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# Statistics at a glance for the week ended 13th November, 2021.

	This week	Last Week
Sensex	60686.69	59306.93
Nifty	18102.75	17671.65
Wholesale Price Inflation		
(WPI)	10.66	10.66
Call Rate	2.00% - 3.50%	2.00% - 3.45%
\$Rupee	74.35	74.92
Crude	\$80.68	\$83.22
Bank Rate	4.25%	4.25%
CRR	4.00%	4.00%
SLR	18.00%	18.00%
Repo Rate	4.00%	4.00%
Reverse Repo Rate	3.35%	3.35%
NASDAQ	15860.96	15498.39
DOW Jones	36100.31	35819.56
Gold Price	49346.00	47607.00

### **Macro Economics:**

- Investment in social sectors crucial for sustained economic growth: NITI Aayog CEO Amitabh Kant
- GDP to expand at 9.5% as growth impulses strong: RBI
- India's forex reserves increase \$1.9 billion to \$642 billion.

#### Banking:

- SEBI amends rules for introduction of silver ETFs, a move that will expand the options available for investing in commodities through stock exchanges.
- Two innovative, customer-centric schemes launched by Prime Minister Narendra Modi, Reserve Bank's Retail Direct Scheme and Integrated Ombudsman Scheme will expand investment opportunities in the country and ensure easier access to capital markets with simple and secure mechanism.
- Investors will have to place non-competitive bids in primary issuance of all central government securities which include treasury bills and sovereign gold bonds, and securities issued by various state governments (RBI) Governor Shatikanta Das.

#### **Capital Markets:**

• Nykaa IPO propels Nayar to global billionaires' club, Nykaa's parent FSN E-Commerce Ventures Ltd listed at ₹2,018, a 79% premium over the initial public offering (IPO) price of ₹1,125, underscoring a strong vote of investor confidence. The shares almost doubled in intraday trading before closing at ₹2,205.80 on NSE, gaining 96%.

## **Mutual Funds & Insurance:**

 India Post Payment Bank (IPPB), Department of Posts has tied up with Bajaj Allianz Life insurance to distribute insurance policies.