HDFC Mutual Fund Launches HDFC Nifty Auto Index Fund

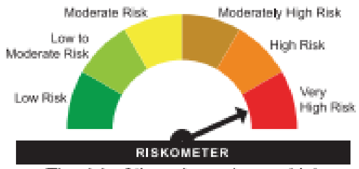
[NFO Period: June 22, 2026 – July 3, 2026]

Mumbai, June 23, 2026: HDFC Asset Management Company Limited (HDFC AMC), Investment Manager to HDFC Mutual Fund (HDFC MF), one of India’s leading mutual fund houses, has launched **HDFC Nifty Auto Index Fund** (the “Scheme”), an open-ended scheme that seeks to provide investors an opportunity to participate in India's automobile and auto ancillary growth story through a passive investment strategy. The New Fund Offer (NFO) opened on June 22, 2026 and closes on July 3, 2026.

India's automobile sector remains a key pillar of the country's economic growth, manufacturing expansion, employment generation, and export competitiveness. The Scheme will invest in the constituents of the Nifty Auto Index (TRI), which comprises leading companies across passenger vehicles, two-wheelers, commercial vehicles, auto components, and related segments of the automobile ecosystem. The index currently consists of 15 stocks selected from the Nifty 500 universe and is designed to reflect the performance of India's automobile sector.

Commenting on the launch, **Mr. Navneet Munot, Managing Director and Chief Executive Officer, HDFC Asset Management Company Limited,** said, *“*At HDFC Mutual Fund, we remain committed to offering investors a diverse range of innovative investment solutions to fulfil our mission to be the wealth creator for every Indian. With HDFC Nifty Auto Index Fund, we aim to provide investors with an effective way to participate in the growth potential of the country’s Automobile sector and benefit from the enduring strengths. Backed by 20+ years of expertise in Index Solutions, we are well positioned to deliver this investment opportunity.*”*

The Scheme will be managed by **Ms. Nandita Menezes** and **Mr. Arun Agarwal**. Investors can invest with a minimum amount of ₹100 during the NFO period and during the continuous offer period after the scheme reopens for subscription and redemption. There will be no entry or exit load under the Scheme.

Investment objective	Scheme Risk-o-meter#
HDFC Nifty Auto Index Fund Passive investment in equity and equity related securities replicating the composition of the Nifty Auto Index (TRI), subject to tracking errors. There is no assurance that the investment objective of the Scheme will be achieved.	 *The risk of the scheme is very high*
Investors should consult their financial advisers, if in doubt about whether the product is suitable for them. # The product labeling assigned during the New Fund Offer (NFO) is based on internal assessment of the scheme characteristics or model portfolio and the same may vary post NFO when the actual investments are made. For latest riskometer, investors may refer to the Monthly Portfolios disclosed on the website of the Fund viz. **www.hdfcfund.com**	

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HDFC Bank (Sponsor of HDFC Mutual Fund) is not liable or responsible for any loss or shortfall resulting from the operations of the scheme.

The Scheme being sectoral in nature carries higher risks versus diversified equity mutual funds on account of concentration and sector specific risks.

<u>About HDFC AMC:</u>

HDFC Asset Management Company Limited (HDFC AMC) is an Investment Manager to HDFC Mutual Fund, one of the largest mutual funds in the country. It was incorporated under the Companies Act, 1956, on 10th December 1999 and was approved to act as an Asset Management Company for HDFC Mutual Fund by SEBI on 3rd July 2000. It has other SEBI licenses viz. PMS and AIF. HDFC AMC manages a diversified asset class mix across Equity and Fixed Income/Others. It also has a countrywide network of branches along with a diversified distribution network comprising Banks, Independent Financial Advisors and National Distributors.

HDFC Mutual Fund: SEBI Registration Number: MF/044/00/6

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