

# 0 to 1,000 crores

# You too can do it !!

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## At the very outset ...

# **Why Equities ?**



## **Power of equities**

Joy of compounding

### Magic of Entrepreneurship

### Hedge against inflation & tax

## **Equity: Joy of compounding**

"Compound interest is the eighth wonder of the world. He who understands it, earns it ... he who doesn't ... pays it."

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— Albert Einstein





**Equity: Magic of Entrepreneurship** 



- Creating something from nothing
- Enhancing the value of capital



## **Equity: Hedge against inflation & tax**



### **Fixed income v/s Equity**

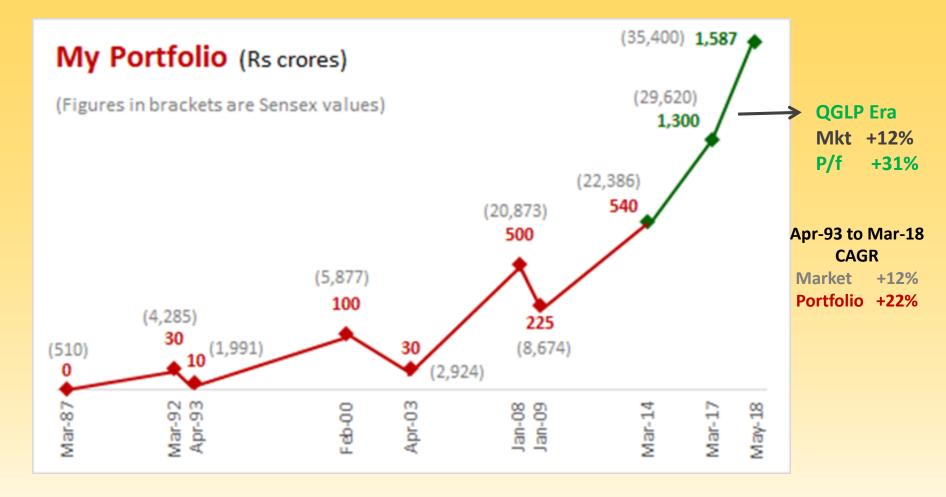
	In Fixed Income	In Equity
Likely return (pre-tax)	7.5%	15%
Return (post-tax)	<b>6</b> %	15%
Inflation	5%	5%
Net real return	1%	10%
Years to double purchasing power	70	7



# How it all happened for me ...

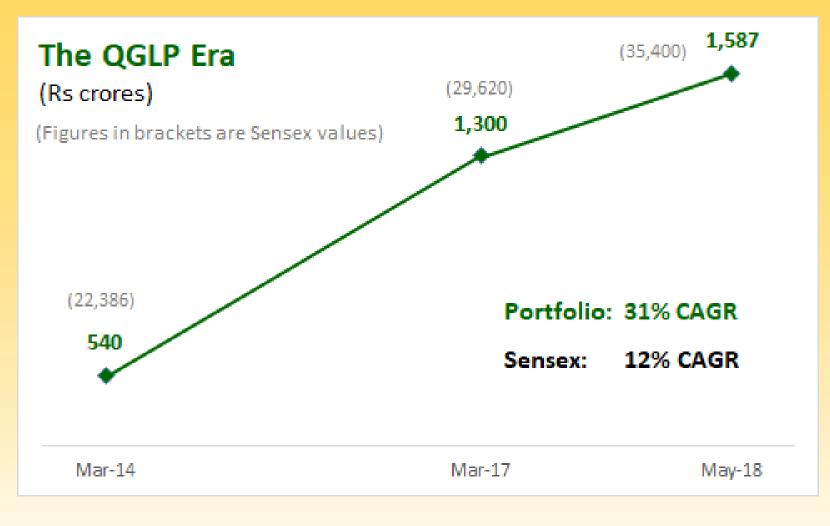


#### 0 to 1,000 crores – How it happened for me





#### **The QGLP Era**





#### 1980-90 ... CA student to stock market buff





### What was I doing?





## Starting small ...

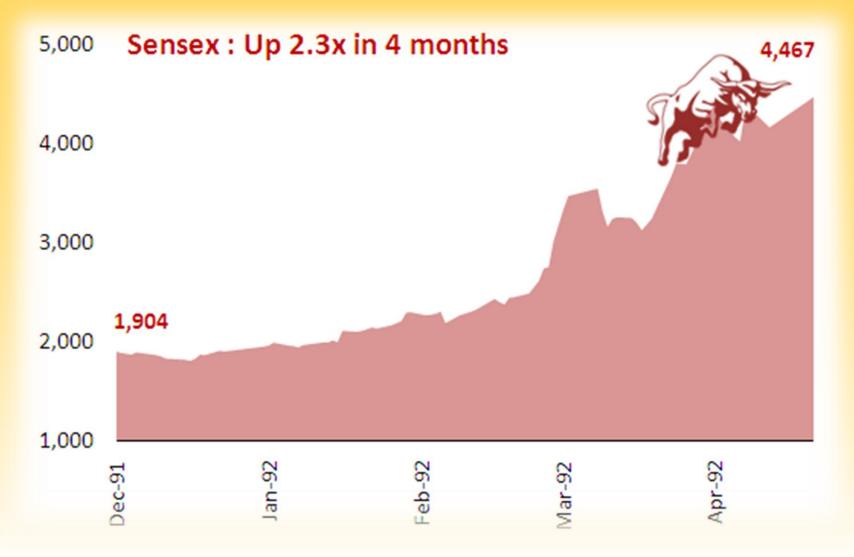
- > A business partnership for life !
- > Ignorance of ignorance !
- > Only passion !
- Sub-broker to BSE member



## 1987-94: Mainly luck, little skill



## 91-92 Big Bull-run ... khuda meherbaan!





## **1994 ... Found the guru**



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## Search for the investment philosophy

## **leading to Wealth Creation Studies**

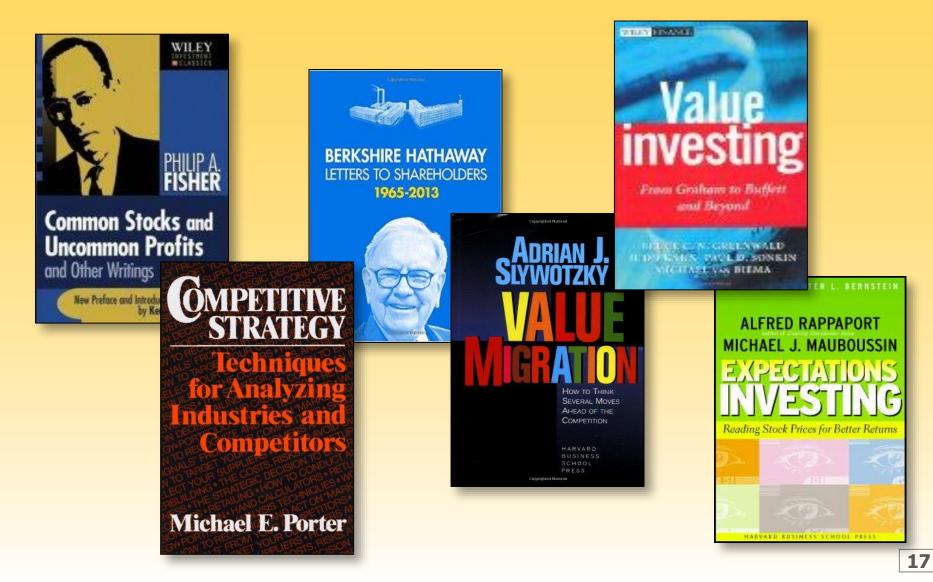


#### **1995 to 2016 : 21 Wealth Creation Studies**





### Back then & even now ... Knowledge First !!





# Landmark studies & frameworks



Growth

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## **Mathematics of Buffett-ology**

#### **Growth Value**

Only if growth is in the same franchise, and benefits from the competitive advantage

#### **Earning Power Value**

Franchise value from current competitive advantage

#### **Asset Replacement Value**

When entry is free, and there is no competitive advantage





From Graham to Buffett and Beyond

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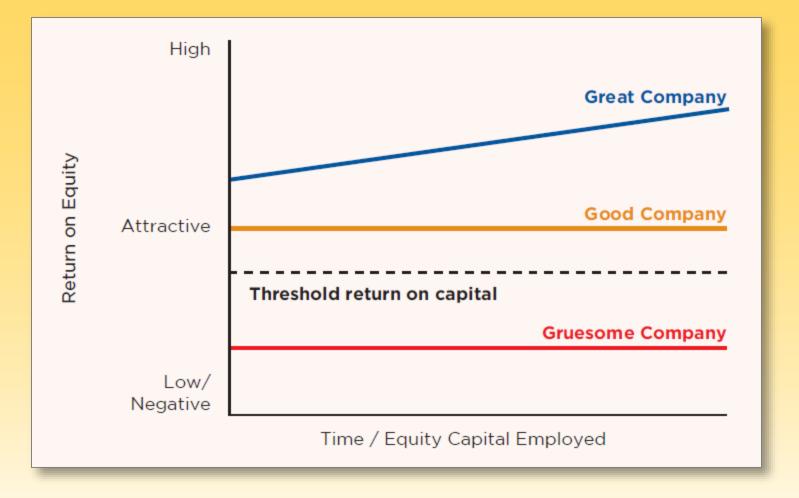
#### **Importance of interest rates**



"At all times, in all markets in all parts of the world, the tiniest change in interest rates changes the value of every financial asset." – Warren Buffett



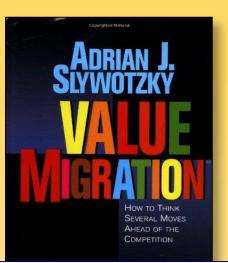
### **Great, Good, Gruesome**

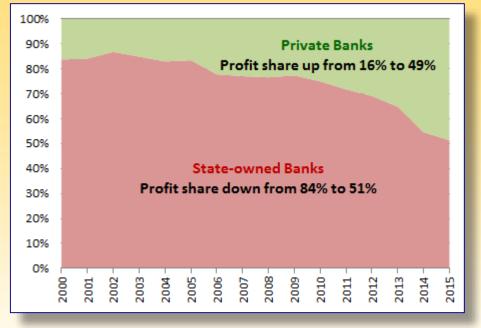


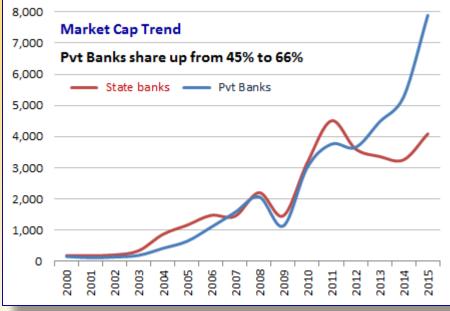


### **Value Migration**

## "Value migrates from outmoded business design to superior business design." — Adrian Slywotzxy









### **Terms of Trade**







## **India's NTD (Next Trillion Dollar GDP)** Linear growth ... Every successive NTD of GDP takes fewer years



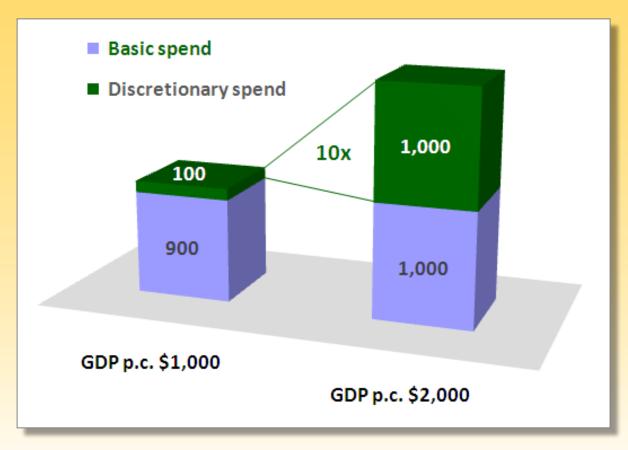
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#### India's NTD (Next Trillion Dollar GDP)

### ... Exponential opportunity

When per capita GDP doubles, discretionary spend becomes 10x



**Quality Frameworks (continued)** 



### **Winner Categories, Category Winners**

- Winner Category = Consolidated sector + Scalability
- Category Winner = Winner Category + Entry Barriers
  - + Great Management
- Great Investment = Category Winner
  + Reasonable Valuation



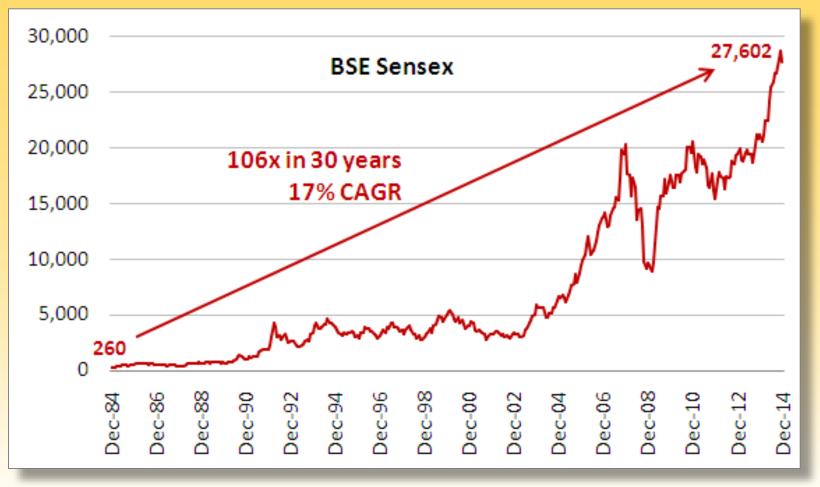
#### **Uncommon Profits ... Emergence & Endurance**

**Uncommon Profits in companies** 

## **Uncommon Wealth Creation in markets**



## **100x** Indian benchmark indices rise 100x in 30 years



## 100x 62 enduring 100x stocks over 1998-2017

	Price	Year of	No. of	Return		Price	Year of	No. of	Return		Price	Year of	No. of	Return
Company	Mult. (x)	Purchase	Years	CAGR	Company	Mult. (x)	Purchase	Years	CAGR	Company	Mult. (x)	Purchase	Years	CAGR
Kotak Mah. Bank	1,077	1999	18	47%	Axis Bank	175	1999	18	33%	CG Power & Indu.	116	2001	16	35%
Shree Cement	1,064	1998	19	44%	CRISIL	173	2001	16	38%	Bombay Burmah	116	2003	14	40%
JSW Steel	938	2002	15	58%	Bharat Electron	167	1998	19	31%	KRBL	115	2000	17	32%
Lupin	845	1998	19	43%	TI Financial	165	1998	19	31%	Schaeffler India	114	2001	16	34%
UPL	691	1999	18	44%	Kajaria Ceramics	162	1999	18	33%	Sundaram Clayton	113	2001	16	34%
Motherson Sumi	672	1999	18	44%	Astral Poly	150	2009	8	87%	Aarti Inds.	110	2002	15	37%
Eicher Motors	623	2000	17	46%	GRUH Finance	148	2004	13	47%	Blue Star	109	2001	16	34%
Bajaj Fin.	387	2000	17	42%	Pidilite Inds.	147	1998	19	30%	United Breweries	109	2003	14	40%
Kirloskar Indus.	351	2000	17	41%	Honeywell Auto	147	1998	19	30%	Blue Dart Exp.	109	1999	18	30%
Sun Pharma.Inds.	342	1998	19	36%	Torrent Pharma.	146	1998	19	30%	Bosch	106	2002	15	36%
Hind.Zinc	328	2000	17	41%	Glenmark Pharma.	143	2001	16	36%	HDFC Bank	104	1999	18	29%
Havells India	323	2003	14	51%	Kansai Nerolac	140	2001	16	36%	Voltas	103	2001	16	34%
Ajanta Pharma	279	2002	15	46%	Atul	134	2002	15	39%	LIC Housing Fin.	102	2001	16	34%
Amara Raja Batt.	278	2003	14	49%	Guj Fluorochem	132	1999	18	31%	Asian Paints	102	1999	18	29%
Vakrangee	261	2009	8	101%	SRF	130	1999	18	31%	Federal Bank	102	1999	18	29%
Rajesh Exports	230	2001	16	40%	Hatsun AgroProd.	127	2005	12	50%	DCM Shriram	101	1999	18	29%
Titan Company	228	2001	16	40%	TTK Prestige	127	2005	12	50%	Shri.City Union.	100	2004	13	43%
Vedanta	227	2002	15	44%	MRF	126	2002	15	38%	IndusInd Bank	100	2001	16	33%
Godrej Inds.	210	2003	14	47%	P I Inds.	125	2008	9	71%	GE T&D India	100	2001	16	33%
Berger Paints	198	1998	19	32%	Jubilant Life	124	2002	15	38%	Marico	100	2001	16	33%
NMDC	196	2001	16	39%	Supreme Inds.	119	2002	15	37%	MEDIAN	145		16	38%

**Note:** Price multiples are based on stocks being bought in the respective year of purchase, and held on to Mar-2017. Only stocks with minimum market cap of Rs 100 crore in year of purchase are considered.



# Stock stories along the way ...



## HITS

- Vysya Bank (1991)
- Hero Honda (1996)
- > **HDFC Bank** (1996)
- Infosys (1997)
- Bharti Airtel (2003)
- Eicher Motors (2012)
- Ajanta Pharma (2013)
- Au Financiers (2007 Private equity)

#### MISSES

- > Mastek (2000)
- Financial Technologies (2014)



## 30-year Manthan, 1 Mantra ... QGLP

## **QGLP** in a nutshell



#### "QGLP – Quality, Growth, Longevity, reasonable Price"

#### **Quality of business x Quality of management**

- Stable business, preferably consumer facing
- Huge business opportunity
- Sustainable competitive advantage
- Competent management team
- Healthy financials & ratios



#### Price

- Reasonable valuation, relative to growth prospects
- High margin of safety
- Prefer stocks with PEG of around 1x

#### Growth in earnings

- Volume growth
- Price growth
- Mix change
- Operating leverage
- Financial leverage

#### Longevity – of both Q & G

- Long-term relevance of business
- Extending competitive advantage period
- Initiatives to sustain growth for 10-15 years

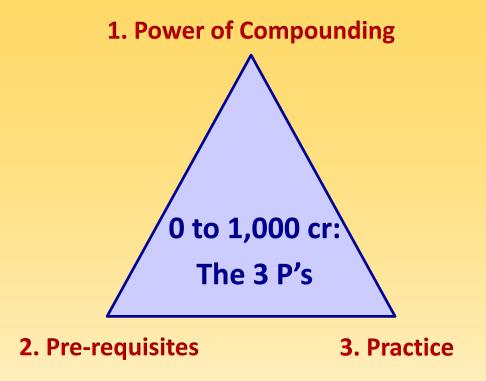


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#### 0 to 1,000 crores: The 3 P's





## **P #1: Power of Compounding**

#### Longer the period, exponentially higher the multiple

What happens to one rupee invested at given rate for given time

Years	5	10	15	20	25	30
Rate						
8	1.5	2.2	3.2	4.7	6.8	10.1
10	1.6	2.6	4.2	6.7	10.8	17.4
15	2.0	4.0	8	16	33	66
17	2.2	4.8	11	23	51	111
20	2.5	6.2	15	38	95	237
25	3.1	9.3	28	87	265	808
26	3.2	10.1	32	102	323	1,026
30	3.7	14	51	190	706	2,620
50	7.6	58	438	3,325	25,251	191,751



#### **P #2: Pre-requisites**

## **Positive thinking**

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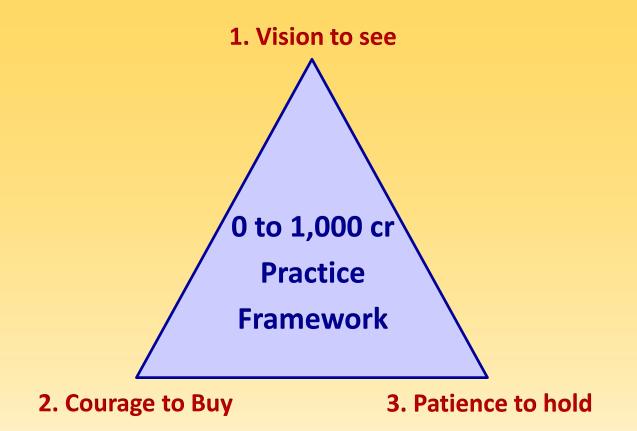
## **Time-tested Investment Philosophy**

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**Inquisitive Mind** 

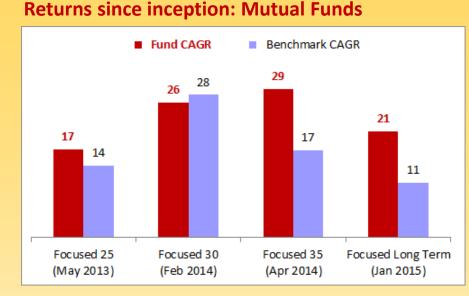


#### P #3: Practice



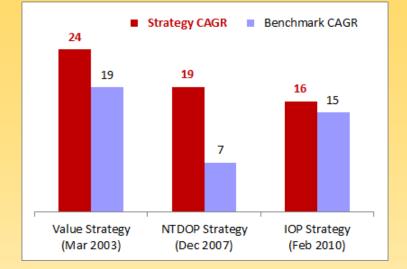


#### Healthy alpha across MF and PMS products



Note: Date of inception given in brackets Data as on 30 April 2018

**Returns since inception: PMS** 





## 0 to 1,000 crores – You too can do it !

- Start early
- > Think big
- Understand power of compounding
- Don't bother about the market
- Pre-requisites Positive thinking, Philosophy, Inquisitive Mind
- Practice Vision, Courage, Patience
- Monitor portfolio performance
- Continuously improve



# Wish you a successful 1,000 crore journey !