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Daily Derivatives

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Key Indices

Index	Close	Changes (%)
NIFTY	24252.00	0.47
SENSEX	77540.83	0.00
BANKNIFTY	57761.95	0.46
INDIA VIX	11.20	4.09

Market Outlook

In the Indian market, selling pressure remained intact during the last week, which dragged the key benchmark Nifty50 index towards the 24,000 zone. However, the index managed to hold above this crucial level and remained above the 100-DEMA zone, before settling the week with a decline of nearly half a percent at 24,252. The banking sector outperformed the broader market and ended the week with gains of 0.47%. On the derivative front, fresh Put writing was observed at the 24,000 strike, indicating an immediate downside cushion. While on the upside, major Call writing remain aligned with the 24,400 and 24,500 strikes, suggesting a strong overhead resistance zone that could cap the ongoing recovery.

TRADE IDEA OF THE DAY -

CUMMINSIND

BUY 25 AUG 5100 PUT	
Entry Range	15 – 18
Target	2
Stop Loss	50

Rationale

- CUMMINS INDIA continues to exhibit a bearish technical structure, characterized by a persistent sequence of lower highs and lower lows within a descending channel.
- The recent breakdown below key short and medium-term moving averages confirms deterioration in near-term trend strength and reflects sustained distribution.
- Price remains below the intermediate moving average, indicating increasing downside risk and weak demand.
- Momentum indicators remain negative, with RSI sustaining a bearish tone and MACD continuing to signal weakness.
- Failure to reclaim the channel's upper boundary further validates the prevailing negative bias.
- Unless the stock decisively recaptures key moving-average resistance on strong volume, the corrective trend is likely to persist, keeping sellers firmly in control.

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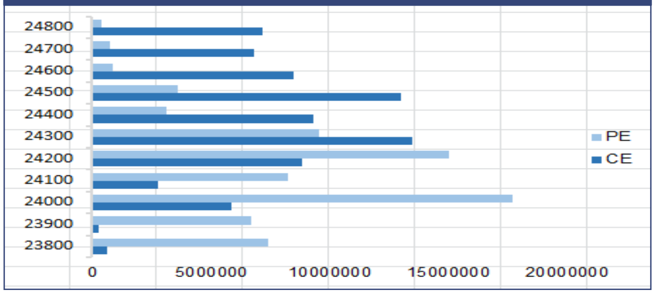
NIFTY

LTP (Future)	24288.00
OI (In Lots)	170984
CHANGE IN OI (%)	2.58
PRICE CHANGE (%)	-0.02

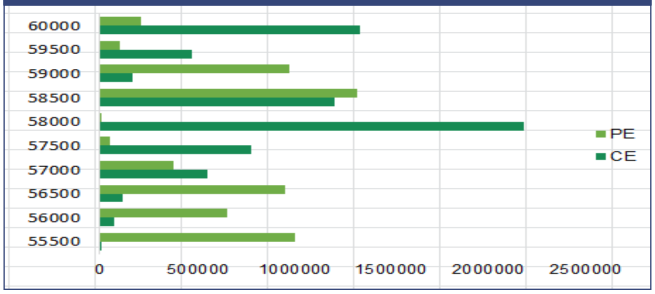
BANKNIFTY

LTP (Future)	57705.00
OI (In Lots)	62164
CHANGE IN OI (%)	-0.93
PRICE CHANGE (%)	0.12

NIFTY OI



BANKNIFTY OI



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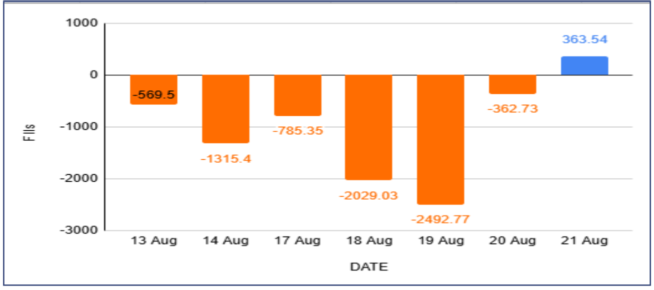

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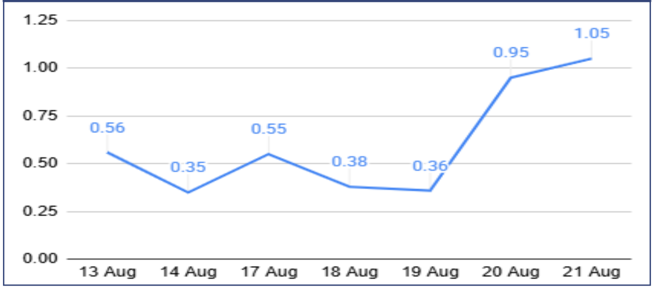

Long Buildup

Name	LTP	% Change	OI (Lots)	% OI Change
GODREJPROP	2033.4	0.06	23325	27.31
KOTAKBANK	401.05	0.53	67085	21.65
ICICIBANK	1420.5	0.66	87726	16.67
PREMIERENE	1052	0.70	9718	16.58

Short Buildup

Name	LTP	% Change	OI (Lots)	% OI Change
APOLLOHOSP	8644	-0.87	15259	22.12
BHARTIARTL	1948.1	-0.03	83221	21.70
AXISBANK	1245.6	-0.36	96708	18.87
CHOLAFIN	1859	-1.31	15876	17.84

Breakout Stocks (1 Month High)

Name	LTP	% Change	22 DAY HIGH
COFORGE	1878.1	3.1	1840.1
DIXON	14837	2.27	14560
MCX	3125	5.54	3068
DALBHARAT	1902.1	1.65	1885

Breakdown Stocks (1 Month Low)

Name	LTP	% Change	22 DAY LOW
PFC	364.85	-2.29	371.65
RECLTD	328.45	-2.54	333.15
GMRAIRPORT	100.5	-1.63	101.03
IOC	135.61	-0.62	136.27

NIFTY 50 - STOCKS KEY LEVELS

SYMBOL	R1*	R2*	LTP*	S1*	S2*
ADANIENT	3007	3020	2994.9	2986	2978
ADANIPORTS	1703	1710	1696	1685	1674
APOLLOHOSP	8789	8843	8735	8680	8626
ASIANPAINT	2642	2659	2625.2	2608	2590
AXISBANK	1258	1265	1251	1240	1229
BAJAJ-AUTO	11851	11908	11793	11678	11562
BAJAJFINSV	2026	2037	2016	2009	2003
BAJFINANCE	1103	1111	1095	1087	1079
BEL	412	415	409.4	406	403
BHARTIARTL	1952	1962	1941.7	1932	1923
CIPLA	1442	1447	1438	1431	1423
COALINDIA	405	408	402.5	398	393
DRREDDY	1185	1191	1180	1173	1166
EICHERMOT	8099	8155	8042	7984	7926
ETERNAL	331	333	327.95	323	319
GRASIM	3323	3347	3300	3263	3227
HCLTECH	1336	1354	1318.4	1309	1300
HDFCBANK	727	730	725.05	723	722
HDFCLIFE	545	547	542	538	534
HINDALCO	1048	1065	1029.85	1013	995
HINDUNILVR	2042	2055	2028	2016	2005
ICICIBANK	1416	1419	1411.9	1406	1400
INDIGO	5216	5267	5165	5133	5101
INFY	1141	1152	1130	1122	1114
ITC	274	276	271.65	267	263

*R1 - Resistance 1 | *R2 - Resistance 2 | *LTP – Last Traded Price | *S1 - Support 1 | *S2 - Support 2

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SYMBOL	R1*	R2*	LTP*	S1*	S2*
JIOFIN	247	249	244.6	243	242
JSWSTEEL	1313	1326	1299.7	1284	1268
KOTAKBANK	400	403	397.35	394	390
LT	4095	4108	4081	4058	4035
M&M	3454	3483	3424.8	3398	3372
MARUTI	13863	13917	13809	13718	13627
MAXHEALTH	1004	1010	997.9	990	982
NESTLEIND	1475	1492	1458	1448	1437
NTPC	340	342	337.5	335	332
ONGC	241	243	238.5	235	232
POWERGRID	267	269	264.8	263	261
RELIANCE	1317	1322	1313.2	1308	1303
SBILIFE	1791	1800	1782	1774	1766
SBIN	1052	1056	1048	1045	1042
SHRIRAMFIN	1137	1146	1128.2	1117	1106
SUNPHARMA	1914	1923	1904	1892	1881
TATACONSUM	1069	1081	1056.3	1050	1044
TATASTEEL	185	187	183.5	182	181
TCS	2322	2346	2298	2281	2264
TECHM	1605	1618	1592.1	1584	1576
TITAN	5099	5129	5068	5049	5029
TMPV	324	327	320.25	318	315
TRENT	2983	2996	2970	2952	2934
ULTRACEMCO	11671	11768	11575	11450	11326
WIPRO	182	183	181	180	179

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