

INDIA FUND INC  
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UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

**FORM N-Q**

**QUARTERLY SCHEDULE OF PORTFOLIO HOLDINGS OF REGISTERED**

**MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT COMPANY**

Investment Company Act file number 811-08266

The India Fund, Inc.

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(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

345 Park Avenue  
New York, NY 10154

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(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

Simpson Thacher & Bartlett LLP  
425 Lexington Avenue  
New York, NY 10017

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(Name and address of agent for service)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 212-583-5000

Date of fiscal year end: December 31, 2006

Date of reporting period: September 30, 2006

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**Item 1. Schedule of Investments.**

The Schedule(s) of Investments is attached herewith.

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**THE INDIA FUND, INC.****September 30, 2006 (Unaudited)****Schedule of Investments****INDIA (100% of holdings)**

<b>NUMBER OF SHARES</b>	<b>SECURITY</b>	<b>PERCENT OF HOLDINGS</b>	<b>COST</b>	<b>VALUE</b>
<b>COMMON STOCKS (89.51% of holdings)</b>				
	<b>Apparel Manufacturers</b>	<b>0.14</b>	<b>%</b>	
415,550	Crew B.O.S. Products, Ltd.		\$1,616,140	\$1,455,443
59,826	Gokaldas Exports, Ltd.		808,675	820,694
			<b>2,424,815</b>	<b>2,276,137</b>
	<b>Building &amp; Construction</b>	<b>1.88</b>	<b>%</b>	
95,211	B.L. Kashyap and Sons, Ltd.		1,923,575	2,149,685
3,087,115	Hindustan Construction Co.		3,253,717	7,138,848
2,695,192	IVRCL Infrastructures and Projects, Ltd.		7,266,469	14,882,976
251,700	Madhucon Projects, Ltd.		2,210,523	1,386,611
893,200	Prajay Engineers Syndicate		3,146,618	4,042,496
147,805	Unity Infraprojects, Ltd.		3,396,986	1,830,948
			<b>21,197,888</b>	<b>31,431,564</b>
	<b>Cement</b>	<b>1.20</b>	<b>%</b>	
393,998	ACC, Ltd.		5,487,746	8,521,681
733,355	Binani Industries, Ltd.		3,657,530	4,372,984
733,500	JK Cements, Ltd.		3,146,786	3,163,992
208,600	UltraTech Cement, Ltd.		3,572,861	4,047,771
			<b>15,864,923</b>	<b>20,106,428</b>
	<b>Chemicals</b>	<b>0.21</b>	<b>%</b>	
668,000	Tata Chemicals, Ltd.		3,375,391	3,504,727
			<b>3,375,391</b>	<b>3,504,727</b>
	<b>Computer Services</b>	<b>0.39</b>	<b>%</b>	
420,307	Allsec Technologies, Ltd.		2,196,432	2,301,735
1,010,150	NIIT Technologies, Ltd.		3,277,414	4,127,483
			<b>5,473,846</b>	<b>6,429,218</b>

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	<b>Computer Software &amp; Programming</b>	<b>11.16</b>	<b>%</b>		
272,169	Geodesic Information Systems, Ltd.			158,373	896,365
3,086,095	Infosys Technologies, Ltd.			43,591,384	124,176,265
420,464	KPIT Cummins Infosystems, Ltd.			1,904,558	3,842,084
1,477,568	Satyam Computer Services, Ltd.			18,037,372	26,335,619
2,266,171	SSI, Ltd.+			5,166,520	7,759,720
2,040,300	Wipro, Ltd.			15,504,158	23,328,504
				<b>84,362,365</b>	<b>186,338,557</b>
	<b>Consulting Services</b>	<b>0.09</b>	<b>%</b>		
2,397,890	GTL Infrastructure, Ltd.+			0	1,524,625
				<b>0</b>	<b>1,524,625</b>
	<b>Consumer Non-Durables</b>	<b>6.57</b>	<b>%</b>		
8,989,502	Hindustan Lever, Ltd.			37,290,550	50,149,383
14,580,345	ITC, Ltd.			30,150,537	59,575,432
				<b>67,441,087</b>	<b>109,724,815</b>

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**Schedule of Investments (continued)**

<b>NUMBER OF SHARES</b>	<b>SECURITY</b>	<b>PERCENT OF HOLDINGS</b>	<b>COST</b>	<b>VALUE</b>
<b>COMMON STOCKS (continued)</b>				
	<b>Diagnostic Equipment</b>	<b>0.34</b>	<b>%</b>	
1,476,275	Vimta Labs, Ltd.		\$6,129,421	\$5,684,995
			<b>6,129,421</b>	<b>5,684,995</b>
	<b>Diversified Financial Services</b>	<b>0.93</b>	<b>%</b>	
722,350	Indiabulls Financial Service, Ltd.		2,884,593	6,473,231
5,276,165	Infrastructure Development Finance Co., Ltd.		6,224,197	7,777,820
96,117	Reliance Capital, Ltd.		320,147	1,194,844
			<b>9,428,937</b>	<b>15,445,895</b>
	<b>Diversified Industries</b>	<b>1.39</b>	<b>%</b>	
423,143	Grasim Industries, Ltd.		14,506,679	23,215,509
69,339	NEPC India, Ltd. GDR+		3,467	13,868
			<b>14,510,146</b>	<b>23,229,377</b>
	<b>Electronics &amp; Electrical Equipment</b>	<b>8.64</b>	<b>%</b>	
199,549	ABB, Ltd.		2,192,093	12,665,985
149,550	Bharat Electronics, Ltd.		4,062,791	3,755,113
1,486,462	Bharat Heavy Electricals, Ltd.		14,742,363	77,449,768
600,000	HBL Nife Power Systems, Ltd.		3,412,893	3,135,808
260,000	HBL Nife Power Systems, Ltd. Common Shares		582,638	1,375,721
3,116,174	Jyoti Structures, Ltd.		1,983,003	7,776,016
587,917	Kei Industries, Ltd.		4,244,487	4,122,140
697,359	Mather & Platt Pumps, Ltd.+		3,480,800	2,751,474
1,012,760	Siemens India, Ltd.		6,537,225	23,652,384
281,100	Suzlon Energy, Ltd.		3,260,798	7,565,676
			<b>44,499,091</b>	<b>144,250,085</b>
	<b>Engineering</b>	<b>4.15</b>	<b>%</b>	
640,210	Bharat Earth Movers, Ltd.		4,630,117	13,050,944
111,268	Elecon Engineering Co., Ltd.		2,816,705	2,576,427
496,795	Gammon India, Ltd.		2,454,732	3,944,071
2,188,717	Jaiprakash Associates, Ltd.		9,393,519	22,666,387

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2,010,790	Thermax, Ltd.			1,481,800	13,697,891
5,943,600	Voltas, Ltd.			3,421,932	13,394,939
				<b>24,198,805</b>	<b>69,330,659</b>
	<b>Extractive Industries</b>	<b>3.87</b>	<b>%</b>		
2,450,241	Oil and Natural Gas Corp., Ltd.			47,230,997	62,425,792
487,220	Shiv-Vani Oil & Gas Exploration+			2,557,602	2,174,322
				<b>49,788,599</b>	<b>64,600,114</b>
	<b>Finance</b>	<b>13.39</b>	<b>%</b>		
3,180,600	Allahabad Bank			5,196,971	6,115,340
706,200	Bank of Baroda			4,147,957	4,432,491
3,014,550	Bank of India			9,102,043	10,643,643
1,513,200	Canara Bank, Ltd.			8,535,854	9,362,565
49,800	City Union Bank, Ltd.			131,781	131,210
1,146,963	HDFC Bank, Ltd.			13,372,175	23,126,570
1,575,748	Housing Development Finance Corp., Ltd.			16,114,093	52,643,879
3,416,041	ICICI Bank, Ltd.			25,542,477	51,997,462

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<b>COMMON STOCKS (continued)</b>				
<b>Finance (continued)</b>				
42,500	ICICI Bank, Ltd. Sponsored ADR		\$1,172,738	\$1,305,175
1,150,150	Industrial Development Bank of India, Ltd.		2,082,268	2,069,894
525,000	Oriental Bank of Commerce		2,115,498	3,105,417
800,131	Punjab National Bank, Ltd.		8,552,443	9,167,750
2,456,940	South Indian Bank, Ltd.		3,821,346	3,720,853
779,600	State Bank of India		3,739,888	17,455,910
45,550	State Bank of India GDR		525,435	2,527,647
4,574,550	Syndicate Bank		8,755,003	8,964,823
1,527,050	UTI Bank, Ltd.		8,928,078	12,608,761
500,000	UTI Bank, Ltd. 144A GDR		2,955,000	4,140,000
			<b>124,791,048</b>	<b>223,519,390</b>
	<b>Food</b>	<b>0.92</b>	<b>%</b>	
457,593	Lakshmi Overseas Industries, Ltd.		2,402,387	9,266,445
731,250	McLeod Russel India, Ltd.+		2,033,555	1,995,115
98,550	Shree Renuka Sugars, Ltd.		1,515,173	1,348,048
172,800	Tata Tea, Ltd.		3,017,568	2,818,794
			<b>8,968,683</b>	<b>15,428,402</b>
	<b>Hotels &amp; Leisure</b>	<b>1.25</b>	<b>%</b>	
5,268,285	Hotel Leelaventure, Ltd.		2,742,992	7,674,432
440,413	Indian Hotels Co., Ltd.		11,659,601	13,275,203
			<b>14,402,593</b>	<b>20,949,635</b>
	<b>Media</b>	<b>0.77</b>	<b>%</b>	
1,312,589	Balaji Telefilms, Ltd.		3,739,458	3,901,326
1,343,481	Zee Telefilms, Ltd.		8,156,256	8,942,888
			<b>11,895,714</b>	<b>12,844,214</b>
	<b>Metal - Aluminum</b>	<b>0.80</b>	<b>%</b>	
4,133,497	Hindalco Industries, Ltd.		10,350,544	13,371,043



			<b>10,350,544</b>	<b>13,371,043</b>
	<b>Metal - Diversified</b>	<b>2.64</b>	<i>%</i>	
2,041,555	Ahmednagar Forgings, Ltd.+		7,833,473	10,990,893
896,255	Hindustan Zinc, Ltd.		10,730,716	11,584,474
2,265,153	Sterlite Industries India, Ltd.		10,679,308	21,534,367
			<b>29,243,497</b>	<b>44,109,734</b>
	<b>Petroleum Related</b>	<b>7.42</b>	<i>%</i>	
495,739	Indian Oil Corp., Ltd.		3,717,038	5,650,939
4,635,243	Reliance Industries, Ltd.		45,787,476	118,194,911
			<b>49,504,514</b>	<b>123,845,850</b>
	<b>Pharmaceuticals</b>	<b>3.29</b>	<i>%</i>	
333,849	Aurobindo Pharma, Ltd.		4,649,309	4,568,116
1,442,350	Cipla, Ltd.		8,038,965	8,236,392
1,180,745	Dishman Pharmaceuticals & Chemicals, Ltd.		3,674,993	5,021,219
1,608,786	Dr. Reddy s Laboratories, Ltd.		23,994,333	25,617,968

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COMMON STOCKS (continued)				
<b>Pharmaceuticals (continued)</b>				
679,350	Lupin, Ltd.		\$ 7,394,353	\$6,823,085
232,712	Sun Pharmaceutical Industries, Ltd.		2,502,015	4,713,020
			<b>50,253,968</b>	<b>54,979,800</b>
	<b>Printing, Paper &amp; Packaging</b>	<b>0.06</b>		
600,000	Business India Publications	%	1,003,792	979,858
			<b>1,003,792</b>	<b>979,858</b>
	<b>Rubber</b>	<b>0.27</b>		
417,803	Kesoram Industries, Ltd.	%	2,402,773	4,581,050
			<b>2,402,773</b>	<b>4,581,050</b>
	<b>Shipbuilding</b>	<b>0.48</b>		
1,105,400	Bharati Shipyard, Ltd.	%	4,040,058	8,001,965
			<b>4,040,058</b>	<b>8,001,965</b>
	<b>Steel</b>	<b>2.94</b>		
955,514	Jindal Saw, Ltd.	%	7,468,732	6,657,909
565,863	Jindal Steel & Power, Ltd.		14,370,624	21,099,266
953,794	JSW Steel, Ltd.		5,654,520	5,929,411
588,672	Shree Precoated Steels, Ltd.+		3,116,364	2,332,897
2,100,000	Sujana Metals Products, Ltd.+		2,969,552	3,118,563
846,591	Tata Steel, Ltd.		8,238,971	9,874,284
			<b>41,818,763</b>	<b>49,012,330</b>
	<b>Telecommunications</b>	<b>4.87</b>		
5,132,210	Bharti Airtel, Ltd.+	%	23,472,402	52,394,919
3,835,121	Reliance Communication, Ltd.+		19,076,228	28,956,521
	Shyam Telecom, Ltd.+		14	
8	Shyam Telelink, Ltd.+		0	

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			<b>42,548,644</b>	<b>81,351,440</b>
	<b>Televisions</b>	<b>0.27</b>	%	
348,022	Television Eighteen India, Ltd.		3,430,280	4,553,272
			<b>3,430,280</b>	<b>4,553,272</b>
	<b>Textiles</b>	<b>0.08</b>	%	
377,921	Bombay Rayon Fashions, Ltd.		1,240,122	1,353,685
			<b>1,240,122</b>	<b>1,353,685</b>
	<b>Transportation</b>	<b>0.38</b>	%	
172,850	Container Corp. of India, Ltd.		6,250,903	6,289,218
			<b>6,250,903</b>	<b>6,289,218</b>
	<b>Vehicle Components</b>	<b>1.91</b>	%	
2,983,425	Amtek Auto, Ltd.		10,032,082	21,548,222
379,064	ANG Exports, Ltd.		2,106,671	2,686,670

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COMMON STOCKS (continued)				
<b>Vehicle Components (continued)</b>				
1,547,102	Cummins India, Ltd.		\$ 7,209,055	\$7,722,877
			<b>19,347,808</b>	<b>31,957,769</b>
	<b>Vehicles</b>	<b>6.81</b>	<b>%</b>	
338,955	Bajaj Auto, Ltd.		14,499,697	22,128,577
878,788	Hero Honda Motors, Ltd.		12,535,214	14,821,236
1,684,570	Mahindra & Mahindra, Ltd.		13,800,318	24,961,347
2,756,847	Tata Motors, Ltd.		32,739,300	51,748,284
			<b>73,574,529</b>	<b>113,659,444</b>
	<b>TOTAL COMMON STOCKS</b>		<b>843,763,547</b>	<b>1,494,665,295</b>
SHORT -TERM INVESTMENTS (9.89% of holdings)				
910,000	Banking Index Benchmark Exchange Traded Scheme - Bank BeES		10,074,801	10,610,004
91,842,269	Birla Cash Plus Inst+		22,416,827	22,946,868
39,689,807	DWS Insta Cash Plus Inst - Growth+		9,567,978	9,794,675
34,903,283	HDFC Liquid Fund		10,729,614	10,975,629
77,088,521	LICMF Liquid Fund+		21,445,421	21,964,144
89,603,326	Principal Cash Management Fund		21,459,227	21,952,961
2,543,407	Prudential ICICI Liquid Plan+		957,600	992,552
	Prudential ICICI Liquid Plan - Super			
143,207,661	Institutional Growth+		32,188,841	32,928,251
69,988,149	Reliance Liquidity Fund - Growth Option+		16,101,331	16,464,931
731,286	Standard Chartered Liquidity Manager Plus - Growth+		16,094,420	16,465,068
	<b>TOTAL SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS</b>		<b>161,036,060</b>	<b>165,095,083</b>
BONDS (0.60% of holdings)				
460,000,000	ICICI Bank Ltd. 9.98 Bond Tier 1		9,944,639	10,016,331
	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>9,944,639</b>	<b>10,016,331</b>

<b>TOTAL INDIA</b>			<u><b>1,014,744,246</b></u>	<u><b>1,669,776,709</b></u>
<b>TOTAL INVESTMENTS*</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>%</b>	<u><b>\$ 1,014,744,246</b></u>	<u><b>\$1,669,776,709</b></u>

**Footnotes and Abbreviations**

ADR - American Depository Receipt  
 GDR - Global Depository Receipts  
 + Non income producing.  
 \* As of December 31, 2005, the aggregate cost for federal income tax purposes was \$583,800,755. The aggregate gross unrealized appreciation (depreciation) for all securities was as follows:

Excess of value over tax cost	\$ 517,527,648
Excess of tax cost over value	(3,869,399 )
	<u>\$ 513,658,249</u>

**Item 2. Controls and Procedures.**

- (a) The registrant's principal executive and principal financial officers, or persons performing similar functions, have concluded that the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Rule 30a-3(c) under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the "1940 Act") (17 CFR 270.30a-3(c))) are effective, as of a date within 90 days of the filing date of the report that includes the disclosure required by this paragraph, based on their evaluation of these controls and procedures required by Rule 30a-3(b) under the 1940 Act (17 CFR 270.30a-3(b)) and Rules 13a-15(b) or 15d-15(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (17 CFR 240.13a-15(b) or 240.15d-15(b)).
- (b) There were no changes in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Rule 30a-3(d) under the 1940 Act (17 CFR 270.30a-3(d))) that occurred during the registrant's last fiscal quarter that have materially affected, or are reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

**Item 3. Exhibits.**

Certifications pursuant to Rule 30a-2(a) under the 1940 Act and Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 are attached hereto.

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**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the Investment Company Act of 1940, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

(Registrant) The India Fund, Inc.

By (Signature and Title)\* /s/ Prakash A. Melwani

Prakash A. Melwani, President  
(principal executive officer)

Date November 13,  
2006

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the Investment Company Act of 1940, this report has been signed below by the following persons on behalf of the registrant and in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

By (Signature and Title)\* /s/ Prakash A. Melwani

Prakash A. Melwani, President  
(principal executive officer)

Date November 13,  
2006

By (Signature and Title)\* /s/ Brian S. Chase

Brian S. Chase, Treasurer  
(principal financial officer)

Date November 13,  
2006

\* Print the name and title of each signing officer under his or her signature.

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