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Sagar Agarvwal Shares Fintech Insights at ETBFSI Finnext 2025

Sagar Agarwal, Founder & Managing Partner at Beams Fintech Fund, joined as a panelist at the ETBFSI Finnext 2025 event to share insights on digital lending, risk frameworks, and the fintech investment outlook.

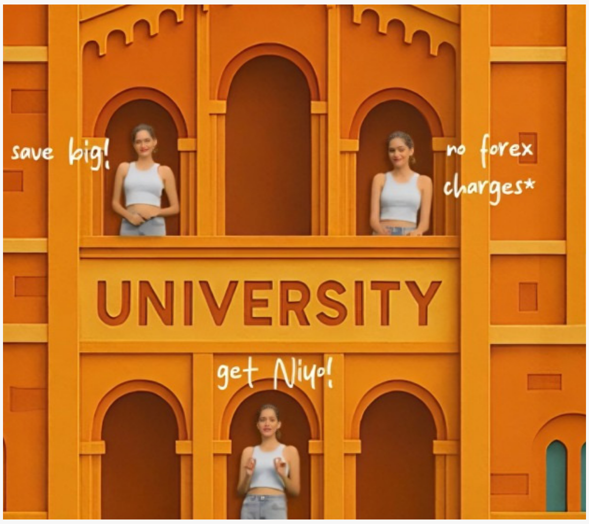
Beams Fintech Fund welcomes Mukund Khetan as a Director

Beams Fintech Fund is pleased to welcome Mukund Khetan as a Director – Investments. With over 12 years of private equity experience, he further strengthens the team and deepens Beams' expertise in the Fintech and Financial Services space.

BEAMS PORTFOLIO: BEYOND NUMBERS

Partners Group to acquire majority stake in Infinity Fincorp

Partners Group is set to acquire a majority stake in Infinity Fincorp for ₹1,950 crore, including a ₹600 crore primary infusion and secondary buyout from existing shareholders like Indium IV.



Niyo launches 'Spend Smart. Save Smart.' Campaign

Niyo has launched its 'Spend Smart. Save Smart.' campaign for Indian students abroad, offering a zero forex markup card and fee-free international transfers to help save up to ₹2 lakh annually.

Progcap Targets ₹3,000 Cr AUM by Fiscal Year-End

Progcap aims to grow its assets under management (AUM) to ₹3,000 crore by the end of this financial year, driven by strong demand for formal credit. The company closed FY25 with ₹2,000 crore in AUM and expects a 50% increase.

WHAT'S SHAKING UP FINTECH IN INDIA?

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Jio BlackRock Gets SEBI Nod for Broking Operations

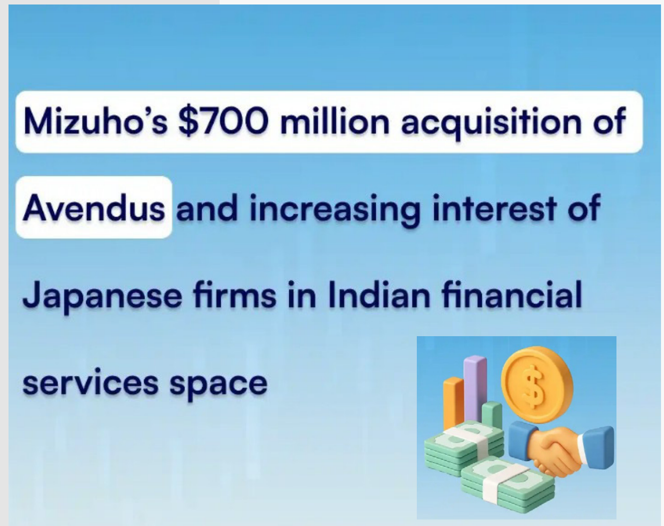
Jio BlackRock Broking (JBBPL), a 50:50 joint venture between Jio Financial Services and BlackRock Inc., has received SEBI's final approval to operate as a stockbroker and clearing member.

Slice Launches UPI Credit Card and India's First UPI-Powered Branch

Slice has launched its flagship Slice UPI Credit Card, enabling UPI payments via a credit line. It also unveiled India's first UPI-powered physical branch and ATM.

Mizuho to acquire Avendus from KKR

Mizuho Financial Group is set to acquire KKR-backed Avendus Capital, valuing the Indian investment bank at ₹6,000 crore ($700 million).



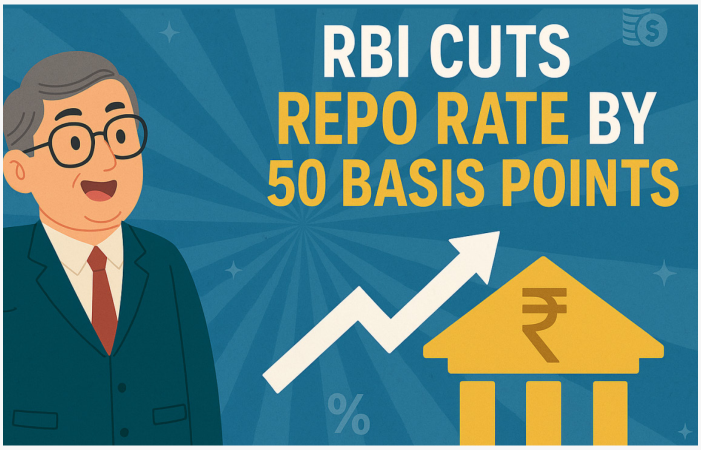
Credila Financial Set for ₹5,000 Cr IPO Debut

Credila Financial Services, a leading education loan provider for Indian students abroad, is set to debut on the Indian stock exchange with a ₹5,000 crore IPO.

Pine Labs Targets $6 Billion Valuation in Upcoming IPO

Fintech firm Pine Labs is eyeing a valuation of up to $6 billion in its upcoming IPO, aiming to raise around $304 million via fresh share issuance.

REGULATORY UPDATES



RBI cuts Repo Rate by 50 bps

Four major Public Sector Banks have reduced their home loan interest rates following the RBI's recent 50 bps repo rate cut. The central bank has now lowered the repo rate by a total of 100 bps since February'25.

SEBI Plans to Make Corporate Bonds Trade Like Equities

SEBI is working to make corporate bonds more accessible and tradeable, similar to equities and government securities. Measures include introducing a liquidity window and enabling bond trading on exchange platforms to boost demand and market participation.

RBI Eases Lending Norms For Small Finance Banks

The RBI has eased priority sector lending (PSL) norms for small finance banks, reducing the requirement from 75% to 60% of total credit which will be taking effect from FY26.

TRANSACTION UPDATES

NBFC Creditwise Capital raises ₹200 Cr Series A Funding Round

Credit Wise Capital has raised ₹200 crore in its first institutional round led by Trident Growth Partners. The funds will support AUM growth, lending expansion, and tech infrastructure upgrades over the next three years.

FlexiLoans Raises $44M in Extended Series C Round

FlexiLoans, a digital lender serving India's MSME sector, has raised $44 million (₹375 crore) in an extended Series C round. The funding was led by Accion, Fundamentum, Nuveen, and Maj Invest, with BII joining as a new investor.

CRED Secures ₹455 Cr in Series G Funding Round

Fintech unicorn CRED has raised ₹455 crore ($53.2 million) in its Series G round from existing investors, including Singapore's GIC, RTP Global, and Sofina.

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