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Current scenario & news

World economy

- More than \$2.5 trillion have been wiped off the value of world stocks this week on mounting concerns the global economy is heading towards another recession and Italy and Spain are being engulfed by the euro zone sovereign debt crisis
- China's factories struggled with their weakest activity in 28 months in July, as manufacturers grappled with credit shortages and softening global demand
- Oil falls to lowest level in 6 months over sliding energy demand and sluggish US economy
- European Central Bank to pause rate hike cycle, under pressure on bond buys
- Steep rate rise cycles in Brazil, India and China are nearing peaks
- U.S. loses prized AAA credit rating from S&P

Indian economy

- India's services sector expanded at its fastest clip in three months in July, driven by solid expansion of new business, but input prices also rose faster, a survey showed on Wednesday
- India is set to fund bailouts in financiallystricken Europe, marking a dramatic role reversal from 20 years ago when it went knocking on the doors of the International Monetary Fund (IMF) to avert a balance of payments crisis
- Goods exports from the country continued to move on the high growth track rising 46.4% in June to \$ 29.21 billion
- India's foreign exchange reserves rose to \$319.090 billion as on July 29, from \$316.801 billion in the previous week
- India's revenue from import of gold almost doubled in 2010-11 as compared to the previous year

Macro scenario

World economy

- Slowing recovery in Europe
- Inflation in China
- QE3 expected in USA
- U.S. losses AAA credit rating

Indian economy

- High inflation
- High interest rate
- GDP growth at 7-8%
- Environment ministry puts pressure on mining companies
- Monsoon below normal
- Global fears, easing prices to impact RBI stance
- FDI in retail allowed with condition
- Land acquisition issues persist

WORLD MARKETS - A SNAPSHOT

	Name	Description	Week ended 6th Aug 2011	% Change
STOCKS	Australia	ASX	4169.68	(7.35)
	Brazil	Bovespa	52949.22	(9.99)
	China	Shanghai	2626.42	(2.79)
	France	CAC	3278.56	(10.70)
	Germany	DAX	6236.16	(12.89)
	Hong Kong	Hang Seng	20946.14	(6.66)
	India	Sensex	17305.87	(4.90)
	Japan	Nikkei	9299.88	(5.42)
	UK	FTSE	5246.99	(9.77)
	USA	DJIA	11444.61	(5.75)
COMMODITIES	Copper	\$/Pound	4.12	(8.04)
	Crude	\$/Barrel	87.26	(8.97)
	Gold	\$/Troy Ounce	1665.80	2.26
	Natural Gas	\$/MMBtu	3.95	(4.82)
	Silver	\$/Troy Ounce	38.33	(3.91)
	Aluminium	\$/Tonne	2402.00	(8.46)
	Lead	\$/Tonne	2361.00	(9.64)
	Nickel	\$/Tonne	22505.00	(9.96)
	Zinc	\$/Tonne	2200.00	(11.65)
CURRENCIES	GBP/USD		1.6391	0.20
	EUR/USD		1.4278	(0.34)
	AUD/USD		1.0450	(4.98)
	JPY/USD		78.39	0.81
	INR/USD		44.66	1.34
	HKD/USD		7.8074	0.19
	BRL/USD		1.5865	1.21
BONDS	2 Year	US Treasury	110.10	0.13
	10 Year		127.05	1.08
	30 Year		132.19	3.17

INDIAN MARKETS - A SNAPSHOT

	Name	Description	Week ended 6th Aug 2011	% Change
STOCKS	Nifty	Large Cap	5211.25	(4.94)
	Sensex	Large Cap	17305.87	(4.90)
	BSE Midcap	Mid Cap	6588.85	(4.72)
	BSE Smallcap	Small Cap	7815.05	(5.91)
Some Major	ACC	Rs/share	964.15	(4.69)
Shares	Bharti Airtel		415.80	(4.91)
	HDFC Ltd		664.80	(3.51)
	Infosys		2591.20	(6.65)
	L&T		1638.65	(5.04)
	Reliance Inds		792.00	(4.34)
	Tata Motors		889.60	(6.17)
	Tata Steel		532.95	(5.51)
COMMODITIES	Aluminium	INR/Kg	105.70	(8.52)
	Copper	INR/Kg	399.35	(8.58)
	Crude	INR/Barrel	3843.00	(9.30)
	Gold	INR/10gms	24651.00	6.41
	Lead	INR/Kg	103.45	(11.01)
	Natural Gas	INR/1mmBtu	176.10	(4.86)
	Nickel	INR/Kg	990.10	(9.89)
	Silver	INR/Kg	58379.00	(0.88)
	Zinc	INR/Kg	95.55	(13.10)
CURRENCIES	INR/EUR		63.82	1.00
	INR/GBP		73.19	1.51
	INR/100 JPY		56.92	0.42
	INR/USD		44.66	1.34

WORLD MARKETS - TECHNICAL SNAPSHOT

	Very Bullish	Bullish	Neutral	Bearish	Very Bearish
STOCKS			Japan ↓	Australia China ↓ France Germany ↓ Hong Kong ↓ India ↓ UK ↓ USA ↓	Brazil
COMMODITIES	Gold		Copper Lead Natural Gas Nickel Silver ↓ Zinc	Aluminium ↓ Crude Oil ↓	
CURRENCIES (against USD)	JPY	BRL ↓ INR	AUD ↓ EUR GBP	HKD	
BONDS (US Treasury)	10 Year 个	2 Year 个 30 Year			

INDIAN MARKETS - TECHNICAL SNAPSHOT

	Very Bullish	Bullish	Neutral	Bearish	Very Bearish
INDICES			Nifty	Mid Cap ↓ Sensex ↓ Small Cap ↓	
SECTORS	FMCG		Bankex	Auto ↓	Metal ↓
			Cons Durable ↓	Cap Goods ↓	Oil & Gas
			Healthcare ↓	IT	Power ↓
			Teck	Realty ↓	
COMMODITIES	Gold	Silver	Copper	Aluminium ↓	
			Lead	Crude Oil	
			Natural Gas		
			Nickel		
			Zinc		
CURRENCIES	JPY ↑		EUR	USD	
(against INR)			GBP		

MAJOR LARGE CAP COMPANIES - TECHNICAL SNAPSHOT

	Very Bullish	Bullish	Neutral	Bearish	Very Bearish
OMPANIES	Bharti Airtel	BPCL	ACC	Ambuja Cem ↓	Bank Of India
	Idea Cellular	Bajaj Auto	Adani Ent	Ashok Leyland ↓	Bhel ↓
	ITC	H P C L 个	Allahabad Bank	Grasim Ind ↓	Cairn ↓
	Nestle India	HDFC Bank ↓	Andhra Bank	Punj Loyd ↓	Canara Bank
	Petronet LNG	Hind Unilever	Axis Bank	RCOM ↓	Hindalco
		MRF	ВОВ	Sesa Goa ↓	Infosys Tech ↓
		Siemens ↓	BEL	Sterlite Ind ↓	Jindal Saw ↓
			Cipla	United Spirits ↓	Jindal Steel ↓
			GAIL		JP Associates
			HDFC		JSW Steel
			Hero Honda ↓		PFC
			Hind Zinc		Reliance Ind
			ICICI Bank		Reliance Infra ↓
			IOB		SAIL
			LT		SBIN ↓
			M R P L ↓		Tata Motors
			M&M		Tata Steel ↓
			Maruti Suzuki	Neutral	UCO Bank
			NTPC		Union Bank
			ONGC	Syndicate Bank	Wipro ↓
			Power Grid ↓	Tata Chemicals	-
			PNB	Tata Power ↓	
			Ranbaxy	TCS	
			Suzlon	Ultratech	

 \uparrow = moved up from last week, \downarrow = moved dn from last week

MAJOR MEDIUM & SMALL CAP COMPANIES - TECHNICAL SNAPSHOT

	Very Bullish	Bullish	Neutral	Bearish	Very Bearish
COMPANIES	Aditya Bir Nuv	Asian Paints	Apollo Tyres ↓	Bharat Forge ↓	Crompton Gr
	Colgate-Palm 个	Chambal Fert	Biocon	DLF ↓	GMR Infra
	Divi's Lab	Glenmark Ph	Cummins India	Indian Hotel	HCC ↑
	IGL	Sun Pharma ↓	Dabur	Mphasis ↓	IDFC↓
	Titan Ind	Tech Mahindra 个	Dr Reddy's Lab	Piramal Health	IDBI Bank ↓
			Exide Inds	RECL ↓	IFCI ↓
			Federal Bank	Reliance Cap ↓	Patni Comp
			GSPL	Sterlite Tech	Shriram Trans 🗸
			Havells India		Sun Tv
			HCL Tech		Voltas
			HDIL		
			Jain Irrigation		
			Kotak Bank ↓		
			LIC Housing		
			Lupin ↓		
			Mundraport		
			OFSS		
			Shr Renuka		
			SRF		
			Tata Global		
			United Phosp ↓		
			Yes Bank ↓		

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Our opinion

- Money Flow: Out of stocks, into gold and US treasuries.
- Opinion on Money Flow: Investors are looking for safety and hence there is a rush towards gold and US treasuries. The impact of the U.S. re-rating shall affect the market in coming few weeks.
- Indian Markets: In correction mode in the medium term.
- Sectors: FMCG, Gas and Telecom are steady whereas others are weaker.
- Positives: Oil price is down by approximately 10% in the international market.
- Negatives: Weak foreign markets, possibility of further interest rate hike and nil governmental support.
- Opinion: The market followed weak global trends and went into correction mode again. The medium term trend seems weak with possibility of interim rallies. Investors would do well to book some profits on rallies. Fresh investments are best avoided now till the trend seems clearer.

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