

Zero to Beginner: Stock Market Topics (India)

1. Basics of Stock Market

- What is the stock market?
- Why do companies issue shares?
- What is NSE and BSE?
- What is SEBI (Securities and Exchange Board of India)?
- How stock prices are decided?

2. Key Market Terms

- Share / Stock
- Equity
- IPO (Initial Public Offering)
- Index (Nifty 50, Sensex)
- Market Capitalization (Large Cap, Mid Cap, Small Cap)

3. Participants in Market

- Retail Investor
- Traders
- Brokers
- FIIs (Foreign Institutional Investors)
- DIIs (Domestic Institutional Investors)

4. How to Start Investing or Trading

- PAN Card, Aadhar, Bank Account
- Opening a Demat and Trading Account
- Choosing a broker (Zerodha, Upstox, Groww, etc.)

5. Types of Orders

- Market Order

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- Limit Order
- Stop Loss Order (SL)
- Stop Loss Market Order (SL-M)

6. Types of Trading

- Intraday Trading
- Swing Trading
- Positional Trading
- Long-Term Investing

7. Understanding Stock Charts (Basics)

- Candlestick Chart (Open, High, Low, Close)
- Timeframes: 1-min, 15-min, 1-day, etc.

8. Introduction to Technical Analysis

- Support and Resistance (Basic concept)
- Moving Averages (Simple idea)
- Volume (Buyers & Sellers strength)

9. Introduction to Fundamental Analysis

- What is EPS, PE Ratio, Book Value?
- How to read basic financials (Sales, Profit)

10. Risk Management & Discipline

- Don't invest all money in one stock
- Use stop-loss always
- Never trade on emotions (fear/greed)
- Importance of patience

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Optional (Good to Know at Beginner Level)

- What is Futures & Options (Just basics)
- Dividend, Bonus, Split, Buyback
- Bull Market vs Bear Market