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Circular

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All Members,

Muhurat Trading session on account of Diwali

In continuation to circular No. [NSE/CMTR/71775](#) dated December 12, 2025, a special live trading session shall be held on **Sunday, November 08, 2026** on account of Muhurat trading on Diwali as per the following schedule:

Diwali Muhurat Trading Session on Sunday, November 08, 2026			
Main Sessions	Start Time (in Hrs)	End Time (in Hrs)	Remarks
Preopen - Order Entry Period (*) System driven random closure in the last 2 minutes	14:05	14:10	• Order entry, Modification and Cancellation for both limit and market orders.
	14:10	14:15*	• Order entry, order modification, order cancellation period only for limit orders. • No modification/ cancellation allowed for market orders
Preopen - Order Matching & trade Confirmation Period	14:15	14:17	-
Preopen - Buffer Period	14:17	14:20	-
Normal Market (Continuous Trading Session - CTS) Open time	14:20	-	-
Normal Market close time only for Closing Auction Session (CAS) securities	-	15:15	-
Reference price calculation / Transition from Closing Trading Session (CTS) to CAS	15:15	15:20	-
CAS - Order Entry Period (*) System driven random closure in the last 2 minutes	15:20	15:25	Order entry, Modification and Cancellation for both limit and market orders.

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	15:25	15:30*	Order entry, order modification, order cancellation period only for limit orders No modification/ cancellation allowed for market orders
CAS - Order Matching & trade Confirmation Period	15:30	15:35	Order matching period will start immediately after completion of order entry period. Order matching and trade confirmation
CAS - Transition period	15:35	15:50	Transition from CAS to post closing session
Post Close Session	15:50	16:00	-
Normal Market Close time for Non-CAS securities	-	15:30	-

Other Sessions	Start Time (in Hrs)	End Time (in Hrs)
Block deal session	13:50	14:05
Special Preopen Session (For IPO & Relisted security) (**) System driven random closure in the last 10 minutes	14:05	14:50**
Normal market timings for stocks in special preopen session	15:05	15:30
Call Auction Illiquid session (***) System driven random closure in the last 1 minutes	14:25	15:10***
Trade Modification cut-off time	14:20	16:15

All trades executed in this Diwali Muhurat trading session shall result in settlement obligations.

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