiren Dasani, CFA

Co-Head of Emerging Markets Equity at Goldman Sachs Asset Management, L.P. Joined Goldman Sachs 2007

#### Biography

Hiren Dasani is co-head of emerging markets equity and a portfolio manager at Goldman Sachs Asset Management, L.P., an Eaton Vance subadvisor. He joined Goldman Sachs Asset Management in 2007.

Hiren began his career in the investment management industry in 2001. Most recently, he was head of India equity research at GSAMI. Before joining Goldman Sachs Asset Management, he was affiliated with SSKI Securities, ICICI Prudential Asset Management Co. and Axis Bank.

Hiren earned a Bachelor of Engineering from Maharaja Sayajirao University of Baroda and a PGDM from the Indian Institute of Management, Kozhikode. He is a CFA charterholder.

#### Education

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- PGDM Indian Institute of Management, Kozhikode

#### Experience

Managed Fund since 2017

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