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The daily turnover for stock futures and stock options on the NSE hit a record high of ₹93,298.96 crore and ₹42,843.59 crore respectively, on Wednesday.

The previous high for stock futures was ₹88,961.55 crore on July 26, while for stock options it was ₹41,503.57 crore on July 15, according to data provided by the stock exchange.

Overall, the equity derivative

segment on the NSE recorded a turnover of ₹6.86-lakh crore.

Turnover for index options stood at ₹5.19-lakh crore, while it was ₹30,478.71 crore for index futures.

The exchange has seen trades worth ₹242.45-lakh crore so far in the current fiscal. Of this, ₹57.57-lakh crore has been recorded in July, till date.

According to the World Federation of Exchanges (WFE), NSE's Nifty Options was the most actively traded contract for stock index options globally during 2015.

Top bourse

Further, NSE was rated as the top bourse among its global peers in terms of the number of stock index option contracts traded in 2015. It was also among the top 10 for the number of trades in single stock option contracts (ninth position) and single stock futures contracts (second) and stock index futures contracts (sixth).