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The Absol	ute 3c	ale	Debt & Income Fund Scheme	ds	Return (%)	Return (%)	Balanced Funds Scheme
Top Equity Fur	ıds		Deutsche Premier Bond Fund-RP-0	Growth	12.43	89.69	HDFC Prudence Fund-Growth
Scheme		Return (%)	Sundaram Select Debt-DAP-Growt	h	11.35	88.80	SBI Magnum Balanced Fund-Growth
		Neturii (76,	Prudential ICICI Flexible Income Pl	an-Growth	10.85	83.68	Canganga
Tata Equity Opportunities Fund	79.28		Escorts Income Plan-Growth		10.37	80.98	Tata Balanced Fund
			Reliance Income Fund-Retail-GP-G	Growth	10.20	79.92	DSP ML Balanced Fund
HSBC Equity Fund- Growth	71.66		Absolute returns for the year ended March 31, 2004				Absolute returns for the year ended March 31, 2004
Reliance Growth 166.65			Gilt Funds Scheme		Return (%)	Return (%)	Liquid Funds Scheme
			FT India Gilt Investment Plan-Grov	v th	18.45	5.97	LIC MF Liquid Fund-Growth
SUN F&C Resurgent 162.21		Chola Gilt Investment-Growth		16.53	5.33	Canliquid	
India Equity Fund			Tata Gilt Securities Fund-Growth		14.65	5.27	Sahara Liquid Fund-Growth
Franklin India Drima			IL & FS Gilt Fund-LTP-Growth		13.80	5.18	Sun F&C Money Value Liquid-NP-Growth
Franklin India Prima Fund-Growth 160.35			Templeton GSF-Growth		13.56	5.16	Alliance Cash Manager -Growth
Absolute returns for the year ended	March 31, 20	004	Absolute returns for the year ended March 31, 2004				Simple annualised returns for the year ended March 31, 2004
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