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https://www.moneycontrol.com/news/business/markets/nse-to-launch-derivatives-on-the-nifty-financial-services-index-from-january-11-6212991.html

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#### **Business Standard**

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"Nifty Financial Services has a correlation of 98 per cent with the Nifty Bank index. The Nifty Financial Services index has delivered annualised returns of 15 per cent in the last five years," said NSE in a release. The financial stocks have the biggest sectoral weight in the domestic stock markets. They account for a third of the top 500 companies. Also, it is a biggest sector in terms of foreign investment. Last month, nearly half of the \$8 billion of foreign portfolio investor (FPI) inflows went into financial stocks. More than a third of FPI assets in India are into financial stocks.

Derivatives trading in the Nifty Financial Services index will commence from January 11. Market players given the high interest in financial stocks, the index has potential to become as popular as the Bank Nifty index.

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#### **Business Insider**

## SEBI approves the launch of derivatives on NSE's Nifty Financial Services Index starting January 11

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### **WEEKLY FUTURES ON INDEX TO DEBUT FROM JAN 11**

# NSE to Offer Derivatives on Financial Services Index

#### **Our Bureau**

**Mumbai:** Market participants like FIIs, retail investors and traders and domestic institutions will for the first time be able to bet or hedge on weekly index futures on an Indian bourse.

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Currently, on the index front, participants can trade only on Bank Nifty

and Nifty monthly index futures and options, apart from weekly options on the two indices. They will now have the same option with NSE Financial Services Index, with an added option of seven weekly index futures and options contracts on the index.

"Since these are derivatives on a new index, we decided to test the waters with weekly index futures," said Ravi Varanasi, chief business development officer, NSE. "Together, the new contracts on the index will offer participants an efficient means for managing short-term risk."

As opposed to the Bank Nifty, which

comprises 12 banking stocks, the financial services index comprises 20 stocks from the banking, NBFC, HFC, insurance, asset management, holding company and other financial services spaces. Index constituents include HDFC Bank, SBI, ICICI Bank, Axis Bank, Kotak Bank, Bajaj Finserv, M&M Financial Services, REC, PFC, ICICI Prudential Life Insurance Company, etc.

"The new index contracts will be more diverse than the Bank Nifty, having a larger number of constituents," said Rohit Srivastava, founder, IndiaCharts.

# NSE to launch derivatives on Nifty Finance

#### **BS REPORTER**

Mumbai, 10 December

The National Stock Exchange (NSE) on Thursday said it will launch derivatives contracts on the Nifty Financial Services index. This will be only the third equity index to have futures and options (F&O) contracts.

At present, NSE offers derivatives contracts for the benchmark Nifty50 and the Bank Nifty index. The Nifty Financial

Services comprises 20 stocks, mainly banks, non-banking financial companies (NBFCs) and insurance stocks — including HDFC Bank, HDFC, ICICI Bank, and Kotak Mahindra Bank.

Given the high weighting of banking stocks, the index largely moves in lockstep with the Bank Nifty index. "Nifty Financial Services has a correlation of 98 per cent with the Nifty Bank index. The Nifty Financial Services index has delivered annualised returns of 15 per cent in the last five years," said NSE in a release.

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#### **Hindu Business Line**

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Mumbai, December 10

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#### **Financial Express**

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Currently, it offers index derivatives on only two equity indices -- Nifty 50 Index and Nifty Bank Index, the NSE said in a statement.

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## NSE derivatives on Nifty FSI from January 11

New Delhi

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#### **Gujarat Samachar**

## NSE વધુ એક ઇન્ડેક્સ ડેરીવેટિવ રજૂ કરશે

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