

## **August Market Pulse: Monthly Investment Insights**

- FII Strategy Shift: Buying in Equity Markets After a strategic shift in the second half of August, FIIs turned buyers in the domestic equity market, recording net purchases of ₹7,322 Crs. Notably, ₹12,872 Crs was channeled into primary markets, such as IPOs, signaling their confidence in new opportunities.
- FIIs Boost Indian Debt Market in 2024's Best Year Yet FIIs have demonstrated strong confidence in the Indian debt market, making a significant investment of ₹17,953 Crs in August alone. With total debt inflows reaching ₹108,907 Crs in 2024 so far, this year is shaping up to be a record-breaking one for FII debt investments.
- DIIs Accelerate Buying Surge in August Domestic Institutional Investors (DIIs) displayed robust buying interest in August, with total investments surging to ₹48,279 Crs.
- ♦ Mutual Funds Extend Equity Buying Streak Mutual Funds continued their buying streak in August, injecting ₹31,685 Crs into the domestic equity markets.
- FIIs Offload Heavily in Financial Services and Key Sectors Despite being net buyers in August, FIIs executed substantial selloffs in the Financial Services sector, unloading a hefty ₹12,008 Crs from Financial Services. Other sectors facing significant FII exits included Metals & Mining, Construction Materials, Automobiles & Auto Components, Realty and Power.
- FIIs Maintain Investment in Defensive and Growth Sectors FIIs showed a strong preference for investments in the Healthcare, Information Technology, Consumer Durables, Consumer Services, FMCG, Oil & Gas and Telecommunication sectors in August.

## **Monthly Investment Insights**

Tracking Flows by Market Participants							
Market Participants	For the month of August		Jan-Aug, 2024				
	Equity (Crs)	Debt (Crs)	Equity (Crs)	Debt (Crs)			
FII	7,322	17,953	42,881	108,907			
DII	48,279	-	308,752	-			
Mutual Funds	31,685	(52,470)	247,462	(217,234)			

\*DII investments include MFs Investments.

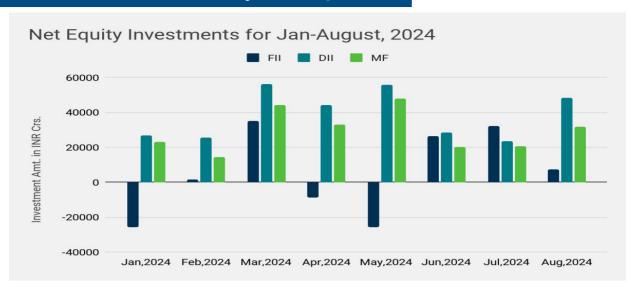
Sector-Wise FII Equity Purchases in August				
Sector	Amount (Crs)			
Healthcare	5,831			
Consumer Durables	4,713			
Consumer Services	4,158			
Information Technology	4,036			
Fast Moving Consumer Goods	3,600			
Services	2,163			
Telecommunication	2,061			

Sector-Wise FII Equity Sales in August		
Sector	Amount (Crs)	
Financial Services	-12,008	
Metals & Mining	-3,773	
Automobile and Auto Components	-2,379	
Realty	-1,166	
<b>Construction Materials</b>	-1142	
Power	-1136	
Construction	-758	

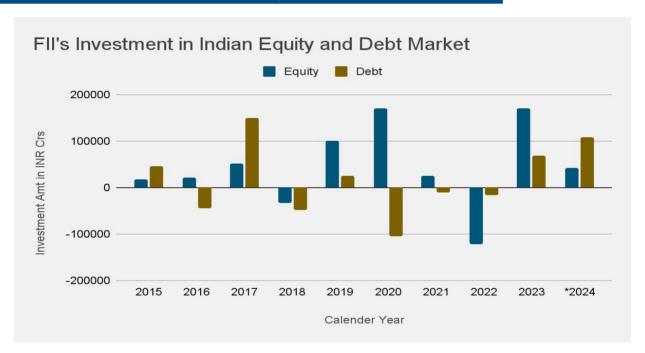
Source: NSDL, SEBI



## **Equity Investment Breakdown by Participant**



## FII's Strategic Investments in Equity and Debt Markets



Sector-Wise FII Equity Purchases from Jan-Aug, 24			
Sector	Amount (Crs)		
Consumer Services	29,474		
Telecommunication	29,206		
Capital Goods	25,461		
Healthcare	17,525		
Services	11,747		
Realty	9,446		
Automobile and Auto Components	7,685		

Sector-Wise FII Equity Sales from Jan-Aug, 24				
Sector	Amount (Crs)			
Financial Services	-64,932			
Construction	-11,397			
Oil, Gas & Consumable Fuels	-10,084			
Fast Moving Consumer Goods	-9,315			
Power	-5048			
Media, Entertainment & Publication	-2361			
Metals & Mining	-1743			

\*For CY 2024, all data considered till 31st August. DII investments include MFs

Source: NSDL, SEBI