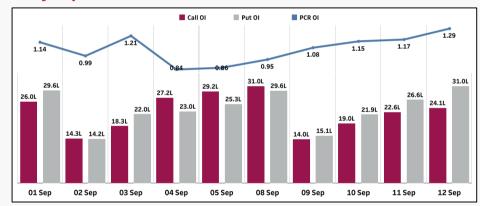


# The Week That Was:

- Nifty futures closed at 25,205 on Friday with a 1.4% gain (357.3 points) and a 0.4% drop in open interest, indicating short covering.
- Bank Nifty closed higher at 55,013.4, gaining 1.2% (648.8 points) alongside a sharp 13.6% decline in open interest, signaling strong short covering.
- India VIX declined by 6.1%, easing from 10.78% to 10.12%, reflecting a drop in market volatility expectations.
- The FII Long-Short ratio rose from 0.08 to 0.13, driven by fresh long additions and reduced short positions, indicating a cautiously bullish undertone.
- Total outstanding open interest (OI) in Nifty futures stands at 184.28 lakh, down slightly from 184.99 lakh last week, while Bank Nifty futures saw a sharper decline to 27.59 lakh from 30.87 lakh.

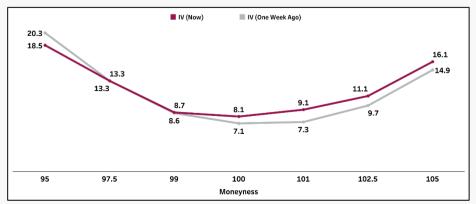
# **Nifty Open Interest Put-Call Ratio**



Current	Previous	High	Low
1.29	0.86	1.29	0.95

 Nifty's PCR rose by 0.42 over the week to 1.29, driven by higher call open interest versus puts signaling bullish sentiment with expectations of a capped upside.

# **Volatility Analysis**

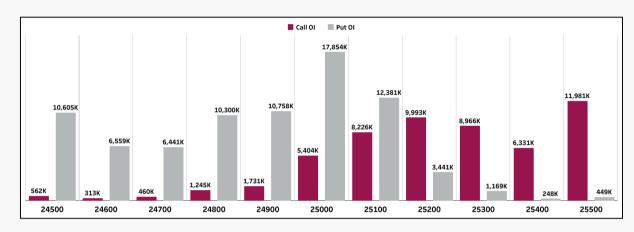


- The implied volatility (IV) curve for the upcoming weekly expiry has softened
  across the board, with notable declines in both out-of-the-money (OTM)
  calls and puts. This broad-based compression in IV underscores waning
  demand for option premiums, as traders step back from hedging or
  speculative positioning.
- A flatter term structure and muted relative shifts suggest market participants are pricing in subdued realized volatility in the week ahead.

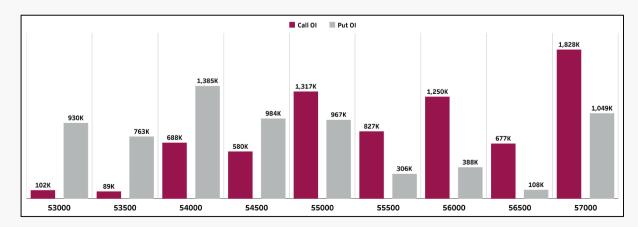


# **Index Open Interest Concentration**

# **Nifty Open Interest Concentration (Weekly)**



### **Bank Nifty Open Interest Concentration (Monthly)**

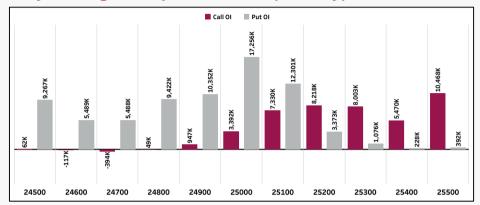


- The strike-concentration for the upcoming expiry on September 16 shows that the Nifty has strong supports at 24,900 and 24,700, while resistance can be seen near 25,200 and 25,500.
- Speaking of open interest changes, the 26,000-strike Call and 25,000 strike Put saw the maximum addition, alongside the 25,500 strike Call and 25,100 strike Put.
- Based on the data, we project the Nifty to trade between 24,700 and 25,500 in the week ahead.
- The strike concentration for the September expiration shows that the Bank Nifty has strong supports at 54,000, 55,000, and 54,500, while resistance rests at 55,500, 55,000, and 56,000.
- Speaking of open interest changes, the 5,4800-strike
   Call and 54,500 strike Put saw the maximum addition,
   alongside the 54,900 strike Call and 54,700 strike Put.
- Based on the data, we project the Bank Nifty to trade between 54,000 and 55,500 in the coming week, with 54,000 & 55,000 acting as a pivotal level.



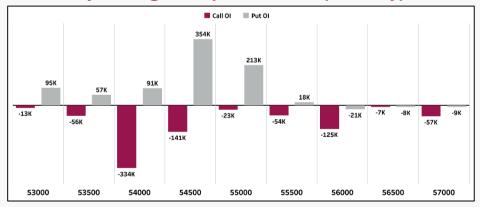
# **Open Interest Change & Participant Positioning**

# **Nifty Change in Open Interest (Weekly)**



- Using the monthly expiration cycle, notable addition in calls was seen at the following strikes - 25,600 (11.9 Lc), 25,100 (7.2 Lc), and 25,500 (5.2 Lc), respectively. There was unwinding observed at 25,000 & 24,800 strike.
- Coming to puts, the 25,100 (8.6 Lc), 25,000 (8.1 Lc), and 24,900 strikes (8.0 Lc) saw considerable addition in open interest. Unwinding was witnessed at the 24,100 & 23,800 strike.

# **Bank Nifty Change in Open Interest (Monthly)**



- For the Bank Nifty based again on the monthly expiration cycle notable addition in calls was seen at the following strikes 54,800 (1.3 Lc), 54,900 (1.0 Lc), and 56,100 (0.8 Lc), respectively. There was unwinding observed at 54,000 and 54,500 strikes.
- Coming to puts, the 54,500 (3.5 Lc), 55,700 (2.5 Lc), and 54,800 strikes
   (2.4 Lc) saw considerable addition in open interest. There was marginal unwinding observed at 56,000 strike.

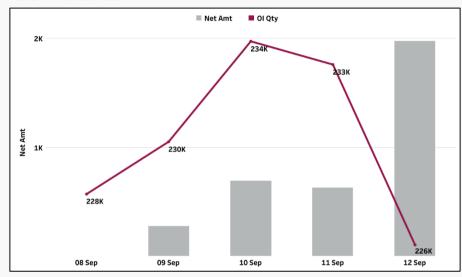
# **Weekly Participant-wise Open Interest (contracts)**

Participant	Long Index	Change	Short Index	Change
Client	2,05,394	-12,595	83,097	-4,256
DII	78,054	2,192	39,503	510
FII	26,661	9,946	1,99,010	-9,120
Pro	36,120	-10,500	24,619	1,909

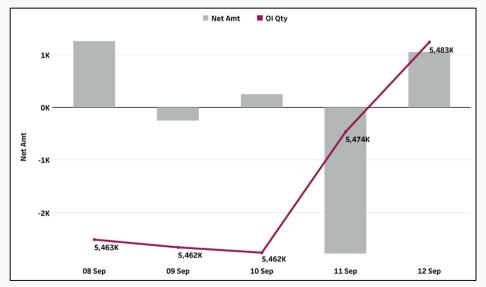
Participant	Long Stock	Change	Short Stock	Change
Client	25,81,066	32,689	2,95,041	18,142
DII	1,97,858	8,499	42,46,237	36,911
FII	34,14,956	14,357	20,68,386	17,365
Pro	6,93,386	62,885	2,77,602	46,012



#### **Index Futures**



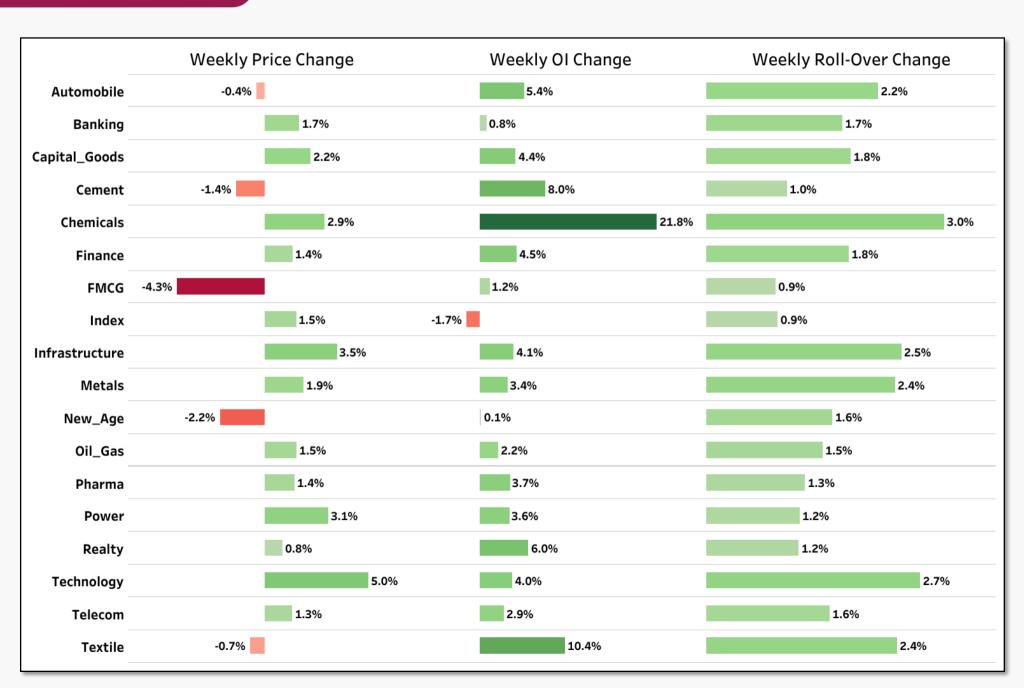
#### **Stock Futures**



- FII's total open interest in **Index Futures** is at Rs 42,646 ,which on weekly basis has increased by Rs 779 Crs.
- Foreigners had 2,25,671 Index futures contracts open, adding 826 contracts from the previous week, with Nifty futures witnessed added 3276 contracts and Bank Nifty futures unwinding 1718 contracts.
- In **Nifty options**, they finished the week with 17,50,452 contracts wherein there was addition of 14,049 contracts and in **Bank Nifty** it has added 2,041 contracts and ended the week with 2,14,550 contracts.

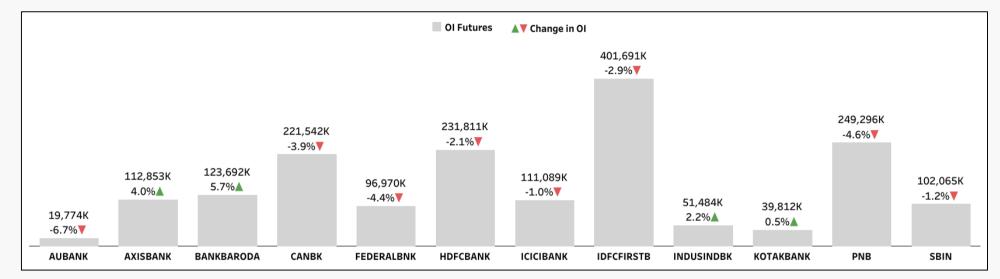
- Coming to Stock Futures, open interest was at Rs 3,86,918 which on weekly basis have increased by Rs 8,609 Crs.
- The total number of Stock Futures contracts stood at 54,83,342 adding 31,722 contracts over the previous week.
- For Stock Options, open interest was at 3,84,336 contracts, adding 60,874 contracts on the week.







# **Stock Futures With Highest Open Interest (Contracts)**



### **Weekly Open Interest Gainers**

Stock	Price	Chg (%)	Open Interest	Chg (%)
BANKBARODA	238.5	1.3%	12,36,92,400	5.7%
INDUSINDBK	743.0	-2.4%	5,14,84,300	2.2%
KOTAKBANK	1,981.4	1.6%	3,98,11,600	0.5%

### **Weekly Price Gainers**

Stock	Price	Chg (%)	Open Interest	Chg (%)
CANBK	111.5	3.7%	22,15,41,750	-3.9%
PNB	107.8	3.4%	24,92,96,000	-4.6%
FEDERALBNK	195.2	2.0%	9,69,70,000	-4.4%

# **Weekly Open Interest Losers**

Stock	Price	Chg (%)	Open Interest	Chg (%)
AUBANK	710.0	1.6%	1,97,74,000	-6.7%
PNB	107.8	3.4%	24,92,96,000	-4.6%
FEDERALBNK	195.2	2.0%	9,69,70,000	-4.4%

### **Weekly Price Losers**

Stock	Price	Chg (%)	Open Interest	Chg (%)
INDUSINDBK	743.0	-2.4%	5,14,84,300	2.2%
IDFCFIRSTB	72.4	-0.6%	40,16,90,975	-2.9%



### **Weekly Open Interest Gainers**

Stock	Price	Chg (%)	Open Interest	Chg (%)
OFSS	8989.5	8.3%	12,36,450	43.7%
NUVAMA	6468.5	-1.2%	2,69,475	42.0%
UPL	686.2	0.1%	4,64,30,430	35.5%
AMBUJACEM	563.3	-0.9%	4,24,87,200	32.2%
GODREJCP	1241.3	0.9%	97,66,000	26.0%

### **Weekly Open Interest Losers**

Stock	Price	Chg (%)	Open Interest	Chg (%)
KFINTECH	1112.3	2.1%	14,13,450	-18.3%
AMBER	7950.0	1.7%	6,70,900	-11.7%
CGPOWER	786.4	6.3%	1,59,98,700	-11.0%
SHRIRAMFIN	633.7	6.4%	4,19,41,350	-10.7%
NHPC	83.6	6.9%	5,72,99,200	-10.4%

## **Weekly Price Gainers**

Stock	Price	Chg (%)	Open Interest	Chg (%)
TITAGARH	931.5	10.4%	66,01,850	8.3%
MOTHERSON	105.0	10.3%	18,40,01,850	4.5%
ADANIENSOL	831.6	9.6%	1,98,24,075	0.3%
MAZDOCK	2934.5	9.4%	31,08,350	-6.0%
BDL	1571.3	8.3%	57,03,100	2.8%

#### **Weekly Price Losers**

Stock	Price	Chg (%)	Open Interest	Chg (%)
PATANJALI	594.1	-66.9%	3,08,16,000	202.4%
TRENT	5151.5	-7.0%	78,21,100	25.8%
BSE	2211.7	-5.1%	1,30,08,375	6.4%
CROMPTON	315.4	-4.0%	4,47,51,600	10.4%
JUBLFOOD	636.2	-3.5%	2,26,67,500	2.0%

- Stocks that saw significant increases in open interest (OI) and price gains were OFSS ,UPL ,GODREJCP and RVNL.
- Stocks that saw notable additions in open interest and price declines included PATANJALI, NUVAMA, AMBUJACEM and BAJAJ-AUTO.



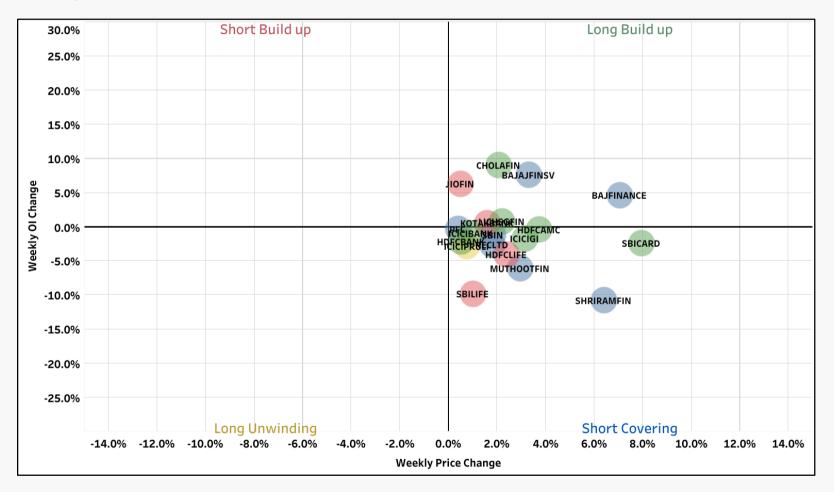
Fin Nifty Index	Since Inception Performance		Fin Nifty Index	Week-o	n-Week Perform	ance	
Date	11-Jan-21	12-Sep-25	% Diff.	Date	05-Sep-25	12-Sep-25	% Diff.
Futures Price	15,676.3	26,456.1	69%	Futures Price	26,004.1	26,456.1	1.7%
Open Interest	77,880.0	72,995.0	-6.3%	Open Interest	84,175.0	72,995.0	-13.3%



Fin Nifty futures posted a 1.7% gain last week, accompanied by a 13.3% drop in open interest indicating short covering.



# Weekly Scatter Plot of Price Direction v/s OI Trend



#### **Trade Ideas:**

- Buy ABCAPITAL September Futures in 293 289 range | SL 285 | Targets 303 & 309 (Long Build Up)
- Buy DRREDDY September Futures in 1309 1295 range | SL 1275 | Targets 1356 & 1383 (Long Build Up)



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