

# Weekly View: Nifty, Bank Nifty:

Indices	СМР	Support	Resistance	50 DMA	200 DMA	Range	Preferred Trade
NIFTY	24964	24694	25300	25051	23226	24722- 25288	Buy between 24888-24901 zone. Targets at 25250/ 25441. Aggressive targets at 25675. Stop at 24699.
BANK NIFTY	51172	49900	52500	51529	49228	50245- 52498	Sell at CMP. Targets at 49900/48600. Aggressive targets at 47888 zone. Stop 53000.

### **Medium Term Pick:**

Stocks	СМР	Support	Resistance	50 DMA	200 DMA	Bias	Preferred Trade
NATIONALUM	223	171	250	187	173	Positive	Incorporated in 1981, <b>National Aluminium</b> <b>Company Limited (NALCO)</b> , a 'Navratna' company is one of the country's largest bauxite, alumina, aluminium and power complex. Currently, the Indian government owns 51.28% of NALCO's equity capital. NALCO has reported impressive results in the 1st quarter ended June 30th for FY 2024-25 registering 72% rise in net profit to Rs. 601 crore from Rs. 349 crore achieved in the corresponding period of previous year as against reported revenue from operation of Rs. 2856 crore during this quarter. Technically, the recent sequence of higher high/low is intact in all time frames with bullish a probable bullish Flag pattern break on the monthly charts. <b>Establishing long positions at CMP and on any corrective declines between 195-203 zone should be the preferred trading strategy, targeting 237/250 zone and then aggressive targets seen at 265 zone. Stop below 171. Holding Period: 9-12 Months.</b>

#### BUY NATIONALUM at CMP 223, Target 265

СМР	223		
Target Price	265		
52 Week H/L	227/88.6		
P/E	17.71		
EPS (TTM)	12.59		
Promoter Holding/DIIs/FIIs	51.28/29.6/10.4		
Book Value	82.61		
Market Cap (INR)	40,942.20 crores		

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# The Company has a 68.25 lakh TPA Bauxite Mine & 21.00 lakh TPA (normative capacity) Alumina Refinery located at Damanjodi in Koraput district of Odisha, and 4.60 lakh TPA Aluminium Smelter & 1200MW Captive Power Plant located at Angul, Odisha.

The Company has regional sales offices in Delhi, Kolkata, Mumbai, Chennai and 7 operating stockyards at various locations in the Country to facilitate domestic consumers. In addition, NALCO has its own bulk shipment facility for export of products.

As a part of green initiative, NALCO has installed 198 MW Wind Power Plants at various locations in India and 850 kWp roof top Solar Power Plants at its premises to join hands for carbon neutrality. From the days of first commercial operation in 1987, the Company has continuously earned profits for last 37 years. NALCO is one of the leading foreign exchange earning CPSEs of the Country. The Company continues to retain its position of lowest cost producer in Bauxite and Alumina production in the World.

NALCO posted a net profit at Rs 2,060 crore in FY 2023-24, registering a robust increase of 33% year-on-year (YoY). The Company recorded stellar performance in production front in FY 2023.-24. Panchpatmali Mines of NALCO achieved highest ever annual Bauxite excavation & Bauxite transportation since inception in FY 2023-24. Smelter Plant of the Company achieved highest ever cast metal production in FY 2023-24.

Driven by its corporate plan, the Company is having well carved plans for expansion programs. Presently, the Company is working in major projects like:

1. 5th stream Alumina Refinery, which will enhance the Refinery capacity from 2.1 million tonne to 3.1 million tonne.

2. To support the Alumina Refinery and raw material security, the Company is developing Pottangi bauxite Mines and for which mining leases deed already signed; the mines is expected to be opened shortly. Utkal D & E Coal Mines: Mining activities already started. It is adding to the bottom line by reduction in coal procurement cost. For Utkal-E, all clearances are in advance stage.

3. As part of backward integration, the Company has established a caustic soda plant in JV with Gujarat Alkalies & Chemicals Limited (GACL) in Gujarat. Production already started since 2022.

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The 200-DMA of the stock is around 173 levels and will act as major support.

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