

FPI SHAREHOLDING PATTERN MOVES STOCK-PRICE NEEDLE

The change in the shareholding pattern of foreign portfolio investors (FPIs) influenced stock prices in the quarter ended March 31 (2021-22). Sample this: 594 companies FPIs increased their stake in saw an average stock price increase of 2.3 per cent. while 689 companies they decreased their stake in saw an average price decline of 2.7 per cent. Domestic institutional investors, however, increased their stake in 462 companies, seeing an average price decline of 2.1 per cent. Nearly 446 companies they reduced their stake in witnessed a share-price decline of 3.8 per cent. Oddly enough, shares retail investors increased their bets on headed south and those they cut their holdings in soared. Small investors upped their stake in 994 companies, seeing an average stock price decline of 7 per cent. They pruned their stake in 699 companies, whose stock prices rose an average 8.8 per cent. **ASHLEY COUTINHO**

WHO IS THE WISEST OF THEM ALL?

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NO. OF COMPANIES WHERE HOLDING			Average stock
Increased Decreased			price change during quarter (%)
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