



Monthly Market Update

June 2026 — India & Global Markets Review

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Geopolitics — US-Iran Peace Understanding

- US-Iran ceasefire eased tensions; no formal deal signed yet.
- Safe-haven demand fell; risk-on sentiment briefly lifted global equities.

Crude Oil — Sharp Correction Below \$80

- Brent fell **below US\$80/barrel**, easing global inflation concerns.
- Lower crude improved the outlook for oil-importers, especially India.

Rates, Dollar & Currency — Hawkish Fed

- Fed held rates **unchanged**, signaled **higher for longer** – Dollar Index strengthened.
- Stronger dollar pressured EM currencies and capped global risk-asset gains.

Gold — Correction Resumed

- Brief rebound on peace news, then **correction resumed** as risks eased and dollar strengthened.

Global Equity Markets

- Rallied on **easing tensions and lower oil**.
- **Hawkish Fed and stronger dollar** capped gains, keeping investors cautious.
- **Emerging markets mixed** as dollar strength weighed on flows.

Domestic Markets — RBI Measures & Resilience

- RBI deployed three forex-support measures: higher FCNR rate ceiling, hedging relief, and FCNR exemption from CRR/SLR.
- Indian equities rebounded on easing geopolitics, lower crude, and domestic resilience.
- GST collections rose **13.9% YoY to ₹1.95 lakh crore**; rising inflation kept RBI cautious.

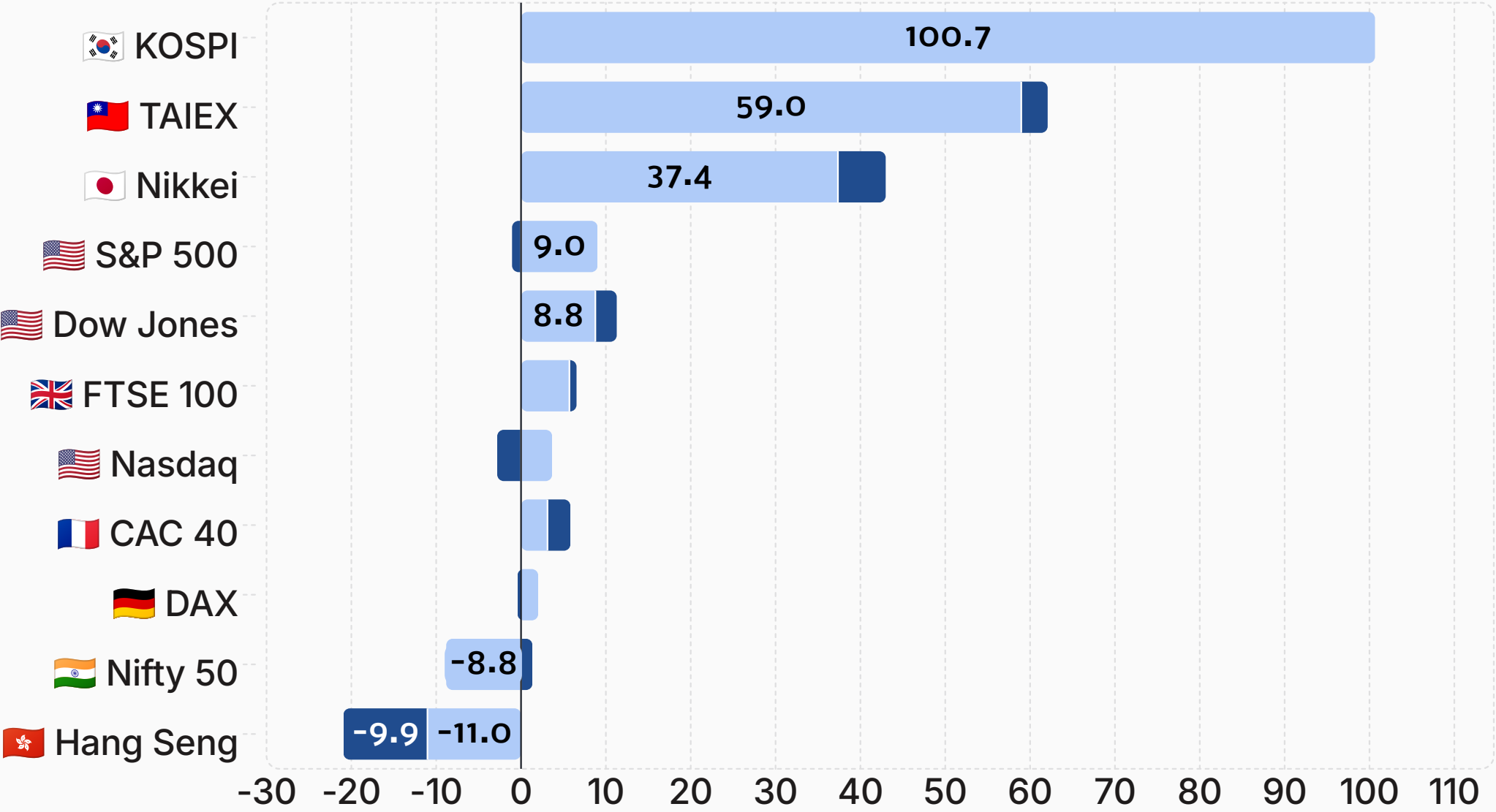
 **June 2026: easing geopolitics, lower oil, and resilient domestic data supported Indian equities — offset by a hawkish Fed, stronger dollar, and rising inflation warranting caution.**

Global Market Snapshot

YTD % (Jan–June 2026)

MTD % (June 2026)

Index



 **Hang Seng** was the month's laggard (**-9.91% MTD, -11.03% YTD**) on persistent China headwinds.

 **Nikkei** and  **KOSPI** led YTD gains at **+37.35%** and **+100.65%** respectively;  **TAIEX** also impressed at **+58.96% YTD**.

 US markets were mixed – Dow gained while S&P 500 and Nasdaq slipped as the hawkish Fed weighed on growth stocks; European markets broadly mixed.

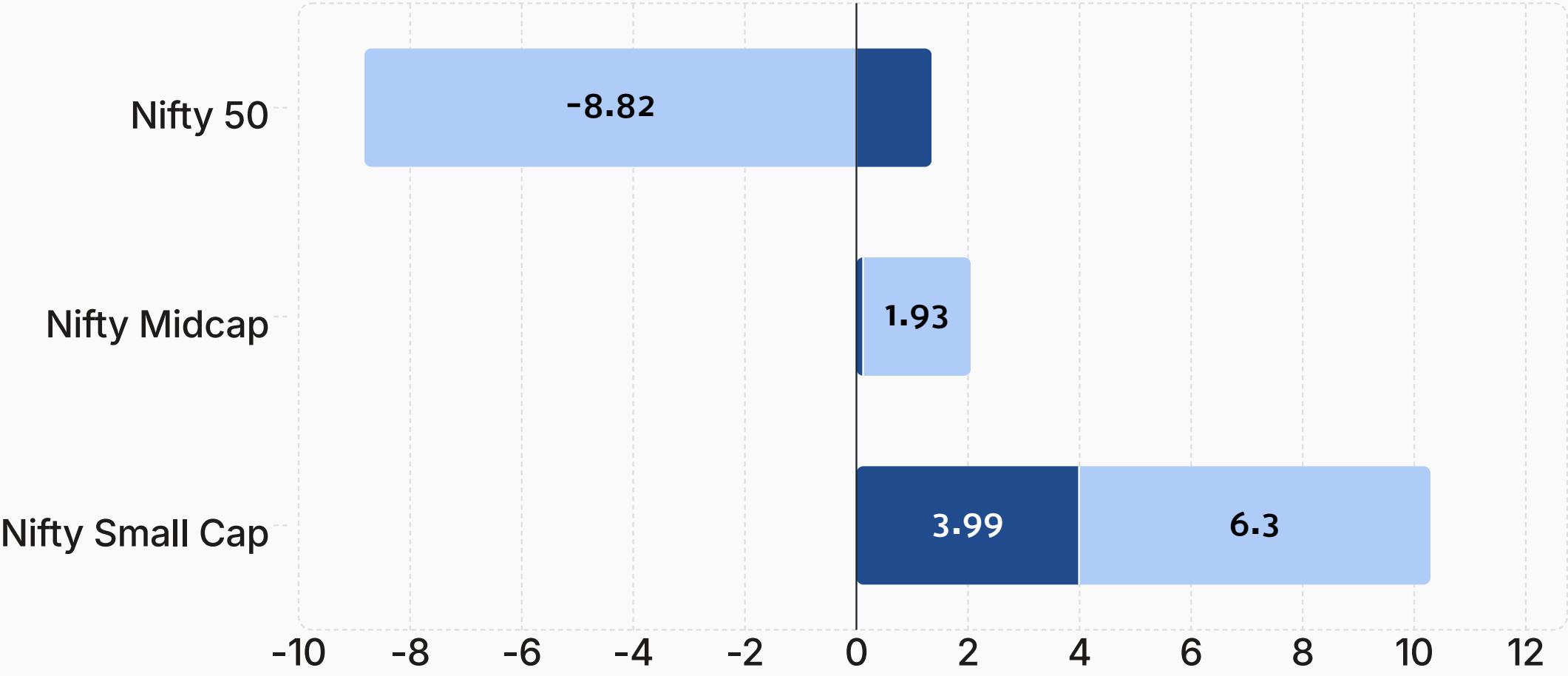
 **Nifty 50** recovered **+1.35% MTD** on easing geopolitical tensions and lower crude oil prices.

 **June's global markets were mixed — Asian tech leaders (Nikkei, KOSPI, TAIEX) dominated YTD, Hang Seng bore China-driven losses, and a hawkish Fed capped US indices while India staged a modest recovery.**

Indian Equity Markets

■ MTD % (June 2026) ■ YTD % (Jan–June 2026)

Index



🇮🇳 Indian large caps staged a recovery in June – Nifty 50 rose **+1.35% MTD** as easing geopolitical tensions and lower crude improved sentiment, though YTD remains at **-8.82%**.

♦ **Small Caps** outperformed meaningfully, gaining **+3.99% MTD** and extending YTD gains to a healthy **+6.30%**.

📈 **Mid Caps** showed modest gains of **+0.12% MTD**, with YTD returning to positive territory at **+1.93%**.

📊 The broader market's outperformance over large caps continues to reflect selective domestic demand strength and resilient retail participation.

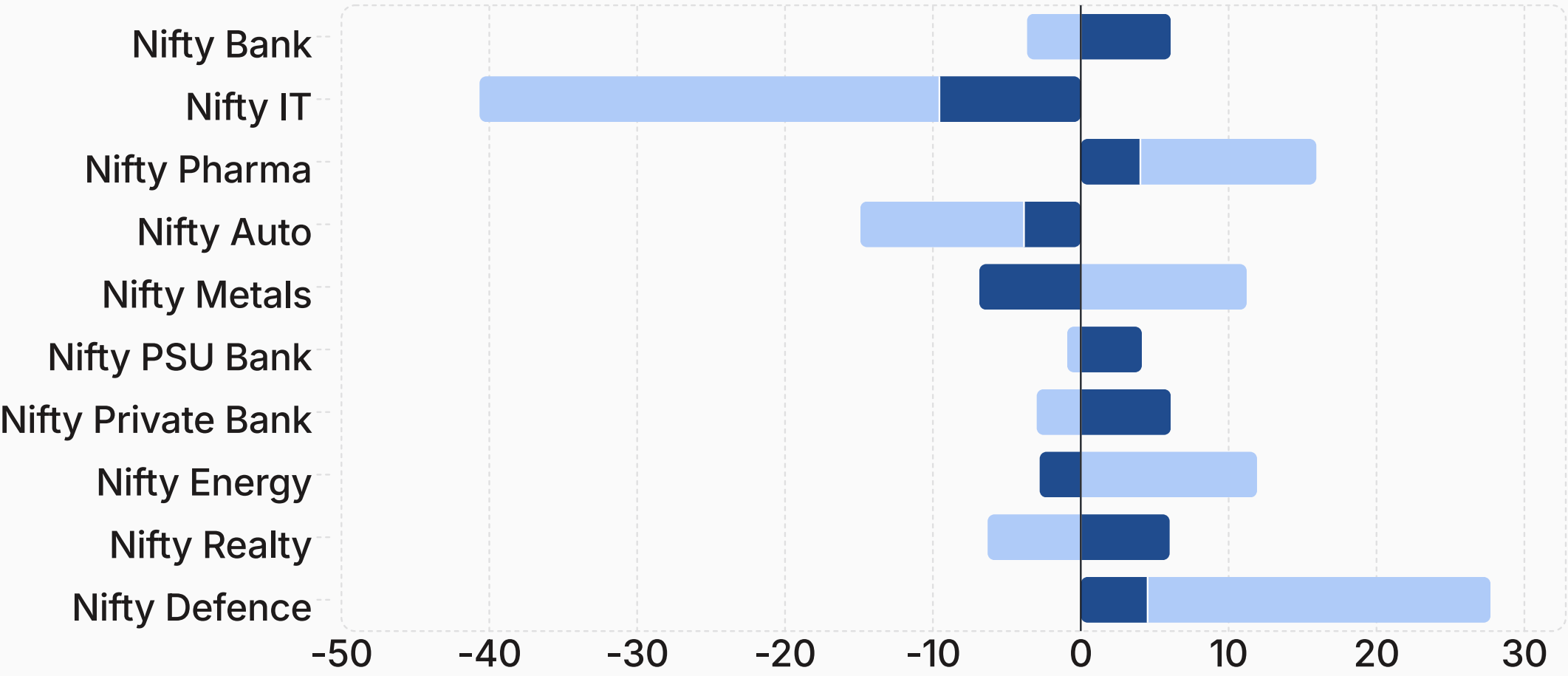
📌 **June 2026 brought a broad-based recovery across Indian equities. Small Caps led the charge with +3.99% MTD. Nifty 50 rebounded in in June after a brief correction in May, supported by easing oil prices, geopolitical calm and favorable domestic factors.**

Sectoral Performance

MTD % (June 2026)

YTD % (Jan–June 2026)

Sector



 **Banking led June's rally** – Nifty Bank and Nifty Private Bank surged **+6.09% MTD** each, while PSU Banks gained **+4.13% MTD** on improved credit outlook and rate stability.

 **Nifty Realty** rebounded sharply at **+6.01% MTD** as lower oil and easing financial conditions improved sentiment.

 **Nifty Defence** gained **+4.52% MTD**, extending its YTD dominance to **+23.19%** – the strongest YTD performer.

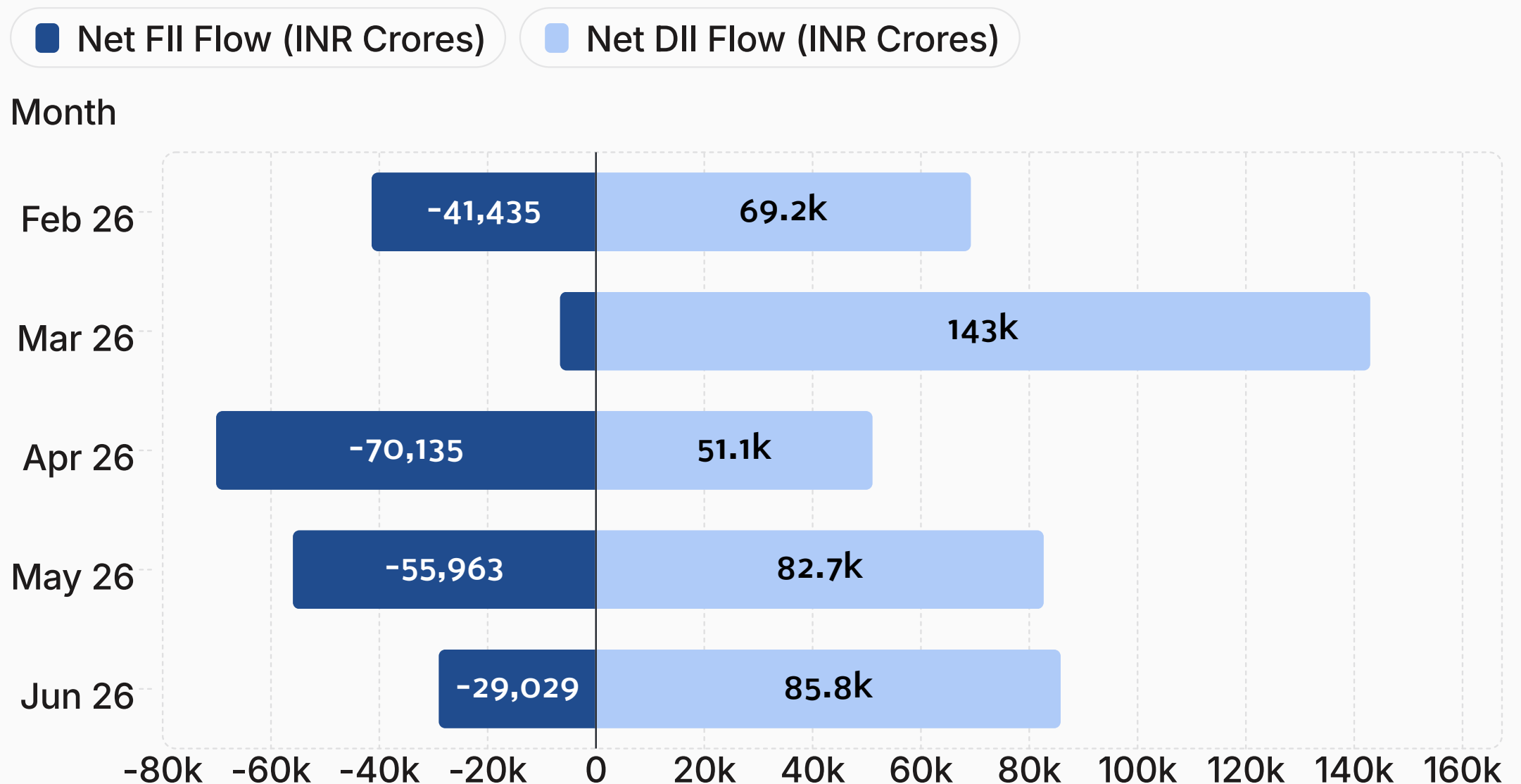
 **Nifty Pharma** continued its consistent performance with **+4.03% MTD** and a solid **+11.90% YTD**.

 **Nifty Metals** reversed course sharply at **-6.86% MTD** as commodity prices corrected alongside oil. YTD remains positive at **+11.22%**.

 **Nifty IT** was the worst performer at **-9.56% MTD**, deepening its YTD loss to a stark **-31.10%** – a continued structural drag.

 **Banking, Realty, and Defence are June's key themes driven by rate stability, easing macro risks, and sustained government spending. IT's -31.10% YTD demands close monitoring. Metals reversed sharply, while Defence's YTD leadership remains intact.**

FII / DII Trend



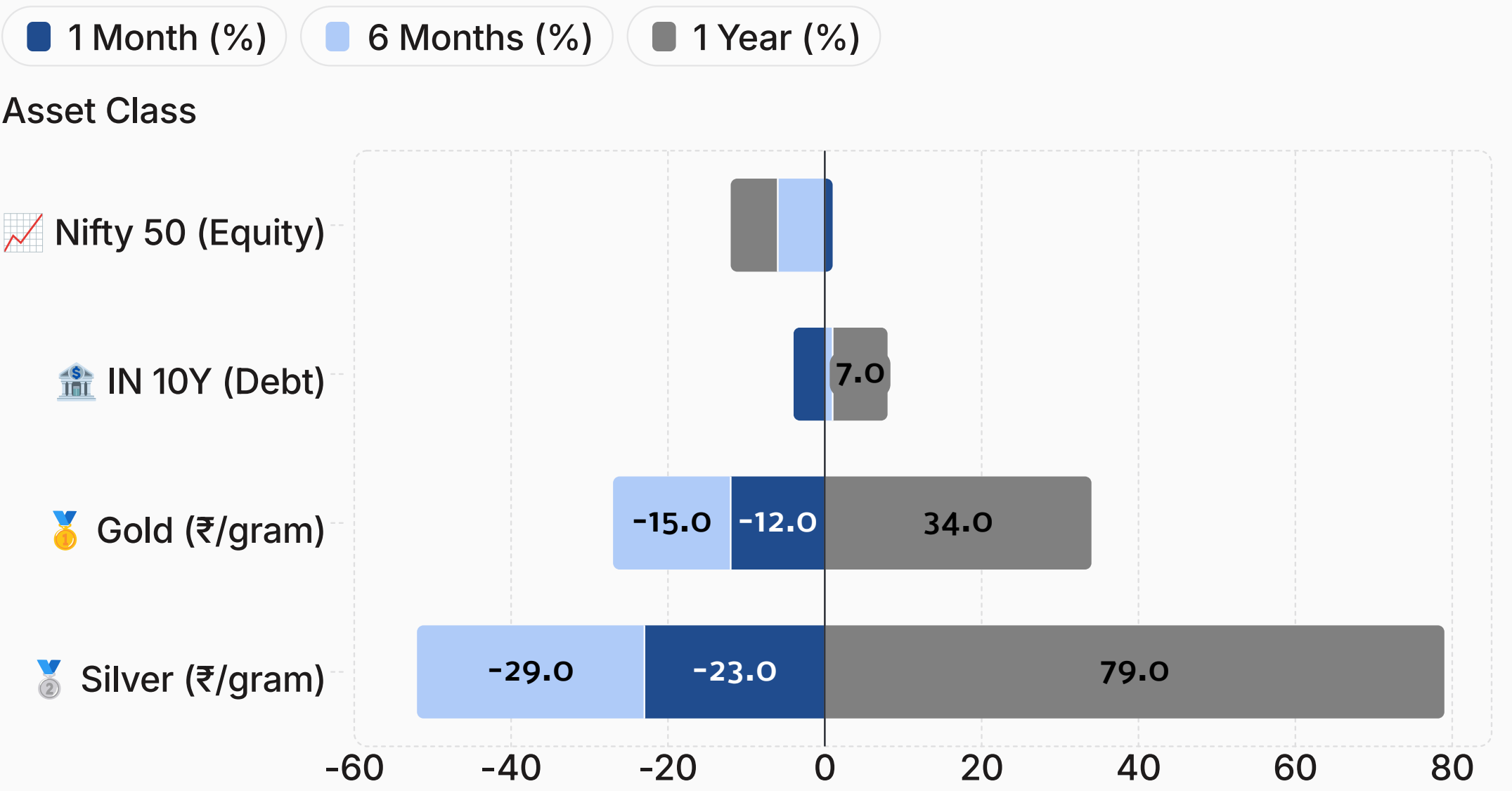
🇮🇳 **FII**s remained net **SELLERS** in June 2026 with outflows of **-₹29,029 Cr** – though the pace of selling moderated notably from May's **-₹55,963 Cr**.

🇮🇳 **DII inflows** of **₹85,800 Cr** remained robust, continuing to comfortably offset FII selling and providing a strong domestic cushion.

📌 **June 2026 saw FII outflows moderated— a significant improvement from prior months as easing geopolitics and lower oil improved India's macro backdrop. DII inflows remain strong, underlining the resilience of India's domestic investor base.**

Asset Class Performance

Precious metals corrected sharply in June as geopolitical risks eased and the dollar strengthened. Equity staged a recovery. Debt delivered steady returns while silver's extraordinary 1-year run moderated significantly.



Silver corrected sharply at -23% in 1 month and **-29% over 6 months**, though its 1-year return of **+79%** still significantly outperforms all other asset classes.

Gold fell -12% in the month and **-15% over 6 months** as easing geopolitical risks and a stronger dollar reduced safe-haven appeal. 1-year return of **+34%** remains strong.

Equity (Nifty 50) rose +1% in June, though it remains negative at **-6% over 1 year** and **-6% over 6 months**.

Debt (IN 10Y) delivered +7% over 1 year, continuing to outperform equity and providing stable returns for conservative allocators.

June marked a sharp reversal for precious metals — a reminder that even multi-year winners can correct. Diversification across equities, debt, and metals remains critical. Debt's steady 7% 1-year return rewards conservative allocators while equity begins its recovery.

Mutual Fund Performance - Factor Wise

Rank	1 Month	3 Months	6 Months	1 Year	3 Year	5 Year	10 Year
1	Alpha 3.62%	Alpha 17.93%	Alpha 5.67%	Value 12.35%	Alpha 4.57%	Value 27.69%	Value 23.77%
2	Momentu m 3.06%	Momentu m 11.92%	Value 1.38%	Alpha 0.34%	Low Volatilit y 1.57%	Alpha 20.18%	Low Volatili ty 14.66%
3	Low Volatility 1.81%	Low Volatility 6.42%	Low Volatility -2.34%	Low Volatili ty -2.72%	Moment um -2.93%	Mome ntum 13.37%	Momen tum 11.55%
4	Quality -2.06%	Quality 4.48%	Momentu m -2.93%	Mome ntum -2.93%	Quality -6.87%	Qualit y -8.18%	Quality 8.18%
5	Value -2.35%	Value 6.20%	Quality -9.05%	Quality -2.74%	Value -6.40%	Low Volatil ity 10.99%	Value 9.31%

 **Alpha** led factor performance across the short-to-medium term, reflecting strong stock selection.

 **Value** emerged as the strongest long-term performer despite recent underperformance.

 **Momentum** delivered mixed results, highlighting its cyclical nature across market phases.

 **Low Volatility** remained a steady defensive factor, while **Quality** continued to lag peers.

 **Alpha dominated short-to-medium term factor rankings while Value proved the standout long-term compounder despite short-term weakness. Momentum remained volatile across horizons, Quality was the persistent laggard, and Low Volatility offered consistent defensive ballast.**

Mutual Fund Category Performance — Equity

Rank	1 Month	3 Months	6 Months	1 Year	3 Year	5 Year
1	Small Cap 6.19%	Small Cap 21.07%	Small Cap 8.16%	Small Cap 6.26%	Mid Cap 18.82%	Small Cap 17.06%
2	Multi Cap 4.06%	Multi Cap 14.43%	Mid Cap 2.86%	Mid Cap 4.16%	Small Cap 17.68%	Mid Cap 16.37%
3	Flexi Cap 3.77%	Flexi Cap 11.66%	Multi Cap 0.97%	Multi Cap 1.85%	Multi Cap 16.15%	Multi Cap 14.50%
4	Mid Cap 3.72%	Mid Cap 15.70%	Large & Mid -1.12%	Large & Mid 0.64%	Large & Mid 15.29%	Large & Mid 13.88%
5	Large & Mid 3.49%	Large & Mid 12.22%	Flexi Cap -1.84%	Value 0.44%	Value 14.88%	Value 13.79%
6	ELSS 3.43%	ELSS 10.42%	Value -2.33%	Flexi Cap -0.66%	Flexi Cap 13.02%	ELSS 12.05%
7	Large Cap 2.94%	Large Cap 7.77%	ELSS -3.16%	ELSS -2.42%	Large Cap 12.67%	Flexi Cap 11.92%
8	Value 2.74%	Value 10.34%	Large Cap -3.66%	Large Cap -3.66%	Value 10.67%	Large Cap 10.25%

 **Small Cap** continued to outperform across most time horizons, reinforcing its leadership despite bouts of volatility.

 **Mid Cap** remained a strong performer, particularly over the medium to long term, reflecting sustained earnings momentum.

 **Multi Cap** delivered consistent performance across periods, benefiting from diversification across market capitalizations.

 **Large & Mid** recovered after a weak six-month phase, with longer-term returns remaining healthy.

 **Value** lagged in the short term but demonstrated resilience over longer investment horizons.

 **Flexi Cap , Large Cap & ELSS** trailed peers, reflecting a relatively cautious market environment favoring broader and mid-sized opportunities.

Mutual Fund Category Performance — Debt

Rank	1 Month	3 Months	6 Months	1 Year	3 Year
1	Medium Duration 1.88%	Medium Duration 2.96%	Medium Duration 3.13%	Money Market 6.12%	Medium Duration 7.41%
2	Corporate Bond 1.77%	Corporate Bond 2.66%	Money Market 3.01%	Medium Duration 6.05%	Corporate Bond 7.16%
3	Short Duration 1.63%	Short Duration 2.45%	Ultra Short Duration 2.98%	Ultra Short Duration 5.95%	Money Market 7.02%
4	Low Duration 1.08%	Money Market 1.81%	Low Duration 2.85%	Low Duration 5.86%	Short Duration 6.99%
5	Money Market 1.00%	Low Duration 1.71%	Corporate Bond 2.80%	Corporate Bond 5.83%	Low Duration 6.91%
6	Ultra Short Duration 0.87%	Ultra Short Duration 1.70%	Short Duration 2.76%	Short Duration 5.30%	Ultra Short Duration 6.71%
7	Liquid -3.09%	Liquid -2.14%	Liquid -0.67%	Liquid 2.01%	Liquid 4.14%

 **Medium Duration funds** led performance across most investment horizons.

 **Money Market funds** stood out over the 1-year period, reflecting the benefit of higher short-term interest rates.

 **Corporate Bond funds** delivered steady, consistent returns across periods.

 **Liquid funds** remained the weakest-performing debt category.

What Should Investors Do?



Stay Goal Oriented — Don't Chase Short-Term Noise

- Tune out monthly swings in oil, currency, and geopolitics
- US-Iran deal unsigned – global risks remain elevated
- Stay anchored to your long-term financial horizon



Continue SIPs — Moderation in FII Outflows is Encouraging

- FII selling easing; DII inflows strong at ₹85,800 Cr
- Stay disciplined with SIPs through volatility
- Accumulate in banking, defence, and pharma for the long term



Rebalance Precious Metals Exposure

- Gold and silver have corrected sharply – a buying opportunity
- Top up precious metals allocations at lower levels
- Keep a diversified mix across equities, debt, and commodities



Our View — June 2026: Cautious Optimism, Stay Disciplined

June 2026 brought geopolitical easing, an oil correction, and equity recovery – but a hawkish Fed, stronger dollar, and rising inflation demand disciplined navigation.

For Existing Investors

- **Stay invested** – moderating FII outflows and strong DII support signal improving confidence.
- **Favour** Banking, Defence, Pharma, and Realty; trim IT and Metals.
- **Top up precious metals** – Gold (-12%) and Silver (-23%) offer re-entry value.
- **Continue SIPs** for long-term wealth creation.

For New Investors

- **Start with SIPs** to ride India's recovery while managing volatility.
- **Diversify** across equities, debt, and precious metals after the correction.
- **Focus on** Banking, Defence, and Pharma – backed by GST collections of ₹1.95 lakh crore.

📌 **SIPs, selective positioning in Banking, Defence, and Pharma, and smart asset allocation are your edge in June 2026.**



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