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Circular

Department: CAPITAL MARKET SEGMENT	
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All Members,

Mock trading on Saturday, September 05, 2026 – Go Live of modification in the pre-open call auction framework and changes in the norms for Base Price, Price Bands, Call Auction in pre-open session for exchange traded fund (ETF's) - New version of NEAT+ 7.9.0

Members are required to note that the below changes shall be effective in LIVE from September 05, 2026. Following circulars were issued by Exchange:

Particulars	Reference number & date	Subject
Circulars	NSE/CMTR/74969 dated July 01, 2026	Modification in the pre-open call auction framework
	NSE/CMTR/76041 dated August 28, 2026	Norms for Base Price, Price Bands, Call Auction in pre-open session and Close-out procedure for ETF
	NSE/CMTR/76101 dated September 01, 2026	Trading in Exchange Traded Funds (ETFs) – Update in trading parameters
FAQ path	https://www.nseindia.com/static/trade/continuous-markets-FAQs > Pre-open session in Capital Market (CM) segment	

In continuation to circular (Download No. 71999) dated December 24, 2025, Exchange shall be conducting a mock trading session in the Capital Market segment on Saturday, September 05, 2026. **In alignment with above changes, Exchange shall introduce a new NEATPlus version (7.9.0). It is recommended that members must use NEATPlus version 7.9.0 from September 05, 2026 for revised pre-open call auction framework.**

Mock Date: September 05, 2026	
Particulars	Time in Hrs
Trading Session-1 from Primary site	
Morning Block Deal Window Session-1 open time	08:30
Morning Block Deal Window Session-1 close time	08:45
Pre-Open open time	08:45

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Pre-Open Market order restriction start time	09:15
Pre-Open* close time * Random closure in last two minute	09:45*
Special Preopen Session open time (For IPO & Relisted security)	08:45
Special Preopen Session** close time (For IPO & Relisted security) ** Random closure in last ten minute	09:30
Normal Market open time	09:50
T+0 Market Open time	09:50
Call Auction Illiquid session open time (2 sessions of 30 min each)* * Random closure in last one minute	10:00
T+0 Market Close time	11:00
T+0 Market Trade modification end time	11:10
Normal market open time for stocks in special preopen session	10:00
Auction Market Open Time	10:00
Auction Market Close Time	10:45
Block Deal Window Session – 2 Open time	10:15
Block Deal Window Session – 2 Close time	10:30
Contingency Start time	10:30
Contingency End time	11:30
Normal Market close time	11:30

Mock Date: September 05, 2026	
Particulars	Time in Hrs
Trading Session-2 from DR Site	
Pre-Open open time	12:15
Pre-Open Market order restriction start time	12:20
Pre-Open* close time * Random closure in last two minute	12:25*
Normal Market open time	12:30
Call Auction Illiquid session open time (1 session of 30 min)* * Random closure in last one minute	12:45
Normal Market close time for CAS securities.	13:15
CAS Open time	13:20
CAS Market order restriction start time	13:25
CAS close time * * Random closure in last two minute	13:30
Normal Market close time	13:30

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Closing Session open time	13:50
Closing Session close time	14:00
Trade modification end time	14:05

Mock Date: September 05, 2026	
Particulars	Time in Hrs
Trading Session-3 from Primary site	
Block Deal Window Session open time	15:15
Block Deal Window Session close time	15:30
Pre-Open open time	15:30
Pre-Open Market order restriction start time	15:35
Pre-Open* close time * Random closure in last two minute	15:40
Normal Market open time	15:45
Call Auction Illiquid session open time (1 session of 30 min)* * Random closure in last one minute	16:00
T+0 Market Open time	15:45
T+0 Market Close time	16:15
T+0 Market Trade modification end time	16:20
Auction Market Open Time	16:00
Auction Market Close Time	16:35
Normal Market close time for CAS securities	16:45
CAS Open time	16:50
CAS Market order restriction start time	16:55
CAS close time * * Random closure in last two minute	17:00
Normal Market close time	17:00
Closing Session open time	17:10
Closing Session close time	17:20
Trade Modification end time	17:30
Re-login Timings	
Live Re-login start time	19:30
Live Re-login close time	20:00

#Trades from trading session 1 & 2 shall not be available in trading session 3. However, Trades from trading session 1 shall be available in trading session 2. Members are requested to actively participate in all trading sessions.

Members are advised to take note of the below important instructions:

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- 1) Below new NEAT+ version should be used explicitly for CAS:

Version	Availability	Download path on NSE Extranet path
NEAT+ 7.9.0	On September 04, 2026, 18:00 hours	/cmftp/common/NEATPlus790

- 2) The existing NEAT+ exe version shall be discontinued as per below:

Version	Download path on NSE Extranet path	Discontinuation date
7.8.9	/cmftp/common/NEATPlus789	October 10, 2026 (mock)

- 3) For mock session on September 05, 2026 and Live trading on September 07, 2026, kindly download the master files which will be generated by Exchange post completion of end of trading day activities. The files shall be available on the extranet path on September 05, 2026 on or before 6:00 hours:

File name	Location	File availability
security.gz	/cmftp/common/ntneat	On September 05, 2026 by 06:00 hours
participant.gz		
nnf_security.gz		
nnf_participant.gz		
NSE_CM_security_04092026.csv.gz	/cmftp/common/tbt_masters	
cm_contract_stream_info.csv		

Members are advised to load the above master files in the trading application before Mock trading session on September 05, 2026.

- 4) **Members are requested to refer updated NEATPlus installation procedure as per the circular [NSE/MSD/76159](#) dated September 03, 2026.**

For other important instructions regarding the mock trading, kindly refer to the following Annexures:

Annexure 1: Important instructions regarding mock trading session.

Annexure 2: Pre-requisites / General guidelines for participating in the Mock environment.

Annexure 3: Important guidelines in case of switchover of trading system to Disaster Recovery (DR) Site.

Annexure 4: Update on NEATPlus : Dissemination of Indicative Open price of Indices.

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Annexure – 1

Important instructions regarding mock trading session

Particulars	Details
Connectivity Parameters:	Refer to circular NSE/MSD/73993 dated April 30, 2026 & NSE/MSD/74511 dated June 02, 2026 for interactive connectivity details.
Installation Guide:	Available on NSE Extranet at /common/InstallationProcedure
Software Version:	NEAT+ 7.9.0 & 7.8.9
Order Purge:	All outstanding orders will be cleared before each session. Members using NNF software must manually clear orders in their systems.
Software Testing:	Refer to circular NSE/MSD/46441 and SEBI circular SEBI/HO/MRD1/DSAP/CIR/P/2020/234. Members may use either Mock Trading or Simulated Environment to meet regulatory requirements.
No Financial Obligation:	Trades during mock sessions will not result in any fund pay-in or pay-out.
UCC/PAN Validity:	Only valid and compliant UCC/PAN uploaded and approved before cutoff will be allowed. For queries, contact uci@nse.co.in . UCC Validation will be skipped during contingency time for order entry.
NOTIS Availability:	The NOTIS application will be accessible during the mock session.
Participation:	Members should participate using all trading software and re-login into live environment to ensure smooth connectivity for Monday September 07, 2026.
Live Updates:	Visit www.nseindia.com for any session-related updates.
Support:	For queries, call Toll-Free: 1800 266 0050 (Option 1).

Annexure – 2

Pre-requisites / General guidelines for participating in the Mock environment

Pre-requisites / General guidelines Heads	Details
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Eligibility	All members enabled for trading in the Capital Market (CM) segment in the live market are automatically eligible for mock trading. Participation is enabled using existing User IDs, IPs, and Box ID mappings from the live environment.
Telnet Connectivity	Ensure you can successfully telnet the Exchange host from the IP address you intend to use.
Box ID Setup	Confirm that the Box ID is created on the IP with appropriate messages for the segment you wish to trade in.
NNF Application Users	If using Non-NEAT Frontend (NNF): a) User ID must be of dealer type. b) It must be converted for NNF. c) It must be mapped with the IP.
Branch/User Limits	Set appropriate branch and user limits from the Corporate Manager Terminal before placing orders in the mock session.
Exchange Requests for Mock Participation	Send email requests for the following actions with User ID and segment details: a) Pro Enablement b) CTCL Conversion (only dealer IDs) c) Password Reset for Corporate Manager User ID d) Unlocking of Corporate Manager User ID e) Change of Trading Rights (e.g., PRO to CLI, PRO+CLI)
Password Management	Corporate Manager User ID: Exchange will assist with reset/unlock via email. Other User IDs: Members must reset/unlock these themselves using the Corporate Manager Terminal.

Annexure – 3

Important guidelines in case of switchover of trading system to Disaster Recovery (DR) Site

1. Kindly note below points after switch over to DR site:
 - a. Trades of primary site will be available in Previous Trades window.
 - b. Trades can be modified/cancelled using Multiple Trade Modification and Cancellation window respectively.
 - c. Messages of primary site will be available in TWS Message Area.
2. If user renames or deletes the User folder and re-login the NEAT+ terminal, then data of primary site shall not be available in the functional window as mentioned above point.

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Annexure – 4

Update on NEATPlus functionality:

➤ **Dissemination of Indicative Open Price of Indices**

- Currently, Indicative Open Price (IOP) of only NIFTY50 index is being disseminated. Going forward, IOP of other indices shall also be disseminated during the pre-open session.
- IOP of indices shall be displayed on NEATPlus TWS under Index Window. The dissemination of IOP shall commence from start of pre-open session.