



RBI was all guns blazing in June

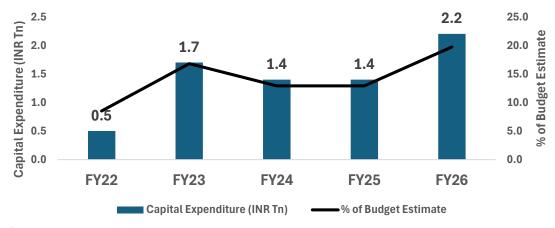
RBI reduced the Repo rate in early June by higher-than-expected 50bps to 5.5% and also slashed the CRR (cash reserve ratio) by 100bps to 3.00%; latter would be effective starting Sep'25, in four tranches of 25bps each. This front-ended monetary stimulus should boost banks' willingness to lend and also drive a pick-up in credit demand in the coming quarters. Credit growth in banking system has been weakening and touched a low of 9% yoy in May'25.

We expect credit growth to pick up in coming quarters and move back to low double digits (11-12% yoy) by end of FY26. Specifically, we believe these rate cuts could spur growth in home loans and consumer credit—thus driving household consumption in coming quarters and creating positive multiplier effects for the broader economy.

Capex picking up, consumption recovery is next

During Apr-May 2025, central government's capex was up 54% yoy and touched INR 2.2 trillion, which is nearly 20% of the INR 11.2tn capex-budget for FY26. Recent data indicates that aggregate capex by listed corporates (exfinancials) topped INR 11tn in FY25 and thus exceeded FY25 govt. capex of INR 10.5tn (provisional figure). More interestingly, capex in the listed-universe continues to become more and more broad based—number of companies with >US\$100mn capex in a year has steadily increased from 120-125 pre-Covid (FY18/19) to 157 in FY25. Further, aggregate debt raised by listed non-financial corporates has begun to meaningfully exceed aggregate debt repayments (based on FY25 cash-flow statements). This re-leveraging of balance sheets augurs well for both credit growth as well as capex.

Exhibit 1: Central government capex during April-May of fiscal year



Source: Broker Report

Exhibit 2: Capex turning more broad-based in the listed non-financial universe (capex in US\$ bn)



Source: Broker Report



We continue to expect a broad-based recovery in household consumption in the coming quarters driven by: (1) interest rate cuts; (2) income tax cuts; (3) benign inflation; (4) rural recovery; (5) healthy crop sowing and monsoons so far—rainfall was 11% above normal till 2nd of July; and (6) pay commission for government employees from FY27.

Geopolitical volatility remains; China's silent 'choke' is the latest addition

Trump tariff suspension deadline ends 9th July. India should be able to navigate this phase with a mini trade deal or a BTA (as reported by the media), or further deferment with a status-quo on tariff rates.

An emerging concern is China's attempts to weaponise its control of critical inputs. Examples are:

- 1. Delays in shipment of specialized equipment meant for iPhone production in India from Chinese ports in January
- 2. Silent controls imposed on sale of rare earth magnets to India in April; these are used in EVs, electronics and defence equipment
- 3. Restrictions on supply of special fertilizers used for growing fruits and vegetables; India's Agri-exports topped US\$50bn in FY25
- 4. China recalling its engineers from Foxconn's iPhone production units in Tamil Nadu and Karnataka
- 5. A German tunnel-boring machine bound for India is reportedly stuck in China, awaiting export clearance

While these Chinese actions further vindicate Indian government's mission of Make in India, these have the potential to slow down India's ongoing progress. Therefore, government needs to further double-down on its measures to boost domestic components manufacturing and assist the Industry in diversifying supply chains away from China. India imported nearly US\$115bn worth of goods from China in FY25. Further, over 70% of APIs used by Indian drug manufacturers come from China.

Earlier this week the government approved INR 1 trillion of budget towards Employment Linked Incentive Scheme [ELIS] announced in the Union Budget. This should help boost employment, particularly in the manufacturing sector. The government has also approved a Research Development and Innovation Scheme [RDIS] with a corpus of INR 1 trillion.

Markets to consolidate near-term, after a good recovery; we remain constructive and selective

Indian equity markets have responded well to a better-than-expected 4Q earnings season, Trump tariff suspension and RBI's monetary stimulus. Furthermore, the USD DXY index had its worst 1H in over 50 years. A weak US Dollar continues to aid FPI net inflows, which have turned positive in last 3 months. In 2Q CY25 FPI's have invested \$5.37bn into Indian equities as compared to outflows of \$13.53bn in 1Q CY25. Nifty-50 was up 3.1% in June is and up 7.9% in 1H25. We expect a pick-up in corporate earnings growth in the coming quarters; however, at 25,400 index level (3% away from all-time-high), we believe Nifty-50 valuations are not inexpensive at more than 21x 12-month forward EPS, ahead of the last 10-year average multiple of 20x. We thus expect the markets to move sideways in the near-term, as they await a recovery in earnings growth.

Renaissance Investment Managers

JUNE 2025



In addition to turning more constructive on the Consumer sector in recent months, we have also raised the portfolio-weight of select financials, given the context of stable equity markets, declining interest rates and a likely pick up in credit growth. Our portfolio is skewed towards credit growth (including consumer proxies), select consumer plays (across staples, durables and discretionary), and export/outsourcing. We are invested in pockets having attractive valuations (e.g. private sector financials, housing NBFCs), as well as in pockets that we expect would deliver a higher amount and/or longevity of earnings growth at reasonable prices (such as Consumer, Pharma, Telecoms, IT etc.). We continue to maintain our disciplined stock selection process to ensure long term, sustainable returns for our investors.

Happy Investing

Pankaj Murarka Founder & CIO

Renaissance Midcap Portfolio (Mid Cap PMS)

Inception Date: 1st JANUARY,2018

Data as on 30th JUNE,2025



Investment Strategy

Mid Cap & Small Cap Strategy

- Identify Mid Cap / Small Cap ideas which can become tomorrow's Large Cap / Mid Cap respectively. Good Quality Companies
- Long term approach to realise the full potential. Remain invested during the high growth phase of the business.
- Focused approach Around 25 stocks

Top Holdings

Company	Weight (%)
Federal Bank Ltd	6.34%
One 97 Communications Ltd	5.84%
Poonawalla Fincorp Ltd	5.35%
Jubilant Foodworks Ltd	5.08%
Nippon Life AMC Ltd	4.50%

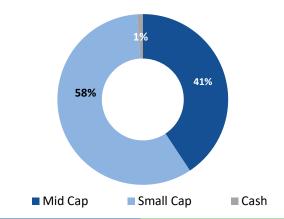
Portfolio – Fundamental Attributes

Particular	FY25	FY26E	FY27E
PAT Growth (%)	13.4	15.5	21.0
ROE (%)	13.3	13.7	14.9
P/E	29.8	25.8	21.3

Periodic Returns

Period	RMP	Nifty Midcap 100 TRI	Nifty 50 TRI
1M	7.14%	4.11%	3.37%
3M	12.16%	15.78%	9.02%
1Y	2.19%	7.74%	7.54%
2Y CAGR	19.34%	30.02%	16.70%
3Y CAGR	26.07%	32.05%	18.74%
5Y CAGR	29.76%	33.39%	21.34%
Returns are for all clients on TWRR basis. The performance related information provided herein is not verified by SEBI.			

Portfolio Capitalization



Top Sectorial Weights

Sector	Weight (%)
BFSI	28.28%
Consumer Discretionary	20.64%
Pharma & Chemicals	19.04%
Information Technology	13.59%
Auto & Logistics	5.86%

Portfolio – Risk Attributes*

Particular	Portfolio	Nifty Midcap 100 TRI
Std Dev	30.56%	29.42%
Sharpe Ratio	0.67	0.90
Beta	0.94	1.00
Treynors Ratio	21.72%	
Information Ratio	-0.46	
Up/Down Capture	90%/102%	

Financial Year Returns

Particular	RMP	Nifty Midcap 100 TRI
FY25-26 YTD	12.16%	15.78%
FY24-25	2.73%	8.01%
FY23-24	48.82%	61.17%
FY22-23	5.56%	2.01%
FY21-22	30.69%	26.65%
FY20-21	90.57%	103.91%
E		*3 years data



Investment Philosophy

Sustainable Quality Growth At Reasonable Price (SQGARP)



Sustainability

Companies with sustainable and durable business models.



Quality

Superior quality businesses as demonstrated by Competitive edge, Pricing power, ROE, FCF.

Good quality and competent management teams.



Growth

Business that can deliver superior growth over medium term to long term.



Price

Ability to invest at reasonable valuations. Fair value approach to valuations. Focus on economic value of business.

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