

# THEN & NOW: TOP FIVE FIRMS ON THE SENSEX BASED ON MARKET CAPITALISATION

	Sector	M-cap (₹ cr)
<b>As of Jan 1988</b>		
Tata Steel	Steel	7,273
Tata Motors	Automobile	1,968
Reliance Inds.	Refineries	1,230
Hind. Unilever	FMCG	667
GSFC	Fertilizers	504

<b>As of Jan 1996</b>		
Hind Unilever	FMCG	9,392
Tata Motors	Automobile	8,386
Reliance Indus	Refineries	8,056
Larsen & Toubro	Infrastructure developers and operators	5,697
Tata Steel	Steel	5,630

<b>As of Jan 2006</b>		
ONGC	Crude oil & natural gas	1,76,502
Reliance Indus	Refineries	99,455
NTPC	Power generation and distribution	94,452
TCS	IT - software	80,182
Infosys	IT - software	79,054

<b>Present</b>		
TCS	IT - software	4,68,982
Reliance Indus	Refineries	3,55,444
HDFC Bank	Banks	326,961
ITC	Tobacco products	290,859
Infosys	IT - software	236,482

## TOP 5 SENSEX SINGLE DAY GAINS (IN POINTS)

Date	Sensex close	One-day change
May 18, 2009	14,284.21	2,110.79
Jan 25, 2008	18,361.66	1,139.92
Mar 25, 2008	16,217.49	928.09
Nov 14, 2007	19,929.06	893.58
Oct 23, 2007	18,492.84	878.85

## TOP 5 SENSEX SINGLE DAY LOSS (IN POINTS)

Date	Sensex close	One-day change
Aug 24, 2015	25,741.56	-1,624.51
Jan 21, 2008	17,605.35	-1,408.35
Oct 24, 2008	8,701.07	-1,070.63
Mar 17, 2008	14,809.49	-951.03
Mar 3, 2008	16,677.88	-900.84

Source: Exchange