

# BARODA PIONEER MUTUAL FUND

## Annual Report

2008 - 2009

### **Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund**

(An Open Ended Liquid Scheme)

### **Baroda Pioneer Balance Fund**

(An open ended Balance Scheme)

### **Baroda Pioneer Income Fund**

(An open ended Income Scheme)

### **Baroda Pioneer Gilt Fund**

(An open ended Gilt Scheme)

### **Baroda Pioneer Children Fund**

(An open ended Income Scheme)

### **Baroda Pioneer MIP Fund**

(An open ended Income Scheme)



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**Bank of Baroda**



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**ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31.03.2009**

The Board of Trustees of Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund has pleasure in presenting the sixteenth Annual Report and the Audited Accounts of the Schemes of Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund for the year ended March 31, 2009.

**1. Scheme Performance, Future outlook and operations of the Schemes.**
**Overview**

The year 2008-09 was a period of significant change at Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund. With Pioneer Global Asset Management SpA, Italy taking a 51% interest, the fund house was renamed Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund from the erstwhile BOB Mutual Fund.

Baroda Pioneer Asset Management Company, the investment manager to the fund, has been focused on restructuring the business plans - from building infrastructure to increasing team strength, introducing policies and procedures to leveraging technology. The aim has been to set up string foundations for future growth through strengthening of the operational platform, investment management and business development pillars.

Following the initial phase of development, the Average Assets under Management of Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund have moved up from Rs 72 crs in March 2008 to more than Rs 1,132 crores in March 2009, principally due to the successful launch of the Institutional Plan in Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund. This indeed is the reflection of trust and confidence of corporate and institutional investors in Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund

During the quarter ending March 31st 2009, select schemes of Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund were rated by the Economic Times - Quarterly MF Tracker (Jan-Mar 09), Baroda Pioneer Growth Fund was rated in the Platinum category and Baroda Pioneer Global & Baroda Pioneer Diversified Fund were rated in the Silver category. Baroda Pioneer ELSS'96, Baroda Pioneer MIP and Baroda Pioneer Income Fund were rated in the Bronze category.

During the current financial year, Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund plans to introduce new mutual fund schemes to cater to varying needs of the investing community.

**Scheme Performance**

Scheme Name	Net Asset Value as on March 31, 2009 (Rs.)	Net Assets as on March 31, 2009 (In Crores)	One year Compounded Annualised Return (%)	Benchmark Return (%)	Benchmark
Baroda Pioneer Global Fund	DP-8.05 GP-8.07	1.67	(37.01)	(37.94)	BSE Sensex
Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	RD-13.1309 RDD-10.0606 RG-15.3246 IDD-10.0063 IDG-10.0945	576.33	7.04	8.81	CRISIL Liquid Fund
Baroda Pioneer Growth Fund	DP-16.81 GP-26.68	4.78	(32.16)	(37.94)	BSE Sensex
Baroda Pioneer Balance Fund	DP-22.09 GP-21.87	0.50	(36.06)	(21.53)	CRISIL Balanced Fund
Baroda Pioneer ELSS'96	DP-17.19	8.28	(43.46)	(37.94)	BSE Sensex
Baroda Pioneer Diversified Fund	DP-28.88	20.44	(41.66)	(37.94)	BSE Sensex
Baroda Pioneer Income Fund	DP-13.65 GP-13.64	0.34	4.57	7.35	CRISIL Composite Bond Fund
Baroda Pioneer Gilt Fund	DP-12.07 GP-14.81	0.07	3.51	10.23	I-Sec MIBEX
Baroda Pioneer MIP Fund	MD-12.2163 QD-12.2214 GP-12.2169	0.04	1.62	0.50	CRISIL MIP Blended
Baroda Pioneer Children Fund	SP-9.75 GP-10.73	0.03	1.81	(21.53)	CRISIL Balanced Fund

## FUTURE OUTLOOK

After a rather difficult 2008-09 where we saw assets under management of the Mutual Fund industry shrink significantly, the new fiscal year has seen the industry recoup through a growth in assets under management. The growth prospects for the mutual fund industry in the coming years seem to be bright. A report on the mutual fund industry by KPMG (released on 16<sup>th</sup> June 2009) indicates that the industry could see a growth rate of about 22 to 25% over the next few years. The key would be to seek increased penetration for mutual fund investing and greater focus on cities and towns outside the top 20 cities.

Prospects for the global markets appear much better. After seeing a series of setbacks in 2008-09, there seems to be some signs of recovery in most economies across the world. India is poised at an interesting point. The UPA government is providing greater impetus to growth and expectations are that the Indian economy will revert to its high growth levels in a shorter time than had been earlier forecast. The equity markets are reflecting a lot of that optimism and have risen significantly in the first few months of the new fiscal year.

There are signs of renewed interest in investing, especially by retail investors. This augurs well for Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund as it continues on its journey of increasing its presence throughout India.

## 2. **Brief Background of the Sponsors, Trust, Trustee Co. and AMC Co.**

### **Sponsors:**

#### **Pioneer Global Asset Management SpA**

With 80 years' experience in fund management, Pioneer Investments (the "Group") has a history few asset management companies can match. Pioneer Investments flagship fund, Pioneer Fund™, is the third oldest mutual fund in the United States. It has not only weathered volatile market conditions, but has outperformed common stocks, long term bonds, US Treasury Bills and inflation since its foundation in 1928.

Innovation is part of Pioneer heritage. At the forefront of the establishment of the modern US mutual fund industry, Pioneer Investments is an industry leader in the development of this market in Europe. The Group was the first asset management company to launch investment funds in Italy, first in Germany to register US mutual funds under the Foreign Investments Act, and first to distribute open-ended investment funds in Poland. In 2002 it acquired the Momentum Group, which in keeping with Pioneer Investments' tradition of innovation, is one of the founders of the funds of hedge funds industry.

In October 2000, UniCredito Italiano S.p.A. ("UCI") completed its acquisition of the Pioneer Group, Inc., further bolstering the capabilities of its asset management operations in Milan and Dublin. Through the consolidation of these powerful investment houses, Pioneer Investments is ideally positioned to expand its global reach and penetrate deeper into each market.

The main activity of Pioneer Investments is the management and distribution of over 180 investment funds and alternative investments. With investment centres in Boston, Dublin, Milan and Singapore it manage assets worth €159 billion as on 31<sup>st</sup> May 2009. Headquartered in Milan, Pioneer Investments has a presence in over 31 countries around the world.

The investment process is active, bottom-up and research-driven, based upon the principles of fundamental investing that Pioneer Investments has used since 1928. The approach enables Pioneer Investments to make informed judgements about how industries and companies have operated in the past, about their future behaviour and about the effects of these variables on stock prices. We add a strong quantitative discipline to this process, which supports the work of fundamental analysts and keeps a close check on the investment risks for its funds.

*\* Pioneer Investments is a trading name of the Pioneer Global Asset Management S.p.A. group of companies ("PGAM"). PGAM is a wholly owned subsidiary of UniCredit S.p.A.*

#### **Bank of Baroda**

In the Indian banking universe, Bank of Baroda occupies a distinct position. Bank of Baroda is a state-owned bank with more than 100 years of successful existence.

The name inspires confidence among its customers. The track record in the market, the sound financials, its contribution to social sectors and even to policy-making has given the Bank a unique place in the market place. The biggest strength is its uninterrupted profit performance and consistent record in dividend payments.

Bank of Baroda's vast distribution channel of domestic branches (at 2,926 on 31st March, 2009), extension counters and ATMs (at 1,179), and a strong international presence in 25 countries (excluding India) covering regions like U.S.A., U.K., Africa, Middle East and Asia-Pacific zones has ensured a wide global client base of 36.5 million.

During the financial year 2008-09, Bank touched a global business level of 3,36,383 crore reflecting a growth of 30% (Y-o-Y). The level of net profit at Rs 2,227 crore reflected a robust year-on-year growth of 55.2%. On the front of asset quality management, while the gross NPA declined from 2.47% in 2006-07 to 1.27% in 2008-09, the net NPA declined from 0.60% to 0.31%. Bank of Baroda enjoyed the CRAR of 14.05% (as per the Basel II). While the ROAA stood at 1.09%, the ROE stood at 19.56% at end-March 2009.

### **Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund**

Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund ( "the Mutual Fund" or "the Fund" earlier known as BOB Mutual Fund) has been constituted as a Trust in accordance with the provisions of the Indian Trusts Act, 1882 (2 of 1882).The trust deed has been registered under the Indian Registration Act, 1908. The Mutual Fund is registered with SEBI under Registration No. MF/018/94/2, dated November 24, 1994.

Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund was established by Bank of Baroda by execution of a Trust Deed dated October 30, 1992. Pioneer Global Asset Management SpA acquired 51% of the shareholding of Baroda Pioneer Asset Management Co. Ltd. (earlier known as BOB Asset Management Company Limited) and become the co-sponsor of Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund. SEBI has approved the name of the fund to Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund vide its letter IMD/RB/134922/08 dated August 12, 2008.

The Sponsor is not responsible for any loss resulting from the operation of the Schemes beyond the initial contribution of the said sum of Rupees Ten lac made by it towards establishment of Mutual Fund.

The registered office of the Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund relocated to 501, Titanium, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Western Express Highway, Goregaon (E), Mumbai 400063 from 105, Maker Chamber III, Nariman Point, Mumbai 400021, wef 31<sup>st</sup> January 2009.

### **BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Occupation</b>	<b>Residential/Office Address</b>	<b>Directorship</b>
Mr. R. L. Baxi Chairman (Independent)	Retired Director & General Manager, The New India Assurance Co. Ltd.	C - 23/24, Modinagar, Adarsh Co-op Society, Off Mathuradas Road, Kandivli (West), Mumbai - 400 067.	ESS DEE Aluminum Ltd. GIC Asset Management Company Limited
Mr. V. H. Bhatia (Independent)	Retired General Manager Bank of Baroda	101, Cypress Woods, 1st Floor, 16 Road, Near Shivsagar, Bandra (W), Mumbai 400 050.	Nil
Mr. Shrinivas Suvarna (Independent)	Ex Dy. DGM, Bank of Baroda	A 904, Shagun Tower, Gen. A. K. Vaidya Marg, Goregaon (E), Mumbai - 400 063.	Nil
Mr. Debabarat Sarkar (Associate)	General Manager Bank of Baroda	Bank of Baroda, Geater Mumbai Zone Mumbai.	Nil

The Trustees of Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund seek to supervise the role of Baroda Pioneer Asset Management Co. Ltd., "Investment Manager", through the reporting mechanism calling for compliance of SEBI (MF) Regulations 1996 and the investment policy of Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund. The investment policy also incorporates guidelines and restrictions to be followed by the Investment Manager. The compliance of SEBI Regulations is reported by the AMC on a bi-monthly basis as required by the compliance manual of Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund. The Investment Manager also files a quarterly report on its activities with the Trustees.

The Trustees have formed an Audit Committee of the Trustees to review the internal audit system of Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund and the recommendations of the internal and statutory auditors. The Committee is chaired by an Independent Trustee.

**BARODA PIONEER ASSET MANAGEMENT COMPANY LIMITED**

Baroda Pioneer Asset Management Company Limited, formerly known as BOB Asset Management Company Ltd, has been incorporated under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1956. The company was a wholly owned subsidiary of Bank of Baroda. On 27<sup>th</sup> June 2008, Pioneer Global Asset Management SpA acquired a 51% shareholding of BOB Asset Management Company Limited. Subsequently, the name of the AMC was changed to Baroda Pioneer Asset Management Company Limited. As per the SEBI (Mutual Funds) Regulations, 1996, at least 50% of the Board of Directors is composed of independent members and the remainder is nominated for appointment by the Sponsor of the AMC. The net worth of BPAMC as on 31<sup>st</sup> March 2009 is Rs.73.81 Crore.

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

The Company has at present the following ten Directors, out of whom five Directors are Non-Executive Independent Directors.

DDr. A. K. Khandelwal	Chairman	Ex-Chairman & Managing Director, Bank of Baroda
Mr. Dario Frigerio	Associate Director	CEO-Pioneer Global Asset Management SpA
Mr. Angus Stening	Associate Director	CEO Asia & Emerging Markets
Mr. M. D. Mallya	Associate Director	Chairman & Managing Director, Bank of Baroda
Mr. S. Bhattacharya	Associate Director	General Manager, Bank of Baroda
Prof. B. B. Bhattacharya	Independent Director	Vice Chancellor-Jawaharlal Nehru University
Dr. P. N. Khandwalla	Independent Director	Ex-Director-Indian institute of Management, Ahmadabad
Mr G. P. Gupta	Independent Director	Ex-Chairman & Managing Director, IDBI Limited
Mr. Shiv Dayal	Independent Director	Managing Director-Langham Capital
Mr. Rohit Arora	Independent Director	Chairman-EMR Technology Venture

Mr. M. D. Mallya has been appointed as an Additional Director of the Company since 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2008 and he is entitled to hold office up to the date of the next Annual General Meeting.

Mr. B A Prabhakar who had been appointed as Additional Directors of the Company resigned from the Directorship of the Company wef 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2008.

**3. Investment Objectives of the Schemes:**

<b>Baroda Pioneer Growth Fund</b>	To generate long term Capital appreciation from an actively managed portfolio of equity related instruments.
<b>Baroda Pioneer Global Fund</b>	To generate medium to long term Capital appreciation by investing in a diversified portfolio of equity and equity related securities of large mid and small companies.
<b>Baroda Pioneer Diversified Fund</b>	To generate medium to long term Capital appreciation by investing in a diversified portfolio of equity and equity related securities of large mid and small companies.
<b>Baroda Pioneer Gilt Fund</b>	Investment in Government of India dated securities, State Government dated securities and Government of India Treasury Bills.
<b>Baroda Pioneer MIP Fund</b>	To generate regular income through investment in debt and money market instruments and also to generate long-term capital appreciation by investing a portion in equity and equity related instruments.
<b>Baroda Pioneer Children Fund</b>	To generate capital appreciation by creating a portfolio that is invested in equity and equity related securities and money market instruments.
<b>Baroda Pioneer Income Fund</b>	To generate regular income by investing in a portfolio of good quality Fixed Income Securities by maintaining a balance between Risk & Return.
<b>Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund</b>	To generate income with a high level of liquidity by investing in a portfolio of money market and debt securities.
<b>Baroda Pioneer Balance Fund</b>	The scheme is targeted for long-term capital appreciation along with stability through a well balance portfolio comprising of equity and debt.
<b>Baroda Pioneer ELSS'96</b>	The main objective of the scheme is to provide the investor long term capital growth as also tax benefit under section 88c of the income Tax Act, 1961

**4. Significant Accounting Policies :**

Accounting Policies are in accordance with Securities and Exchange Board of India (Mutual Fund) Regulations, 1996.

**5. Unclaimed Dividend & Redemptions**

Summary of no. of investors & corresponding amount scheme wise :

(Rs. In lakh)

Schemes	Unclaimed Dividend	Unclaimed Redemption
Baroda Pioneer ELSS' 96	27.35	NIL
Baroda Pioneer Diversified Fund	36.32	NIL

**6. Statutory Information :**

- The Sponsors are not responsible or liable for any loss resulting from the operation of the Schemes of the Fund beyond their initial contribution (to the extent contributed) of Rs. Ten lacs for setting up the Fund, and such other accretions / additions to the same.
- The price and redemption value of the units, and income from them, can go up as well as down with fluctuations in the market value of its underlying investments.
- Full Annual Report shall be disclosed on the website ([www.barodapioneer.in](http://www.barodapioneer.in)) and shall be available for inspection at the Head Office of the Mutual Fund. Present and prospective unit holders can obtain a copy of the trust deed, the full Annual Report of the Fund / AMC upon request.

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund is grateful to its unit holders for reposing faith and confidence in it. The Fund expresses its deep gratitude to the Securities and Exchange Board of India, Association of Mutual Funds of India, Reserve Bank of India, Auditors, Registrars, Custodians, Bankers, Agents and Brokers for their continued support, advice and co-operation.

Last but not the least, the Fund places on record its appreciation for the services rendered by the Directors and staff of Baroda Pioneer Asset Management Company Limited in managing the affairs of the Fund.

**For and on behalf of the Board of Trustees**

Sd/-

**R. L. Baxi**  
 Chairman

Place: Mumbai

Date : 10th July 2009

**RANKING METHODOLOGY & DISCLAIMER FOR THE AWARDS / RATING**

ET Quarterly MF Tracker lists MF schemes used Sortino ratio a superior risk adjusted measure, to assess fund performance. They took three years as the yardstick for the five broad categories of funds equity diversified, equity-linked savings scheme (ELSS), balanced, monthly income plan (MIP) and debt. Schemes with similar risk-return profiles were clubbed. The return score was arrived at by allotting 60% weight to past three-year absolute returns and 40% weight to past one-year return. These weighted returns were compared vis-à-vis the average return for the category under consideration. To measure risk, we looked at downside risk. Downside risk is any return below the minimum acceptable rate of return (MAR). Average category returns have been taken as MAR. We looked at monthly returns for the past three years. The monthly returns of each fund were analysed vis-à-vis the average fund returns for that particular month and the category under consideration. Any underperformances were added. Overall, total underperformance figures were compared with average category underperformances. The top 10% funds in each category were classified as 'Platinum' funds; the next 20% got a 'Gold', while the next 40% got a 'Silver' rating. More information is available on <http://economictimes.indiatimes.com>.

AUDITORS' REPORT

The Board of Trustees,  
Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund,  
Mumbai.

Dear Sirs,

We have audited the attached Balance Sheet of **BARODA PIONEER LIQUID FUND** of **BARODA PIONEER MUTUAL FUND**, as at 31st March, 2009 and also the Revenue Account for the year ended on that date annexed thereto. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Management of the Asset Management Company and the Trustees. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in India. Those Standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

Based on the above, we report that:

1. We have obtained all the information and explanations, which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purpose of our audit.
2. In our opinion, proper books of account as required by law have been kept by the Scheme so far as appears from our examination of those books.
3. The Balance Sheet and the Revenue Account are in agreement with the books of account.
4. The statement of accounts has been prepared in accordance with accounting policies and standards as specified in the Ninth Schedule to the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Mutual Funds) Regulations, 1996.
5. In our opinion the methods adopted to value non-traded securities are fair and reasonable.
6. In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the accounts read with the Statement on Significant Accounting Policies and Notes on Accounts attached thereto give a true and fair view in conformity with the accounting principles generally accepted in India:
  - a) in the case of the Balance Sheet of the state of affairs of **BARODA PIONEER LIQUID FUND** as at 31st March, 2009 and
  - b) in the case of the Revenue Account of the surplus of the Scheme for the year ended on that date.

For and on behalf of

Sd/-  
**BORKAR & MUZUMDAR**  
CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

Place : Mumbai  
Date : 10th July 2009

**Dilip Muzumdar**  
Partner  
(M. No. 8701)

**BARODA PIONEER LIQUID FUND**
**BALANCE SHEET AS ON 31ST MARCH, 2009**

	Schedule	31.03.2009 (RS.IN LAKH)	31.03.2008 (RS.IN LAKH)
<b>LIABILITIES :-</b>			
Unit Capital	A	57,139.01	818.35
Reserves & Surplus	B	493.52	352.30
Current Liabilities & Provisions	C	8,999.97	3.70
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>66,632.50</b>	<b>1,174.35</b>
<b>ASSETS :-</b>			
Investments	D	53,591.55	749.12
Deposits	E	5,400.00	408.27
Other Current Assets	F	7,640.95	16.96
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>66,632.50</b>	<b>1,174.35</b>
<b>SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES</b>	<b>G</b>		
<b>NOTES ON ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>H</b>		

The Schedules referred to above form an integral part of the Balance Sheet

**As per our report of even date**

**For and on behalf of**

**BORKAR & MUZUMDAR**  
Chartered Accountants

Sd/-  
**Dilip Muzumdar**  
Partner  
(M. No. 8701)

**For Baroda Pioneer Asset  
Management Co. Ltd.**

Sd/-  
**Rajan Krishnan**  
Chief Executive Officer

**For Baroda Pioneer  
Mutual Fund**

Sd/-  
**R. L. Baxi**  
Chairman

Sd/-  
**V. H. Bhatia**  
Trustee

Place : MUMBAI  
Date : 10th July 2009

Sd/-  
**S. K. Suvarna**  
Trustee

**BARODA PIONEER LIQUID FUND**

**REVENUE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 2009**

Schedules	31.03.2009 (RS.IN LAKH)	31.03.2008 (RS.IN LAKH)
<b>INCOME :-</b>		
Interest	1,011.73	209.92
Profit on Sale of Investments (Net) (Other than inter-scheme transfer/Sale)	35.75	0.00
Appreciation in value of Investments	1.12	0.00
Other Income	0.25	0.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,048.85</b>	<b>209.92</b>
<b>EXPENSES &amp; LOSSES :-</b>		
Interest on overdraft	0.00	1.24
Management Fees	21.42	4.44
Service tax on Management fees	2.44	0.55
Trusteeship Fees	1.03	0.63
Office and Administrative Expenses	0.92	1.49
Registration Fees	0.67	1.27
Commission to Agents	1.95	(1.90)
Publicity Expenses	0.00	0.23
Audit Fees	0.00	0.32
Advertisement exps	0.31	0.00
Other Operating Expenses	7.47	4.54
Custodian Charges	0.01	0.42
Registrar Charges	0.58	0.08
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>36.80</b>	<b>13.31</b>
<b>Surplus / (Deficit) for the year</b>	1,012.05	196.61
Add / (Less) : Equalisation Account	354.04	(74.87)
Add : Surplus/(Deficit) brought forward from the previous year	3,026.97	2,905.58
<b>Amount Available for Appropriation</b>	<b>4,393.06</b>	<b>3,027.32</b>
<b>APPROPRIATIONS :</b>		
<b>Dividend Distributed to Unit Holders</b>	0.00	0.00
Daily Dividend Reinvestment	41.53	0.28
Tax on Dividend	11.76	0.07
<b>Surplus/(Deficit) carried to Balance Sheet</b>	<b>4,339.77</b>	<b>3,026.97</b>

**SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**  
**NOTES ON ACCOUNTS**

**G**  
**H**

The Schedules referred to above form an integral part of the Revenue Account

**As per our report of even date**

**For and on behalf of**

**BORKAR & MUZUMDAR**  
Chartered Accountants

Sd/-  
**Dilip Muzumdar**  
Partner  
(M. No. 8701)

**For Baroda Pioneer Asset**  
**Management Co. Ltd.**

Sd/-  
**Rajan Krishnan**  
Chief Executive Officer

**For Baroda Pioneer**  
**Mutual Fund**

Sd/-  
**R. L. Baxi**  
Chairman

Sd/-  
**V. H. Bhatia**  
Trustee

Place : MUMBAI  
Date : 10th July 2009

Sd/-  
**S. K. Suvarna**  
Trustee

**BARODA PIONEER LIQUID FUND**
**SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF THE BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31ST MARCH, 2009**

	31.03.2009 (RS.IN LAKH)	31.03.2008 (RS.IN LAKH)
<b>Schedule 'A'</b>		
<b>UNIT CAPITAL</b>		
Unit Capital	57,139.01	818.35
<b>Total</b>	<u><u>57,139.01</u></u>	<u><u>818.35</u></u>
<b>No. of units of face value Rs. 10/- each</b>	<b>571,390,127.84</b>	<b>8,183,521.95</b>
<b>Schedule 'B'</b>		
<b>RESERVES AND SURPLUS</b>		
Surplus / (Deficit) as per Revenue Account	4,339.77	3,026.97
Unit Premium Reserve A/c		
Opening Balance	(2,674.67)	(2,094.20)
Add: Additions / (Deductions) during the year	(1,171.58)	(580.47)
<b>Total</b>	<u><u>(3,846.25)</u></u>	<u><u>(2,674.67)</u></u>
<b>Schedule 'C'</b>		
<b>CURRENT LIABILITIES &amp; PROVISIONS</b>		
<b>Current Liabilities</b>		
Sundry creditors	28.63	3.09
Contracts for purchase of investments	8,957.92	0.00
Unit redemption payable	0.05	0.00
Unclaimed distributed income	0.08	0.00
Others	13.29	0.61
<b>Total</b>	<u><u>8,999.97</u></u>	<u><u>3.70</u></u>
<b>Schedule 'D'</b>		
<b>INVESTMENTS</b>		
Non- Convertible Debentures / Bonds	2,500.00	0.00
Certificate of Deposits	41,366.55	0.00
MIBOR Paper	0.00	300.00
Commercial Papers	9,658.52	0.00
Reverse Repos	66.48	449.12
<b>Total</b>	<u><u>53,591.55</u></u>	<u><u>749.12</u></u>
<b>Schedule 'E'</b>		
<b>DEPOSITS</b>		
Deposit with Companies / Institutions	0.00	100.00
Deposit with Scheduled Banks	5,400.00	308.27
<b>Total</b>	<u><u>5,400.00</u></u>	<u><u>408.27</u></u>
<b>Schedule 'F'</b>		
<b>OTHER CURRENT ASSETS</b>		
Balance with Banks	75.14	3.37
Outstanding and accrued Income	15.13	7.14
Collateralized Borrowing and Lending Obligations (CBLO)	50.00	0.00
Application Money	7,500.00	0.00
Advance	0.00	0.18
Others	0.68	6.27
<b>Total</b>	<u><u>7,640.95</u></u>	<u><u>16.96</u></u>

**SCHEDULE G :**  
**COMMON ACCOUNTING POLICY (REFER TO THIS PAGE NO. 48)**

**SCHEDULE H :**

**NOTES FORMING PART OF THE ACCOUNTS OF BARODA PIONEER LIQUID FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH, 2009**

1. Details of Assets as at 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2009 are as under :

Name of Investment	Quantity / Rating	Market Value (Rs. In Lakh)	% to Total Assets
<b>Money Market Instruments</b>			
<b>Commercial Paper**</b>			
Tata Capital	A1+	4,818.55	8.36
Reliance Capital	P1+	2,426.56	4.21
Reliance Capital	A1+	2,413.41	4.19
<b>Subtotal (A)</b>		<b>9,658.52</b>	<b>16.76</b>
<b>Certificate of Deposit**</b>			
Syndicate Bank	PR1+	9,693.07	16.82
Allahabad Bank	P1+	8,314.31	14.42
IDBI Bank	A1+	7,225.99	12.54
Punjab National Bank	P1+	4,885.67	8.48
Union Bank of India	P1+	3,913.13	6.79
Canara Bank	P1+	2,443.75	4.24
Vijaya Bank	P1+	2,442.57	4.24
State Bank of Hyderabad	A1+	1,457.57	2.53
UCO Bank	PR1+	990.48	1.72
<b>Subtotal (B)</b>		<b>41,366.54</b>	<b>71.78</b>
<b>Bonds &amp; NCD's</b>			
Piramal Healthcare	P1+	2,500.00	4.34
<b>Subtotal (C)</b>		<b>2,500.00</b>	<b>4.34</b>
<b>Fixed Deposit</b>			
ICICI Bank		5,400.00	9.37
<b>Subtotal (D)</b>		<b>5,400.00</b>	<b>9.37</b>
<b>Cash &amp; Cash Equivalent</b>			
CBLO / Reverse Repo Investments	NA	66.48	0.11
Net Receivables/Payables		-1,359.01	-2.36
<b>Subtotal (E)</b>		<b>-1,292.53</b>	<b>-2.25</b>
<b>Total (A+B+C+D+E)</b>		<b>57,632.53</b>	<b>100.00</b>

\*\*Thinly traded / Non traded securities and illiquid securities as defined in SEBI Regulations and Guidelines.

2. The Management Fees have been calculated on a daily basis @ 0.13% per annum on the daily average net assets. Daily Average Net Asset Value as at 31<sup>st</sup> March 2009=Rs.162,14,57,032. Provision for Management Fees for the quarter ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2009 = Rs. 18,50,257.60
3. The aggregate value of purchases and sales of investments during the year are as under :

	Amount (Rs.)	% of Daily Avg. NAV
Value of purchases	64,03,73,18,035.78	3949.37
Value of sales	56,45,00,55,336.20	3481.44

4. Movement in unit capital is as under :

	No. of Units		
	Growth Plan	Dividend Plan	Daily Dividend Plan
Balance as on 31.03.2008	81,54,021.834	29,500.117	NIL
Add: Subscription	4,46,58,133.779	8,40,497.785	7,38,30,147.150
Less: Redemption	5,17,36,074.416	4,12,747.057	7,36,44,216.382
Balance as on 31.03.2009	10,76,081.197	4,57,250.845	1,85,930.768

	No. of Units			(Unit Capital Rs. In lakhs)
	Institutional Dividend	Institutional Growth	Grand Total	
Balance as on 31.03.2008	NIL	NIL	81,83,521.951	818.35
Add: Subscription	27,98,00,473.673	2,75,61,96,777.549	3,15,53,26,029.936	315,532.60
Less: Redemption	14,75,90,431.141	2,31,87,35,955.051	2,59,21,19,424.047	259,211.94
Balance as on 31.03.2009	13,22,10,042.532	43,74,60,822.498	57,13,90,127.840	57,139.01

5. From 19th February, 2002 the Fund has commenced repurchase of units of the Scheme at the repurchase price determined on a daily basis. The units so offered for repurchase have been paid in time. Liquid Institutional Plan was allotted on 9<sup>th</sup> February 2009.
6. During the year there were no transactions pertaining to derivatives and foreign securities.
7. No provision for taxation is required as Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund is a recognised Mutual Fund under Section 10 (23D) of the Income Tax Act, 1961.
8. a) The Scheme has not undertaken any underwriting obligations with respect to issue of securities of associate companies.  
b) The Scheme has not subscribed to any issues where any of its associate companies is a lead manager.  
c) The Scheme has not subscribed to the debt issue on private placement basis where the sponsor or associate companies have acted as arranger or manager.
9. Details of each item of expenditure accounting for more than 10% of total expenditure are as under:
- | <b>Nature of Expenditure</b> | <b>% of Total Expenditure</b> |
|------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Management Fees              | 58.19                         |
| Other Operating Expenses     | 20.30                         |
10. Details of large holding (over 25% of NAV of the schemes) are as under:  
a. No. of investors : 2  
b. Total holdings by such investors as % of the NAV : 74.60%
11. Disclosure under Regulation 25(11) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Mutual Funds) Regulations, 1996 as amended, Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund has made the following investments in companies, which hold units in excess of 5% of the net asset value of any Scheme of Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund for the period ended March 31, 2009. (Rupees in Lakhs)

Company Name	Schemes invested in by the Company	Investment made by schemes of Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund in the company / subsidiary	Aggregate cost of acquisition during the period ended 31 March, 2009	Outstanding as at March 31, 2009 (At Market / Fair Value)
Allahabad Bank	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	9,685.22	8,314.31
Global Trade Finance	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	92,000.00	0.00
Vijaya Bank	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	2,420.66	2,442.57

12. Previous year figures have been reclassified/restated wherever necessary to conform to the current year's presentation.

**As per our report of even date**

**For and on behalf of**

**BORKAR & MUZUMDAR**  
Chartered Accountants

Sd/-  
**Dilip Muzumdar**  
Partner  
(M. No. 8701)

**For Baroda Pioneer Asset Management Co. Ltd.**

Sd/-  
**Rajan Krishnan**  
Chief Executive Officer

**For Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund**

Sd/-  
**R. L. Baxi**  
Chairman

Sd/-  
**V. H. Bhatia**  
Trustee

Place : MUMBAI  
Date : 10th July 2009

Sd/-  
**S. K. Suvarna**  
Trustee

AUDITORS' REPORT

The Board of Trustees,  
Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund,  
Mumbai.

Dear Sirs,

We have audited the attached Balance Sheet of **BARODA PIONEER BALANCE FUND** of **BARODA PIONEER MUTUAL FUND**, as at 31st March, 2009 and also the Revenue Account for the year ended on that date annexed thereto. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Management of the Asset Management Company and the Trustees. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in India. Those Standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

Based on the above, we report that :

1. We have obtained all the information and explanations, which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purpose of our audit.
2. In our opinion, proper books of account as required by law have been kept by the Scheme so far as appears from our examination of those books.
3. The Balance Sheet and the Revenue Account are in agreement with the books of account.
4. The statement of accounts has been prepared in accordance with accounting policies and standards as specified in the Ninth Schedule to the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Mutual Funds) Regulations, 1996.
5. In our opinion the methods adopted to value non-traded securities are fair and reasonable.
6. In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the accounts read with the Statement on Significant Accounting Policies and Notes on Accounts attached thereto give a true and fair view in conformity with the accounting principles generally accepted in India :
  - a) in the case of the Balance Sheet of the state of affairs of **BARODA PIONEER BALANCE FUND** as at 31st March, 2009 and
  - b) in the case of the Revenue Account of the deficit of the Scheme for the year ended on that date.

For and on behalf of

**BORKAR & MUZUMDAR**  
CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

Sd/-

**Dilip Muzumdar**  
Partner  
(M. No. 8701)

Place : Mumbai  
Date : 10th July 2009

**BARODA PIONEER BALANCE FUND**
**BALANCE SHEET AS ON 31ST MARCH, 2009**

	Schedule	31.03.2009 (RS.IN LAKH)	31.03.2008 (RS.IN LAKH)
<b>LIABILITIES :-</b>			
Unit Capital	A	28.93	29.15
Reserves & Surplus	B	21.04	49.62
Current Liabilities & Provisions	C	0.30	2.81
<b>TOTAL</b>		<u><u>50.27</u></u>	<u><u>81.58</u></u>
<b>ASSETS :-</b>			
Investments	D	41.68	79.21
Other Current Assets	E	8.59	2.37
<b>TOTAL</b>		<u><u>50.27</u></u>	<u><u>81.58</u></u>
<b>SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES</b>	F		
<b>NOTES ON ACCOUNTS</b>	G		

The Schedules referred to above form an integral part of the Balance Sheet

**As per our report of even date**
**For and on behalf of**

**BORKAR & MUZUMDAR**  
Chartered Accountants

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**Dilip Muzumdar**  
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Mutual Fund**

Sd/-  
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**V. H. Bhatia**  
Trustee

Place : MUMBAI  
Date : 10th July 2009

Sd/-  
**S. K. Suvarna**  
Trustee

**BARODA PIONEER BALANCE FUND**

**REVENUE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 2009**

Schedules	31.03.2009 (RS.IN LAKH)	31.03.2008 (RS.IN LAKH)
<b>INCOME :-</b>		
Dividend	0.51	0.37
Interest	1.04	1.30
Profit on Sale of Investments (Net) (Other than inter-scheme transfer/Sale)	10.74	23.36
Other Income	0.02	0.00
Appreciation	0.00	0.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>12.31</b>	<b>25.03</b>
<b>EXPENSES &amp; LOSSES :-</b>		
Depreciation in value of investments (Net)	26.88	2.45
Loss on Sale of Investments (Net)	11.95	0.00
Management Fees	0.58	0.88
Service tax on Management fees	0.07	0.11
Trusteeship Fees	0.04	0.01
Office and Administrative Expenses	0.12	0.41
Registration Fees	0.03	0.02
Commission to Agents	0.29	(0.07)
Publicity Expenses	0.00	0.00
Audit Fees	0.00	0.02
Advertisement exps	0.03	0.00
Other Operating Expenses	0.01	0.07
Custodian Charges	0.01	0.03
Registrar Charges	1.35	0.59
	<b>41.36</b>	<b>4.52</b>
Less: Expenses to be Reimbursed by the Investment Manager	1.17	0.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>40.19</b>	<b>4.52</b>
<b>Surplus / (Deficit) for the year</b>	(27.88)	20.51
Add/(Less) : Equalisation Account	0.25	(4.21)
Add : Surplus/(Deficit) brought forward from the previous year	596.14	579.84
<b>Surplus/(Deficit) carried to Balance Sheet</b>	<b>568.51</b>	<b>596.14</b>

**SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

**F**

**NOTES ON ACCOUNTS**

**G**

The Schedules referred to above form an integral part of the Revenue Account

**As per our report of even date**

**For and on behalf of**

**BORKAR & MUZUMDAR**  
Chartered Accountants

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Date : 10th July 2009

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Trustee

**BARODA PIONEER BALANCE FUND**
**SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF THE BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31ST MARCH, 2009**

	31.03.2009 (RS.IN LAKH)	31.03.2008 (RS.IN LAKH)
<b>Schedule 'A'</b>		
<b>UNIT CAPITAL</b>		
<b>Initial Capital</b>		
Unit Capital	28.93	29.15
<b>Total</b>	<b>28.93</b>	<b>29.15</b>
<b>No. of units of face value Rs. 10/- each</b>	<b>289,305.97</b>	<b>291,503.28</b>
<b>Schedule 'B'</b>		
<b>RESERVES AND SURPLUS</b>		
Surplus / (Deficit) as per Revenue Account	568.51	596.14
Unit Premium Reserve		
Opening Balance	(546.52)	(533.15)
Add: Additions / (Deductions) during the year	(0.95)	(13.37)
	<b>(547.47)</b>	<b>(546.52)</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>21.04</b>	<b>49.62</b>
<b>Schedule 'C'</b>		
<b>CURRENT LIABILITIES &amp; PROVISIONS</b>		
<b>Current Liabilities</b>		
Sundry Creditors	0.14	0.86
Others	0.16	1.95
<b>Total</b>	<b>0.30</b>	<b>2.81</b>
<b>Schedule 'D'</b>		
<b>INVESTMENTS</b>		
Equity Shares	34.08	53.26
Reverse Repos	7.60	25.95
<b>Total</b>	<b>41.68</b>	<b>79.21</b>
<b>Schedule 'E'</b>		
<b>OTHER CURRENT ASSETS</b>		
Balance with Banks	5.24	1.38
Contracts for sale of Investments	2.08	0.00
Outstanding and accrued Income	0.00	0.01
Unit subscription receivable	0.10	0.00
Recoverable from AMC	1.17	0.00
Others	0.00	0.98
<b>Total</b>	<b>8.59</b>	<b>2.37</b>

**SCHEDULE F :**  
**COMMON ACCOUNTING POLICY (REFER TO THIS PAGE NO. 48)**

**SCHEDULE G :**

**NOTES FORMING PART OF THE ACCOUNTS OF BARODA PIONEER BALANCE FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH, 2009**

1. Details Of Assets as at 31st March 2009 are as under :-

Name of Investment	Quantity / Rating	Market Value (Rs. In Lakh)	% to Total Assets
<b>EQUITY &amp; EQUITY RELATED</b>			
Larsen & Toubro	500	3.36	6.72
State Bank of India	300	3.20	6.40
Oil & Natural Gas Corpn.	400	3.12	6.24
Bharat Heavy Electricals	200	3.02	6.04
ITC	1,600	2.96	5.92
Reliance Petroleum	3,000	2.85	5.70
Tata Consultancy Services	500	2.69	5.38
Infosys Technologies	200	2.65	5.30
Bharti Airtel	400	2.50	5.00
Reliance Industries	150	2.29	4.58
India Cements	2,000	2.12	4.24
Hindustan Unilever	700	1.66	3.32
Ranbaxy Laboratories	1,000	1.66	3.32
<b>Subtotal (A)</b>	<b>10,950</b>	<b>34.08</b>	<b>68.16</b>
<b>Cash &amp; Cash Equivalent</b>			
CBLO / Reverse Repo Investments	NA	7.60	15.21
Net Receivables/Payables		8.29	16.63
<b>Subtotal (B)</b>		<b>15.89</b>	<b>31.84</b>
<b>Total (A+B)</b>	<b>10,950</b>	<b>49.97</b>	<b>100.00</b>

2. The particulars of industry group which constitute not less than 5% of the assets in the major classification are as under:

**Equity Shares:**

Industry	% of Total Asset	Industry	% of Total Asset
Software	10.68%	Petroleum Products	10.28%
Construction Project	6.72%	Banks	6.40%
Oil	6.24%	Industrial Capital Goods	6.04%
Consumer Non Durables	5.92%	Telecom - Services	5.00%

3. The Management Fees have been calculated on a daily basis @ 0.93% per annum on the daily average net assets. Daily Average Net Asset Value as at 31<sup>st</sup> March 2009 = Rs. 62,24,311.

Provision for Management Fees for the quarter ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2009 = Rs. 9,945.91

4. The aggregate value of purchases and sales of investments during the year are as under :

	Amount (Rs.)	% of Daily Avg. NAV
Value of purchases	8,31,30,082.81	1335.57
Value of sales	8,34,89,039.72	1341.34

5. Movement in unit capital is as under :

	Growth Plan No. of units	Dividend Plan No. of units	Total No. of units	(Unit Capital Rs. In lakhs)
Balance as on 31st March, 2008	99,064.033	1,92,439.250	2,91,503.283	29.15
Add :- Subscriptions	9,261.582	2,450.469	11,712.051	1.17
Less :- Redemptions	5,320.932	8,588.431	13,909.363	1.39
Balance as on 31st March, 2009	1,03,004.683	1,86,301.288	2,89,305.971	28.93

6. From 15th September 2003 the Fund has commenced repurchase of units of the Scheme at the repurchase price determined on a daily basis. The units so offered for repurchase have been paid in time.
7. During the year there were no transactions pertaining to derivatives and foreign securities.
8. No provision for taxation is required as Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund is a recognised Mutual Fund under Section 10 (23D) of the Income Tax Act, 1961.
9.
  - a) The Scheme has not undertaken any underwriting obligations with respect to issue of securities of associate companies.
  - b) The Scheme has not subscribed to any issues where any of its associate companies is a lead manager.
  - c) The Scheme has not subscribed to any issue of equity or debt on private placement basis where the sponsor or associate companies have acted as arranger or manager.
10. Details of each item of expenditure accounting for more than 10% of total expenditure are as under:

<b>Nature of Expenditure</b>	<b>% of Total Expenditure</b>
Management Fees	22.92
Commission to Agents	11.38
Registrar Charges	53.23

11. Details of large holding (over 25% of NAV of the schemes) are as under :
  - a. No. of investors : NIL
  - b. Total holdings by such investors as % of the NAV : NIL
12. Disclosure under Regulation 25(11) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Mutual Funds) Regulations, 1996 as amended, Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund has made the following investments in companies, which hold units in excess of 5% of the net asset value of any Scheme of Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund for the period ended March 31, 2009. (Rupees in Lakhs)

<b>Company Name</b>	<b>Schemes invested in by the Company</b>	<b>Investment made by schemes of Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund in the company / subsidiary</b>	<b>Aggregate cost of acquisition during the period ended 31 March, 2009</b>	<b>Outstanding as at March 31, 2009 (At Market / Fair Value)</b>
Allahabad Bank	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	9,685.22	8,314.31
Global Trade Finance	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	92,000.00	0.00
Vijaya Bank	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	2,420.66	2,442.57

13. Bank of Baroda was paid commission expenses amounting to Rs. 298/- for procuring unit subscriptions for Baroda Pioneer Balance Fund. Brokerage on purchase and sale of investments and / or charges for services provided by bank. The commission/promotional expenses, brokerage and charges for services paid were at rates similar to those offered to other distributors/ brokers/ banks.
14. Previous year figures have been reclassified/restated wherever necessary to conform to the current year's presentation.

**As per our report of even date**
**For and on behalf of**
**BORKAR & MUZUMDAR**  
 Chartered Accountants

 Sd/-  
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 Partner  
 (M. No. 8701)

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 Chief Executive Officer

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**R. L. Baxi**  
 Chairman

 Sd/-  
**V. H. Bhatia**  
 Trustee

 Place : MUMBAI  
 Date : 10th July 2009

 Sd/-  
**S. K. Suvarna**  
 Trustee

AUDITORS' REPORT

The Board of Trustees,  
Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund,  
Mumbai.

Dear Sirs,

We have audited the attached Balance Sheet of **BARODA PIONEER INCOME FUND** of **BARODA PIONEER MUTUAL FUND**, as at 31st March, 2009 and also the Revenue Account for the year ended on that date annexed thereto. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Management of the Asset Management Company and the Trustees. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in India. Those Standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

Based on the above, we report that :

1. We have obtained all the information and explanations, which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purpose of our audit.
2. In our opinion, proper books of account as required by law have been kept by the Scheme so far as appears from our examination of those books.
3. The Balance Sheet and the Revenue Account are in agreement with the books of account.
4. The statement of accounts has been prepared in accordance with accounting policies and standards as specified in the Ninth Schedule to the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Mutual Funds) Regulations, 1996.
5. In our opinion the methods adopted to value non-traded securities are fair and reasonable.
6. In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the accounts read with the Statement on Significant Accounting Policies and Notes on Accounts attached thereto give a true and fair view in conformity with the accounting principles generally accepted in India:
  - a) in the case of the Balance Sheet of the state of affairs of **BARODA PIONEER INCOME FUND** as at 31st March, 2009 and
  - b) in the case of the Revenue Account of the surplus of the Scheme for the year ended on that date.

For and on behalf of

**BORKAR & MUZUMDAR**  
CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

Sd/-  
**Dilip Muzumdar**  
Partner  
(M. No. 8701)

Place : Mumbai  
Date : 10th July 2009

**BARODA PIONEER INCOME FUND**
**BALANCE SHEET AS ON 31ST MARCH, 2009**

	Schedule	31.03.2009 (RS.IN LAKH)	31.03.2008 (RS.IN LAKH)
<b>LIABILITIES :-</b>			
Unit Capital	A	24.46	33.23
Reserves & Surplus	B	9.52	10.92
Current Liabilities & Provisions	C	50.17	0.70
<b>TOTAL</b>		<u><u>84.15</u></u>	<u><u>44.85</u></u>
<b>ASSETS :-</b>			
Investments	D	40.99	43.28
Other Current Assets	E	43.16	1.57
<b>TOTAL</b>		<u><u>84.15</u></u>	<u><u>44.85</u></u>
<b>SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES</b>	F		
<b>NOTES ON ACCOUNTS</b>	G		

The Schedules referred to above form an integral part of the Balance Sheet

**As per our report of even date**

**For and on behalf of**

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Chartered Accountants

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Trustee

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Date : 10th July 2009

Sd/-  
**S. K. Suvarna**  
Trustee

**BARODA PIONEER INCOME FUND**  
**REVENUE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 2009**

Schedules	31.03.2009 (RS.IN LAKH)	31.03.2008 (RS.IN LAKH)
<b><u>INCOME :-</u></b>		
Interest	2.57	2.85
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2.57</b>	<b>2.85</b>
<b><u>EXPENSES &amp; LOSSES :-</u></b>		
Management Fees	0.30	0.33
Service tax on Management fees	0.03	0.04
Trusteeship Fees	0.03	0.01
Office and Administrative Expenses	0.10	(0.01)
Registration Fees	0.02	0.02
Commission to Agents	0.08	(0.07)
Publicity Expenses	0.00	0.00
Audit Fees	0.01	0.01
Advertisement exps	0.02	0.00
Other Operating Expenses	0.02	(0.00)
Registrar Charges	1.35	0.43
	1.96	0.76
Less: Expenses to be Reimbursed by the Investment Manager	1.25	0.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>0.71</b>	<b>0.76</b>
<b>Surplus / (Deficit) for the year</b>	<b>1.86</b>	<b>2.09</b>
Add/(Less) : Equalisation Account	(0.53)	(0.06)
Add :Surplus/(Deficit) brought forward from the previous year	64.66	62.63
<b>Surplus/(Deficit) carried to Balance Sheet</b>	<b>65.99</b>	<b>64.66</b>

**SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

**F**

**NOTES ON ACCOUNTS**

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**For and on behalf of**

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Chartered Accountants

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Trustee

Place : MUMBAI  
Date : 10th July 2009

Sd/-  
**S. K. Suvarna**  
Trustee

**BARODA PIONEER INCOME FUND**
**SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF THE BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31ST MARCH, 2009**

	31.03.2009 (RS.IN LAKH)	31.03.2008 (RS.IN LAKH)
<b>Schedule 'A'</b>		
<b>UNIT CAPITAL</b>		
Unit Capital	24.46	33.23
<b>Total</b>	<b>24.46</b>	<b>33.23</b>
<b>No. of units of face value Rs. 10/- each</b>		
	<b>244,582.42</b>	<b>332,271.50</b>
<b>Schedule 'B'</b>		
<b>RESERVES AND SURPLUS</b>		
Surplus / (Deficit) as per Revenue Account	65.99	64.66
Unit Premium Reserve		
Opening Balance	(53.74)	(53.20)
Add: Additions / (Deductions) during the year	(2.73)	(0.54)
<b>Total</b>	<b>9.52</b>	<b>10.92</b>
<b>Schedule 'C'</b>		
<b>CURRENT LIABILITIES &amp; PROVISIONS</b>		
<b>Current Liabilities</b>		
Sundry Creditors	0.09	0.60
Contracts for purchase of investments	41.45	0.00
Others	8.63	0.10
<b>Total</b>	<b>50.17</b>	<b>0.70</b>
<b>Schedule 'D'</b>		
<b>INVESTMENTS</b>		
Reverse Repo	40.99	43.28
<b>Total</b>	<b>40.99</b>	<b>43.28</b>
<b>Schedule 'E'</b>		
<b>OTHER CURRENT ASSETS</b>		
Balance with Banks	0.41	0.24
Outstanding and accrued Income	0.01	0.05
Receivable from sale of Investments	41.47	0.00
Unit subscription receivable	0.02	0.00
Recoverable from AMC	1.25	0.00
Others	0.00	1.28
<b>Total</b>	<b>43.16</b>	<b>1.57</b>

**SCHEDULE F :**  
**COMMON ACCOUNTING POLICY (REFER TO THIS PAGE NO. 48)**

**SCHEDULE G:**

**NOTES FORMING PART OF THE ACCOUNTS OF BARODA PIONEER INCOME FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH, 2009**

1. Details of Assets as at 31<sup>st</sup> March 2009 are as under :

Name of Investment	Quantity / Rating	Market value (Rs. In Lakh)	% to Total Assets
<b>Cash &amp; Cash Equivalent</b>			
CBLO / Reverse Repo Investments	NA	40.99	120.63
Net Receivables/Payables		(7.01)	(20.63)
<b>Total</b>		<b>33.98</b>	<b>100.00</b>

2. The Management Fees have been calculated on a daily basis @ 0.73% per annum on the daily average net assets. Daily Average Net Asset Value as at 31<sup>st</sup> March 2009 = Rs.41,28,852. Provision for Management Fees for the quarter ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2009 = Rs.6,365.70
3. The aggregate value of purchases and sales of investments during the year are as under :

	Amount (Rs.)	% of Daily Avg. NAV
Value of purchases	27,98,76,015.49	6778.54
Value of sales	28,37,28,307.49	6871.85

4. Movement in unit capital is as under :

	Growth Plan	Dividend Plan	Total (Unit Capital)	
	No. of units	No. of units	No. of units	Rs. In lakhs)
Balance as on 31 <sup>st</sup> March, 2008	2,37,191.745	95,079.757	3,32,271.502	33.23
Add :- Subscriptions	143.976	0.000	143.976	0.01
Less :- Redemptions	73,415.984	14,417.070	87,833.054	8.78
Balance as on 31 <sup>st</sup> March, 2009	1,63,919.737	80,662.687	2,44,582.424	24.46

5. From 25<sup>th</sup> March, 2002 the Fund has commenced repurchase of units of the Scheme at the repurchase price determined on a daily basis.
6. During the year there were no transactions pertaining to derivatives and foreign securities.
7. No provision for taxation is required as Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund is a recognised Mutual Fund under Section 10 (23D) of the Income Tax Act, 1961.
8. a) The Scheme has not undertaken any underwriting obligations with respect to issue of securities of associate companies.
- b) The Scheme has not subscribed to any issues where any of its associate companies is a lead manager.
- c) The Scheme has not subscribed to any issue of equity or debt on private placement basis where the sponsor or associate companies have acted as arranger or manager.
9. Details of each item of expenditure accounting for more than 10% of total expenditure are as under:

<u>Nature of Expenditure</u>	<u>% of Total Expenditure</u>
Management Fees	15.41
Registrar Charges	68.71

10. Details of large holding (over 25% of NAV of the schemes) are as under :

- a. No. of investors : 2
- b. Total holdings by such investors as % of the NAV : 52.44%
11. Disclosure under Regulation 25(11) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Mutual Funds) Regulations, 1996 as amended, Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund has made the following investments in companies, which hold units in excess of 5% of the net asset value of any Scheme of Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund for the period ended March 31, 2009. (Rupees in Lakhs)

Company Name	Schemes invested in by the Company	Investment made by schemes of Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund in the company / subsidiary	Aggregate cost of acquisition during the period ended 31 March, 2009	Outstanding as at March 31, 2009 (At Market / Fair Value)
Allahabad Bank	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	9,685.22	8,314.31
Global Trade Finance	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	92,000.00	0.00
Vijaya Bank	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	2,420.66	2,442.57

12. Previous year figures have been reclassified/restated wherever necessary to conform with the current year's presentation.

**As per our report of even date**

**For and on behalf of**

**BORKAR & MUZUMDAR**  
Chartered Accountants

Sd/-  
**Dilip Muzumdar**  
Partner  
(M. No. 8701)

**For Baroda Pioneer Asset Management Co. Ltd.**

Sd/-  
**Rajan Krishnan**  
Chief Executive Officer

**For Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund**

Sd/-  
**R. L. Baxi**  
Chairman

Sd/-  
**V. H. Bhatia**  
Trustee

Place : MUMBAI  
Date : 10th July 2009

Sd/-  
**S. K. Suvarna**  
Trustee

AUDITORS' REPORT

The Board of Trustees,  
Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund,

Mumbai.

Dear Sirs,

We have audited the attached Balance Sheet of **BARODA PIONEER GILT FUND** of **BARODA PIONEER MUTUAL FUND**, as at 31st March, 2009 and also the Revenue Account for the year ended on that date annexed thereto. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Management of the Asset Management Company and the Trustees. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in India. Those Standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

Based on the above, we report that :

1. We have obtained all the information and explanations, which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purpose of our audit.
2. In our opinion, proper books of account as required by law have been kept by the Scheme so far as appears from our examination of those books.
3. The Balance Sheet and the Revenue Account are in agreement with the books of account.
4. The statement of accounts has been prepared in accordance with accounting policies and standards as specified in the Ninth Schedule to the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Mutual Funds) Regulations, 1996.
5. In our opinion the methods adopted to value non-traded securities are fair and reasonable.
6. In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the accounts read with the Statement on Significant Accounting Policies and Notes on Accounts attached thereto give a true and fair view in conformity with the accounting principles generally accepted in India:
  - a) in the case of the Balance Sheet of the state of affairs of **BARODA PIONEER GILT FUND** as at 31st March, 2009 and
  - b) in the case of the Revenue Account of the surplus of the Scheme for the year ended on that date.

For and on behalf of

**BORKAR & MUZUMDAR**  
CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

Sd/-

**Dilip Muzumdar**  
Partner  
(M. No. 8701)

Place : Mumbai  
Date : 10th July 2009

**BARODA PIONEER GILT FUND**
**BALANCE SHEET AS ON 31ST MARCH, 2009**

	Schedule	31.03.2009 (RS.IN LAKH)	31.03.2008 (RS.IN LAKH)
<b>LIABILITIES :-</b>			
Unit Capital	A	5.66	5.60
Reserves & Surplus	B	1.23	1.02
Current Liabilities & Provisions	C	0.77	1.30
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>7.66</b>	<b>7.92</b>
<b>ASSETS :-</b>			
Investments	D	5.20	5.92
Other Current Assets	E	2.46	2.00
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>7.66</b>	<b>7.92</b>
<b>SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES</b>	F		
<b>NOTES ON ACCOUNTS</b>	G		

The Schedules referred to above form an integral part of the Balance Sheet

**As per our report of even date**

**For and on behalf of**

**BORKAR & MUZUMDAR**  
Chartered Accountants

Sd/-  
**Dilip Muzumdar**  
Partner  
(M. No. 8701)

**For Baroda Pioneer Asset  
Management Co. Ltd.**

Sd/-  
**Rajan Krishnan**  
Chief Executive Officer

**For Baroda Pioneer  
Mutual Fund**

Sd/-  
**R. L. Baxi**  
Chairman

Sd/-  
**V. H. Bhatia**  
Trustee

Place : MUMBAI  
Date : 10th July 2009

Sd/-  
**S. K. Suvarna**  
Trustee

BARODA PIONEER GILT FUND  
REVENUE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 2009

Schedules	31.03.2009 (RS.IN LAKH)	31.03.2008 (RS.IN LAKH)
<b>INCOME :-</b>		
Interest	0.29	0.91
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>0.29</b>	<b>0.91</b>
<b>EXPENSES &amp; LOSSES :-</b>		
Management Fees	0.07	0.17
Service tax on Management fees	0.01	0.00
Trusteeship Fees	0.00	0.01
Office and Administrative Expenses	0.06	0.01
Registration Fees	0.00	0.00
Commission to Agents	0.01	0.01
Publicity Expenses	0.00	0.00
Audit Fees	0.00	0.00
Advertisement exps	0.02	0.00
Other Operating Expenses	0.00	0.01
Registrar Charges	1.35	0.02
	1.52	0.23
Less: Expenses to be Reimbursed by the Investment Manager	1.42	0.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>0.10</b>	<b>0.23</b>
<b>Surplus / (Deficit) for the year</b>	<b>0.19</b>	<b>0.68</b>
Add/(Less) : Equalisation Account	0.00	(0.39)
Add :Surplus/(Deficit) brought forward from the previous year	122.02	121.73
<b>Surplus/(Deficit) carried to Balance Sheet</b>	<b>122.21</b>	<b>122.02</b>

**SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

F

**NOTES ON ACCOUNTS**

G

The Schedules referred to above form an integral part of the Revenue Account

**As per our report of even date**

**For and on behalf of**

**BORKAR & MUZUMDAR**  
Chartered Accountants

**For Baroda Pioneer Asset Management Co. Ltd.**

**For Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund**

Sd/-  
**Dilip Muzumdar**  
Partner  
(M. No. 8701)

Sd/-  
**Rajan Krishnan**  
Chief Executive Officer

Sd/-  
**R. L. Baxi**  
Chairman

Sd/-  
**V. H. Bhatia**  
Trustee

Place : MUMBAI  
Date : 10th July 2009

Sd/-  
**S. K. Suvarna**  
Trustee

**BARODA PIONEER GILT FUND**
**SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF THE BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31ST MARCH, 2009**

	31.03.2009 (RS.IN LAKH)	31.03.2008 (RS.IN LAKH)
<b>Schedule 'A'</b>		
<b>UNIT CAPITAL</b>		
Unit Capital	5.66	5.60
<b>Total</b>	<b>5.66</b>	<b>5.60</b>
<b>No. of units of face value Rs. 10/- each</b>		
	<b>56,579.77</b>	<b>55,959.63</b>
<b>Schedule 'B'</b>		
<b>RESERVES AND SURPLUS</b>		
Surplus / (Deficit) as per Revenue Account	122.21	122.02
Unit Premium Reserve		
Opening Balance	(121.00)	
Add: Additions / (Deductions) during the year	0.02	
<b>Total</b>	<b>(120.98)</b>	<b>(121.00)</b>
	<b>1.23</b>	<b>1.02</b>
<b>Schedule 'C'</b>		
<b>CURRENT LIABILITIES &amp; PROVISIONS</b>		
<b>Current Liabilities</b>		
Sundry Creditors	0.05	1.30
Others	0.72	0.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>0.77</b>	<b>1.30</b>
<b>Schedule 'D'</b>		
<b>INVESTMENTS</b>		
Reverse Repos	5.20	5.92
<b>Total</b>	<b>5.20</b>	<b>5.92</b>
<b>Schedule 'E'</b>		
<b>OTHER CURRENT ASSETS</b>		
Balance with Banks	0.84	0.27
Outstanding and accrued Income	0.00	0.00
Unit subscription receivable	0.20	0.00
Recoverable from AMC	1.42	0.00
Advances	0.00	1.73
Others	0.00	0.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>2.46</b>	<b>2.00</b>

BARODA PIONEER GILT FUND

SCHEDULE F :

COMMON ACCOUNTING POLICY (REFER TO THIS PAGE NO. 48)

SCHEDULE G:

NOTES FORMING PART OF THE ACCOUNTS OF BARODA PIONEER GILT FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH, 2009

1. Details of Assets as at 31<sup>st</sup> March 2009 are as under :

Name of Investment	Quantity / Rating	Market value (Rs. In Lakh)	% to Total Assets
<b>Cash &amp; Cash Equivalent</b>			
CBLO / Reverse Repo Investments	NA	5.20	75.47
Net Receivables/Payables		1.69	24.53
<b>Total</b>		<b>6.89</b>	<b>100.00</b>

2. The Management Fees have been calculated on a daily basis @ 0.99% per annum on the daily average net assets. Daily Average Net Asset Value as at 31<sup>st</sup> March 2009 = Rs. 6,49,420.

Provision for Management Fees for the quarter ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2009 = Rs.1,423.83

3. The aggregate value of purchases and sales of investments during the year are as under:

	Amount (Rs.)	% of Daily Avg. NAV
Value of purchases	3,02,46,903.03	4,657.53
Value of sales	3,05,80,074.23	4,708.83

4. Movement in unit capital is as under :

	Growth Plan No. of units	Dividend Plan No. of units	Total No. of units	(Unit Capital Rs. In lakhs)
Balance as on 31.03.2008	22,538.550	33,421.082	55,959.630	5.60
Add :- Subscriptions	1,643.547	1,642.710	3,286.257	0.33
Less :- Redemptions	2,266.123	400.000	2,666.123	0.27
Balance as on 31.03.2009	21,915.974	34,663.792	56,579.766	5.66

5. From 25<sup>th</sup> March, 2002 the Fund has commenced repurchase of units of the Scheme at the repurchase price determined on a daily basis.
6. During the year there were no transactions pertaining to derivatives and foreign securities.
7. No provision for taxation is required as Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund is a recognised Mutual Fund under Section 10 (23D) of the Income Tax Act, 1961.
8. a) The Scheme has not undertaken any underwriting obligations with respect to issue of securities of associate companies.  
b) The Scheme has not subscribed to any issues where any of its associate companies is a lead manager.  
c) The Scheme has not subscribed to any issue of equity or debt on private placement basis where the sponsor or associate companies have acted as arranger or manager.
9. Details of each item of expenditure accounting for more than 10% of total expenditure are as under:

<b><u>Nature of Expenditure</u></b>	<b>% of Total Expenditure</b>
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Registrar Charges	88.90
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10. Details of large holding (over 25% of NAV of the schemes) are as under :

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|---|---|-----|
| a) No. of investors                                 | : | Nil |
| b) Total holdings by such investors as % of the NAV | : | Nil |

11. Disclosure under Regulation 25(11) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Mutual Funds) Regulations, 1996 as amended, Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund has made the following investments in companies, which hold units in excess of 5% of the net asset value of any Scheme of Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund for the period ended March 31, 2009. (Rupees in Lakhs)

Company Name	Schemes invested in by the Company	Investment made by schemes of Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund in the company / subsidiary	Aggregate cost of acquisition during the period ended 31 March, 2009	Outstanding as at March 31, 2009 (At Market / Fair Value)
Allahabad Bank	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	9,685.22	8,314.31
Global Trade Finance	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	92,000.00	0.00
Vijaya Bank	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	2,420.66	2,442.57

12. Previous year figures have been reclassified/restated wherever necessary to conform to the current year's presentation.

**As per our report of even date**

**For and on behalf of**

**BORKAR & MUZUMDAR**  
Chartered Accountants

Sd/-  
**Dilip Muzumdar**  
Partner  
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**For Baroda Pioneer Asset Management Co. Ltd.**

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Sd/-  
**V. H. Bhatia**  
Trustee

Place : MUMBAI  
Date : 10th July 2009

Sd/-  
**S. K. Suvarna**  
Trustee

AUDITORS' REPORT

The Board of Trustees,  
Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund,  
Mumbai.

Dear Sirs,

We have audited the attached Balance Sheet of **BARODA PIONEER CHILDREN FUND-GIFT PLAN UNDER BARODA PIONEER CHILDREN FUND** of **BARODA PIONEER MUTUAL FUND**, as at 31st March, 2009 and also the Revenue Account for the year ended on that date annexed thereto. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Management of the Asset Management Company and the Trustees. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in India. Those Standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

Based on the above, we report that:

1. We have obtained all the information and explanations, which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purpose of our audit.
2. In our opinion, proper books of account as required by law have been kept by the Scheme so far as appears from our examination of those books.
3. The Balance Sheet and the Revenue Account are in agreement with the books of account.
4. The statement of accounts has been prepared in accordance with accounting policies and standards as specified in the Ninth Schedule to the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Mutual Funds) Regulations, 1996.
5. In our opinion the methods adopted to value non-traded securities are fair and reasonable.
6. In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the accounts read with the Statement on Significant Accounting Policies and Notes on Accounts attached thereto give a true and fair view in conformity with the accounting principles generally accepted in India:
  - a) in the case of the Balance Sheet of the state of affairs of **BARODA PIONEER CHILDREN FUND-GIFT PLAN UNDER BARODA PIONEER CHILDREN FUND** as at 31st March, 2009 and
  - b) in the case of the Revenue Account of the surplus of the Scheme for the year ended on that date.

For and on behalf of

**BORKAR & MUZUMDAR**  
CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

Sd/-

**Dilip Muzumdar**  
Partner  
(M. No. 8701)

Place : Mumbai  
Date : 10th July 2009

**BARODA PIONEER CHILDREN FUND - GIFT PLAN**
**BALANCE SHEET AS ON 31ST MARCH, 2009**

	Schedule	31.03.2009 (RS.IN LAKH)	31.03.2008 (RS.IN LAKH)
<b>LIABILITIES :-</b>			
Unit Capital	A	2.06	2.11
Reserves & Surplus	B	0.16	0.15
Current Liabilities & Provisions	C	0.02	0.31
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>2.24</b>	<b>2.57</b>
<b>ASSETS :-</b>			
Investments	D	1.20	1.38
Other Current Assets	E	0.82	0.95
Deferred revenue expenditure		0.22	0.24
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>2.24</b>	<b>2.57</b>
<b>SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES</b>	<b>F</b>		
<b>NOTES ON ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>G</b>		

The Schedules referred to above form an integral part of the Balance Sheet

**As per our report of even date**

**For and on behalf of**

**BORKAR & MUZUMDAR**  
Chartered Accountants

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**Dilip Muzumdar**  
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Sd/-  
**V. H. Bhatia**  
Trustee

Place : MUMBAI  
Date : 10th July 2009

Sd/-  
**S. K. Suvarna**  
Trustee

BARODA PIONEER CHILDREN FUND - GIFT PLAN  
REVENUE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 2009

Schedules	31.03.2009 (RS.IN LAKH)	31.03.2008 (RS.IN LAKH)
<b>INCOME :-</b>		
Interest	0.06	0.08
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>0.06</b>	<b>0.08</b>
<b>EXPENSES &amp; LOSSES :-</b>		
Management Fees	0.02	0.02
Service tax on Management fees	0.00	0.00
Office and Administrative Expenses	0.00	(0.06)
Registration Fees	0.00	0.00
Commission to Agents	0.02	0.00
Publicity Expenses	0.00	0.00
Audit Fees	0.00	0.00
Advertisement exps	0.01	0.00
Other Operating Expenses	0.00	0.00
Deferred Revenue Expenditure Written Off	0.00	0.03
Registrar Charges	0.73	0.05
	0.78	0.04
Less: Expenses to be Reimbursed by the Investment Manager	0.74	0.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>0.04</b>	<b>0.04</b>
<b>Surplus / (Deficit) for the year</b>	0.02	0.04
Add/(Less) : Equalisation Account	(0.00)	(0.01)
Add : Surplus/(Deficit) brought forward from the previous year	0.23	0.20
<b>Surplus/(Deficit) carried to Balance Sheet</b>	<b>0.25</b>	<b>0.23</b>

**SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES** F

**NOTES ON ACCOUNTS** G

The Schedules referred to above form an integral part of the Revenue Account

**As per our report of even date**

**For and on behalf of**

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Chartered Accountants

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Trustee

Place : MUMBAI  
Date : 10th July 2009

Sd/-  
**S. K. Suvarna**  
Trustee

**BARODA PIONEER CHILDREN FUND - GIFT PLAN**
**SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF THE BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31ST MARCH, 2009**

	31.03.2009 (RS.IN LAKH)	31.03.2008 (RS.IN LAKH)
<b>Schedule 'A'</b>		
<b>UNIT CAPITAL</b>		
Unit Capital	2.06	2.11
<b>Total</b>	<u>2.06</u>	<u>2.11</u>
<b>No. of units of face value Rs. 10/- each</b>	<b>20,631.29</b>	<b>21,131.29</b>
<b>Schedule 'B'</b>		
<b>RESERVES AND SURPLUS</b>		
Surplus / (Deficit) as per Revenue Account	0.25	0.23
Unit Premium Reserve		
Opening Balance	(0.09)	
Add: Additions / (Deductions) during the year	(0.00)	
<b>Total</b>	<u>(0.09)</u>	<u>(0.08)</u>
	<u>0.16</u>	<u>0.15</u>
<b>Schedule 'C'</b>		
<b>CURRENT LIABILITIES &amp; PROVISIONS</b>		
<b>Current Liabilities</b>		
Sundry Creditors	0.01	0.31
Others	0.01	0.00
<b>Total</b>	<u>0.02</u>	<u>0.31</u>
<b>Schedule 'D'</b>		
<b>INVESTMENTS</b>		
Reverse Repos	1.20	1.38
<b>Total</b>	<u>1.20</u>	<u>1.38</u>
<b>Schedule 'E'</b>		
<b>OTHER CURRENT ASSETS</b>		
Balance with Banks	0.08	0.06
Outstanding and accrued Income	0.00	0.00
Recoverable from AMC	0.74	0.00
Others	0.00	0.89
<b>Total</b>	<u>0.82</u>	<u>0.95</u>

BARODA PIONEER CHILDREN FUND - GIFT PLAN

SCHEDULE F :

COMMON ACCOUNTING POLICY (REFER TO THIS PAGE NO. 48)

SCHEDULE G:

NOTES FORMING PART OF THE ACCOUNTS OF BARODA PIONEER CHILDREN FUND – GIFT PLAN FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31<sup>ST</sup> MARCH 2009

1. Details of Assets as at 31<sup>st</sup> March 2009 are as under :

Name of Investment	Quantity / Rating	Market value (Rs. In Lakh)	% to Total Assets
<b>Cash &amp; Cash Equivalent</b>			
CBLO / Reverse Repo Investments	NA	1.20	54.05
Net Receivables/Payables		1.02	45.95
<b>Total</b>		<b>2.22</b>	<b>100.00</b>

2. The Management Fees have been calculated on a daily basis @ 0.99% per annum on the daily average net assets. Daily Average Net Asset Value as at 31<sup>st</sup> March 2009 = Rs. 2,25,546.

Provision for Management Fees for the quarter ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2009 = Rs. 488.65

3. The aggregate value of purchases and sales of investments during the year are as under

	Amount (Rs.)	% of Daily Avg. NAV
a) Value of purchases	71,75,591.87	3,181.43
b) Value of sales	72,33,896.83	3,207.28

4. Movement in unit capital is as under:

	GIFT PLAN No. of units	(Unit Capital Rs. In lakhs)
Balance as on 31st March, 2008	21,131.285	2.11
Add :-Subscriptions	0.000	0.00
Less :- Redemptions	500.000	0.05
Balance as on 31st March, 2009	20,631.285	2.06

5. From 9<sup>th</sup> September 2004 the Fund has commenced repurchase of units of the Scheme at the repurchase price determined on a daily basis.

6. During the year there were no transactions pertaining to derivatives and foreign securities.

7. No provision for taxation is required as Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund is a recognised Mutual Fund under Section 10 (23D) of the Income Tax Act, 1961.

8. a) The Scheme has not undertaken any underwriting obligations with respect to issue of securities of associate companies.  
b) The Scheme has not subscribed to any issues where any of its associate companies is a lead manager.  
c) The Scheme has not subscribed to any issue of equity or debt on private placement basis where the sponsor or associate companies have acted as arranger or manager.

9. Details of each item of expenditure accounting for more than 10% of total expenditure are as under:

Nature of Expenditure	% of Total Expenditure
Registrar Charges	93.16

10. Details of large holding (over 25% of NAV of the schemes) are as under :

a. No. of investors	: Nil
b. Total holdings by such investors as % of the NAV	: Nil

11. Disclosure under Regulation 25(11) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Mutual Funds) Regulations, 1996 as amended, Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund has made the following investments in companies, which hold units in excess of 5% of the net asset value of any Scheme of Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund for the period ended March 31, 2009. (Rupees in Lakhs)

<b>Company Name</b>	<b>Schemes invested in by the Company</b>	<b>Investment made by schemes of Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund in the company / subsidiary</b>	<b>Aggregate cost of acquisition the during period ended 31 March, 2009</b>	<b>Outstanding as at March 31, 2009 (At Market / Fair Value)</b>
Allahabad Bank	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	9,685.22	8,314.31
Global Trade Finance	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	92,000.00	0.00
Vijaya Bank	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	2,420.66	2,442.57

12. Deferred Revenue Expenditure : 0.22 Lakhs

13. Previous year figures have been reclassified/restated wherever necessary to conform with the current year's presentation.

**As per our report of even date**

**For and on behalf of**

**BORKAR & MUZUMDAR**  
Chartered Accountants

Sd/-  
**Dilip Muzumdar**  
Partner  
(M. No. 8701)

**For Baroda Pioneer Asset Management Co. Ltd.**

Sd/-  
**Rajan Krishnan**  
Chief Executive Officer

**For Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund**

Sd/-  
**R. L. Baxi**  
Chairman

Sd/-  
**V. H. Bhatia**  
Trustee

Place : MUMBAI  
Date : 10th July 2009

Sd/-  
**S. K. Suvarna**  
Trustee

AUDITORS' REPORT

The Board of Trustees,  
Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund,

Mumbai.

Dear Sirs,

We have audited the attached Balance Sheet of **BARODA PIONEER CHILDREN FUND-STUDY PLAN UNDER BARODA PIONEER CHILDREN FUND** of **BARODA PIONEER MUTUAL FUND**, as at 31st March, 2009 and also the Revenue Account for the year ended on that date annexed thereto. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Management of the Asset Management Company and the Trustees. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in India. Those Standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

Based on the above, we report that :

1. We have obtained all the information and explanations, which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purpose of our audit.
2. In our opinion, proper books of account as required by law have been kept by the Scheme so far as appears from our examination of those books.
3. The Balance Sheet and the Revenue Account are in agreement with the books of account.
4. The statement of accounts has been prepared in accordance with accounting policies and standards as specified in the Ninth Schedule to the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Mutual Funds) Regulations, 1996.
5. In our opinion the methods adopted to value non-traded securities are fair and reasonable.
6. In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the accounts read with the Statement on Significant Accounting Policies and Notes on Accounts attached thereto give a true and fair view in conformity with the accounting principles generally accepted in India:
  - a) in the case of the Balance Sheet of the state of affairs of **BARODA PIONEER CHILDREN FUND-STUDY PLAN UNDER BARODA PIONEER CHILDREN FUND** as at 31st March, 2009 and
  - b) in the case of the Revenue Account of the nil surplus/deficit of the Scheme for the year ended on that date.

For and on behalf of

**BORKAR & MUZUMDAR**  
CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

Sd/-

**Dilip Muzumdar**  
Partner  
(M. No. 8701)

Place : Mumbai  
Date : 10th July 2009

**BARODA PIONEER CHILDREN FUND - STUDY PLAN**
**BALANCE SHEET AS ON 31ST MARCH, 2009**

	Schedule	31.03.2009 (RS.IN LAKH)	31.03.2008 (RS.IN LAKH)
<b>LIABILITIES :-</b>			
Unit Capital	A	0.95	1.15
Reserves & Surplus	B	(0.01)	(0.02)
Current Liabilities & Provisions	C	0.00	0.18
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>0.94</b>	<b>1.31</b>
<b>ASSETS :-</b>			
Investments	D	0.25	0.53
Other Current Assets	E	0.48	0.55
Deferred Revenue Expenditure		0.21	0.23
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>0.94</b>	<b>1.31</b>
<b>SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES</b>	F		
<b>NOTES ON ACCOUNTS</b>	G		

The Schedules referred to above form an integral part of the Balance Sheet

**As per our report of even date**
**For and on behalf of**

**BORKAR & MUZUMDAR**  
Chartered Accountants

Sd/-  
**Dilip Muzumdar**  
Partner  
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**For Baroda Pioneer Asset  
Management Co. Ltd.**

Sd/-  
**Rajan Krishnan**  
Chief Executive Officer

**For Baroda Pioneer  
Mutual Fund**

Sd/-  
**R. L. Baxi**  
Chairman

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**V. H. Bhatia**  
Trustee

Place : MUMBAI  
Date : 10th July 2009

Sd/-  
**S. K. Suvarna**  
Trustee

BARODA PIONEER CHILDREN FUND - STUDY PLAN  
REVENUE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 2009

Schedules	31.03.2009 (RS.IN LAKH)	31.03.2008 (RS.IN LAKH)
<b>INCOME :-</b>		
Interest	0.02	0.03
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>0.02</b>	<b>0.03</b>
<b>EXPENSES &amp; LOSSES :-</b>		
Management Fees	0.01	0.01
Service tax on Management fees	0.00	0.00
Office and Administrative Expenses	0.00	(0.01)
Commission to Agents	0.01	0.00
Audit Fees	0.00	0.00
Advertisement exps	0.00	0.00
Other Operating Expenses	0.00	0.00
Deferred Revenue Expenditure Written Off	0.00	0.03
Registrar Charges	0.37	0.00
	0.39	0.03
Less: Expenses to be Reimbursed by the Investment Manager	0.37	0.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>0.02</b>	<b>0.03</b>
<b>Surplus /(Deficit) for the Year</b>	<b>(0.00)</b>	<b>(0.00)</b>
Add/(Less) : Equalisation Account	(0.00)	0.00
Add :Surplus/(Deficit) brought forward from the previous year	(0.01)	(0.01)
<b>Surplus/(Deficit) carried to Balance Sheet</b>	<b>(0.01)</b>	<b>(0.01)</b>

**SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES** F

**NOTES ON ACCOUNTS** G

The Schedules referred to above form an integral part of the Revenue Account

**As per our report of even date**

**For and on behalf of**

**BORKAR & MUZUMDAR**  
Chartered Accountants

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**Dilip Muzumdar**  
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Trustee

Place : MUMBAI  
Date : 10th July 2009

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**S. K. Suvarna**  
Trustee

**BARODA PIONEER CHILDREN FUND - STUDY PLAN**
**SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF THE BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31ST MARCH, 2009**

	31.03.2009 (RS.IN LAKH)	31.03.2008 (RS.IN LAKH)
<b>Schedule 'A'</b>		
<b>UNIT CAPITAL</b>		
Unit Capital	0.95	1.15
<b>Total</b>	<b>0.95</b>	<b>1.15</b>
<b>No. of units of face value Rs. 10/- each</b>	<b>9,506.61</b>	<b>11,506.61</b>
<b>Schedule 'B'</b>		
<b>RESERVES AND SURPLUS</b>		
Surplus / (Deficit) as per Revenue Account	(0.01)	(0.01)
Unit Premium Reserve		
Opening Balance	(0.01)	
Add: Additions / (Deductions) during the year	0.01	
<b>Total</b>	<b>(0.01)</b>	<b>(0.01)</b>
<b>Schedule 'C'</b>		
<b>CURRENT LIABILITIES &amp; PROVISIONS</b>		
<b>Current Liabilities</b>		
Sundry creditors	0.00	0.18
Others	0.00	0.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.18</b>
<b>Schedule 'D'</b>		
<b>INVESTMENTS</b>		
Reverse Repos	0.25	0.53
<b>Total</b>	<b>0.25</b>	<b>0.53</b>
<b>Schedule 'E'</b>		
<b>OTHER CURRENT ASSETS</b>		
Balance with Banks	0.11	0.05
Outstanding and accrued Income	0.00	0.00
Recoverable from AMC	0.37	0.00
Interest Receivable	0.00	0.00
Others	0.00	0.50
<b>Total</b>	<b>0.48</b>	<b>0.55</b>

BARODA PIONEER CHILDREN FUND - STUDY PLAN

SCHEDULE F :

COMMON ACCOUNTING POLICY (REFER TO THIS PAGE NO. 48)

SCHEDULE G :

NOTES FORMING PART OF THE ACCOUNTS OF BARODA PIONEER CHILDREN FUND – STUDY PLAN FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31<sup>st</sup> MARCH, 2009

1. Details of Assets as at 31<sup>st</sup> March 2009 are as under :

Name of Investment	Quantity / Rating	Market value (Rs. In Lakh)	% to Total Assets
<b>Cash &amp; Cash Equivalent</b>			
CBLO / Reverse Repo Investments	NA	0.25	27.17
Net Receivables/Payables		0.67	72.83
<b>Total</b>		<b>0.92</b>	<b>100.00</b>

2. The Management Fees have been calculated on a daily basis @ 0.99% per annum on the daily average net assets. Daily Average Net Asset Value as at 31<sup>st</sup> March 2009 = Rs. 1,05,810.

Provision for Management Fees for the quarter ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2009 = Rs.212.34

3. The aggregate value of purchases and sales of investments during the year are as under:

	Amount (Rs.)	% of daily Avg. NAV
a) Value of purchases	17,08,285.68	1,614.48
b) Value of sales	17,11,409.16	1,617.43

4. Movement in unit capital is as under:

	No. of units	(Unit Capital Rs. In lakhs)
Balance as on 31 <sup>st</sup> March, 2008	11,506.611	1.15
Add :-Subscriptions	0.000	0.00
Less :- Redemptions	2,000.000	0.20
Balance as on 31 <sup>st</sup> March, 2009	9,506.611	0.95

5. From 9<sup>th</sup> September 2004 the Fund has commenced repurchase of units of the Scheme at the repurchase price determined on a daily basis.

6. During the year there were no transactions pertaining to derivatives and foreign securities.

7. No provision for taxation is required as Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund is a recognised Mutual Fund under Section 10 (23D) of the Income Tax Act, 1961.

8. a) The Scheme has not undertaken any underwriting obligations with respect to issue of securities of associate companies.

b) The Scheme has not subscribed to any issues where any of its associate companies is a lead manager.

c) The Scheme has not subscribed to any issue of equity or debt on private placement basis where the sponsor or associate companies have acted as arranger or manager.

9. Details of each item of expenditure accounting for more than 10% of total expenditure are as under:

<b>Nature of Expenditure</b>	<b>% of Total Expenditure</b>
Registrar Charges	93.26

10. Details of large holding (over 25% of NAV of the schemes) are as under:

a. No. of investors : Nil

b. Total holdings by such investors as % of the NAV : Nil

11. Disclosure under Regulation 25(11) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Mutual Funds) Regulations, 1996 as amended, Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund has made the following investments in companies, which hold units in excess of 5% of the net asset value of any Scheme of Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund for the period ended March 31, 2009. (Rupees in Lakhs)

<b>Company Name</b>	<b>Schemes invested in by the Company</b>	<b>Investment made by schemes of Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund in the company / subsidiary</b>	<b>Aggregate cost of acquisition the during period ended 31 March, 2009</b>	<b>Outstanding as at March 31, 2009 (At Market / Fair Value)</b>
Allahabad Bank	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	9,685.22	8,314.31
Global Trade Finance	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	92,000.00	0.00
Vijaya Bank	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	2,420.66	2,442.57

12. Deferred Revenue Expenditure : 0.21 Lakhs.

13. Previous year figures have been reclassified/restated wherever necessary to conform the current year's presentation

**As per our report of even date**

**For and on behalf of**

**BORKAR & MUZUMDAR**  
Chartered Accountants

Sd/-  
**Dilip Muzumdar**  
Partner  
(M. No. 8701)

**For Baroda Pioneer Asset Management Co. Ltd.**

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**V. H. Bhatia**  
Trustee

Place : MUMBAI  
Date : 10th July 2009

Sd/-  
**S. K. Suvarna**  
Trustee

AUDITORS' REPORT

The Board of Trustees,  
Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund,  
Mumbai.

Dear Sirs,

We have audited the attached Balance Sheet of **BARODA PIONEER MONTHLY INCOME PLAN (MIP) FUND** of **BARODA PIONEER MUTUAL FUND**, as at 31st March, 2009 and also the Revenue Account for the year ended on that date annexed thereto. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Management of the Asset Management Company and the Trustees. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in India. Those Standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

Based on the above, we report that:

1. We have obtained all the information and explanations, which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purpose of our audit.
2. In our opinion, proper books of account as required by law have been kept by the Scheme so far as appears from our examination of those books.
3. The Balance Sheet and the Revenue Account are in agreement with the books of account.
4. The statement of accounts has been prepared in accordance with accounting policies and standards as specified in the Ninth Schedule to the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Mutual Funds) Regulations, 1996.
5. In our opinion the methods adopted to value non-traded securities are fair and reasonable.
6. In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the accounts read with the Statement on Significant Accounting Policies and Notes on Accounts attached thereto give a true and fair view in conformity with the accounting principles generally accepted in India:
  - a) in the case of the Balance Sheet of the state of affairs of **BARODA PIONEER MONTHLY INCOME PLAN (MIP) FUND** as at 31st March, 2009 and
  - b) in the case of the Revenue Account of the surplus of the Scheme for the year ended on that date.

For and on behalf of

**BORKAR & MUZUMDAR**  
CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

Sd/-  
**Dilip Muzumdar**  
Partner  
(M. No. 8701)

Place : Mumbai  
Date : 10th July 2009

**BARODA PIONEER MIP FUND**
**BALANCE SHEET AS ON 31ST MARCH, 2009**

	Schedule	31.03.2009 (RS.IN LAKH)	31.03.2008 (RS.IN LAKH)
<b>LIABILITIES :-</b>			
<b>Unit Capital</b>	<b>A</b>	3.58	4.48
<b>Reserves &amp; Surplus</b>	<b>B</b>	0.80	0.91
<b>Current Liabilities &amp; Provisions</b>	<b>C</b>	0.04	0.66
<b>TOTAL</b>		<u><u>4.42</u></u>	<u><u>6.05</u></u>
<b>ASSETS :-</b>			
<b>Investments</b>	<b>D</b>	2.20	3.99
<b>Other Current Assets</b>	<b>E</b>	2.22	2.06
<b>TOTAL</b>		<u><u>4.42</u></u>	<u><u>6.05</u></u>
<b>SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES</b>	<b>F</b>		
<b>NOTES ON ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>G</b>		

The Schedules referred to above form an integral part of the Balance Sheet

**As per our report of even date**

**For and on behalf of**

**BORKAR & MUZUMDAR**  
Chartered Accountants

Sd/-  
**Dilip Muzumdar**  
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Sd/-  
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Chairman

Sd/-  
**V. H. Bhatia**  
Trustee

Place : MUMBAI  
Date : 10th July 2009

Sd/-  
**S. K. Suvarna**  
Trustee

**BARODA PIONEER MIP FUND**

**REVENUE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 2009**

Schedules	31.03.2009 (RS.IN LAKH)	31.03.2008 (RS.IN LAKH)
<b><u>INCOME :-</u></b>		
Interest	0.19	0.22
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>0.19</b>	<b>0.22</b>
<b><u>EXPENSES &amp; LOSSES :-</u></b>		
Management Fees	0.07	0.07
Service tax on Management fees	0.01	0.01
Trusteeship Fees	0.00	0.00
Office and Administrative Expenses	0.03	0.02
Commission to Agents	0.05	(0.04)
Publicity Expenses	0.00	0.00
Audit Fees	0.00	0.00
Advertisement exps	0.01	0.00
Other Operating Expenses	0.00	0.01
Registrar Charges	1.60	0.03
	1.77	0.10
Less: Expenses to be Reimbursed by the Investment Manager	1.67	0.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>0.10</b>	<b>0.10</b>
<b>Surplus / (Deficit) for the year</b>	0.09	0.12
Add / (Less) : Equalisation Account	(0.02)	0.96
Add : Surplus/(Deficit) brought forward from the previous year	47.88	46.80
<b>Surplus/(Deficit) carried to Balance Sheet</b>	<b>47.95</b>	<b>47.88</b>

**SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

**F**

**NOTES ON ACCOUNTS**

**G**

The Schedules referred to above form an integral part of the Revenue Account

**As per our report of even date**

**For and on behalf of**

**BORKAR & MUZUMDAR**  
Chartered Accountants

**For Baroda Pioneer Asset Management Co. Ltd.**

**For Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund**

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Place : MUMBAI  
Date : 10th July 2009

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**S. K. Suvarna**  
Trustee

**BARODA PIONEER MIP FUND**
**SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF THE BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31ST MARCH, 2009**

	31.03.2009 (RS.IN LAKH)	31.03.2008 (RS.IN LAKH)
<b>Schedule 'A'</b>		
<b>UNIT CAPITAL</b>		
Unit Capital	3.58	4.48
<b>Total</b>	<b>3.58</b>	<b>4.48</b>
<b>No. of units of face value Rs. 10/- each</b>	<b>35,849.15</b>	<b>44,849.15</b>
<b>Schedule 'B'</b>		
<b>RESERVES AND SURPLUS</b>		
Surplus / (Deficit) as per Revenue Account	47.95	47.88
Unit Premium Reserve		
Opening Balance	(46.97)	
Add: Additions/(Deductions) during the year	(0.18)	
<b>Total</b>	<b>(47.15)</b>	<b>(46.97)</b>
<b>Schedule 'C'</b>		
<b>CURRENT LIABILITIES &amp; PROVISIONS</b>		
<b>Current Liabilities</b>		
Sundry Creditors	0.03	0.64
Others	0.01	0.02
<b>Total</b>	<b>0.04</b>	<b>0.66</b>
<b>Schedule 'D'</b>		
<b>INVESTMENTS</b>		
Reverse Repos	2.20	3.99
<b>Total</b>	<b>2.20</b>	<b>3.99</b>
<b>Schedule 'E'</b>		
<b>OTHER CURRENT ASSETS</b>		
Balance with Banks	0.55	0.25
Outstanding and accrued Income	0.00	0.00
Recoverable from AMC	1.67	0.00
Others	0.00	1.81
<b>Total</b>	<b>2.22</b>	<b>2.06</b>

**BARODA PIONEER MIP FUND**

**SCHEDULE F :**

**COMMON ACCOUNTING POLICY (REFER TO THIS PAGE NO. 48)**

**SCHEDULE G :**

**NOTES FORMING PART OF THE ACCOUNTS OF BARODA PIONEER MONTHLY INCOME PLAN (MIP) FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH, 2009**

1. Details of Assets as at 31<sup>st</sup> March 2009 are as under :

Name of Investment	Quantity / Rating	Market value (Rs. In Lakh)	% to Total Assets
CBLO / Reverse Repo Investments	NA	2.20	50.23
Net Receivables / Payables		2.18	49.77
<b>Total</b>		<b>4.38</b>	<b>100.00</b>

2. The Management Fees have been calculated on a daily basis @ 1.24% per annum on the daily average net assets. Daily Average Net Asset Value as at 31<sup>st</sup> March 2009 = Rs.5,23,429.

Provision for Management Fees for the quarter ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2009 = Rs.1,288.68

3. The aggregate value of purchases and sales of investments during the year are as under :

	Amount (Rs.)	% of daily Avg. NAV
Value of purchases	1,91,01,771.34	3,649.35
Value of sales	1,93,20,414.94	3,691.13

4. Movement in unit capital is as under :

	Growth Plan No. of units	Monthly Dividend No. of units	Quarterly Dividend No. of units	Total No. of units	(Unit Capital Rs. In lakhs)
Balance as on 31.03.2008	17,051.193	22,300.000	5,497.958	44,849.151	4.48
Add: Subscription	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.00
Less: Redemption	6000.000	2,500.000	500.000	9,000.000	0.90
Balance as on 31.03.2009	11,051.193	19,800.000	4,997.958	35,849.151	3.58

5. From 9<sup>th</sup> September 2004 the Fund has commenced repurchase of units of the Scheme at the repurchase price determined on a daily basis. The units so offered for repurchase have been paid in time.
6. During the year there were no transactions pertaining to derivatives and foreign securities.
7. No provision for taxation is required as Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund is a recognised Mutual Fund under Section 10 (23D) of the Income Tax Act, 1961.
8. a) The Scheme has not undertaken any underwriting obligations with respect to issue of securities of associate companies.  
 b) The Scheme has not subscribed to any issues where any of its associate companies is a lead manager.  
 c) The Scheme has not subscribed to any issue of equity or debt on private placement basis where the sponsor or associate companies have acted as arranger or manager.
9. Details of each item of expenditure accounting for more than 10% of total expenditure are as under:

<u>Nature of Expenditure</u>	<u>% of Total Expenditure</u>
Registrar Charges	90.28

10. Details of large holding (over 25% of NAV of the schemes) are as under:

- a. No. of investors : Nil
- b. Total holdings by such investors as % of the NAV : Nil

11. Disclosure under Regulation 25(11) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Mutual Funds) Regulations, 1996 as amended, Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund has made the following investments in companies, which hold units in excess of 5% of the net asset value of any Scheme of Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund for the period ended March 31, 2009. (Rupees in Lakhs)

Company Name	Schemes invested in by the Company	Investment made by schemes of Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund in the company / subsidiary	Aggregate cost acquisition the of during period ended 31 March, 2009	Outstanding as at March 31, 2009 (At Market / Fair Value)
Allahabad Bank	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	9,685.22	8,314.31
Global Trade Finance	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	92,000.00	0.00
Vijaya Bank	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	Baroda Pioneer Liquid Fund	2,420.66	2,442.57

12. Previous year figures have been reclassified/restated wherever necessary to conform with the current year's presentation.

**As per our report of even date**

**For and on behalf of**

**BORKAR & MUZUMDAR**  
 Chartered Accountants

Sd/-  
**Dilip Muzumdar**  
 Partner  
 (M. No. 8701)

**For Baroda Pioneer Asset Management Co. Ltd.**

Sd/-  
**Rajan Krishnan**  
 Chief Executive Officer

**For Baroda Pioneer Mutual Fund**

Sd/-  
**R. L. Baxi**  
 Chairman

Sd/-  
**V. H. Bhatia**  
 Trustee

Place : MUMBAI  
 Date : 10th July 2009

Sd/-  
**S. K. Suvarna**  
 Trustee

**SCHEDULE F & G\*: COMMON ACCOUNTING POLICY**

**SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES FORMING PART THE ACCOUNTS OF BARODA PIONEER LIQUID FUND\*, BARODA PIONEER BALANCE FUND, BARODA PIONEER INCOME FUND, BARODA PIONEER GILT FUND, BARODA PIONEER CHILDREN FUND - GIFT PLAN, BARODA PIONEER CHILDREN - STUDY PLAN, BARODA PIONEER MIP FUND, & BARODA PIONEER MONTHLY INCOME PLAN (MIP) FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH, 2009**

**1. INCOME RECOGNITION**

- a) Dividend on quoted shares is recognised on the date the respective shares are quoted on Ex-Dividend basis. In case of unquoted shares the dividend is recognised on the date of declaration
- b) In respect of securities including those purchased on Reverse - Repo basis, interest income is accounted for on accrual basis.
- c) Profit or loss on sale of investments is arrived at by applying weighted average cost method and is recognised on the trade date.
- d) Other income of miscellaneous nature is accounted for if realised.
- e) Provision is made for income, which is not realised within 12 months from the date of accrual.
- f) Unrealised appreciation/depreciation in the value of investments, if any, is credited/charged to Revenue Account. However, such appreciation is excluded in the considerations for income distributions.

**2. EXPENSES**

Expenses are accounted for on accrual basis.

**3. INVESTMENTS****a) Accounting of Investment Transactions**

- i. Transactions for purchase/sale of investments are accounted for on trade dates at cost including brokerage, stamp charges and any customary charge included in the broker's bought note.
- ii. Bonus shares to which the scheme becomes entitled are recognised only when the original shares on which the bonus entitlement accrues are traded on the stock exchange on an ex-bonus basis. Similarly rights entitlements are recognised only when the original shares on which the right entitlement accrues are traded on the stock exchange on an ex-rights basis.
- iii. In respect of purchase of interest bearing investments, accrued interest receivable is debited to the Interest Receivable account and not added to the cost of investment.

**b) Valuation of Investments**

- i. Equity securities listed on a recognized stock exchange are valued at the last quoted closing price on the National Stock Exchange of India Limited (NSE). If on a particular valuation date, a security is not traded on NSE, the value at which it is traded on the Bombay Stock Exchange Limited (BSE) is used. If no sale is reported at that time, the last quoted closing price on the principal stock exchange on which the security is traded is used when it is not more than thirty days prior to the valuation date.
- ii. All traded Debt Securities (other than Government Securities) are valued at the closing market price, on the principal stock exchange on the last trading day of the financial year.
- iii. Where a Debt Security (other than Government Security) is not traded on the last trading day of the financial year, the value at which it is traded on the earliest previous day prior to the valuation date is used, provided such date is not more than fifteen days.
- iv. Government Securities are valued at yield to maturity rates announced by CRISIL.COM.
- v. All other investments are stated at their fair value as determined by Baroda Pioneer Asset Management Co. Ltd. using the basis as approved by the Trustees in accordance with the SEBI Regulations.
- vi. Money market obligations are valued at cost and interest accrued thereon.
- vii. Where instruments have been bought on 'Reverse - Repo' basis, the instrument is valued at the resale price after deduction of applicable interest upto the date of resale.
- viii. Investments which have provided no returns in the form of dividend or interest for a period specified in the guidelines issued by SEBI are regarded as Non Performing Investments and valued accordingly.

**4. UNIT PREMIUM RESERVE ACCOUNT**

The difference between the Face Value and the Net Asset Value of the units repurchased/sold is credited or debited, as the case may be, to Unit Premium Reserve Account.

**5. NET ASSET VALUE (NAV)**

The NAV for the units issued under the Growth Plan and Dividend Plan is determined separately. For reporting NAV, for Growth Plan and Dividend Plan, daily income earned of the scheme is apportioned between the plans in the proportion of Net Assets of each of the plans.

**6. EQUALISATION ACCOUNT**

When units are sold an appropriate part of the sale proceeds is credited to Equalisation account and when units are repurchased an appropriate amount is debited to Equalisation account. The balance in this account is credited or debited to the Revenue Account.

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