

Monday, 27 October 2025



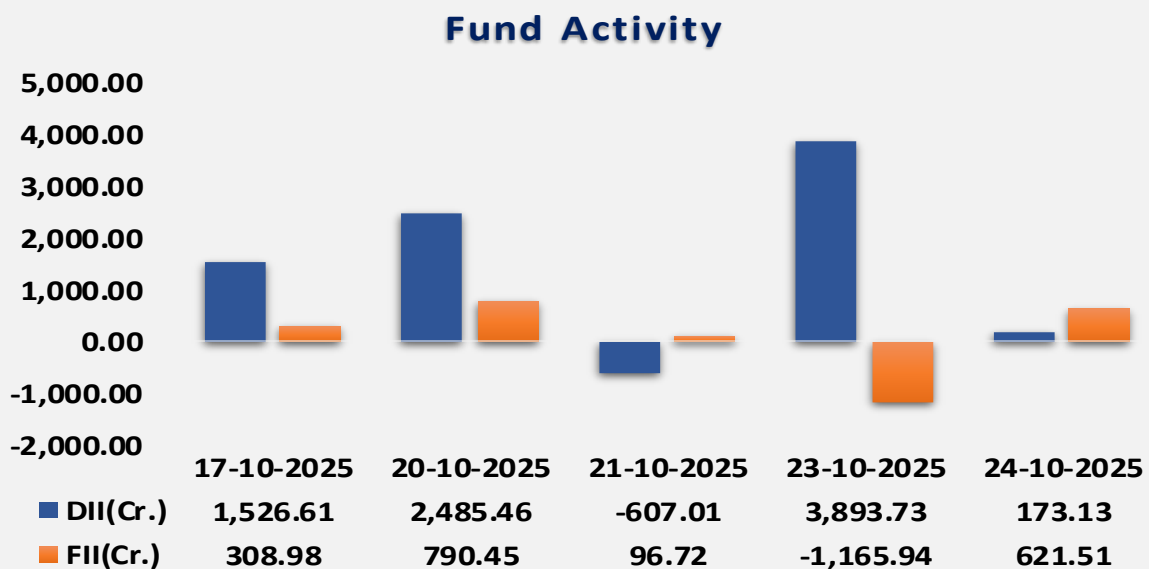
Nifty	Sensex	US \$	Gold \$	Brent Oil \$
25,795.15	84,211.88	98.695	4,087.24	65.44
-0.37%	-0.41%	-0.06%	-1.23%	0.37%

Equity Indices – Key Valuation Ratio

Index	Key Sectorial Index			
	Last Close	% Change	P/E	Dividend Yield
Sensex	84,211.88	-0.41	23.14	1.15
Nifty	25,795.15	-0.37	22.67	1.30
Nifty Smallcap 50	5,075.25	-0.41	23.14	1.41
Nifty Midcap 50	16,736.80	-0.37	35.20	0.83
Nifty Auto	27,108.70	-0.40	28.11	1.10
Nifty Bank	57,699.60	-0.65	16.15	1.01
Nifty Energy	35,626.90	0.02	15.56	2.29
Nifty Fin. Services	27,395.30	-0.59	18.00	0.95
Nifty FMCG	56,348.10	-0.75	41.74	2.05
Nifty IT	35,986.35	-0.26	25.62	3.13
Nifty Pharma	22,357.35	-0.55	34.46	0.69
Nifty PSU Bank	7,817.40	-0.74	8.05	2.39
Nifty India Defence	37,680.61	-0.16	29.87	1.54

Equity Market Observations

All three major U.S. stock indexes ended at record highs on Friday, boosted by cooler-than-expected inflation and strong corporate earnings, ahead of next week's key earnings releases and an anticipated Federal Reserve rate cut. The S&P 500 and Nasdaq posted their biggest weekly gains since August, while the Dow saw its strongest jump since June. The U.S. dollar climbed to a two-week high against the yen, and oil prices rose as U.S. and Chinese officials outlined a trade-deal framework, easing global growth concerns. Gold fell after its first weekly decline since mid-August amid reduced safe-haven demand. Asian markets traded higher on Monday, while Indian equities snapped a six-day winning streak, with losses across most sectors except metals and telecom. FIIs bought ₹621 crore and DIIs ₹173 crore worth of equities on October 24. **Stocks like eClerx Services, SBI Cards, GPT Infraprojects, Epack Prefab, and Reliance Industries remained in focus following positive developments.** Investors will monitor the U.S. Fed meeting, global trade progress, Q2 results, commodity price trends, and FII flows. Optimism surrounds an imminent U.S.-China trade deal, reinforced by new trade agreements with Malaysia and Thailand. Indian markets are expected to remain range-bound, tracking global cues and earnings, with positive FII inflows and corporate outlooks supporting sentiment. Progress on the India-U.S. trade deal could further lift investor confidence.



Economic Update: India & Global

India HSBC Manufacturing and Service PMI Flash Oct – In October 2025, India's manufacturing sector showed stronger growth, with the HSBC Manufacturing PMI rising to 58.4 from 57.7 in September, driven by higher new orders and steady international demand despite weaker exports due to US tariffs. Softer input costs from GST relief supported manufacturers, though output prices continued to rise. Optimism remained high on expectations of GST cuts, marketing, new products, and tech investments. Meanwhile, the Services PMI slipped to 58.8 from 60.9, the slowest pace since May, as sales growth eased amid tougher competition and flood disruptions. Input cost inflation softened, but output prices rose, while business confidence stayed positive.

Great Britain Retail Sales MoM Sep – UK retail sales rose 0.5% month-on-month in September 2025, surpassing expectations of a decline and marking the fourth straight monthly gain—the highest level since July 2022. Growth was led by strong non-food store sales, especially clothing, and robust performance from non-store and online retailers, with jewellers seeing solid gold demand. Quarterly sales rose 0.9% and were up 1.0% year-on-year, aided by favorable summer weather. Online sales values increased 1.4% monthly and 5.6% annually, extending their growth streak to eight months.

Great Britain S&P Global Manufacturing and Service PMI Flash Oct – The S&P Global UK Manufacturing PMI rose to 49.6 in October 2025 from 46.2 in September, signaling the mildest contraction in a year as output expanded for the first time since September 2024, driven by restocking and improving domestic demand. Despite lingering effects of the JLR cyberattack and weaker US orders, job cuts eased and sentiment improved. Meanwhile, the Services PMI edged up to 51.1 from 50.8, indicating modest growth amid cautious consumer sentiment and delayed business decisions ahead of the November Budget. Input cost inflation and output charge growth both softened, while business optimism strengthened on expectations of a market recovery, new product launches, and marketing efforts.

India Foreign Exchange Reserve Oct/17 - India's foreign exchange reserves rose to USD 702.28 billion as of October 17, 2025, up from USD 697.78 billion the previous week. The reserves have averaged USD 309.12 billion since 1998, peaking at a record USD 704.89 billion in September 2024 and hitting a low of USD 29.05 billion in September 1998.

Key Stocks in Focus

- **Zydus Lifesciences** received Health Canada's approval for its generic Mesalamine suppositories 1000 mg, used to treat mild to moderate ulcerative proctitis. Its subsidiary, Zydus MedTech France, also acquired the remaining 14.4% stake in Amplitude Surgical SA, taking full ownership. **Impact – Neutral to Positive**
- **TGV Sraac:** The company expects a production loss of 120 TPD caustic soda and 106 TPD chlorine due to a transformer failure. Repairs are estimated to take 60 days, with alternative restoration options being explored. **Impact – Negative**
- **NCC** secured a contract worth ₹6,828.94 crore from Central Coalfields for coal and overburden extraction and transportation at the Amrapali OCP project in Jharkhand. **Impact – Neutral to Positive**
- **GPT Infraprojects** bagged a ₹195 crore order from Terminal Industriel Polyvalent de San Pedro, Ivory Coast, for supplying and commissioning a conveyor belt system at the port. **Impact – Neutral to Positive**
- **Epack Prefab** received a ₹129.94 crore order from Avaada Ventures to design, fabricate, and supply a pre-engineered steel building for a glass factory in Nagpur, Maharashtra. **Impact – Neutral to Positive**
- **Vikran Engineering** won a ₹354.21 crore contract from Ellume Energy MH SolarOne for developing a 100 MW solar PV project in Maharashtra. **Impact – Neutral to Positive**
- **HUDCO** signed a non-binding MoU with Jawaharlal Nehru Port Authority to explore financing and development of port infrastructure projects worth about ₹5,000 crore. **Impact – Neutral to Positive**
- **Reliance Industries:** Reliance Intelligence formed a new joint venture, Reliance Enterprise Intelligence (REIL), with Meta's subsidiary Facebook Overseas. Reliance holds 70%, Facebook 30%, with a joint initial investment of ₹855 crore. **Impact – Neutral to Positive**
- **CONCOR** signed two MoUs with Adani Cement to enhance rail-based transportation of bulk cement using specialized tank containers. **Impact – Neutral to Positive**

Quarterly Earnings

- **Kotak Mahindra Bank's** Q2 standalone profit declined 2.7% year-on-year to ₹3,253.3 crore from ₹3,343.7 crore, while net interest income grew 4.1% to ₹7,310.7 crore. Provisions surged 43.5% to ₹947.4 crore, though asset quality improved with gross NPA at 1.39% and net NPA at 0.32%. **Impact – Neutral to Negative**
- **Dr. Reddy's** Q2 consolidated profit rose 14.5% YoY to ₹1,437.2 crore on a 9.8% revenue growth to ₹8,805.1 crore. The North America business, however, declined 13.1% to ₹3,240.8 crore from ₹3,728.1 crore. **Impact – Neutral to Positive**
- **SBI Life's** Q2 profit fell 6.6% YoY to ₹494.6 crore, while net premium income jumped 22.6% to ₹24,848.3 crore. Net commission also rose 22.2% to ₹1,240.3 crore, reflecting strong growth in business volume despite lower profitability. **Impact – Neutral**
- **Coforge** reported an 86% YoY surge in consolidated profit to ₹375.8 crore, with revenue up 31.7% to ₹3,985.7 crore. The board also announced an interim dividend of ₹4 per share. **Impact – Positive**
- **Zen Technologies'** Q2 profit declined 4.6% YoY to ₹59.4 crore, while revenue dropped sharply by 28.2% to ₹173.6 crore, reflecting a slowdown in order execution. **Impact – Neutral to Negative**
- **Latent View Analytics** posted an 11.3% YoY rise in profit to ₹44.4 crore and a 23.3% increase in revenue to ₹257.5 crore, supported by continued demand for data analytics and digital services. **Impact – Neutral to Positive**
- **Sigachi Industries'** Q2 consolidated profit slumped 50.9% YoY to ₹10.7 crore as revenue fell 11.5% to ₹110.5 crore, mainly due to weaker operational performance. **Impact – Negative**
- **Supreme Petrochem's** standalone profit dropped 46.6% YoY to ₹48.2 crore, while revenue declined 26.9% to ₹1,100.2 crore, impacted by lower product realizations. **Impact – Negative**
- **SBI Cards'** Q2 profit rose 10% YoY to ₹444.8 crore, with revenue up 12.2% to ₹4,961 crore, driven by higher card spending and steady fee income. **Impact – Neutral to Positive**

Results Today

Indus Towers, Indian Oil Corporation, Adani Energy Solutions, Bata India, Canara HSBC Life Insurance, Canara Robeco Asset Management, Chennai Petroleum Corporation, Glottis, JK Tyre & Industries, KFin Technologies, Mahindra Logistics, Mazagon Dock Shipbuilders, PNB Housing Finance, Raymond, Sona BLW Precision Forgings, SRF, Supreme Industries, Tata Investment Corporation, Tamil Nadu Newsprint & Papers, and Welspun Specialty Solutions.

Results Tomorrow

TVS Motor Company, TATA Capital, Premier Energies, CreditAccess Grameen, Adani Total Gas, Mahindra and Mahindra financial services, Aditya Birla Real estate, Kirloskar Pneumatic Company etc

Corporate Action

- **CESC Ltd:** Declared an interim dividend of ₹6 per share; record date – **27th October 2025**.
- **PCBL Chemical Ltd:** Announced an interim dividend of ₹6 per share; record date – **27th October 2025**.
- **360 ONE WAM Ltd:** Declared an interim dividend of ₹6 per share; record date – **27th October 2025**.
- **L&T Technology Services Ltd (LTTS):** Announced an interim dividend of ₹18 per share; record date – **27th October 2025**.

Bulk Deals

Company	Acquirer	Qty	Price	Seller	Qty	Price

Source: SSL Research Centre/Ace Equity/ET/Business Standard/Trading Economics/Money control/Mint, Etc.,

StockHolding Services Limited**(Formerly known as SHCIL Services Limited)****CIN NO: U65990MH1995GOI085602 SEBI - RA: INH000001121****Plot No. P-51, T.T.C. Industrial Area, MIDC Mahape, Navi Mumbai – 400 710****Call to us: 91-080-69850100****E-Mail: customerdesk@stockholdingservices.com****www.stockholdingservices.com****Disclaimer**

The research recommendations and information are solely for the personal information of the authorized recipient and does not construe to be an offer document or any investment, legal or taxation advice or solicitation of any action based upon it.

The research services ("Report") provided is for the personal information of the authorized recipient(s) and is not for public distribution. The report is based on the facts, figures and information that are considered true, correct and reliable. The report is provided for information of clients only and does not construe to be an investment advice. This report does not constitute an offer or solicitation for the purchase or sale of any financial instrument or as a confirmation of any transaction. Each recipient of this report should make such investigations as it deems necessary to arrive at an independent evaluation of an investment in the securities of companies referred to in this report and should consult its own advisors to determine the merits and risks of such an investment. StockHolding Services Limited (formerly known as SHCIL Services Limited)-(SSL) and its associate companies, their directors and their employees shall not be in any way responsible for any loss or damage that may arise to any recipient from any inadvertent error in the information contained in this report or any action taken on the basis of this information.

Disclosure

StockHolding Services Limited (formerly known as SHCIL Services Limited) -(SSL) is a SEBI Registered Research Analyst having registration no.: INH000001121. SSL is a SEBI Registered Corporate Stock broker having SEBI Single Registration No.: INZ000199936 and is a member of Bombay Stock Exchange (BSE)- Cash Segment and Derivatives Segment, National Stock Exchange (NSE)-Cash, derivatives and Currency Derivatives Segments and Multi Commodity Exchange of India (MCX) – Commodity Derivative. SSL has registered with SEBI to act as Portfolio Manager under the SEBI (Portfolio Managers) Regulations, 2020, bearing registration no. INP000007304 and also obtained registration as Depository Participant (DP) with CDSL and NSDL, SEBI Registration No.: IN-DP-471-2020. SSL is a wholly owned subsidiary of Stock Holding Corporation of India Limited (StockHolding). StockHolding is primarily engaged in the business of providing custodial services, designated depository participant (DDP) post trading services, Depository Participant Services, Professional Clearing Services, Authorized Person services in association with SSL. Neither SSL nor its Research Analysts have been engaged in market making activity for the companies mentioned in the report /recommendation. SSL or their Research Analysts have not managed or co-managed public offering of securities for the subject company(ies) in the past twelve months.

Registrations granted by SEBI and certification from NISM in no way guarantee performance of the intermediary or provide any assurance of returns to investors. We also certify that no part of our compensation was, is, or will be directly or indirectly related to the specific recommendation(s) or view(s) in this report.

The Analysts engaged in preparation of this Report or his/her relative or SSL's associates: - (a) do not have any financial interests in the subject company mentioned in this Report; (b) do not own 1% or more of the equity securities of the subject company mentioned in the report as of the last day of the month preceding the publication of the research report; (c) do not have any material conflict of interest at the time of publication of the Report.

The Analysts engaged in preparation of this Report or his/her relatives or SSL's associates: - (a) have not received any compensation from the subject company in the past twelve months; (b) have not managed or co-managed public offering of securities for the subject company in the past twelve months; (c) have not received any compensation for investment banking or merchant banking or brokerage services from the subject company in the past twelve months;

(d) have not received any compensation for products or services other than investment banking or merchant banking or brokerage services from the subject company in the past twelve months; (e) has not received any compensation or other benefits from the subject company or third party in connection with the Report; (f) has not served as an officer, director or employee of the subject company; (g) is not engaged in market making activity for the subject company.

Investment in securities market are subject to market risks. Read all the related documents carefully before investing. Registration granted by SEBI, membership of BASL (in case of IAs) and certification from NISM in no way guarantee performance of the intermediary or provide any assurance of returns to investors.

"The securities quoted are for illustration only and are not recommendatory".

The investor is requested to take into consideration all the risk factors before actually trading in equity and derivative contracts. For grievances write to grievances@stockholdingservices.com. In case you require any clarification or have any query/concern, kindly write to us at ssl.research@stockholdingservices.com.

S. Devarajan

MBA (Finance & Foreign Trade), Ph.D. (Financial Management)
Head of Research & Quant Strategist

Sourabh Mishra

MMS (Finance)
Research Analyst