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India's global market cap share at all-time high

After becoming the world's fifth-largest economy, India is now the fifth-biggest equity market as well. While global equities collapsed under the weight of two Black Swan events — the Covid pandemic and the Ukraine war – the Indian share market held firm in 2022. The relative outperformance has propelled India's share in global market cap to an all-time high of 3.5%, rebounding from a low of 2.05% on May 19, 2020, in the aftermath of the pandemic-triggered collapse in share prices. **Rajesh Mascarenhas** reports.

India's share in global market cap, in % 3.5 3.0 2.5 2.0 1.5

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HELPED BY RELATIVE OUTPERFORMANCE

	MCab(2p)		YID Ret (%)	
World	97,942		-19.40	
United States	42,543		-20.87	
China	10,497		-19.22	
Japan	5,116	1	-22.71	
Hong Kong	5,034		-17.10	
India	3,433	No.	-0.88	
Saudi Arabia	3,033	1	13.79	
United Kingdo	m 2,742	I	-25.34	
Canada	2,737		-14.38	
France	2,524	1	-27.14	
Germany	1,805		-34.71	
Switzerland	1,780	1	-25.27	
Taiwan	1,668	1	-26.97	
South Korea	1,580	1	-26.56	
Australia	1,484	1	-16.39	
Sweden	855		-41.32	
Source: Bloomberg			and the same of the same of the same of	

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India's strong economic growth makes country attractive

VTD Dot (%)

Strong FII flows driving markets since August

MSCI India index has outperformed the MSCI Emerging Market index by 27% in the past 12 months

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Rise in share because of relative performance

In absolute terms, Indian market has been almost flat

High valuations mean Indian market more at risk in case of adverse events

High US interest rates and strong dollar key risks

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