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# TOP NEWS HEADLINES

The Nifty 50 climbed to 26,228, surpassing its 2024 peak, while the Sensex closed at 85,633. Improved corporate results and tentative foreign inflow stabilization underpinned the breakout after 2025 underperformance versus EM peers.

Reuters (foreign flow analysis); Moneycontrol  
Mid- to late-November 2025

Nifty 50 hits fresh record as foreign flows stabilize, earnings steady



Reuters; 21 November 2025

Private-sector growth at six-month low on softer manufacturing, resilient services

India's composite flash PMI dipped to 59.9 in November from 60.4 in October, a six month low, as manufacturing eased to a nine-month trough while services improved. Firms cited heavy rains and competitive global pricing for softer orders, with hiring and output-price inflation cooling.

November macro watch: CPI, IIP, PMI and fiscal math in focus

Investors tracked a dense data slate—retail inflation, industrial output, flash/final PMIs, and fiscal deficit prints—to gauge growth-inflation dynamics and policy glide path into December.

Financial Express  
20 November 2025







## Bank Nifty approaches records; IT strength aids sentiment

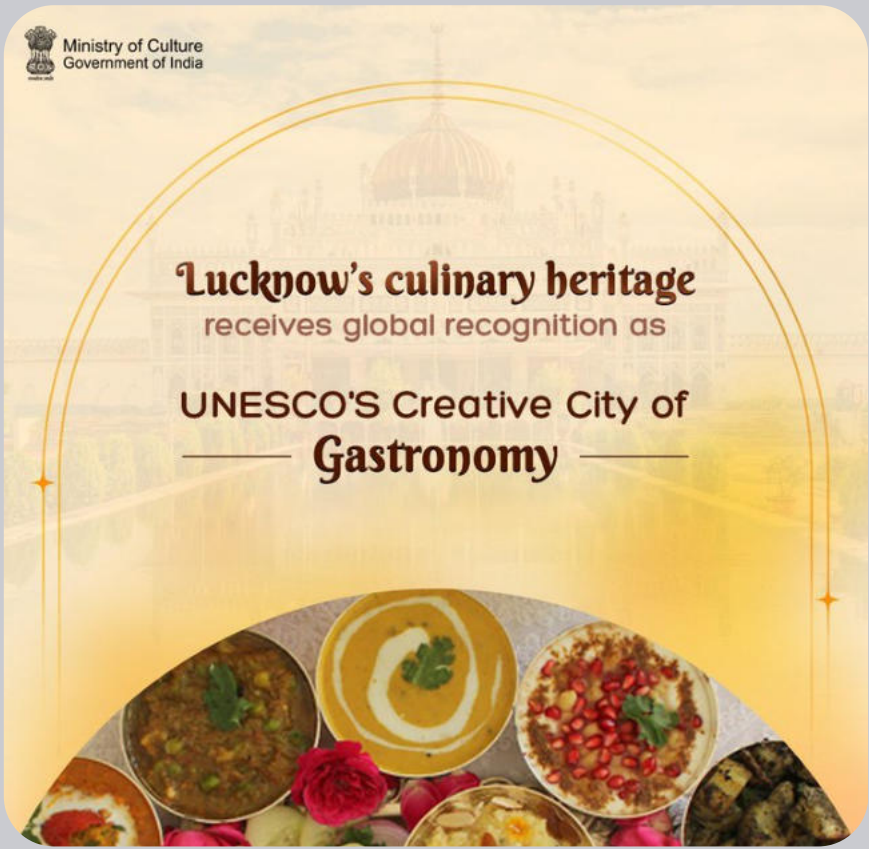
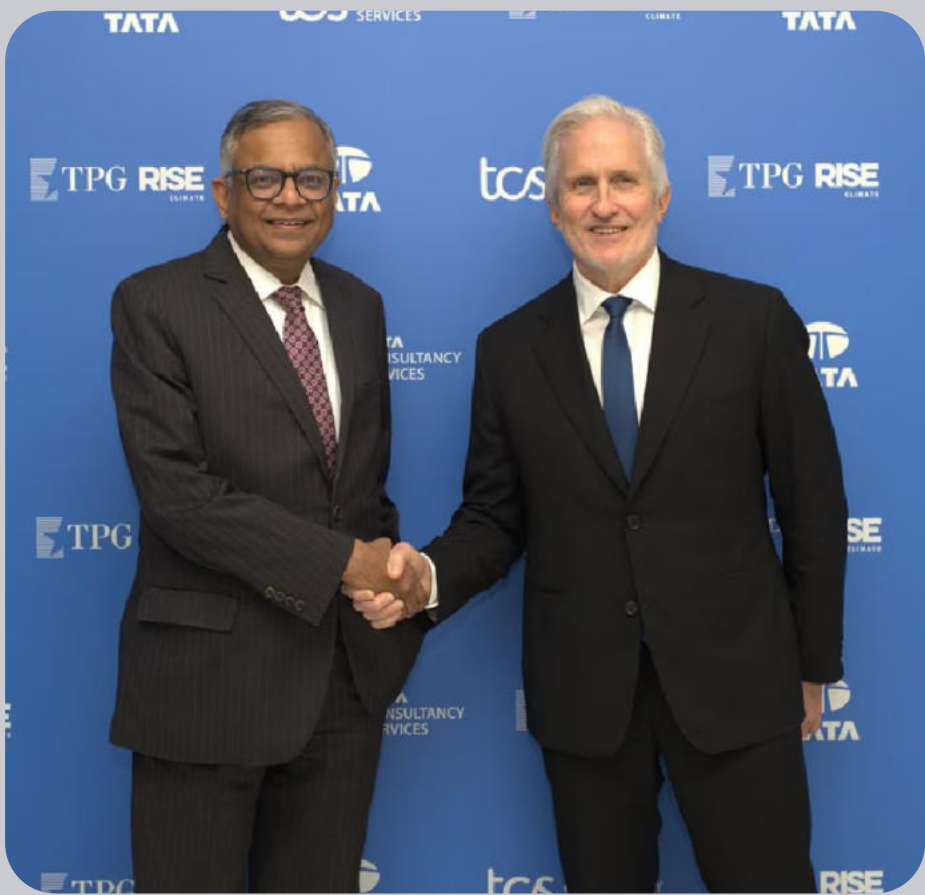
With improving global risk tone and softer U.S. labor data, Bank Nifty hovered near all-time highs. Traders eyed Nifty zones around 26,100–26,277 for near-term resistance as large caps outperformed.

Bestmate market note; Moneycontrol wrap  
November 2025

## TCSTPG unveil HyperVault AI data centre JV with up to ₹18,000 crore equity

Tata Consultancy Services will hold 51% in HyperVault as TPG invests up to ₹8,820 crore. The venture targets GW-scale, liquid-cooled, AI-ready data centres across key cloud regions, marking a strategic pivot from TCS’s asset-light stance.

TCS press release; Reuters; Business Standard  
20 November 2025



## Lucknow named UNESCO Creative City of Gastronomy

The UNESCO recognition celebrates Awadhi cuisine and living culinary traditions. The designation is expected to boost tourism, creative industries, and heritage preservation initiatives tied to the city's storied food culture.

Reuters India page roundup context  
1 November 2025

## India inks first structured U.S. LPG import deal for 2026 deliveries

State OMCs finalized a one-year contract for 2.2 MTPA LPG from the U.S., equal to nearly a tenth of India’s annual imports, diversifying energy sources and strengthening bilateral energy ties ahead of 2026 needs.

Reuters India page roundup  
17 November 2025





## **FACULTY BLOG**

### **Green MBA: The Rise of Sustainable Business Leadership**

The business world is rapidly shifting as climate change, resource depletion, and social issues push companies to adopt ethical and sustainable practices. Organizations are now expected to balance profit with environmental responsibility and social impact. This has created a strong need for professionals who understand sustainability along with business strategy. The Green MBA fulfills this need by combining traditional management education with environmental management, ESG (Environmental, Social, Governance) principles, and ethical leadership.

Traditional MBA programs often overlook crucial areas like climate risk, carbon accounting, circular economy models, and green supply chains. With stricter sustainability norms worldwide and in India—such as mandatory CSR, SEBI's BRSR reporting, waste-management laws, and the national goal of carbon neutrality by 2070—businesses now require sustainability-skilled managers. The Green MBA bridges this gap by training students in resource efficiency, environmental policies, sustainable innovation, and responsible decision-making,

Research strongly supports integrating sustainability into management studies. Concepts like John Elkington's Triple Bottom Line (People, Planet, Profit) show that long-term success depends not just on financial growth but also on environmental and social performance. Companies with strong ESG practices are more resilient and attract better investments, encouraging universities to redesign business curricula.

Globally, prestigious institutions such as Yale, Duke, Presidio Graduate School, and IE Business School offer sustainability-focused MBA programs. These programs emphasize climate strategy, renewable energy, sustainable finance, and green operations.

In India, interest is growing rapidly. IIMs, BITS Pilani, and TISS Mumbai offer sustainability-oriented programs. Meanwhile, companies like Tata, Infosys, ITC, Mahindra, and Wipro are adopting strong sustainability practices, increasing demand for trained professionals.

The future scope is highly promising. Career roles include ESG Analyst, CSR Manager, Climate Consultant, Renewable Energy Project Manager, Sustainability Strategist, and Green Supply Chain Leader.

In conclusion, the Green MBA is a modern and essential program that prepares leaders for a sustainability-driven future. It aligns with India's development goals and equips graduates with skills for meaningful, responsible, and future-ready careers.



**Dr. Preeti Patidar**  
**Assistant Professor, IIMR**



# Economical & Financial Indicators - November 2025

| Indicator                 | Latest Value / Trend                                       | Remarks / Insight                                                                                     |
|---------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| GDP Growth Rate (India)   | 6.8% (FY26 Projection)                                     | RBI revised India's GDP growth forecast for FY 2025–26 upwards to 6.8% from earlier estimate of 6.5%. |
| CPI Inflation Rate        | 2.1% (August 2025)                                         | Headline inflation showed significant moderation, dropping to 2.1% in August 2025.                    |
| Repo Rate (RBI)           | 5.50%                                                      | RBI kept the policy repo rate unchanged at 5.50% in its October 2025 review.                          |
| Sensex & Nifty            | Sensex ↑ 1.0% - Nifty ↑ 1.0% (October)                     | Markets showed positive movement in October, reflecting investor optimism.                            |
| USD–INR Exchange Rate     | 88.36 (Average October 2025)                               | The exchange rate fluctuated between ₹87.74 and ₹88.87 during October 2025.                           |
| Exports & Imports         | Exports: \$220.12 bn - Imports: \$375.11 bn (Apr–Sep 2025) | Merchandise trade deficit widened due to higher imports.                                              |
| Crude Oil (Brent)         | \$61.50 per barrel (October 2025)                          | Prices fell to a five-month low amid concerns about a global crude oil surplus.                       |
| Unemployment Rate (India) | 6.9% (September 2025, CMIE)                                | Slight rise observed, with urban employment picking up.                                               |
| PMI – Manufacturing       | 56.9 (October 2025)                                        | Indicates continued expansion in business activity.                                                   |

## Summary:

India’s economic indicators for November 2025 show a robust growth outlook, exceptionally low inflation, and resilient equity markets. The rupee remained steady, while gold prices hit new highs. Manufacturing continued expanding, and the labour market remained stable.

Source: RBI, CMIE, Reuters, PIB, Economic Times, Moneycontrol, GoodReturns, XE Currency.



## Campus News

### IIMR Students' participation in the "Women Mock Parliament" hosted by IMA

The Indore Management Association (IMA) hosted a Women Mock Parliament on 11th and 12th, November 2025, providing IIMR students with a platform to debate and understand women's empowerment issues. Participants were divided into ruling and opposition parties and addressed challenges such as gender inequality, safety, and sexual harassment, they also presented the "Women Workforce Participation and Empowerment Bill, 2025" among other legislative discussions. The event aimed to foster leadership and critical thinking on governance and social issues.



### Industry visit to Tata International Limited, Dewas

On November 20, 2025, IIMR students visited Tata International Limited (TIL) in Dewas, an industry leader in the global leather trade and distribution. The visit offered practical insights into large-scale manufacturing processes, from raw material sourcing to quality control for major brands like Hyundai and Zara. Students observed TIL's strong commitment to operational efficiency and environmental sustainability, particularly its advanced waste treatment and recycling systems.





## Industry visit to JSW Steel Coated Products Limited

On November 20, 2025, IIMR students visited JSW Steel Coated Products Limited, gaining practical exposure to modern, large-scale steel manufacturing operations. The visit highlighted how JSW utilizes advanced technology to produce specialized steel for the automotive and construction sectors, focusing heavily on operational efficiency, supply chain logistics, and the company's commitment to achieving net-zero carbon emissions by 2050. This experience effectively linked academic management principles with the practical realities of India's heavy industry sector.



## IIST Group of Institutions Ties Up With Top Hospitals of Indore, Elevating Campus Healthcare

IIST Group of Institutions signed an MoU with Vishesh Jupiter and Choithram Hospital, further strengthening healthcare support for the entire campus community. This association aims to bring quality medical care for students, parents, employees, and their families, with special reductions on consultations, tests, and treatments. Guided by the vision of Hon'ble Group Advisor Shri Arun S. Bhatnagar Sir, the initiative highlights the institution's commitment to overall well-being and a warm, caring environment for everyone connected with the campus.



## IIST Group of Institutions organized its flagship events; Apratim Pragma Pratispardha and Apratim Sports League



The Annual Inter-School Fest, “Apratim Pragma: Pratispardha & Inter-School Sports League 2025,” was organized from 3rd to 5th November 2025 at the Indore Institute of Science and Technology campus. Apratim Pragma: Pratispardha & Inter-School Sports League 2025 is an initiative aimed at discovering and celebrating the hidden talents of school students across Madhya Pradesh. This unique platform fosters creativity, intellect, innovation, and sportsmanship, while bridging the gap between school education and higher learning. Under the aegis, Indore Institute of Management and Research organized Interschool English and Hindi Debate Competition on 3rd November 2025.



## Expert Session during the Management Development Programme conducted by Dr. Suyash Jhawar Sir Principal, IIMR

Dr. Suyash Jhawar Sir, conducted a session on "Building Cooling Culture that Keeps Teams Chill and Efficient" for the Managers & Senior Technicians of the Heating, Ventilation, Air Conditioning and Refrigeration, Industry of India during "ACRESERVE" organized by the ISHRAE Indore Chapter on Nov 27, 2025.





## **Prominent Placements of IIMR**

Ishita Nayak, MBA (Batch: 2024- 26) is selected as an Business Development Manager in Hike Education with a package of 7.62 LPA.

## **Faculty & Staff Achievements**

Prof. Mayank Jain published a chapter titled *Green Finance, Digital Finance and Sustainable Development- Synergizing Paths Towards a Resilient Future* in the edited book *Sustainability Driven Management: A new Paradigm for Growth (Nov 18, 2025)*

Mr. Wasim Khan (Lab Technician) participated and completed *AICTE Training and Learning (ATAL) Academy* Faculty Development Program on Cyber Threat Intelligence and Defense Mechanism (27/10-01/11/2025)

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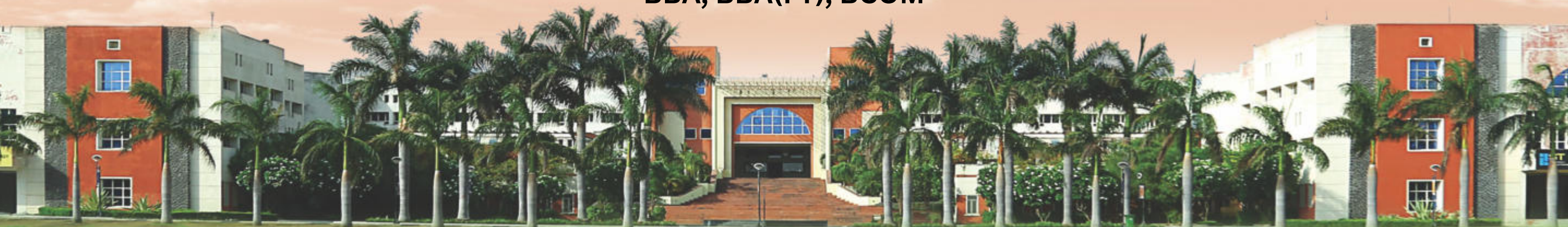
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