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Monthly sector-wise FPI/FII flows – Aug'26

Quick Pointers

- Sectoral FII/FPI sentiment improved further in Aug'26, with total inflows rising to INR165.0bn from INR136.1bn in Jul'26, marking the second consecutive month of positive foreign flows.
- Inflows were led by Financial Services (INR65.4bn), Automobile & Auto Components (INR44.1bn), Consumer Services (INR34.0bn), Healthcare (INR29.1bn), Information Technology (INR25.3bn) and Consumer Durables (INR14.7bn)

Over Jan'26-Aug'26, sectoral FII/FPI flows remained highly selective, with Capital Goods and Metals & Mining emerging as key beneficiaries of foreign inflows, while Financial Services, FMCG, Information Technology and Consumer Services witnessed persistent selling pressure. Aug'26 marked a continuation of the recovery in foreign investor sentiment, with total flows increasing to INR164.9bn from INR136.1bn in Jul'26. Among the sectors, Financial Services led inflows at INR65.4bn, followed by Automobile & Auto Components (INR44.1bn), Consumer Services (INR34.0bn), Healthcare (INR29.1bn), Information Technology (INR25.3bn) and Consumer Durables (INR14.7bn). IT and Auto Components saw a notable turnaround from weak flow trends seen earlier in CY26, while Healthcare and Consumer Services continued to attract strong foreign interest. Metals & Mining remained in positive territory with inflows of INR7.2bn, although considerably lower than Jul'26 levels. On the other hand, foreign investors continued to reduce exposure to Telecommunication (INR33.2bn outflows), Capital Goods (INR15.6bn outflows), Power (INR11.6bn outflows) and Realty (INR10.1bn outflows), making these the key laggards during the month.

Automobile & Auto Components recorded FII/FPI inflows of INR44,050mn in Aug'26, compared to outflows of INR69,360mn in Jul'26 and inflows of INR18,030mn in Aug'25. These flows remain above the LTA outflow of INR4,736mn.

Capital Goods recorded FII/FPI outflows of INR15,560mn in Aug'26, compared to outflows of INR26,570mn in Jul'26 and inflows of INR18,960mn in Aug'25. These flows remain below the LTA inflow of INR17,715mn.

Chemicals recorded FII/FPI inflows of INR3,150mn in Aug'26, compared to outflows of INR1,140mn in Jul'26 and inflows of INR15,710mn in Aug'25. These flows remain above the LTA inflow of INR1,643mn

Construction Materials recorded FII/FPI inflows of INR3,840mn in Aug'26, compared to inflows of INR15,740mn in Jul'26 and inflows of INR24,750mn in Aug'25. These flows remain above the LTA outflow of INR3,319mn.

Consumer Durables recorded FII/FPI inflows of INR14,720mn in Aug'26, compared to inflows of INR23,840mn in Jul'26 and outflows of INR19,690mn in Aug'25. These flows remain above the LTA outflow of INR4,710mn.

Consumer Services recorded FII/FPI inflows of INR33,980mn in Aug'26, compared to inflows of INR73,610mn in Jul'26 and outflows of INR4,580mn in Aug'25. These flows remain above the LTA inflow of INR5,049mn.

FMCG recorded FII/FPI outflows of INR1,890mn in Aug'26, compared to outflows of INR11,060mn in Jul'26 and outflows of INR10,970mn in Aug'25. These flows remain above the LTA outflow of INR12,417mn.

Financial Services recorded FII/FPI inflows of INR65,350mn in Aug'26, compared to inflows of INR19,750mn in Jul'26 and outflows of INR232,880mn in Aug'25. These flows remain above the LTA outflow of INR24,788mn.

Healthcare recorded FII/FPI inflows of INR29,100mn in Aug'26, compared to inflows of INR41,010mn in Jul'26 and outflows of INR14,170mn in Aug'25. These flows remain above the LTA inflow of INR3,926mn.

Information Technology recorded FII/FPI inflows of INR25,300mn in Aug'26, compared to inflows of INR600mn in Jul'26 and outflows of INR112,850mn in Aug'25. These flows remain above the LTA outflow of INR26,186mn.

Media, Entertainment & Publication recorded FII/FPI outflows of INR60mn in Aug'26, compared to outflows of INR2,890mn in Jul'26 and inflows of INR1,650mn in Aug'25. These flows remain above the LTA outflow of INR1,670mn.

Metals & Mining recorded FII/FPI inflows of INR7,200mn in Aug'26, compared to inflows of INR59,930mn in Jul'26 and outflows of INR6,600mn in Aug'25.

Oil, Gas & Consumable Fuels Oil, Gas & Consumable Fuels recorded FII/FPI inflows of INR4,900mn in Aug'26, compared to inflows of INR2,580mn in Jul'26 and outflows of INR61,080mn in Aug'25. These flows remain above the LTA outflow of INR21,425mn.

Power recorded FII/FPI outflows of INR11,640mn in Aug'26, compared to outflows of INR12,670mn in Jul'26 and outflows of INR40,660mn in Aug'25. These flows remain below the LTA outflow of INR6,990mn.

Realty recorded FII/FPI outflows of INR10,140mn in Aug'26, compared to inflows of INR20,720mn in Jul'26 and outflows of INR12,450mn in Aug'25. These flows remain below the LTA inflow of INR548mn.

Services recorded FII/FPI inflows of INR5,900mn in Aug'26, compared to inflows of INR24,050mn in Jul'26 and inflows of INR23,510mn in Aug'25. These flows remain below the LTA inflow of INR6,221mn.

Telecommunication recorded FII/FPI outflows of INR33,220mn in Aug'26, compared to outflows of INR24,540mn in Jul'26 and inflows of INR57,660mn in Aug'25. These flows remain below the LTA inflow of INR11,404mn.

Textiles recorded FII/FPI inflows of INR10mn in Aug'26, compared to inflows of INR2,480mn in Jul'26 and outflows of INR6,500mn in Aug'25. These flows remain above the LTA outflow of INR109mn.

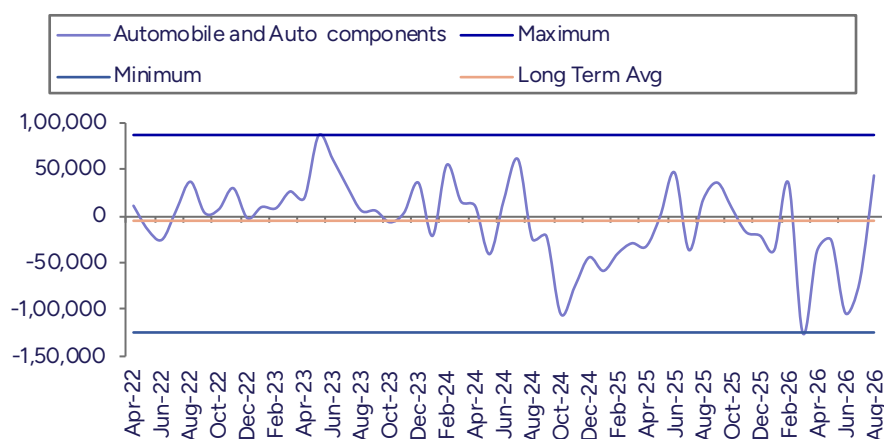
Exhibit 1: FPI/FII flows in equity segment for Aug'26

(INR Mn)	Aug-25	Sep-25	Oct-25	Nov-25	Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26	Mar-26	Apr-26	May-26	Jun-26	Jul-26	Aug-26
Automobile and Auto components	18,030	36,410	9,670	-16,420	-20,450	-35,940	35,860	-1,24,980	-54,790	-25,320	-1,03,680	-69,360	44,050
Capital goods	18,960	30,100	-6,820	24,950	-25,660	27,610	1,21,350	31,480	43,390	27,990	-40,280	-26,570	-15,560
Chemicals	15,710	-3,830	-9,240	-11,780	-480	1,400	2,480	-2,320	-3,870	-6,100	-12,870	-1,140	3,150
Construction materials	24,750	-14,130	-12,920	-8,610	-16,740	-8,570	3,210	-31,440	-12,710	-16,410	-30,760	15,740	3,840
Consumer durables	-19,690	-36,270	-17,560	-1,060	5,990	-10,500	-7,560	-29,020	800	-14,490	19,300	23,840	14,720
Consumer services	-4,580	-33,600	-34,620	-39,930	33,400	-55,130	-41,720	-21,410	-77,700	-19,950	12,290	73,610	33,980
FMCG	-10,970	-42,020	-42,590	-47,640	-58,440	-74,970	-19,510	-54,190	-32,050.00	-35,610	-55,370	-11,060	-1,890
Financial services	-2,32,880	9,920	1,32,790	-31,780	-1,05,250	-85,920	84,180	-6,06,550	-3,08,560	-2,31,410	33,710	19,750	65,350
Healthcare	-14,170	-61,220	-31,040	-17,830	-29,940	-61,620	-3,290	-46,380	-69,260	1,830	-30,660	41,010	29,100
IT	-1,12,850	-60,500	-21,940	-57,940	11,260	-18,350	-1,69,490	-18,740	-42,120	-19,110	-74,660	600	25,300
Media, entertainment & publication	1,650	770	-460	-3,090	-3,200	-1,780	720	-170	-2,080	-1,220	-3,590	-2,890	-60
Metals & mining	-6,600	18,400	31,470	-6,800	29,840	1,15,260	56,380	-31,650	12,180	66,970	-90,930	59,930	7,200
Oil, gas & consumable fuels	-61,080	-7,740	91,290	71,690	23,560	-9,400	53,810	-41,290	-67,030	-89,780	-1,32,770	2,580	4,900
Power	-40,660	-26,930	9,650	-26,150	-27,530	-18,670	45,060	-2,300	55,570	-6,810	-63,200	-12,670	-11,640
Realty	-12,450	-22,590	-8,060	-8,090	-9,410	-26,550	7,340	-46,930	-21,230	-4,000	8,000	20,720	-10,140
Services	23,510	-9,860	2,130	-9,800	-42,780	-19,710	14,910	-25,750	-9,530	72,040	28,940	24,050	5,900
Telecommunication	57,660	-24,220	21,600	1,43,260	2,340	-47,770	-18,810	-56,030	-44,000	-4,150	-3,470	-24,540	-33,220
Textiles	-6,500	-1,580	-3,590	-3,260	-5,370	-2,750	-1,000	-3,190	-980	-730	950	2,480	10
Total	-3,62,160	-2,48,890	1,09,760	-50,280	-2,38,860	-3,33,360	1,63,920	-11,10,860	-6,33,970	-33,430	-5,39,050	1,36,080	1,64,990

Source: Company, PL

Automobile and Auto Components

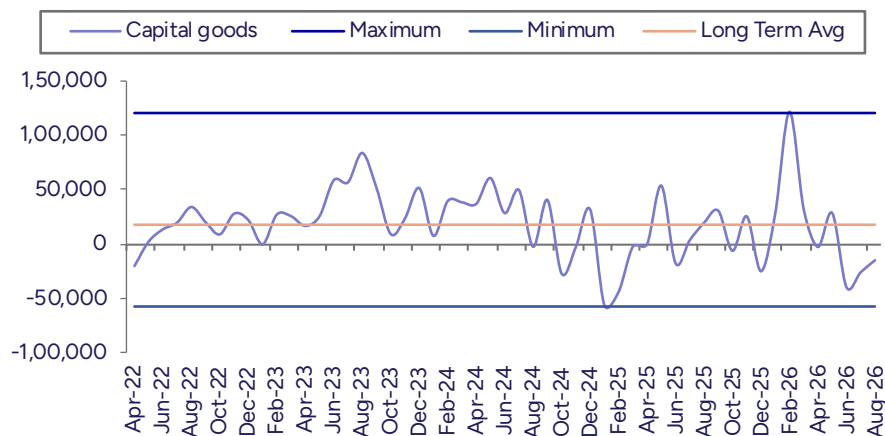
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Capital Goods

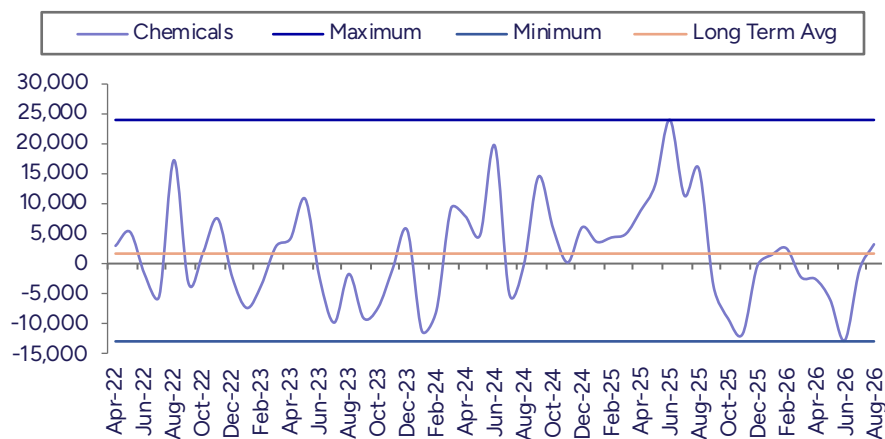
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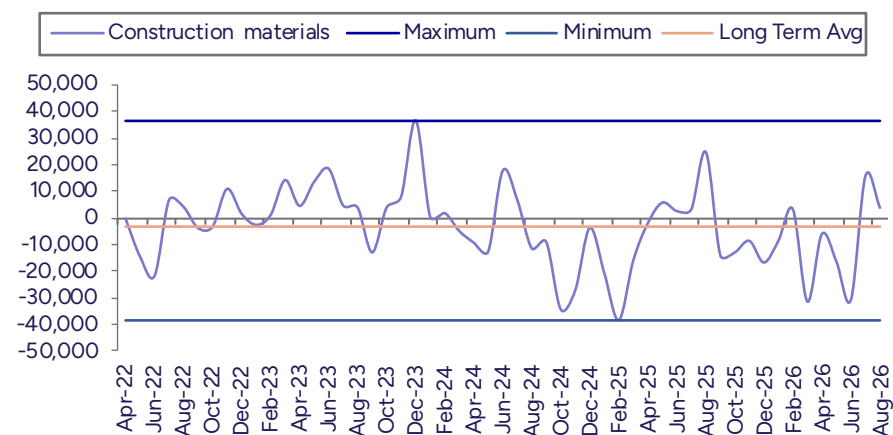
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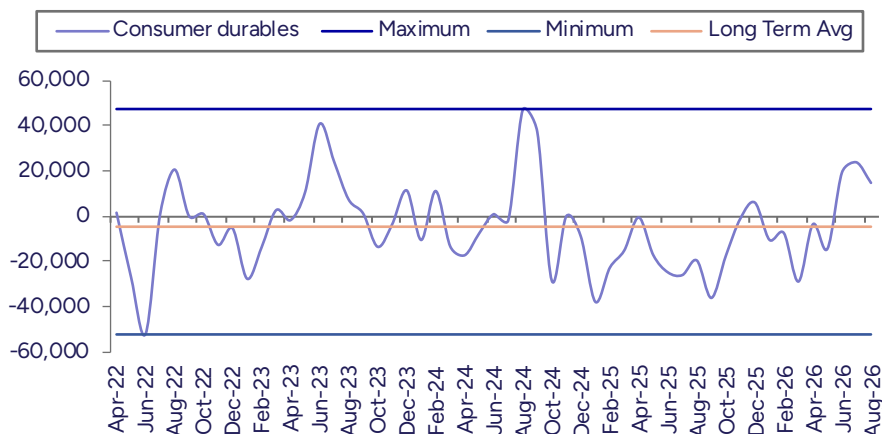
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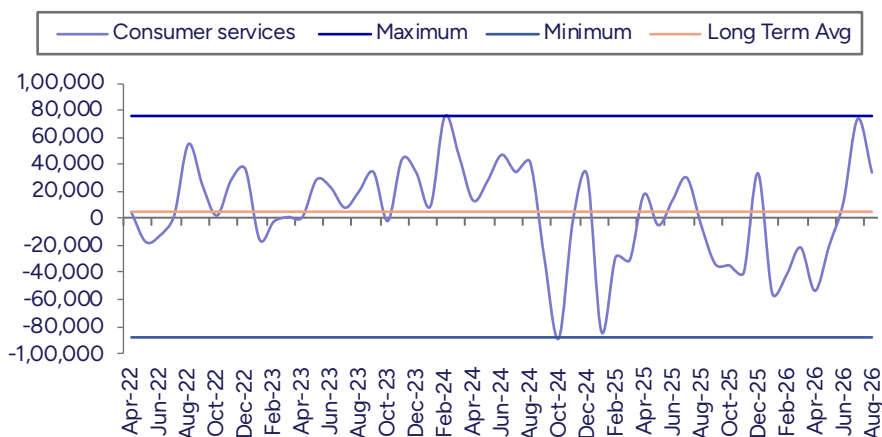
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Consumer Services

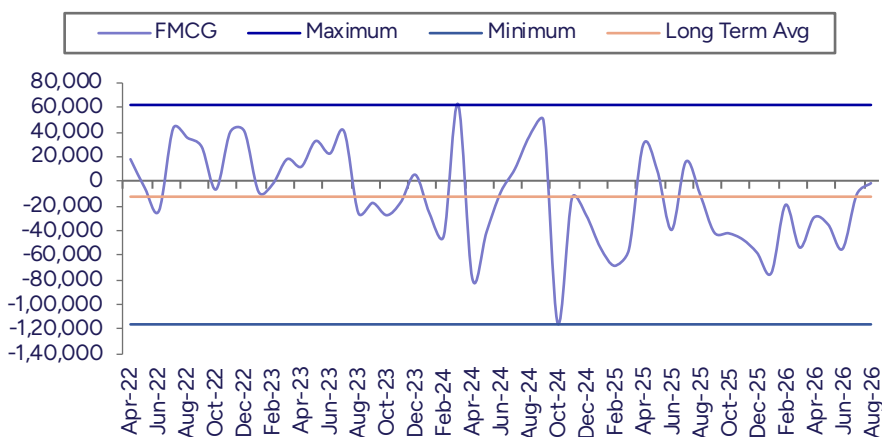
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FMCG

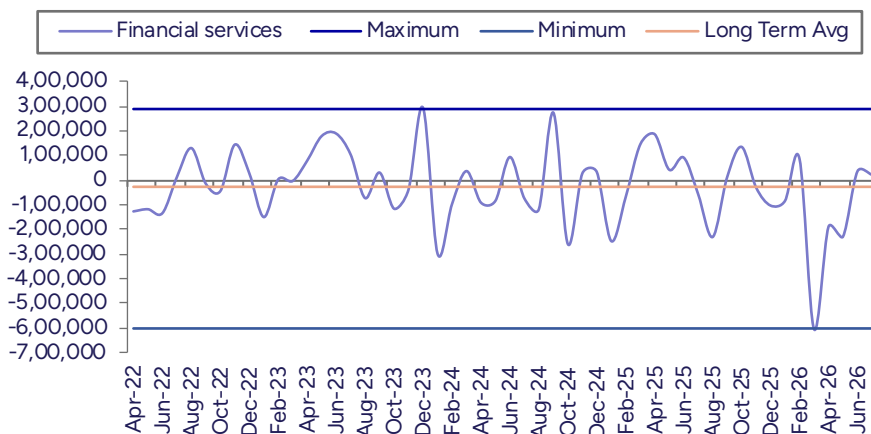
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Financial Services

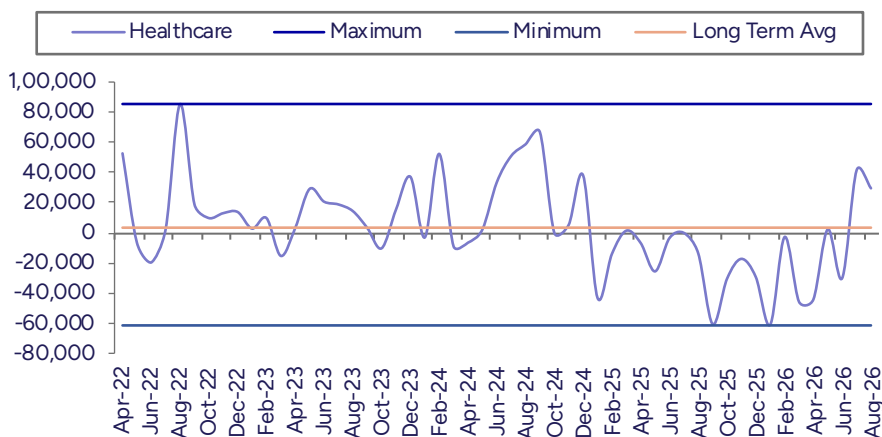
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Healthcare

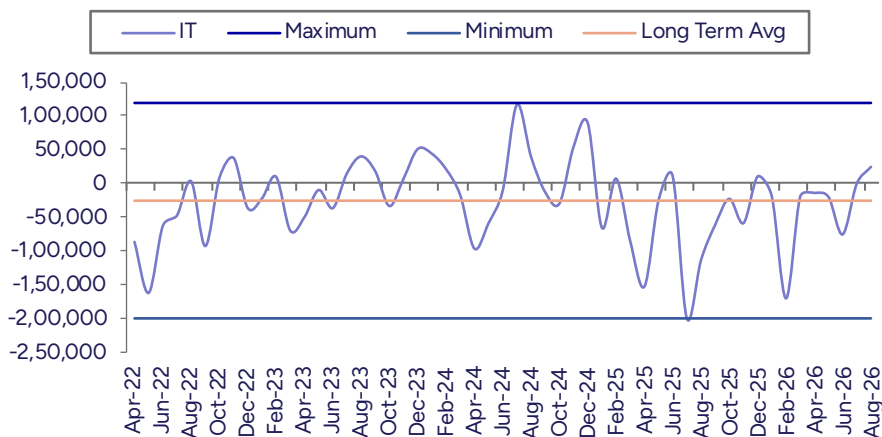
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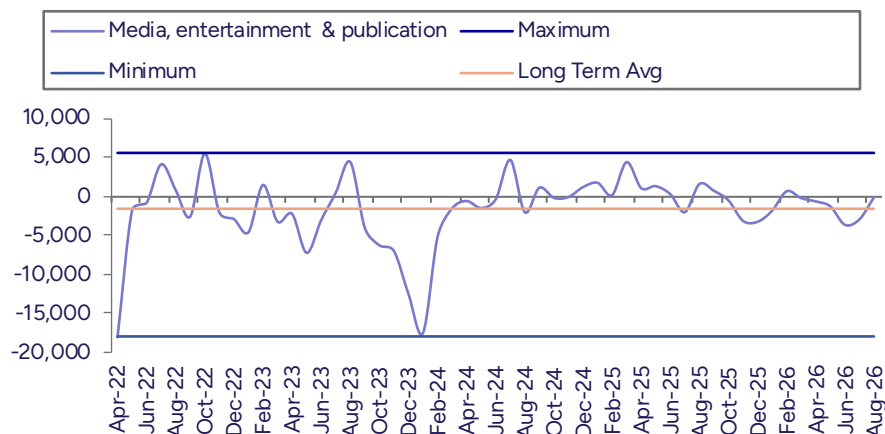
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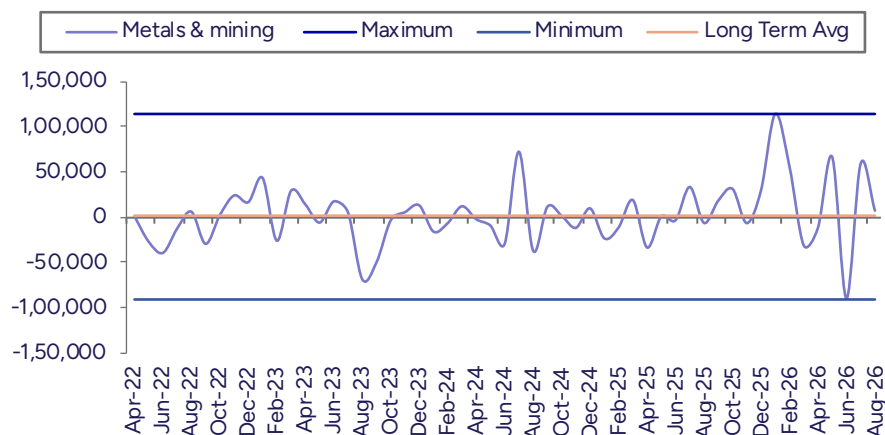
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Metals & Mining

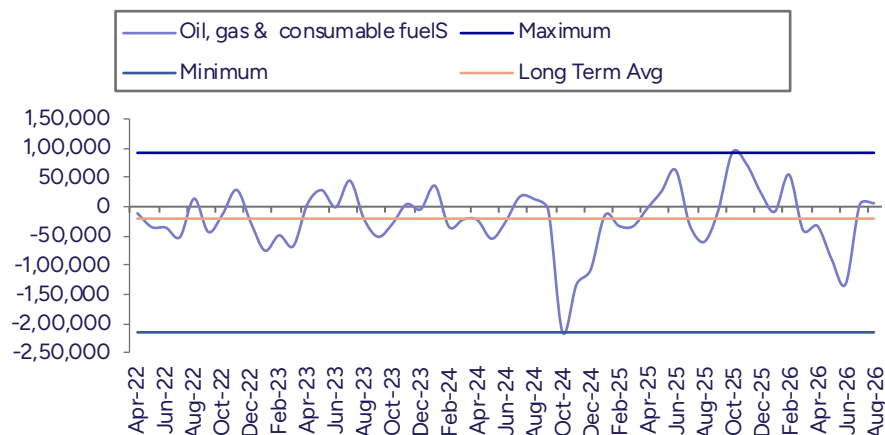
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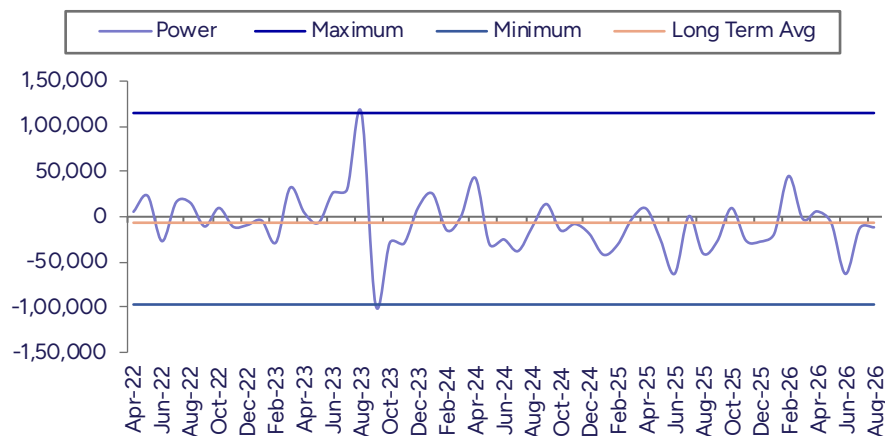
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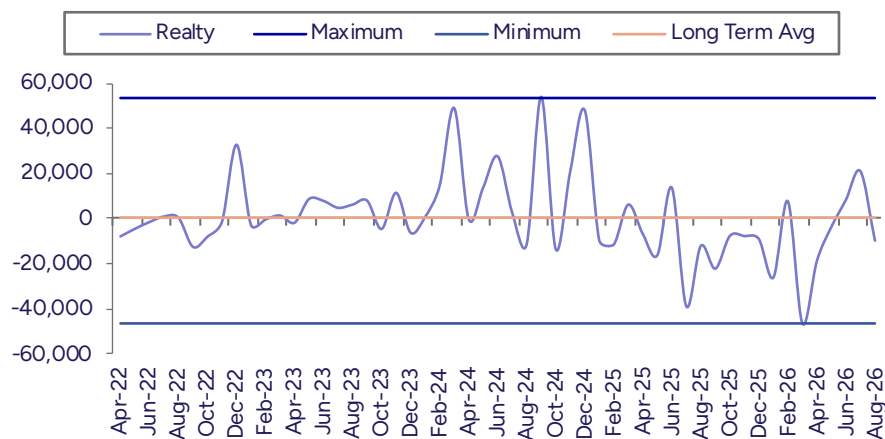
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Realty

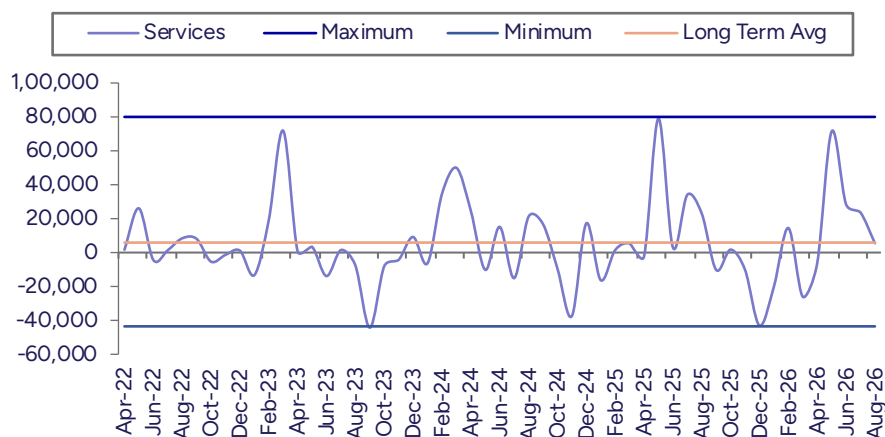
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Services

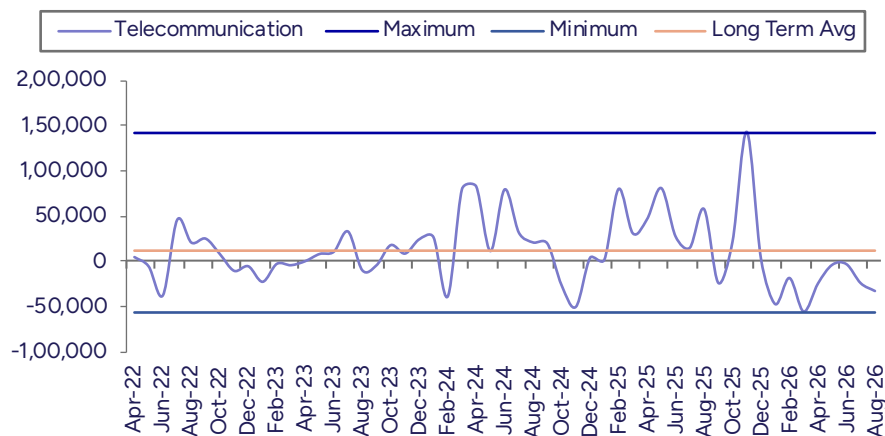
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Telecommunication

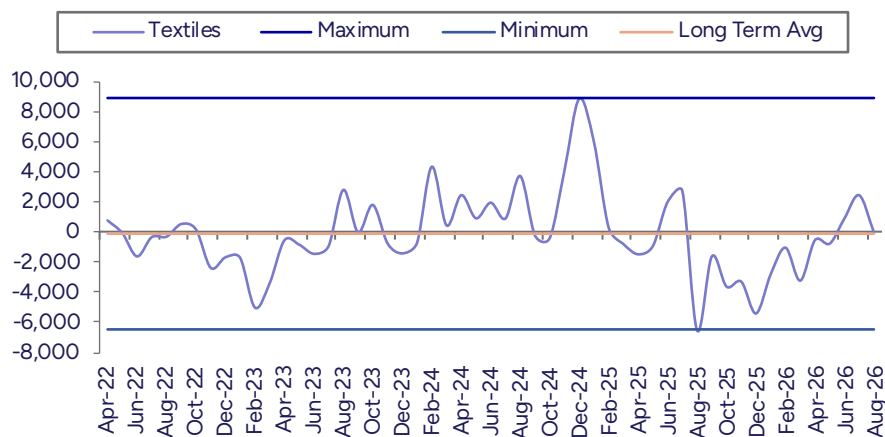
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Source: Company, PL

Textiles

Exhibit 19: FII/FPI inflow INR10mn vs. LTA outflow INR109mn



Source: Company, PL

Exhibit 20: Sector-wise quarterly FII weightage

Sectors (In %)	Q1FY24	Q2FY24	Q3FY24	Q4FY24	Q1FY25	Q2FY25	Q3FY25	Q4FY25	Q1FY26	Q2FY26	Q3FY26	Q4FY26	Q1FY27
Abrasives	9.98	10.15	10.63	11.72	12.76	12.71	13.01	12.11	11.81	10.87	10.98	10.73	11.13
Agri	21.25	21.09	21.02	21.02	20.42	20.72	20.01	18.75	19.14	19.14	18.49	18.19	17.59
Alcohol	13.42	13.75	13.83	14.27	13.53	13.84	13.53	12.98	13.20	12.87	13.13	12.59	12.00
Automobile & Ancillaries	17.16	17.48	17.49	17.69	17.81	17.83	17.14	16.71	16.91	16.94	17.54	17.24	16.56
Aviation	19.76	20.29	18.70	23.66	24.43	25.39	24.83	25.11	27.31	28.44	24.99	21.64	20.32
Bank	27.82	32.27	32.40	31.36	31.06	30.95	30.43	29.98	30.21	29.85	29.92	27.37	26.19
Business Services	11.39	12.01	13.52	15.47	16.71	18.41	19.45	18.43	18.95	17.74	17.90	17.34	16.19
Capital Goods	9.25	9.69	10.13	10.45	10.70	11.21	11.28	11.50	11.45	11.59	11.57	11.87	11.88
Chemicals	11.88	12.09	12.02	11.56	11.63	11.62	11.23	10.92	11.19	11.34	11.42	11.24	11.29
Construction Materials	13.79	13.86	14.58	14.28	14.15	13.95	13.18	12.02	11.89	11.84	11.33	10.68	9.97
Consumer Durables	13.30	15.62	15.91	15.43	16.46	18.00	18.69	17.81	17.39	17.32	15.61	15.07	14.31
Crude Oil	18.33	18.45	18.42	18.40	17.98	17.70	16.05	15.84	16.00	15.69	16.30	16.28	14.95
Diamond & Jewellery	19.32	19.75	19.57	19.20	18.49	18.00	17.95	17.73	17.47	15.93	15.41	15.55	14.97
Diversified	10.50	10.41	10.72	10.89	11.71	11.82	11.60	11.53	11.82	12.21	12.32	12.66	12.43
Electricals	11.88	14.32	15.29	14.82	15.62	15.71	14.94	12.86	13.28	14.40	14.60	16.61	17.15
Ferro Manganese	8.90	9.24	9.18	8.86	9.32	11.02	11.08	9.74	10.26	10.38	10.36	10.61	10.22
Finance	16.36	17.69	18.01	18.03	18.01	18.08	18.00	18.04	18.17	17.92	17.56	17.38	17.78
FMCG	20.72	20.76	20.55	19.72	19.02	19.41	18.44	17.74	17.19	17.08	16.47	15.94	15.39
Gas Transmission	14.85	13.98	13.19	13.13	13.60	14.71	13.61	12.99	13.22	12.61	12.79	12.34	13.63
Healthcare	17.72	17.92	18.06	18.05	18.06	18.69	18.92	18.89	18.68	18.38	18.06	17.59	16.71
Hospitality	11.05	11.25	11.64	12.58	16.38	16.20	16.05	18.95	19.47	19.14	17.36	15.96	14.59
Inds. Gases & Fuels	15.53	15.17	12.17	11.96	12.13	12.46	12.90	13.18	13.22	12.71	11.82	12.17	11.81
Infrastructure	22.72	23.00	22.81	20.92	20.04	18.10	17.66	16.85	16.46	16.66	17.21	16.51	16.77
Insurance	10.83	10.76	10.80	10.38	10.02	9.93	9.55	9.51	9.48	9.43	9.26	8.98	8.59
Iron & Steel	16.15	16.56	16.60	16.44	16.52	16.60	16.27	16.18	15.86	16.02	15.90	16.36	16.64
IT	19.89	19.90	20.00	20.09	19.69	19.91	20.17	19.82	19.35	17.95	17.68	16.86	16.04
Logistics	18.09	16.33	16.56	16.63	16.72	16.24	15.27	14.88	15.19	15.23	14.48	14.58	16.43
Media & Entertainment	18.48	18.17	15.40	12.27	12.02	12.06	12.50	13.31	13.61	14.06	13.52	13.15	11.43
Mining	8.51	7.61	8.51	8.94	8.94	9.49	8.97	8.27	8.69	8.77	9.00	9.22	10.69
Miscellaneous	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	5.87	6.07	6.03	5.89	5.36
Non - Ferrous Metals	12.36	12.53	12.61	11.98	12.39	13.24	13.42	13.65	13.39	13.81	14.44	15.70	16.09
Plastic Products	16.00	19.49	20.37	20.97	21.72	21.99	20.95	19.74	19.20	17.15	15.89	14.63	14.36
Power	14.81	15.96	15.44	15.53	15.33	15.17	14.80	14.33	13.82	13.27	13.02	13.02	13.00
Ratings	7.17	7.25	7.19	7.20	7.17	7.22	7.55	7.69	8.08	7.81	7.67	7.18	6.38
Realty	19.22	19.51	19.48	20.26	20.97	21.41	21.88	21.36	21.28	19.93	19.72	18.36	18.02
Retailing	22.45	22.65	22.77	23.10	23.33	23.23	21.10	19.92	19.90	19.46	18.63	17.98	17.01
Ship Building	3.82	4.12	3.42	3.20	3.29	2.40	2.26	2.69	3.37	2.49	2.23	2.37	2.25
Telecom	18.13	18.30	18.88	19.74	21.60	22.02	21.29	22.07	22.70	22.97	23.94	23.13	22.74
Textile	10.24	10.63	10.26	10.13	10.09	10.47	11.03	11.20	11.30	11.00	10.32	9.83	9.93
Trading	18.30	14.62	15.01	14.97	12.99	13.16	13.33	13.44	13.43	13.50	13.52	13.09	11.75

Source: Company, PL Note - Sector classification is as per Aceequity

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BUY	: > 15%
Accumulate	: 5% to 15%
Hold	: +5% to -5%
Reduce	: -5% to -15%
Sell	: < -15%
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