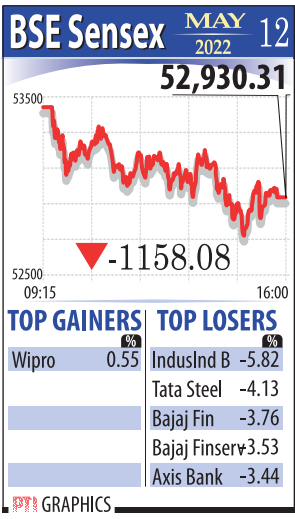


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Sensex, Nifty fall 15% from Jan peak

Fear of dollar liquidity squeeze by US Fed pulls down market



OUR BUREAU Mumbai, May 12 Fears of dollar liquidity being sucked out by the US Federal Reserve (Fed) through aggressive interest rate hikes is pushing stock markets down.

ter-than-expected inflation figures in the US and elsewhere around the world have put stock markets in a spot. Inflation in the US was recorded at a 40-year high on Wednesday at 8.3 per cent.

FPIs exit, DIs support As per exchange data, foreign portfolio investors (FPIs) sold stocks worth ₹ 5,255 crore on Thursday in the equity cash segment, taking the total selling for the month in the segment to nearly ₹ 29,000 crore.

Wall Street meltdown In the US, the tech-heavy Nasdaq 100 index was down 27 per cent for the year, while the Dow Jones and S&P 500 indices fell around 15 per cent from their peak.

Rupee slumps to 77.625

Closes at 77.415 on RBI intervention

OUR BUREAU Mumbai, May 12 The rupee is facing testing times in the face of a strong dollar. The Indian unit touched an all-time intra-day low of 77.625 per dollar on Thursday before recouping some of the losses on Reserve Bank of India's strong intervention.

dollar, about 18 paise lower versus previous close of 77.24. "That the rupee closed at 77.4150 after touching an all-time intra-day low of 77.6250 is only due to RBI intervention. They sold dollars continuously," said a Chief Forex Dealer of a private sector bank.

Apex Court refuses to stay LIC IPO share allotment

SC seeks response from Centre, insurance major

OUR BUREAU New Delhi, May 12 The Supreme Court on Thursday declined to grant any interim relief and stay the Life Insurance Corporation (LIC) IPO share allotment on a batch of pleas filed by some policyholders.

their response within eight weeks. The Bench said that on the aspect of interim relief, the court must be guided by the well-settled principle of prima facie case, balance of convenience and whether there is any irreparable injury.

Venus Pipes: Short operational history, high valuation erode appeal

Peers are on better footing with higher scale of operations

SAI PRABHAKAR YADAVALLI BL Research Bureau Venus Pipes & Tubes (Venus) is a Gujarat-based company manufacturing stainless steel pipes.

steel price cycle. The company was incorporated in 2015 and can present only seven years of operational history. However, to its credit, the company has added 55 per cent to the installed capacity since 2019.

IPO RATING Venus Pipes & Tubes Business Financials Management Valuation Overall Offer period May 11-13, 2022 Price band ₹310-326 Market cap ₹629-662 cr

How they compare Table with columns: Revenue, EBITDA margin, Trailing PE. Includes Welspun Corp, Ratnamani Metals & Tubes, Man Industries, Venus Pipes & Tubes.

tions and welded pipes for petro-chemical applications. The fresh issue proceeds will be utilised for capital expansion of the seamless segment from 3,600 MTPA in 2021 to 9,600 MTPA and welded segment from 7,200 MTPA to 14,400 MTPA.

of the added plants. Venus' capital expansion and higher realisations aided a revenue growth of 74 per cent in FY21, of which 35 per cent was from capacity expansion.

Growth stocks drag Wall Street lower on rate hike worries

REUTERS May 12 Wall Street's main indexes fell on Thursday, with growth stocks leading declines for a second straight session as investors worried that aggressive interest rate increases to curb decades-high inflation could tip the economy into recession.

BROKER'S CALL

ANAND RATHI Ajanta Pharma (Buy) Target: ₹2,378 CMP: ₹1,704.65 Ajanta's Q4-FY22 sales grew 15 per cent to ₹870 crore.

TODAY'S PICK

Sunteck Realty (₹400.3): SELL GURUMURTHYK BL Research Bureau The outlook for the stock of Sunteck Realty is bearish. The price action since September 2021 indicates a head and shoulder pattern formation.

DAY TRADING GUIDE

Table with columns: S1, S2, R1, R2, COMMENT. Lists various stocks like Nifty 50 Futures, HDFC Bank, Infosys, ITC, ONGC, Reliance Ind., SBI, TCS.

Nifty 50 Movers Table with columns: Close, Pts, PE, Wk%, Wk. Lists stocks like Wipro, Dr Reddys Lab, Eicher Motors, HCL Tech, TCS, Bajaj Auto, Tata Consumer Products Ltd., Britannia Ind, Sun Pharma, Coal India, Asian Paints, BPCL, Tech Mahindra, ONGC, Divis Lab, Cipla, Hero MotoCorp, Apollo Hosp, Shree Cement, Nestle India Ltd., PowerGrid Corp, SBI Life, NTPC, HDFC Life, UltraTech Cement, Grasim Ind, Mauri Suzuki, Hindalco, Titan, Tata Motors, Bajaj Finserv, Adani Ports, Indian Bank, Tata Steel, Bharti Airtel, State Bank, L&T, Bajaj Finance, Axis Bank, Infosys, Kotak Bank, HDFC, ICI, Reliance Ind, HDFC Bank.

Nifty Next 50 Movers Table with columns: Close, Pts, PE, Wk%, Wk. Lists stocks like Ambuja Cements, Indian Oilcorp, Acc, Fast E-Commerce Ventures, Zyclus Lifesciences, Jubilant Foodworks, Proc & Gam, Gail (India), Berger Paints India, Marico, One 97 Communications, Colgate, Gland Pharma, Zomato, Bosch, Torrent Pharma, HDFC Asset Mgmt Cmp, Df, Biocon, Sbi Cards And Pay Srv, Godrej Consumer, Siemens, PI Industries, Larsen & Toubro Info, Sail, Int'l Globevibe, Muthoot Finance, Dabur India, Indus Towers, Lupin, United Spirits, Mindtree, Bandhan Bank, Srf, Nmdc, CholamandInvestment&Fin, Avenuesuper, Havells, I-Prulife, Pidilite, Bajaj Holdings, Primal Ent, ICI Lombard Gic, Bank Of Baroda, Info Edge (India), Vedanta, Punjab Natl Bank, Adani Transmission, Adani Ent, Adani Green Energy.

Paradeep Phosphates IPO to open on May 17

OUR BUREAU Kolkata, May 12 Paradeep Phosphates Ltd's IPO will open on May 17. The price-band of the offer has been fixed at ₹39-42 per share of face of ₹10 each.

Fund utilisation The company intends to utilise net proceeds from the fresh issue towards part-financing the acquisition of the Go facility; repayment/prepayment of certain borrowings; and for general corporate purposes.

IDFC FIRST Bank Limited NOTICE (For attention of Equity Shareholders of the Bank) Sub: Transfer of Equity Shares of the Bank to Investor Education and Protection Fund Authority. Shareholders are hereby informed that pursuant to the applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Investor Education and Protection Fund (IEPF) Authority (Accounting, Audit, Transfer and Refund) Amendment Rules, 2019 (the 'Rules') as amended from time to time, the Final Dividend declared for the FY 2014-15 by erstwhile Capital First Limited (now amalgamated with IDFC FIRST Bank Limited), which remained unclaimed or unpaid for a period of seven years will be credited to the IEPF.

