

Nifty level

INDEX	PREV. CLOSING	% CHANGE	DAILY TREND
NIFTY	22604.85	-0.17%	Sideways
NIFTY FUT.	22718.30	-0.19%	
Gift Nifty	22743.50	+0.55%	
Sensex	74482.78	-0.25%	
Bank Nifty	49396.75	-0.06%	

Outlook for the day

The market is likely to open on a positive note as indicated by gift nifty. U.S. stocks closed mixed after the Federal Reserve left its key interest rate unchanged and indicated that while its next move would likely be a rate cut, continued progress on inflation is not assured. Asian stocks are trading mixed as fears of U.S. interest rates remaining high for longer remained in play, although the Federal Reserve did downplay any expectations for further interest rate hikes. Oil prices fell about 2% to a seven-week low on Wednesday on a surprise build in U.S. crude stocks, the prospect of a Middle East ceasefire agreement and persistent U.S. inflation dampening the expected pace of interest rate cuts and oil demand growth. Back at home, Coal India Ltd., Adani Ports and Special Economic Zone Ltd., Dabur India Ltd., and Federal Bank Ltd are among the major firms scheduled to announce their March quarter results today. As per provisional figures, Foreign Institutional Investors (FIIs)/ Foreign Portfolio Investors (FPIs) bought shares worth net Rs. 1,071.93 crore and Domestic institutional investors bought shares worth net Rs. 1,429.11 crore on 30th April 2024.

International market

INDEX	CLOSING (SPOT)	CHANGE (%)
US MARKETS		
NASDAQ COMPOSITE	15605.48	-0.33%
DOW JONES	37903.29	+0.23%
US MARKETS (FUTURE)		
NASDAQ 100 FUT.	17546.25	+0.62%
DOW JONES INDUS. FUT.	38244.00	+0.46%
ASIAN MARKETS		
HANG SENG INDEX	17987.99	+1.25%
NIKKEI 225	38299.71	+0.07%
SHANGHAI COMP. INDEX	3104.82	-0.26%

Sector to watch today

Sectors to Outperform	Sectors to Underperform
Bank and Auto	Pharma and FMCG

Macro news

The UK manufacturing activity slid into contraction at the start of the second quarter as improvement in output and new orders were short-lived amid uncertain market conditions, client destocking and supply chain disruptions. The S&P Global final manufacturing Purchasing Managers' Index fell to 49.1 in April from a 20-month high of 50.3 in March, survey results showed on Wednesday. The score was above the flash estimate of 48.7.

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