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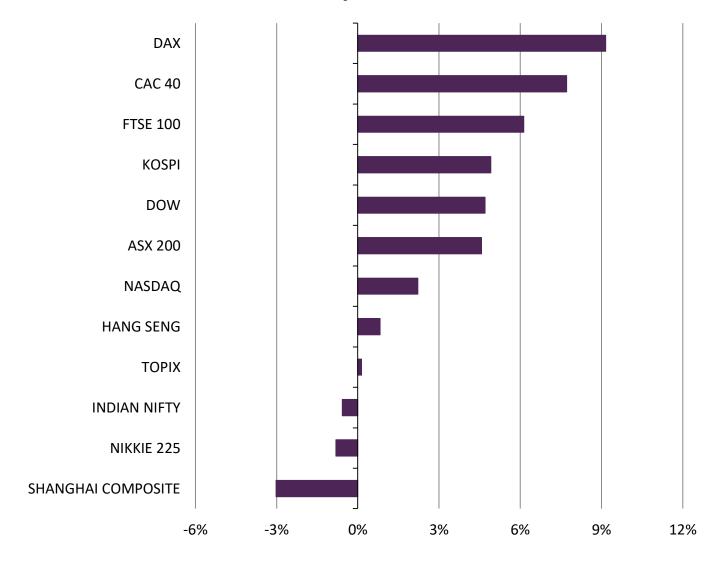
Advice for a select few



Equity Investing: Global Markets Update



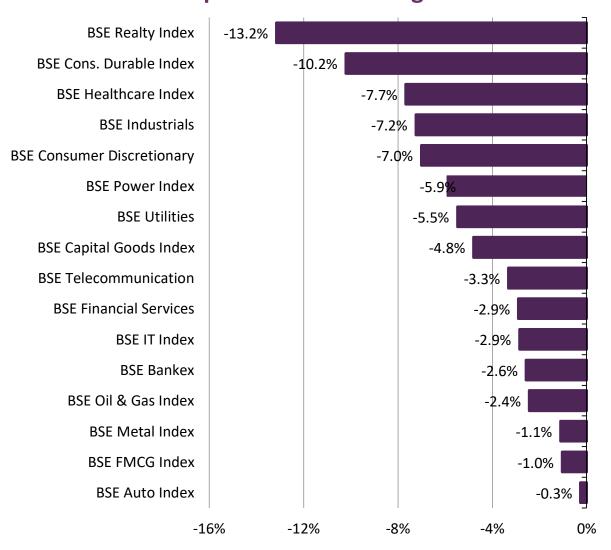
Global Markets performance in Jan-25



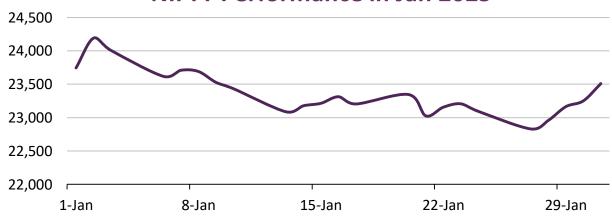
Equity Investing: *Monthly musings*



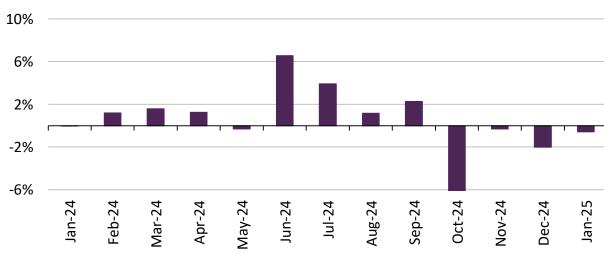
Sector wise performance during the month



NIFTY Performance in Jan 2025

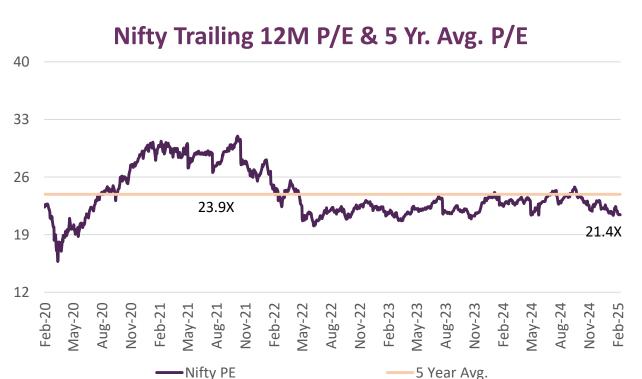


NIFTY monthly performance for trailing 12 months

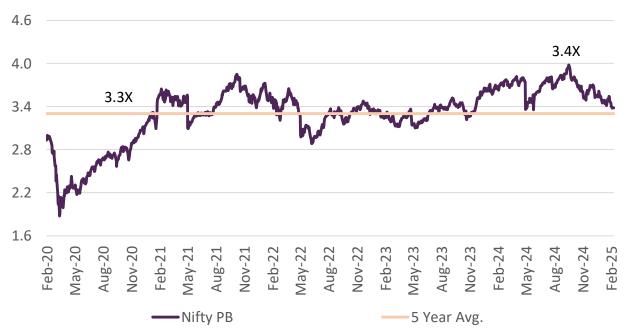


Equity Investing: *Index valuations*





Nifty Trailing 12M P/B & 5 Yr. Avg. P/B

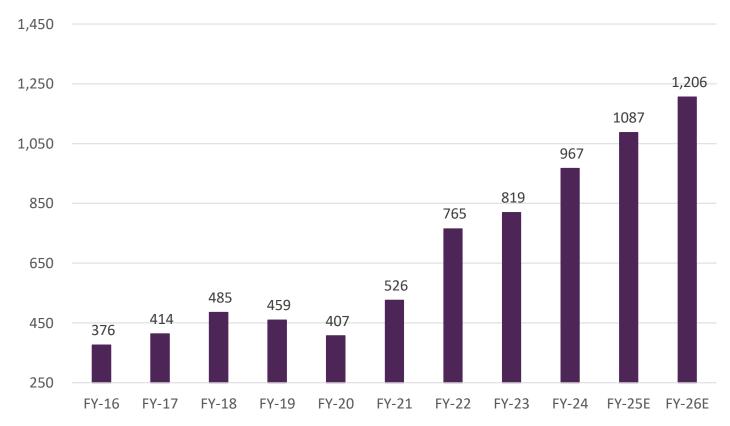


- Currently Nifty50 is trading at around 21.4x its trailing 12-month earnings while its five-year historical average price to earnings ratio stands at around 23.9x. A discount of 10.4% from its five-year historical average.
- In terms of price to book ratio, the Nifty50 is trading at around 3.4x its book value while its five-year historical price to book ratio stands at around 3.3x. Trading at premium of 2.4% to its five-year historical average.

Equity Investing: *Index valuations contd.*



Nifty Historical and Estimated EPS (Consensus)



From the financial year 2023 EPS the consensus estimates for Nifty50 from FY-24 to FY-26E expects earnings to grow at a CAGR of about 11.6%.

Equity Investing: Broader Market valuations



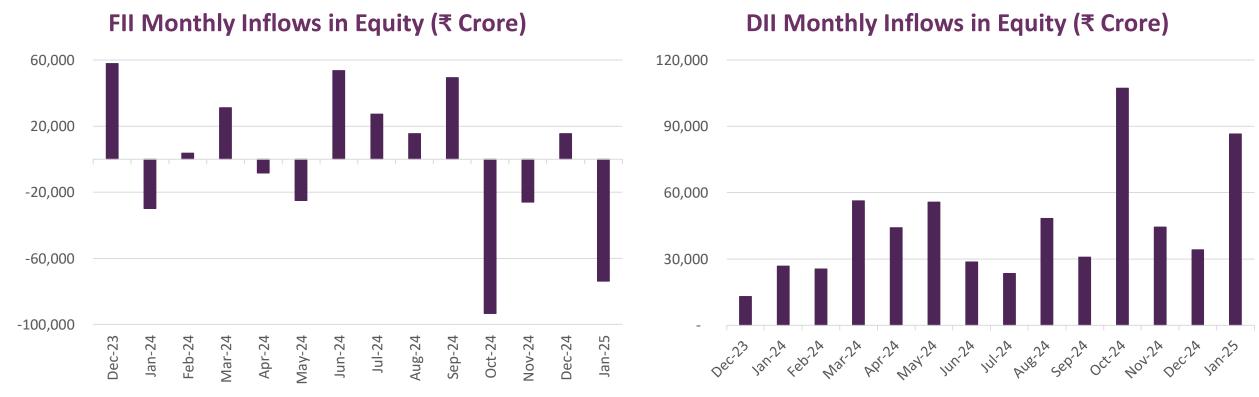
India Market Cap. to GDP Ratio



- Currently India's listed companies market capitalisation to GDP ratio stands at about 109.2 % (FY-26E). The ratio is considered an indicative of overall equity market sentiments and cycles.
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Equity Investing: Big *Money Flow*



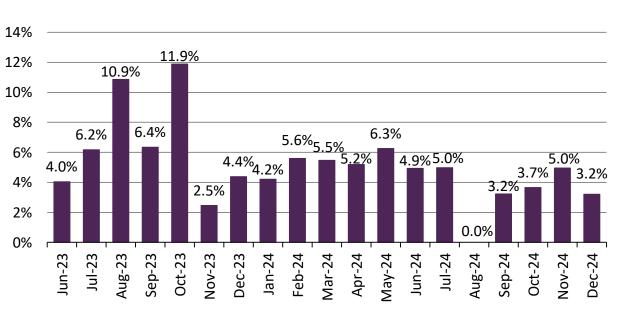


- FII monthly flows for the month of Jan-25 has seen net outflows of almost ₹73,861 crores, second largest outflow in last twelve months.
- On the other hand, domestic funds have seen monthly net inflows of around ₹86,592 crores, maintaining its positive flows for the last twelve months.

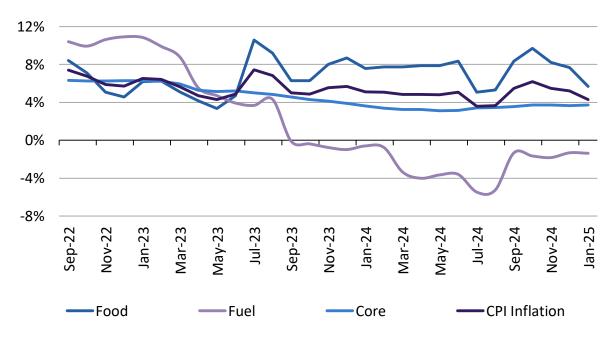
Equity Investing: Growth & Inflation



IIP Growth (%) trend (2011-12 base)



Food, Fuel, Core & CPI Inflation (%) YoY



- Index of industrial production Dec'24 Industrial growth at a three-month low due to weakness in manufacturing. Mining and utilities production growth accelerates though manufacturing growth slowed. On the consumption side, non-durable goods production contracted while infra and capital goods saw healthy growth. Ahead we expect industrial activity to pick up, driven by two key factors pick-up in capital expenditure from both, states and the Centre and a cut in tax rates in the FY26 budget.
- Consumer price inflation in Jan'25 eases to a five-month low of 4.3%, vegetable prices soften. CPI inflation further eased to 4.3% in Jan'25, down from 5.2% in Dec'24. The moderation was in line with expectations of softer food prices. The RBI, too, had projected the CPI to average 4.4% for the final quarter of the fiscal.

Top Ideas

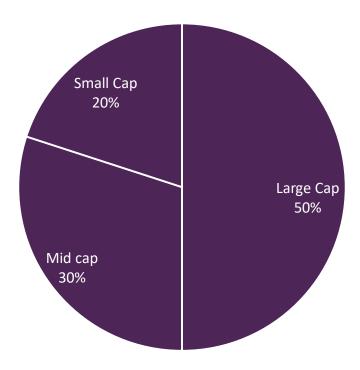


S.No.	Large Cap
1	ICICI Bank Ltd.
2	ITC Ltd.
3	Tata Steel Ltd.
4	Bharti Airtel Ltd.
5	Infosys Ltd.
6	Siemens Ltd.
7	Hindustan Unilever Ltd
8	Divi's Laboratories Ltd.
9	State Bank Of India
10	Mahindra & Mahindra Ltd

S.No.	Mid Cap
1	Astral Ltd.
2	APL Apollo Tubes Ltd.
3	TVS Motor Company Ltd.
4	KEI Industries Ltd.
5	Dixon Technologies Ltd.
6	Tejas Networks Ltd.

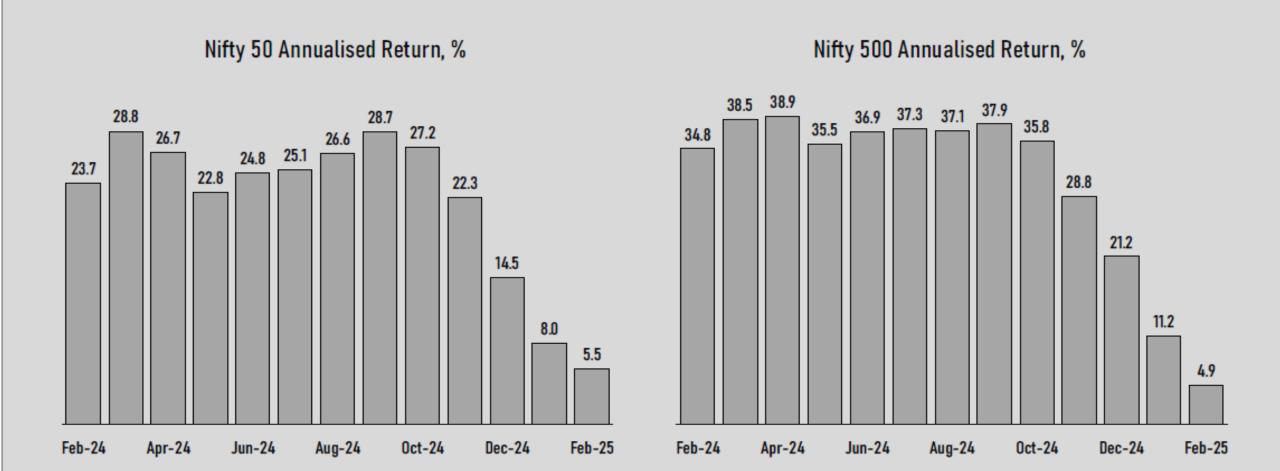
S.No.	Small Cap
1	Rainbow Children's Medicare Ltd.
2	Jyoti CNC Ltd.
3	Chalet Hotels Ltd.
4	Electronics Mart India Ltd.

NOTE: The strategy has shifted from individual weight based to equal distribution.





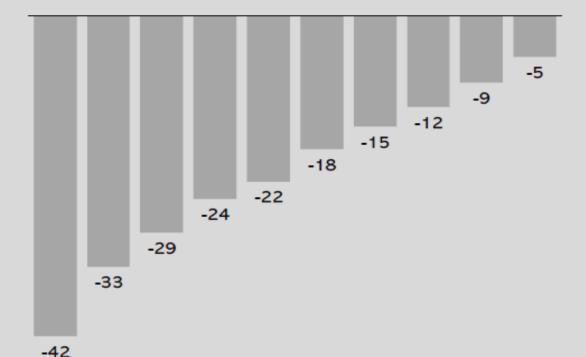
Equity Market Returns Falling for the Fourth Successive Month





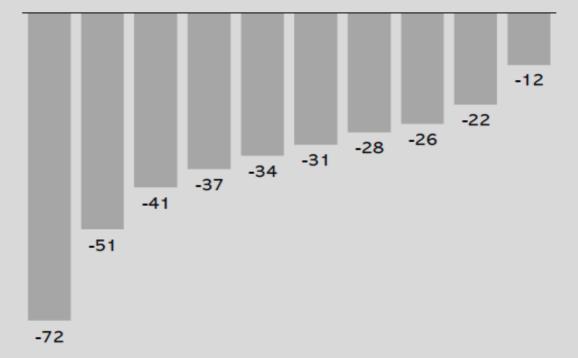
Stock Level Corrections Often More Mared

Down from All-Time High, Nifty 50, %



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Down from All-Time High, Nifty Midcap 150, %

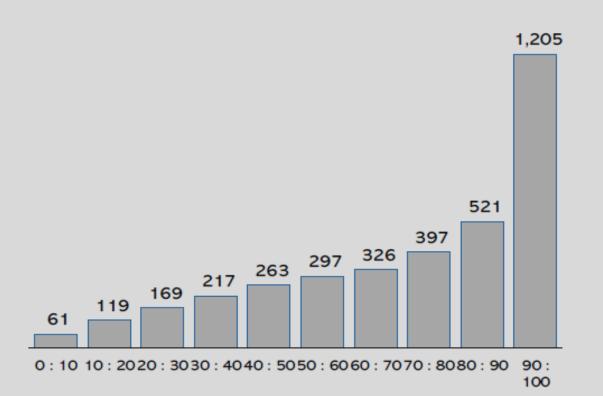


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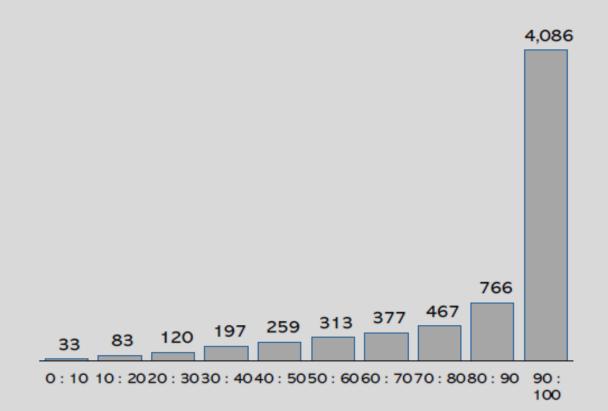


Yet, the return over the last 5-years are Still Very Large





Up from Mar'20 Lows, Nifty Midcap 150, %





Factors, Which are Keeping the Market Down











Trump Trade, Global Uncertainties GDP Growth and Corporate Earnings Regulatory Changes in Trading Nine Successive Years of Positive Returns Concerns on Valuation of Indian Equities



Factor which Influence the Equity Market the Most in Medium/Long-Term











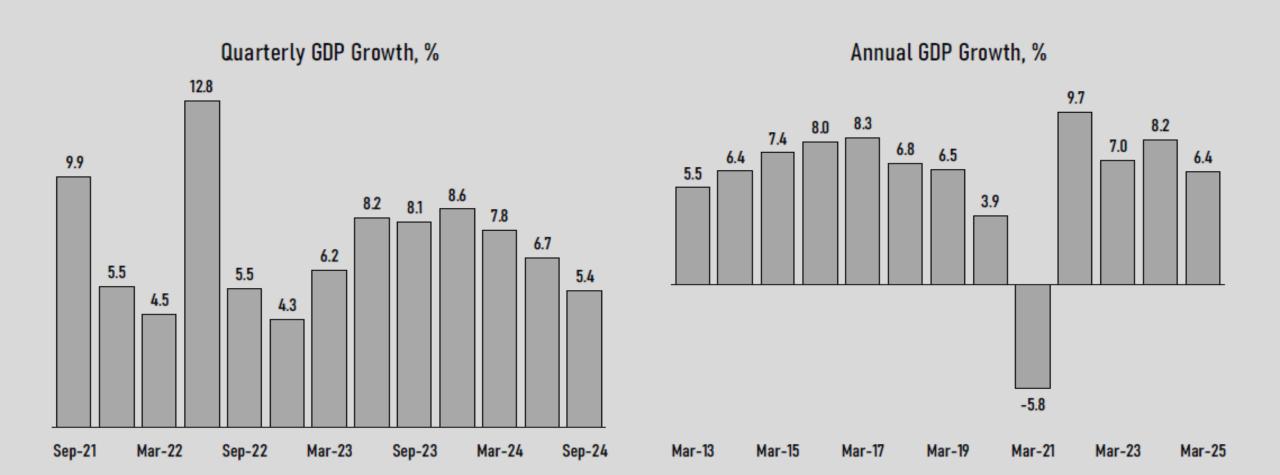
Economic Fundamentals

Corporate Earnings Domestic Liquidity Foreign Liquidity

Equity Valuation

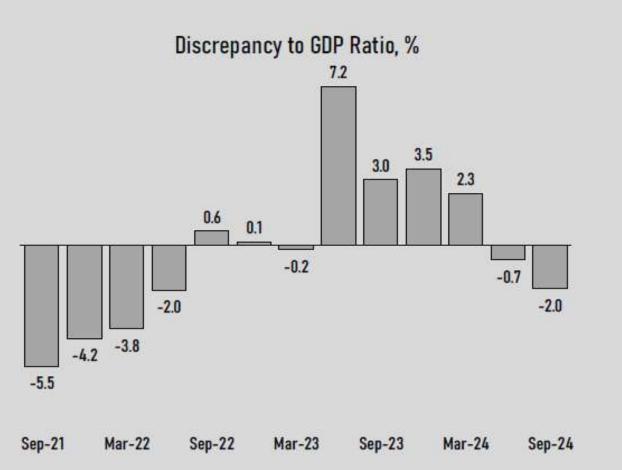


Sharp Drop in Real Economic Growth

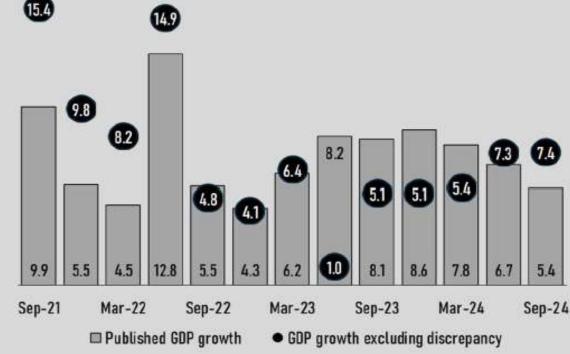




Unexplained Factor Impacted GDP Growth in Latest Quarter



GDP Growth with and without Discrepancy, %





Investment Activities Looking Up

	Steel production	Cement production	production	Capital goods imports	Cargo traffic	Credit to industry	Diesel consumpti on	Electricity generation	FDI to India	Frieght traffic
12M trend	V~~	NW	V	~~~	7	M	~~~	1	M	V
Latest	5.1	4.0	10.3	12.8	6.2	7.2	4.2	2.4	5.6	0.9
Previous month	4.4	13.5	8.8	-3.4	3.4	8.0	6.0	5.3	-21.1	-4.3
Two months ago	5.2	3.1	3.1	18.7	-5.0	7.9	8.5	3.8	3.4	3.6
FYTD25	5.8	3.3	5.1	7.1	-6.5	8.5	2.4	5.0	17.9	4.1
FY24	12.5	8.9	6.3	0.0	11.5	6.9	4.3	10.3	-0.1	4.6



Urban Consumption Turning Around

у/у %	IIP Durables	Airport traffic	CPI Urban	Retail credit transfers	Consumer imports	Petrol consumpti on	PV sales	GST	Toll collection
12M trend	~	~~	W.	~~~.	W	M.	1	~~/	~~
Latest	8.3	10.5	3.9	17.2	96.7	6.7	9.2	12.3	19.0
Previous month	14.1	13.2	4.6	10.6	-30.9	11.1	4.0	7.3	13.3
Two months ago	5.7	9.8	4.9	29.8	-8.2	9.6	0.9	8.5	14.5
FYTD25	8.8	8.8	4.3	19.9	12.1	7.9	1.6	9.4	11.7
FY24	3.6	15.0	5.1	22.8	6.2	6.4	8.3	11.6	19.7

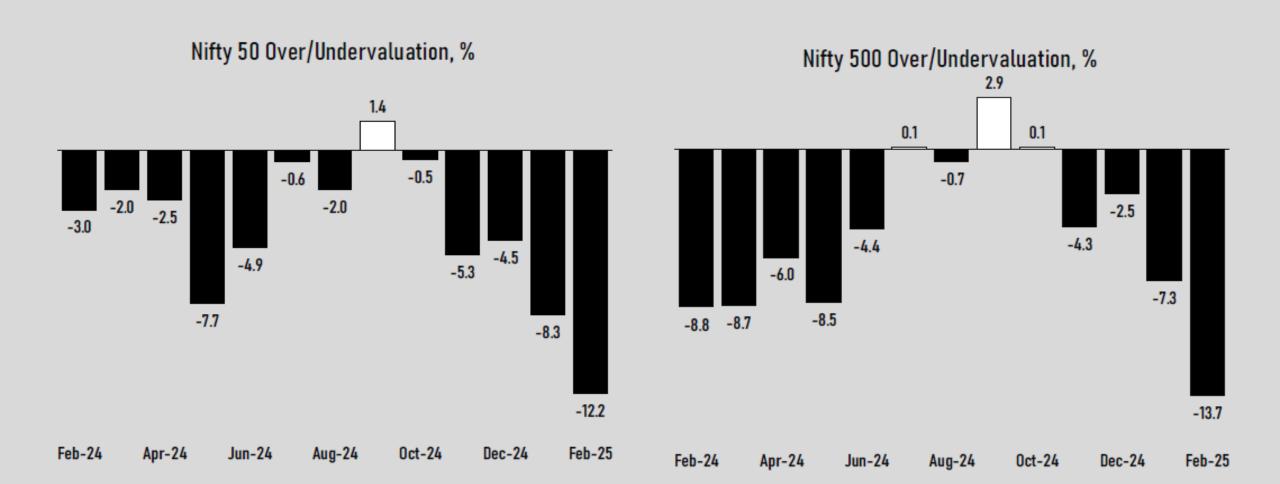


Rural Consumption Slowed

y/y %	IIP non- durables	Gov rural expenditur e	AVG daily wages	MGNREGA work demand	DBT transfers	Two wheeler sales	Tractor sales	CPI Rural
12M trend	W/	1	~	~~~	Mark	M	~~~	~
Latest	-7.6	-46.7	6.2	13.5	57.9	-8.8	14.0	4.6
Previous month	0.5	-52.7	6.4	7.3	38.4	-1.2	-1.3	5.8
Two months ago	2.6	361.8	6.4	3.0	84.0	14.2	22.4	6.0
FYTD25	-1.5	6.5	6.4	-9.3	23.9	11.6	5.3	5.4
FY24	4.1	-2.3	8.1	0.4	23.8	13.3	-7.4	5.6

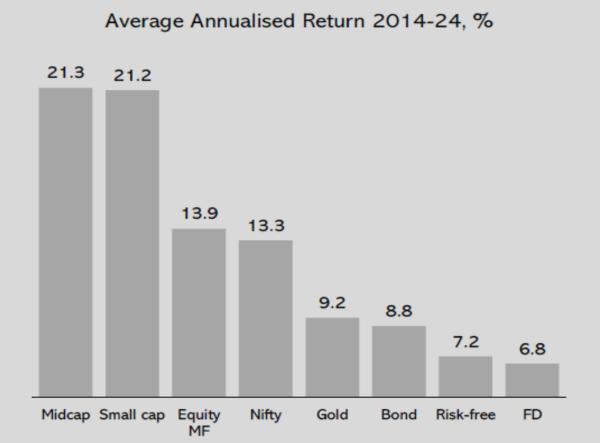


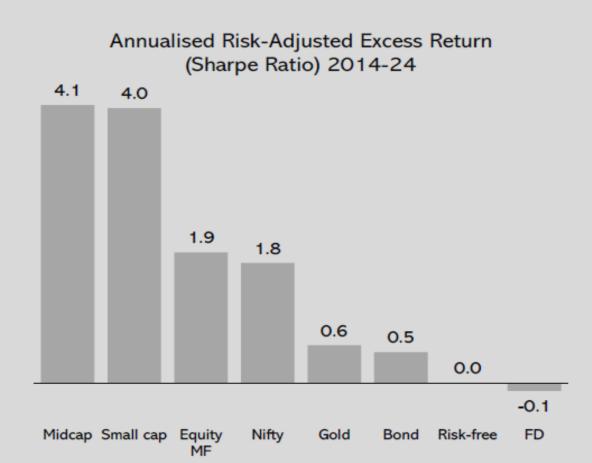
Equity Valuations at Discount Currently vs. Long-term Averages





Equities Remain the Best Asset Class in India







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