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### NIFTY 50

The Nifty 50 spot price closes at 24,541.15, a +0.71% increase from the last week. All major indices posted a positive return this week. However, last week, all major indices registered a negative return.

Nifty futures for the near month expiry closed on Friday at 24,585.50 with a +0.75% price increase as compared to the previous week.

Futures total open interest decreased by -3.53% from the previous week, indicating the short covering in the index.

Total outstanding open interest (OI) in Nifty Futures stood at 1,12,95,600 this week, decreasing from the previous week's open interest of 1,17,09,075.

In the next month's expiry of Nifty futures, there was a +15.22% increase in open interest. The total open interest stands at 15,11,475, increasing from the previous week's open interest of 13,11,825.

### Nifty Weekly Change

	Current	Previous	Change
Spot	24,541.15	24,367.50	0.71%
Futures	24,585.50	24,401.50	0.75%
Open Int.	1,12,95,600	1,17,09,075	-3.53%

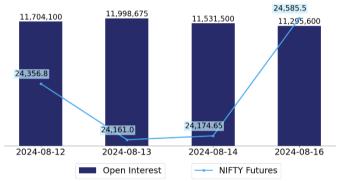
Source: NSE, INVES 21 Research

### **Nifty Pivot Levels**

S2	S1	Pivot	R1	R2
23,937.4	24,239.3	24,401.6	24,703.5	24,865.8

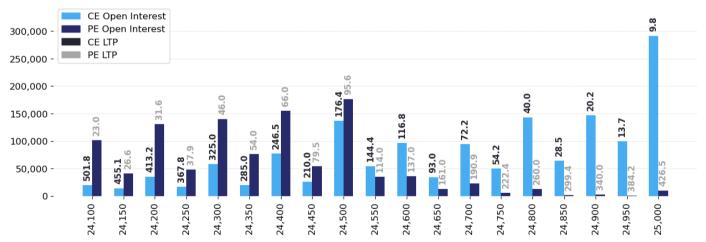
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### **Nifty Futures Open Interest Build-Up**



Source: INVES 21 Research

### **Nifty Options Open Interest Distribution**



Data: OI Distribution for the upcoming week; Source: NSE, INVES 21 Research

Nifty options distribution indicates a high concentration level on the call side at a strike price of 24,500, 24,900, and 25,000 for the upcoming week; the option value at these levels is closed at 176.4, 20.2, and 9.8, respectively.

On the put side, the maximum open interest concentration is at the strike price of 24,500, followed by 24,000; the option values at these levels are closed at 95.6 and 66.0, respectively.

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### **BANKNIFTY**

The Nifty Bank spot price closes at 50,516.90, marking a +0.06% increase from the previous week. After a continuous fifth week of negative return, the index registered a positive return this week.

Nifty Bank futures for the near month expiry closed on Friday at 50,624.40, with a +0.10% increase in the futures price compared to last week.

Futures total open interest increased by +1.79% from the previous week, indicating a long buildup in the index.

Total outstanding open interest (OI) in Nifty Bank Futures stood at 29,50,440 this week, increasing from the previous week's open interest of 28,98,615.

In the next month's expiry of Nifty Bank futures, there was a +131.66% increase in open interest, as the total open interest changed to 5,80,800 from the previous week's open interest of 2,50,710.

### Nifty Bank Weekly Change

	Current	Previous	Change
Spot	50,516.90	50,484.50	0.06%
Futures	50,624.40	50,574.10	0.10%
Open Int.	29,50,440	28,98,615	1.79%

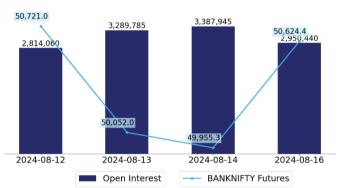
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### **Nifty Bank Pivot Levels**

S2	S1	Pivot	R1	R2
49,158.0	49,837.5	50,334.1	51,013.5	51,510.1

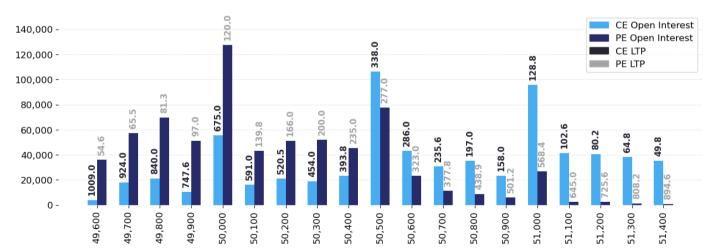
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### Nifty Bank Futures Open Interest Build-Up



Source: INVES 21 Research

### **Nifty Bank Options Open Interest Distribution**



Data: OI Distribution for the upcoming week; Source: NSE, INVES 21 Research

Nifty Bank options distribution indicates a high concentration on the call side at strike prices of 50,500 and 51,000 for the upcoming week; the option value at these levels is closed at 338.0 and 128.8, respectively.

On the put side, the maximum open interest concentration is at the strike price of 50,000, followed by 50,500; the option values at these levels are closed at 120.0 and 277.0, respectively.

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### **FINNIFTY**

The Nifty Financial Services spot price closes at 22,976.20, a -0.03% decrease from last week. For the third consecutive week, the index posted a negative return.

Nifty Financial Services futures for the near month expiry closed at 23,018.80 with a -0.05% price decrease.

Futures total open interest increased by +47.05% from the previous week, indicating the short buildup in the index.

Total outstanding open interest (OI) in Nifty Financial Futures stood at 94,775 this week, increasing from the previous week's open interest of 64,450.

In the next month's expiration of Nifty Financial futures, there is a +36.97% increase in open interest, as the total open interest changes to 7,225 from the previous week's open interest of 5,275.

### Nifty Financial Weekly Change

	Current	Previous	Change
Spot	22,976.20	22,983.30	-0.03%
Futures	23,018.80	23,029.70	-0.05%
Open Int.	94,775	64,450	47.05%

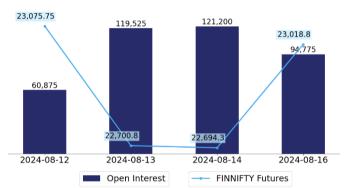
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### **Nifty Financial Pivot Levels**

S2	S1	Pivot	R1	R2
22,244.9	22,610.6	22,884.5	23,250.1	23,524.0

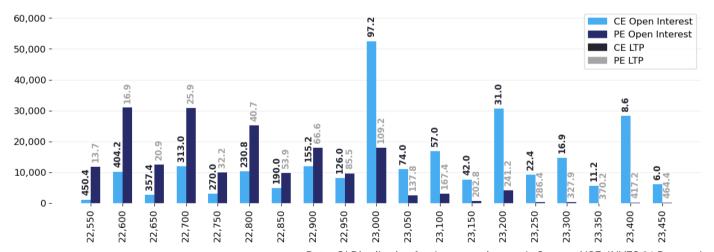
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### Nifty Financial Futures Open Interest Build-Up



Source: INVES 21 Research

### **Nifty Financial Options Open Interest Distribution**



Data: OI Distribution for the upcoming week; Source: NSE, INVES 21 Research

Nifty Financial options distribution indicates a high concentration level on the call side at a strike price of 23,000 and 23,200; the option value at these levels is closed at 97.2 and 31.0, respectively.

On the put side, the high open interest concentration is at the strike price of 22,700, followed by 22,600; the option values at these levels are closed at 25.9 and 16.9, respectively.

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### **MIDCPNIFTY**

The Nifty Midcap Select spot price closes at 12,724.85, a +1.00% increase from last week. Nifty Midcap Select posted the highest return among the major indices this week.

Nifty Midcap Select futures for the near month expiry closed on Friday at 12,744.00 with a +0.86% price increase.

Futures total open interest decreased by -1.03% from the previous week, indicating a short covering in the midcap select index.

Total outstanding open interest (OI) in Nifty Midcap Select Futures stood at 22,58,500 this week, decreasing from 22,82,050.

In the next month's expiry of Nifty Midcap Select futures, there is a +50.00% increase in open interest, as the total open interest rose from 72,700 to 1,09,050.

### Nifty Midcap Select Weekly Change

	Current	Previous	Change
Spot	12,724.85	12,598.95	1.00%
Futures	12,744.00	12,635.90	0.86%
Open Int.	22,58,500	22,82,050	-1.03%

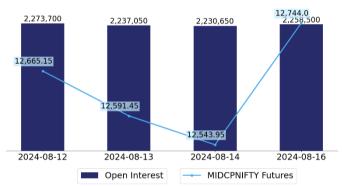
Source: NSE, INVES 21 Research

### **Nifty Midcap Select Pivot Levels**

S2	S1	Pivot	R1	R2
12,380.2	12,552.5	12,643.4	12,815.8	12,906.7

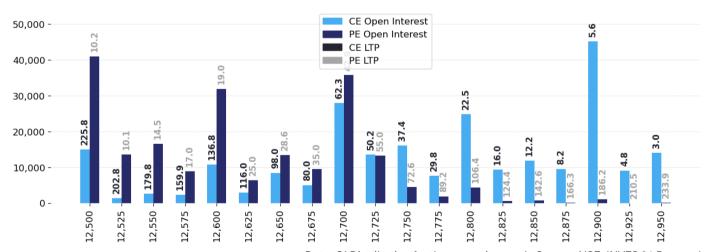
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### Nifty Midcap Select Futures Open Interest Build-Up



Source: INVES 21 Research

### Nifty Midcap Select Options Open Interest Distribution



Data: OI Distribution for the upcoming week; Source: NSE, INVES 21 Research

Nifty Midcap Select options distribution indicates a high concentration level on the call side at a strike price of 12,700 and 12,900 for the upcoming week; the option values are 62.3 and 5.6, respectively.

On the put side, high open interest concentration is at the strike price of 12,700 and 12,500; the option values at these levels are closed at 42.9 and 10.2, respectively.

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### **Open Interest Participation**

This week, Foreign Institutional Investors (FIIs) increased their long positions in index futures by +3.04%, concluding at 2,79,636 open interests. Similarly, FIIs increased their short positions by +10.54% this week, concluding at 2,75,377 open interests.

The long-to-short ratio in index futures for FIIs is reported at 1.02, indicating a slight decrease from the previous week's ratio of 1.09.

FII's total number of contracts in index futures increased by +6.63% from last week, from 5,20,509 to 5,55,013.

FII activity in index options open interest increased by +9.60%, from 49,21,081 contracts to 53,93,296 contracts. Similarly, activity in Nifty options increased by +16.36%, from 29,20,460 contracts to 33,98,368 contracts.

#### **Weekly Futures OI Participation**

	Long	Change	Short	Change
Client	3,76,101	4.16%	3,17,560	-1.64%
DII	69,813	1.14%	1,53,689	2.07%
FII	2,79,636	3.04%	2,75,377	10.54%
Pro	94,474	-1.20%	73,398	-1.59%

Source: NSE, INVES 21 Research

### **Weekly Options OI Participation**

	Call Long	Call Short	Put Long	Put Short
Client	52,98,129	58,42,106	61,47,930	67,78,279
DII	2,078	0	3,55,099	0
FII	13,41,930	10,67,527	16,89,840	12,93,999
Pro	19,53,982	16,86,486	20,84,546	22,05,137

Source: NSE, INVES 21 Research

FIIs increased their position in Nifty Bank futures by +18.26%, from 1,41,796 contracts to 1,67,689 contracts. However, FIIs decreased their position in Nifty Bank options by -11.48%, from 15,27,635 contracts to 13,52,230 contracts.

### **FII and DII Activity**

In this week's cash market, FIIs had a net selling of ₹-8,616.43 Cr, and DIIs had a net buying of ₹10,560.08 Cr. In the futures segment, FIIs sold index futures worth ₹-1,290.66 Cr and bought stock futures worth ₹1,193.74 Cr. In the options, FIIs sold ₹-25,024.55 Cr worth of index options and sold ₹-4,533.00 Cr worth of stock options.

	FII					
Date	Index Futures	Index Options	Stock Futures	Stock Options	Cash	Cash
12-Aug-24	-422.97	-5,124.67	506.09	-791.94	-4,680.51	4,477.73
13-Aug-24	-2,421.44	14,345.75	-6,091.65	-1,472.44	-2,107.17	1,239.96
14-Aug-24	-769.48	-24,226.18	-1,683.13	-1,399.83	-2,595.27	2,236.21
16-Aug-24	2,323.23	-10,019.45	8,462.43	-868.79	766.52	2,606.18

Data: All values in INR crore; Source: NSE, NSDL, INVES 21 Research

### **Economic Events**

On Monday, the Ministry of Statistics (MOSPI) released the Consumer Price Index (CPI) data. Inflation for the month of Jul 2024 decreased to 3.54%. In the last 59 months, this is the lowest retail inflation. Moreover, the data suggest that the Consumer Food Price Index (CFPI) has reached the lowest levels in the month of July 2024 to 5.4%, compared to 9.4% in June 2024. India's exports contracted in July 2024, after a gap of three months, fell by 1.48% to \$33.98 billion. The muted global demand primarily drove this contraction. Meanwhile, the imports surged by 7.46% to \$57.48 billion, leading to a nine-month high trade deficit of \$23.5 billion.



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