



Daily Derivatives Report



| Nifty Futures | | Bank Nifty Futures | | | | Volatility Insights | | | |
|--------------------------|-------------|--------------------|--------------------------|-----------|----------|-----------------------|-------|--------|--|
| | Value | Change | | Value | Change | | Value | Change | |
| Most recent settlement | 25,036 | 0.4%▼ | Most recent settlement | 55,687 | 0.1%▼ | India VIX Index | 18.02 | 0.52▼ | |
| Open Interest (OI) | 1,97,39,400 | 3.1%▲ | Open interest (OI) | 21,75,665 | 5.9%▲ | Nifty ATM IV (%) | 20.79 | 4.1 ▼ | |
| Change in OI (abs) | 1,97,39,400 | 6,01,650 | Change in OI (abs) | 21,75,665 | 1,27,020 | Bank Nifty ATM IV (%) | 24.46 | 6.2▼ | |
| Premium / Discount (Abs) | 40 | 26▼ | Premium / Discount (Abs) | 115 | 91▼ | PCR (Nifty) | 0.76 | 0.06▼ | |
| Inference | Short Bui | ld Up | Inference | Short E | Build Up | PCR (Bank Nifty) | 0.85 | 0.01 🛡 | |

The Long Ratio for FII Index Futures slide at 28.8%, down from 31.3% in the last session..

Single Stock Futures Movers

| Long Build | Long Buildup (Open Interest Higher + Price Higher) | | | | Short Buildup (Open Interest Higher + Price Lower) | | | | |) |
|------------|--|---------|--------|---------|--|------------|---------------|---------|--------|---------|
| Symbol | Open Interest | Chg (%) | Price | Chg (%) | | Symbol | Open Interest | Chg (%) | Price | Chg (%) |
| LICI | 82,22,050 | 46.9% | 941.85 | 8.1% | | ITC | 12,90,27,200 | 17.5% | 420.95 | -1.4% |
| INDIANB | 62,87,450 | 10.1% | 608.15 | 1.6% | | IRCTC | 1,71,72,750 | 12.5% | 775.1 | -2.4% |
| HINDPETRO | 4,76,15,850 | 6.2% | 417.6 | 1.7% | | CHAMBLFERT | 1,06,56,150 | 9.2% | 583.9 | -2.2% |
| MANAPPURAM | 3,65,10,000 | 6.2% | 232.57 | 0.4% | | CESC | 2,03,11,100 | 8.3% | 167.16 | -0.7% |
| CYIENT | 35,19,125 | 6.1% | 1347.3 | 0.1% | | ABFRL | 4,00,63,400 | 7.1% | 87 | -1.4% |

| Short Cove | Short Covering (Open Interest Lower + Price Higher) | | | | | | | | | |
|------------|---|---------|--------|---------|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Symbol | Open Interest | Chg (%) | Price | Chg (%) | | | | | | |
| KEI | 11,66,125 | -12.5% | 3633.8 | 2.8% | | | | | | |
| CAMS | 18,22,900 | -11.3% | 3982.1 | 0.1% | | | | | | |
| HFCL | 7,44,68,050 | -10.3% | 87.7 | 0.3% | | | | | | |
| IGL | 1,97,69,750 | -8.3% | 213.27 | 3.3% | | | | | | |
| MARICO | 1,95,32,400 | -7.1% | 717.85 | 0.3% | | | | | | |

| Long Unwinding (Open Interest Lower + Price Lower) | | | | | | | | | |
|--|---------------|---------|--------|---------|--|--|--|--|--|
| Symbol | Open Interest | Chg (%) | Price | Chg (%) | | | | | |
| ESCORTS | 2,03,100 | -60.2% | 3370.2 | -4.6% | | | | | |
| MRF | 24,300 | -29.9% | 142710 | -0.9% | | | | | |
| APOLLOTYRE | 23,18,800 | -28.5% | 495.35 | -0.1% | | | | | |
| DEEPAKNTR | 4,53,000 | -28.4% | 1999.6 | -2.2% | | | | | |
| RAMCOCEM | 39,49,100 | -14.0% | 956.6 | -1.7% | | | | | |

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Open Interest Trends by Participant

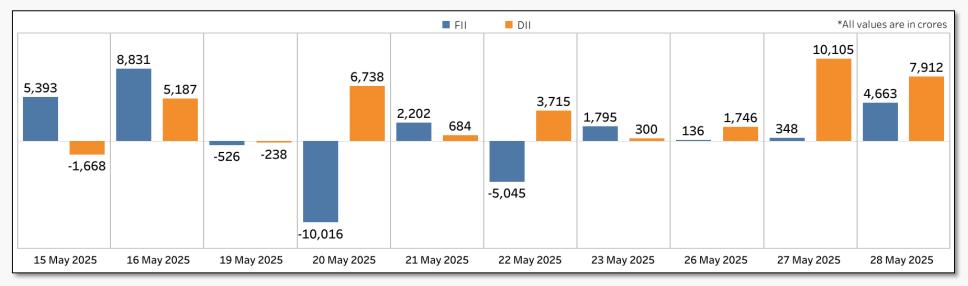
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|---------------------------------------|--|---------------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|---|-------------------------------------|---|
| INDEX CALL | INDEX FUT | INDEX PUT | STK FUT | INDEX CALL | INDEX FUT | II INDEX PUT | STK FUT |
| -283,760 🔻 | 4,539 | -371,230 🔻 | -31,235 🔻 | 0 | -20,152 🔻 | 293 | 58,140 |
| 20,877 | | 86,390 | | 0 0 | 22,838 | 0 | 16,833 |
| -262,883 | -11,568 -16,107 | -284,840 | -62,569 -31,334 | | | -293 | -41,307 |
| Net O/S 119,379 Today Prev Day | Net O/S - <mark>78,987</mark> Today Prev Day | Net O/S 163,025 Today Prev Day | Net O/S 1,705,430 Today Prev Day | Net O/S 70 Today Prev Day | Net O/S 12,475 Today Prev Day | Net O/S 45,335 Today Prev Day | Net O/S - <mark>3,873,490</mark> Today Prev Day |
| | | ents | | | Pi | | |
| INDEX CALL | INDEX FUT | INDEX PUT | STK FUT | INDEX CALL | INDEX FUT | INDEX PUT | STK FUT |
| 493,869 🛦 | -862 🔻 | 541,017 🔺 | -22,608 🔻 | -210,109 🔻 | 16,475 🔺 | -170,082 🔻 | -4,297 🔻 |
| 442,607 | | 393,817 | | 30,385 | 2,250 | 61,104 | 3,795 |
| | 6,632 7,494 | | 46,238 68,846 | | -14,225 | | -502 |
| -51,262 | | -147,200 | | -179,724 | | -108,978 | |
| Net O/S -146,421 Today Prev Day | Net O/S 72,443 Today Prev Day | Net O/S -226,845 Today Prev Day | Net O/S 1,907,871 Today Prev Day | Net O/S 26,972 Today Prev Day | Net O/S - <mark>5,931</mark> Today Prev Day | Net O/S 18,485 Today Prev Day | Net O/S 260,189 Today Prev Day |



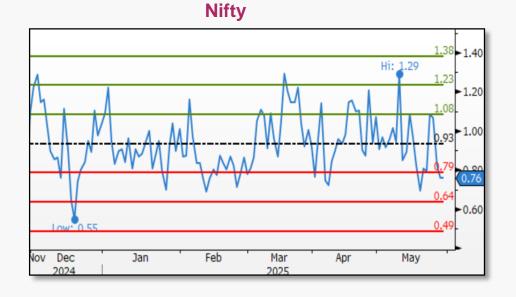
Daily Net Open Interest Change

| | | | | | | | *All values are in cror |
|--------|-------------------------|----------|----------|---------|----------|---------------|-------------------------|
| INDEX | INDEX FUTURES INDEX OPT | | OPTIONS | STOCK F | UTURES | STOCK OPTIONS | |
| 88 | 39▲ | -117,491 | | -1,499 | | -7,179 | |
| | | | 18,706 | | | | 3,487 |
| -2,100 | -2,989 | -98,785 | | -3,813 | -2,315 | -3,692 | |
| Today | Prev Day | Today | Prev Day | Today | Prev Day | Today | Prev Day |

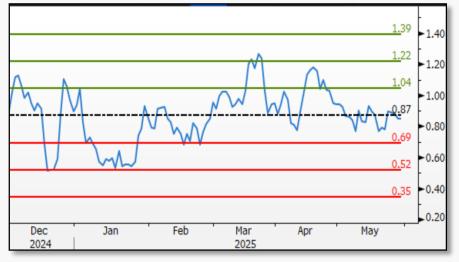
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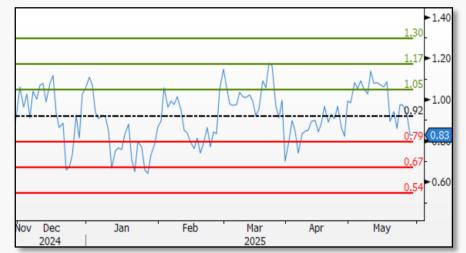




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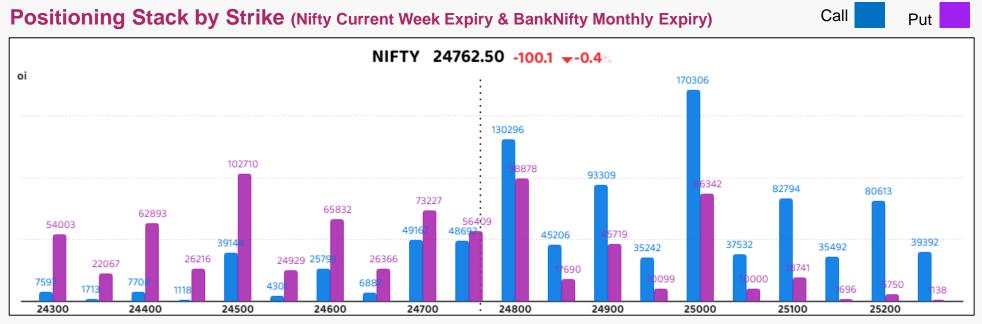


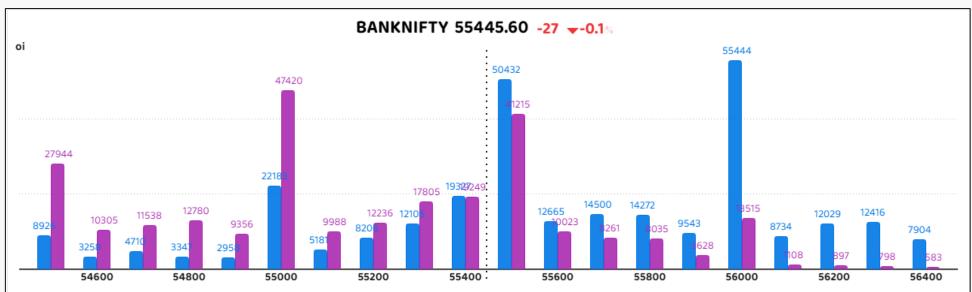
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Options Strike Concentration





For the Nifty, the 25,000 Call and the 24,500 Put had the highest call and put concentration (contracts). For the Bank Nifty, the 56,000 Call and the 55,000 Put saw the most amount of open interest.

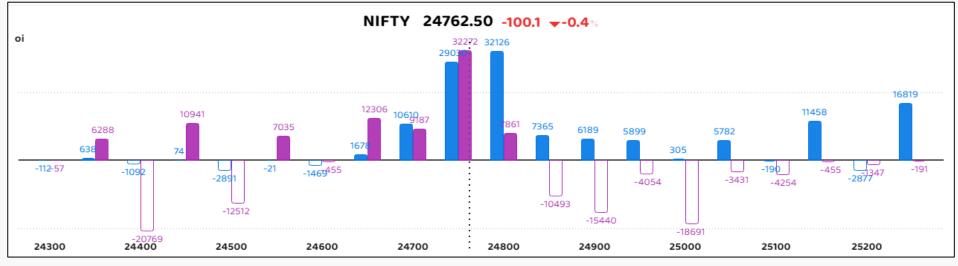
Chart quotes show front-month Nifty and Bank Nifty futures levels along with absolute and percentage change from prior trading session



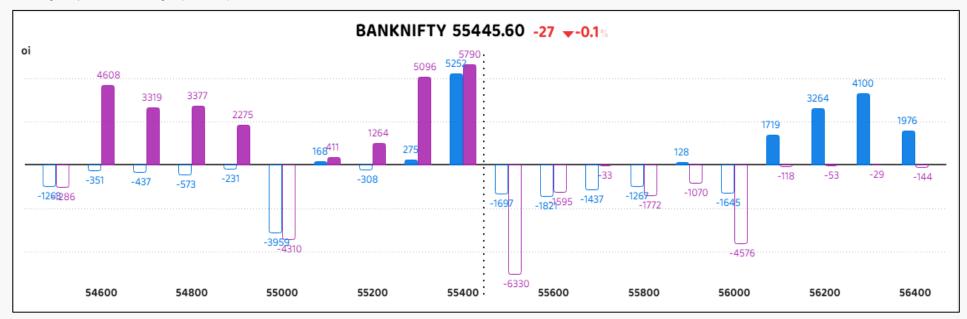
Call

Put

Open Interest Change (Nifty Current Week Expiry & BankNifty Monthly Expiry)



The largest open interest changes (contracts) were seen at the 24,800 Call and the 24,750 Put



For the Bank Nifty, the biggest open interest changes were seen at the 55,400 Call & the 55,500 Put



Stocks with High IVR:

| Ticker | Last Px | Chg (%) | 30d IV | 30d IV High | 30d IV Low | IVR (1m/1y) |
|------------------|---------|---------|--------|-------------|------------|-------------|
| DEEPAK NITRITE | 2000.1 | -1.9 | 62.9 | 64.2 | 21.4 | 96.9 |
| ESCORTS KUBOTA L | 3373 | -4.5 | 41.8 | 44.2 | 22.7 | 88.9 |
| BAJAJ AUTO LTD | 8849 | -1.3 | 31.1 | 36.4 | 2.1 | 84.6 |
| DIXON TECHNOLOGI | 14816 | -1.8 | 41.3 | 53.0 | 1.8 | 77.2 |
| BIRLASOFT LTD | 423.3 | 1.9 | 42.2 | 52.7 | 10.1 | 75.4 |

Stocks with Low IVR:

| Ticker | Last Px | Chg (%) | 30d IV | 30d IV High | 30d IV Low | IVR (1m/1y) |
|------------------|---------|---------|--------|-------------|------------|-------------|
| INDIAN RENEWABLE | 173.6 | -0.9 | 41.9 | 69.2 | 41.9 | 0.0 |
| ADANI GREEN ENER | 1001.85 | -1.1 | 43.1 | 74.3 | 43.1 | 0.0 |
| TATA STEEL LTD | 161.24 | -0.3 | 7.9 | 110.0 | 5.6 | 2.2 |
| BANK OF BARODA | 243.03 | 0.6 | 25.9 | 66.9 | 24.3 | 3.8 |
| INDIAN OIL CORP | 144.2 | 0.6 | 24.9 | 51.7 | 23.7 | 4.4 |



Stocks With High IVP:

| Ticker | Last Px | Chg (%) | 30d IV | 30d IV High | 30d IV Low | IVP (1m/1y) |
|------------------|---------|---------|--------|-------------|------------|-------------|
| DEEPAK NITRITE | 2000.1 | -1.9 | 62.9 | 64.2 | 21.4 | 100.0 |
| ESCORTS KUBOTA L | 3373 | -4.5 | 41.8 | 44.2 | 22.7 | 99.1 |
| ADITYA BIRLA FAS | 87 | -1.1 | 41.4 | 66.6 | 9.9 | 92.3 |
| RBL BANK LTD | 207.49 | -1.6 | 53.3 | 79.2 | 13.3 | 92.0 |
| BAJAJ AUTO LTD | 8849 | -1.3 | 31.1 | 36.4 | 2.1 | 90.7 |

Stocks With Low IVP:

| Ticker | Last Px | Chg (%) | 30d IV | 30d IV High | 30d IV Low | IVP (1m/1y) |
|------------------|---------|---------|--------|-------------|------------|-------------|
| INDIAN RENEWABLE | 173.6 | -0.9 | 41.9 | 69.2 | 41.9 | 0.0 |
| ADANI GREEN ENER | 1001.85 | -1.1 | 43.1 | 74.3 | 43.1 | 0.0 |
| TATA STEEL LTD | 161.24 | -0.3 | 7.9 | 110.0 | 5.6 | 0.7 |
| MANAPPURAM FINAN | 232.08 | 0.1 | 9.7 | 64.2 | 2.7 | 2.2 |
| PAGE INDUSTRIES | 46095 | -1.5 | 17.4 | 39.9 | 13.0 | 3.7 |



Stocks With High Call Volume To Put Volume

| Ticker | Last Px | Chg (%) | Total Call Vol | Total Put Vol | Call to Put Vol |
|------------------|---------|---------|----------------|---------------|-----------------|
| INDIAN BANK | 608.15 | 1.8 | 14542 | 2816 | 5.2 |
| SYNGENE INTERNAT | 650.25 | -0.6 | 5674 | 1195 | 4.8 |
| ADITYA BIRLA FAS | 87 | -1.1 | 4735 | 1078 | 4.4 |
| IRB INFRASTRUCTU | 51.78 | 1.2 | 5337 | 1272 | 4.2 |
| YES BANK LTD | 21.11 | -0.1 | 8432 | 2013 | 4.2 |

Stocks With High Put Volume To Call Volume

| Ticker | Last Px | Chg (%) | Total Call Vol | Total Put Vol | Put to Call Vol |
|------------------|---------|---------|----------------|---------------|-----------------|
| PHOENIX MILLS | 1590.1 | -1.5 | 2222 | 4113 | 1.9 |
| PIDILITE INDS | 3001 | -0.9 | 1945 | 3162 | 1.6 |
| SHREE CEMENT | 29895 | -3.4 | 35156 | 54815 | 1.6 |
| IIFL FINANCE LTD | 421.5 | 1.0 | 2532 | 3534 | 1.4 |
| MAX FINANCIAL SE | 1503.5 | 1.3 | 3945 | 5245 | 1.3 |



Call Open Interest Relative to Record High

| Ticker | Last Px | Chg (%) | Total Call OI | Highest Call OI | Relative to Highest Call OI |
|------------------|---------|---------|---------------|-----------------|-----------------------------|
| CUMMINS INDIA | 2976.1 | 0.1 | 16739 | 16739 | 100.0 |
| LIC INSURANCE CO | 942 | 8.1 | 24270 | 24270 | 100.0 |
| TATA TECHNOLOGIE | 757.6 | -2.0 | 13053 | 13547 | 96.4 |
| INDIAN BANK | 608.15 | 1.8 | 4237 | 4436 | 95.5 |
| VODAFONE IDEA LT | 7.12 | 2.3 | 43640 | 47601 | 91.7 |

Put Open Interest Relative to Record High

| Ticker | Last Px | Chg (%) | Total Put OI | Highest Put OI | Relative to Highest Put OI |
|------------------|---------|---------|--------------|----------------|----------------------------|
| TATA TECHNOLOGIE | 757.6 | -2.0 | 9029 | 9029 | 100.0 |
| CENTRAL DEPOSITO | 1519.3 | 3.6 | 19694 | 19694 | 100.0 |
| JIO FINANCIAL SE | 290.35 | -0.4 | 24840 | 24840 | 100.0 |
| TUBE INVESTMENTS | 3016.2 | -0.9 | 3617 | 3617 | 100.0 |
| SBI LIFE INSURAN | 1807.4 | 0.2 | 11828 | 11828 | 100.0 |



Call Volume Relative to Record High

| Ticker | Last Px | Chg (%) | Total Call Vol | Highest CV | Relative to Highest CV |
|------------------|---------|---------|----------------|------------|------------------------|
| JIO FINANCIAL SE | 290.35 | -0.4 | 104205 | 104205 | 100.0 |
| LIC INSURANCE CO | 942 | 8.1 | 307626 | 307626 | 100.0 |

Put Volume Relative to Record High

| Ticker | Last Px | Chg (%) | Total Put Vol | Highest PV | Relative to Highest PV |
|------------------|---------|---------|---------------|------------|------------------------|
| LIC INSURANCE CO | 942 | 8.1 | 105517 | 105517 | 100.0 |
| JIO FINANCIAL SE | 290.35 | -0.4 | 46245 | 49288 | 93.8 |



Call Open Interest to 20-day Average

| Ticker | Last Px | Chg (%) | Total Call OI | Avg OI Call 20D | 20D Call OI Ratio |
|------------------|---------|---------|---------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| LIC INSURANCE CO | 942 | 8.1 | 24270 | 5975 | 4.1 |
| SOLAR INDUSTRIES | 16113 | 1.4 | 10388 | 4256 | 2.4 |
| BALKRISHNA INDS | 2478 | 0.0 | 7114 | 3018 | 2.4 |
| BOSCH LTD | 31630 | -2.6 | 4352 | 1969 | 2.2 |
| INDIAN RAILWAY C | 776.35 | -2.1 | 17652 | 8315 | 2.1 |

Put Open Interest to 20-day Average

| Ticker | Last Px | Chg (%) | Total Put OI | Avg OI Put 20D | 20D Put OI Ratio |
|------------------|---------|---------|--------------|----------------|------------------|
| LIC INSURANCE CO | 942 | 8.1 | 14616 | 4022 | 3.6 |
| SOLAR INDUSTRIES | 16113 | 1.4 | 11441 | 3968 | 2.9 |
| BALKRISHNA INDS | 2478 | 0.0 | 4984 | 2130 | 2.3 |
| SUPREME INDS LTD | 4253.8 | 1.3 | 2877 | 1623 | 1.8 |
| MAX FINANCIAL SE | 1503.5 | 1.3 | 4265 | 2443 | 1.7 |



Call Volume Relative to 20-day Average

| Ticker | Last Px | Chg (%) | Total Call Vol | Avg Vol Cal 20D | 20D Call Vol Ratio |
|------------------|---------|---------|----------------|-----------------|--------------------|
| BOSCH LTD | 31630 | -2.6 | 27562 | 3407 | 8.1 |
| MANAPPURAM FINAN | 232.08 | 0.1 | 16460 | 2660 | 6.2 |
| HINDUSTAN COPPER | 248.48 | 1.4 | 24674 | 4847 | 5.1 |
| SHREE CEMENT | 29895 | -3.4 | 35156 | 7488 | 4.7 |
| CUMMINS INDIA | 2976.1 | 0.1 | 39622 | 12487 | 3.2 |

Put Volume Relative to 20-day Average

| Ticker | Last Px | Chg (%) | Total Put Vol | Avg Vol Put 20D | 20D Put Vol Ratio |
|------------------|---------|---------|---------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| SHREE CEMENT | 29895 | -3.4 | 54815 | 5450 | 10.1 |
| BOSCH LTD | 31630 | -2.6 | 14353 | 1615 | 8.9 |
| MANAPPURAM FINAN | 232.08 | 0.1 | 12713 | 2107 | 6.0 |
| HINDUSTAN COPPER | 248.48 | 1.4 | 8490 | 1963 | 4.3 |
| GRANULES INDIA | 522.4 | -1.2 | 10535 | 2778 | 3.8 |



Nifty 50 Constituents Open Interest (OI) Dashboard – Support / Resistance

Distance of Strike With Highest Open Interest From Current Market Price (%)

| Stock Name | CE STRIKE | CE OI | %Away | CMP | PE Strike | PE OI | %Away | Stock Name | CE STRIKE | CE OI | %Away | CMP | PE Strike | PE OI | %Away |
|------------|------------------|----------|-------|------|-----------|---------|--------|------------|------------------|----------|-------|-------|-----------|----------|--------|
| ADANIENT | 2600 | 1233600 | 3.4% | 2515 | 2400 | 510600 | -4.6% | ITC | 440 | 9305600 | 4.7% | 420 | 420 | 2318400 | 0.0% |
| ADANIPORTS | 1400 | 1166400 | -0.8% | 1411 | 1400 | 1034800 | -0.8% | JIOFIN | 300 | 5808000 | 3.3% | 290 | 250 | 3164700 | -13.9% |
| APOLLOHOSP | 7000 | 172875 | 0.6% | 6957 | 6150 | 89500 | -11.6% | JSWSTEEL | 1050 | 976725 | 4.9% | 1001 | 970 | 890325 | -3.1% |
| ASIANPAINT | 2500 | 598800 | 8.5% | 2303 | 2300 | 476800 | -0.1% | KOTAKBANK | 2200 | 1092400 | 6.1% | 2074 | 2100 | 390800 | 1.2% |
| AXISBANK | 1220 | 2996250 | 2.1% | 1195 | 1200 | 1606875 | 0.4% | LT | 3500 | 822750 | -4.0% | 3646 | 3600 | 552000 | -1.3% |
| BAJAJ-AUTO | 9000 | 147300 | 1.7% | 8849 | 8600 | 83250 | -2.8% | M&M | 3300 | 811825 | 10.1% | 2998 | 2900 | 372400 | -3.3% |
| BAJAJFINSV | 2100 | 2455000 | 3.8% | 2022 | 2000 | 431000 | -1.1% | MARUTI | 13000 | 322550 | 5.4% | 12331 | 12000 | 215650 | -2.7% |
| BAJFINANCE | 9500 | 407750 | 2.5% | 9268 | 9000 | 322125 | -2.9% | NESTLEIND | 2500 | 354000 | 3.3% | 2419 | 2440 | 127400 | 0.9% |
| BEL | 400 | 6985350 | 2.4% | 390 | 380 | 4907700 | -2.7% | NTPC | 350 | 13060500 | 2.9% | 340 | 345 | 3900000 | 1.5% |
| BHARTIARTL | 1900 | 2824825 | 2.4% | 1856 | 1840 | 1542325 | -0.9% | ONGC | 250 | 10433500 | 3.0% | 243 | 240 | 5661425 | -1.1% |
| CIPLA | 1600 | 1326000 | 9.0% | 1469 | 1300 | 430950 | -11.5% | POWERGRID | 330 | 4161600 | 13.3% | 291 | 320 | 1101600 | 9.9% |
| COALINDIA | 410 | 3725400 | 3.0% | 398 | 390 | 2251200 | -2.1% | RELIANCE | 1450 | 7069000 | 2.6% | 1413 | 1350 | 2946500 | -4.5% |
| DRREDDY | 1240 | 1461875 | -0.2% | 1243 | 1150 | 614375 | -7.5% | SBILIFE | 1780 | 1616250 | -1.5% | 1807 | 1780 | 769875 | -1.5% |
| EICHERMOT | 5700 | 208600 | 7.0% | 5327 | 4500 | 135975 | -15.5% | SBIN | 820 | 8740500 | 2.9% | 797 | 800 | 3003000 | 0.4% |
| ETERNAL | 240 | 10460000 | 7.1% | 224 | 230 | 5542000 | 2.6% | SHRIRAMFIN | 700 | 1615500 | 6.8% | 656 | 600 | 1191750 | -8.5% |
| GRASIM | 2740 | 307000 | 6.3% | 2578 | 2340 | 126000 | -9.2% | SUNPHARMA | 1700 | 2333100 | 2.0% | 1666 | 1600 | 624750 | -4.0% |
| HCLTECH | 1700 | 1239700 | 2.6% | 1657 | 1580 | 662550 | -4.7% | TATACONSUM | 1300 | 752400 | 15.9% | 1121 | 1100 | 443232 | -1.9% |
| HDFCBANK | 1980 | 4414850 | 2.9% | 1924 | 1920 | 1888150 | -0.2% | TATAMOTORS | 740 | 4942300 | 3.1% | 718 | 700 | 2896850 | -2.5% |
| HDFCLIFE | 760 | 1806200 | -3.7% | 789 | 750 | 1853500 | -5.0% | TATASTEEL | 160 | 15961000 | -0.8% | 161 | 155 | 11473000 | -3.9% |
| HEROMOTOCO | 4500 | 323100 | 3.2% | 4362 | 3900 | 198900 | -10.6% | TCS | 3600 | 807800 | 2.9% | 3498 | 3400 | 364000 | -2.8% |
| HINDALCO | 700 | 2672600 | 7.7% | 650 | 630 | 834400 | -3.1% | TECHM | 1600 | 728400 | 1.2% | 1580 | 1580 | 496800 | 0.0% |
| HINDUNILVR | 2400 | 728100 | 1.6% | 2362 | 2400 | 362700 | 1.6% | TITAN | 3500 | 231000 | -2.1% | 3575 | 3500 | 217175 | -2.1% |
| ICICIBANK | 1460 | 4017300 | 0.4% | 1454 | 1400 | 1367800 | -3.7% | TRENT | 5700 | 323700 | 2.5% | 5559 | 5100 | 226100 | -8.3% |
| INDUSINDBK | 850 | 2723000 | 5.6% | 805 | 750 | 1900000 | -6.8% | ULTRACEMCO | 12500 | 142100 | 11.2% | 11238 | 10000 | 89100 | -11.0% |
| INFY | 1600 | 2492400 | 1.8% | 1572 | 1500 | 988000 | -4.6% | WIPRO | 300 | 9783000 | 21.2% | 247 | 250 | 2379000 | 1.0% |

If distance to call strike from current market price < distance to put strike from current market price, then the %Away for the call strike will be colored green If distance to put strike from current market price < distance to call strike from current market price, then the %Away for the put strike will be colored red If distance to call strike from current market price = distance to put strike from current market price, then the %Away columns will be uncolored



- Open interest **goes up** when **both** the buyer and the seller are **opening a new position**
- Open interest remains the same when one party is opening a new position and the other is liquidating an existing position
- Open interest falls when both the buyer and the seller are liquidating existing positions
- Long build up: Prices increase with a rise in open interest and is considered bullish
- Long liquidation: Existing longs liquidate their positions and open interest also falls; moderately bearish
- Short build up: Prices drop with a rise in open interest, and this is considered bearish
- Short covering: Existing shorts cover their positions, and open interest drop; this is moderately bullish
- PCR goes up when 1) both put and call open interest go up, but puts rise faster, or 2) both put and call open interest go down, but calls fall faster or, 3) when puts go up and calls go down
- Generally, a **rising PCR is bearish**, but when it reaches an extremely **high** reading, it means people are likely to take contrarian bets, i.e., they are likely to turn **bullish**
- PCR goes down when 1) both put and call open interest go up, but calls rise faster, or 2) both put and call open interest go down, but puts fall faster or, 3) when puts go down and calls go up
- Typically, a **falling PCR is bullish**, but when it reaches an extremely **low** reading, it means people are likely to take contrarian bets, i.e., they are likely to turn **bearish**

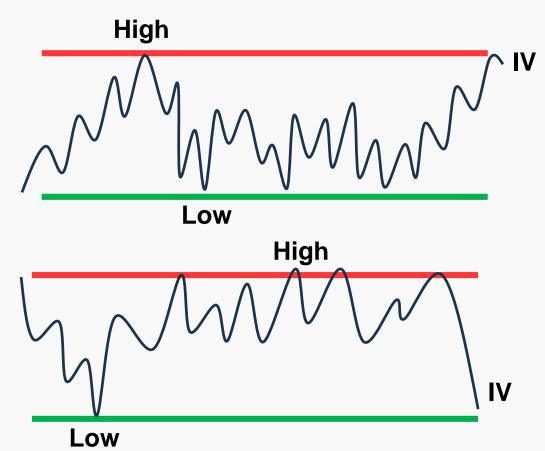
*ATM IV is the midpoint of the IV for the ATM call and put respectively



- Volume: Number of contracts traded for the day. If A bought 10 calls & B sold 10 calls, the volume for the day is 10 contracts
- **Open Interest:** The number of derivatives contracts that are open (have not been closed out). If A bought 10 calls, B bought another 10 calls and C sold 20 calls, then the open interest for the day is 20 contracts
- **Total open interest:** Total of all open positions for all available expirations. It is the sum of all outstanding long positions OR short positions. This is because the total number of long positions must equal the total number of short positions
- **Premium:** When the front-month futures are more expensive than the cash market price. For instance, if Nifty futures (first month contract) are at 25,500 when the cash Nifty is at 25,450, the premium is 50 points
- **Discount:** When the front-month futures are cheaper than the cash market price. For instance, if Tata Steel futures (first month contract) are at 160 when the stock is trading at 162 in the cash market, the discount is 2 points
- At-the-Money (ATM): When the strike price of an option is the same as the spot price, the option is called an ATM option
- Implied Volatility (IV): Measure of how much a stock is expected to move in the future (in either direction)
- Put-Call Ratio (PCR): Ratio of total number of outstanding puts to total number of calls outstanding. If this ratio is more (less) than one, it means more puts (calls) are open relative to calls (puts)
- **Derivatives market participants:** Foreign Institutional Investors (FIIs), Domestic Institutional Investors (DIIs), proprietary traders and Retail investors
- Derivatives Instruments: Index options, index futures, stock options, stock futures
- Expirations covered: Index options (weekly, monthly), stock options, stock futures and index futures (monthly)
- For pages 7 to 11, "Last px" refers to the closing price of the cash market ticker
- Source(s): <u>www.nseindia.com</u>, Bloomberg, MyFnO



- Strike concentration: Visual representation of how many calls and puts are outstanding at each strike in the vicinity of the current underlying price. The strike with the highest call open interest is considered as resistance, while the put strike with the highest number of outstanding positions is considered as support
- Shifting concentration: Strikes with highest call and put concentration are dynamic in nature and keep changing as per movements in the markets
- Implied Volatility Rank (IVR): Measure of how expensive or cheap the IV of an ATM option is, relative to its 12-month history. The reading oscillates between 0 and 100



Assume the wavy line is IV over the last one year. Notice that today's IV is close to the highest high seen in the last one year. This means that IV for this option is expensive compared to where it's been in the last 12 months.

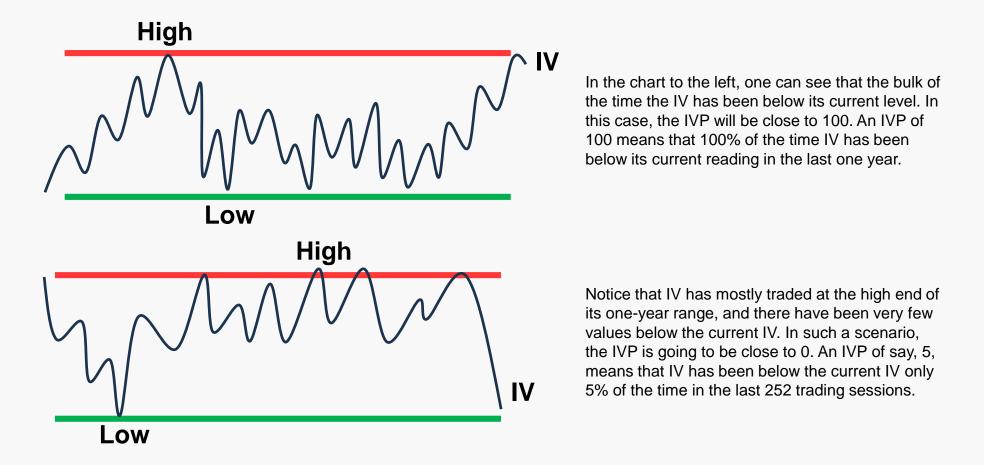
In this chart, notice that today's IV is close to the lowest low seen in the last 12 months. This means that IV for this option is cheap today compared to where it has traded over the last one year.

Appendix



Appendix

• Implied Volatility Percentile (IVP): Measures the number of days IV has been below the current IV in the last 252 trading days. The reading moves between 0 and 100.





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