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## FII stake value in NSE firms hits 6-year high

New Delhi, May 5: Valuation of foreign institutional investors' holdings in NSE-listed companies hit a six-year high at ₹19.32 lakh crore in the January-March quarter, as per data collected by Prime Database.

As per the report, the total value of FIIs' holding rose from ₹18.3 lakh crore in October-December period of 2014 to ₹19.32 lakh crore in the quarter ended March. During January-March 2014, value of FIIs' stake in NSE-listed companies was at ₹12.34 lakh crore.

In percentage terms though, FIIs ownership went down to 6.44% in the quarter ending March 2015 from 6.54% in the preceding three months.

## With over ₹3,600 cr of inflows, Jan-March was the 10th consecutive quarter of positive flows

Foreign investors continued to pump money in Indian equities with the March quarter witnessing FII flows of more than ₹36,000 crore. This was the 10th consecutive quarter of positive inflows from FIIs.

Amongst sectors, the maximum exposure was in banks at ₹3.44 lakh crore followed by IT at ₹2.77 lakh crore.

In terms of companies, HDFC has the highest FIIs holding of 79.63%, followed by Tata Motors DVR (56.18%), Zee Entertainment (49.98%), HDIL (49.03%) and IDFC (47.38%).

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