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- Dynamic team led by experienced leadership
- Trusted name with proven track record
- Commitment to eternal knowledge sharing
- Client-centric and customized wealth strategies
- Strategic partnerships based on thorough due diligence
- Technology-enhanced experience
- Robust compliance and governance

Our forte is AIFs, PMS and GIFT City  
Investment options available in India.

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## ***December Month Performance Analysis***

***Dear investors,***

Warm greetings for a promising December as the year winds down and market sentiment gears up for 2026.  
December Economic Update

The global economy is performing better than expected this December. Consistent financial conditions, more AI investment, and steady economic policies have had a beneficial impact. Still, some issues are coming up. Job markets are becoming weaker with fewer jobs available in the large economies; however, for now, the OECD's unemployment rate is still at 4.9%. Confidence is still declining, and fears of weakness in the financial markets are on the rise. A rapid reassessment of risk for both the more speculative non-bank financial institutions and the more volatile crypto markets could take place. Should concern continue over a government debt crisis, long-term bond yields could rise, which would constrain the financial situation and slow the growth of the world economy.

In spite of these mixed signs, India's economy is stronger than many others. India remains a bright spot as the world deals with economic problems because of strong services, steady manufacturing, and consumer spending supported by lower inflation.

### ***India's Growth Expectations***

India's GDP is anticipated to increase by 6.7% in fiscal year 2025-26. Later, it will decrease slightly to 6.2% in fiscal year 2026-27 before rising again to 6.4% in fiscal year 2027-28. The increase in US tariffs on exports needs to be balanced by strong consumer spending, which is caused by rising incomes and lower taxes on spending. Investment needs to remain strong, which is supported by lower borrowing costs and government spending on infrastructure.

Inflation is currently low; however, it is anticipated to gradually rise to the 4% target. Risk is balanced. Exports and investment could increase unexpectedly if India gets a good agreement with the US on tariffs. However, if oil prices rise sharply, it would put pressure on inflation and the current account.

The government's financial position is generally neutral, which supports growth while focusing on saving money. With inflation below target and growth slightly below trend, the central bank can cut interest rates more. Ongoing government investment, along with additional public-private partnerships, should fix infrastructure problems and improve medium-term growth.

### ***AIFs, PMS, and GIFT City Investments***

By November 2025, alternative investments were growing faster. India's strong base, steady consumer demand, and consistent government policies created a good environment for investment strategies across PMS, AIFs, and GIFT City-based options.

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PMS and AIFs reached a combined asset value of INR 23 lakh crore by September 2025. AIFs grew by 49.23% annually over the last 10 years, while PMS assets grew by 20.75% annually. This growth shows that Indian investors are becoming more experienced and prefer more complex, goal-focused portfolios.

In October, long-only AIF strategies performed better than long-short strategies, though many still underperformed the Nifty 50 and BSE 500 indices because those benchmarks are concentrated in a few top stocks. PMS investors were advised to concentrate on stable, long-term investments instead of making swift adjustments because of improved earnings predictions for fiscal year 26 and a wider market.

## ***What's Making Alternative Investments Popular?***

- India has more rich people. By 2030, about 1.94 million people will have assets over USD 1 million, so there's a need for special portfolios.
- Alternative investments aid in spreading out investments and lowering them during times of global instability, making them a key part of wealth management.
- GIFT City is now a big investment place, with commitments up from USD 5.5 billion in 2023 to USD 26.3 billion in 2025.
- Category III AIFs, especially feeder-linked strategies, passed USD 10 billion by mid-2025, which shows that people want flexible, market-related investments.
- Improved rules and openness are building investor trust and involvement.

## ***GIFT City's Increasing Influence***

GIFT City has quickly become a respected international financial center. It is the main gateway for inbound capital, handling about 80–85% of flows into its AIFs. Investors see value in its regulated, tax-efficient, and well-supervised environment, which follows international standards while being close to India's growing economy.

The increase in fund creation and investment commitments demonstrates the platform's strategic value. Stricter rules around offshore wealth and the push for domestic investment have directed capital toward GIFT City, making it a key part of India's alternative investment market.

## ***Looking Ahead***

As global instability continues, wealthy Indians are seeking structured solutions that offer varied returns and careful management. With strong domestic fundamentals, more experienced investors, and better connections to global markets, alternative investments are becoming a mainstream way to build wealth. PMS and AIFs are expected to play a bigger role in shaping Indian portfolios in the next decade.

Thank you for your collaboration with AltPort Funds as we move into an exciting 2026.

Thanks & Regards

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