# **EVENING ROUNDUP**

A Daily Evening Report on Bullion, Base Metals and Energy Commodities

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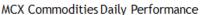
- Spot gold eased as a stronger U.S. dollar subdued bullion's appeal.
  The prospects of aggressive monetary easing by Federal Reserve was
  diminished after upbeat U.S. job data that marked resilience of U.S.
  labor market and economic health. Meanwhile, investors awaited inflation data and FOMC minutes due for this week for further cues.
- Crude oil prices retreated from eight week highs after a strong rally fueled by escalating Middle East conflict. However, fears linger in the market about an Israeli retaliation on Iran, a major crude oil producer in the region.
- Iran has the production of around 3.2 million barrels per day, and a retaliation from Israel may target Iranian oil production facilities, potentially disrupting 3% of global oil output.
- OPEC oil output fell in September to its lowest this year as unrest disrupted Libyan supply and Iraq. The OPEC pumped 26.14 million barrels per day last month, down 390,000 bpd from August's revised total.
- The meeting of top OPEC+ ministers last week has kept oil output policy unchanged including a plan to start raising output from December, while also emphasizing the need for some members to make further cuts to compensate for overproduction.
- The global refined zinc market could see a 164,000 metric ton deficit in 2024 due to reduced output in Europe and elsewhere, rather than a surplus as forecast previously, the International Lead and Zinc Study Group (ILZSG) said.
- Freeport-McMoRan is ramping up its copper output across three continents. Freeport expects to produce 362,874 metric tonnes of copper annually as soon as 2027 by leaching the metal from piles of old waste rock at its U.S. mines previously thought to be worthless.

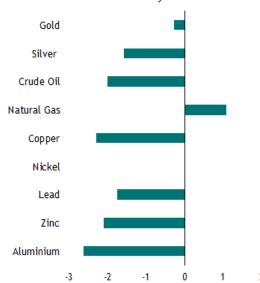
Events In Focus	Priority

No Major US Economic Data Today

#### **International Commodity Prices**

Commodity	Rate	%.Chg.
Gold Spot (\$/oz)	2641.62	-0.07
Silver Spot (\$/oz)	31.21	-1.61
NYMEX Crude (\$/bbl)	75.64	-1.94
NYMEX NG (\$/mmBtu)	2.768	0.8
SHFE Copper (CNY/T)	77370	-1.99
SHFE Nickel (CNY/T)	132970	2
SHFE Lead (CNY/T)	16885	-0.06
SHFE Zinc (CNY/T)	25350	0.82
SHFE Aluminium (CNY/T)	20585	0.68





#### Global Commodities in MCX

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Commodity	Last	%.Chg.
Gold (Rs/10grams)	75830	-0.28
Silver (Rs/1kilogram)	90923	-1.55
Crude Oil (Rs/barrel)	6346	-1.99
Natural Gas (Rs/mmBtu)	232.7	1.09
Copper (Rs/Kilogram)	834.6	-2.25
Nickel (Rs/Kilogram)	0	0
Lead (Rs/Kilogram)	182.95	-1.75
Zinc (Rs/Kilogram)	282.25	-2.06
Aluminium (Rs/Kilogram)	236.15	-2.62

\*Prices of most active Commodity futures contracts



## **BULLION**

### Gold Mini MCX Oct 31

OCL 31		
Technical Levels		
R 3	77700	
R 2	77000	
R 1	75730/76250	
Turnaround	74830	
S 1	74390	
S 2	73650	
S 3	73260	



### **Technical View**



Range bound trades with mild positivity bias expected in the counter. Fall below the support of 74830 can induce corrective dips.

### Silver Mini MCX Nov

Technical Levels		
R 3	95000/95390	
R 2	93650/94470	
R 1	91650/92050	
Turnaround	90160	
S 1	89330/88650	
S 2	87920/87200	
S 3	86720	



### **Technical View**



Range bound trades may witness in the current session. Dip below 90160 region can induce corrective dips.



## **ENERGY**

### Crude Oil MCX Oct

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Technical Levels		
R 3	6820	
R 2	6680/6740	
R 1	6500/6570	
Turnaround	6440	
S 1	6250/6130	
S 2	6070/6000	
S 3	5930	



### **Technical View**



MACD Bullish divergence suggest possibility of uptrend. However, a slip below 6250 may induce mild weakness.

### Natural Gas MCX Oct

Technical Levels		
R 3	258	
R 2	245/252	
R 1	236/240	
Turnaround	228	
S 1	223/219	
S 2	214/210	
S 3	205	



### **Technical View**



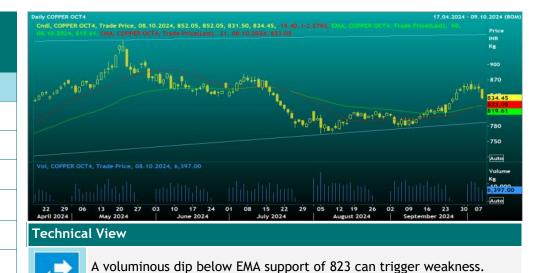
An extended dip below 288 region may weaken prices. Holding the same region can induce mild rebounds.



## **BASE METALS**

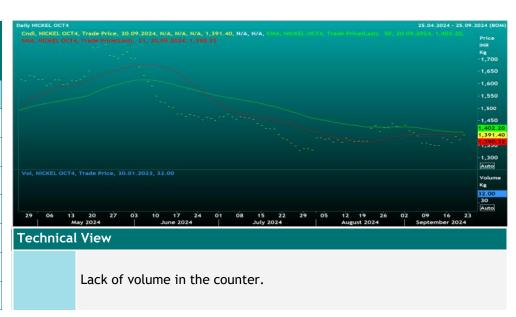
# Copper MCX Oct

Oct		
Technical Levels		
R 3	866	
R 2	855/860	
R 1	846/850	
Turnaround	840	
S 1	827/823	
S 2	819/814	
S 3	809	



Holding the same support can induce rebounds as well.

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Zinc MCX Oct		
Technical Levels		
R 3	285.10	
R 2	284.50	
R 1	282	
Turnaround	280	
S 1	278.60	
S 2	277.80	
S 3	276.90	





## **BASE METALS**

### Lead MCX Oct **Technical Levels** 187.90 R 3 R 2 187 R 1 185.50 **Turnaround** 183.80 S 1 181 S 2 179.40 S 3 178,20



port may induce mild rebounds.

# **Aluminium MCX**

Oct		
Technical Levels		
R 3	243.10	
R 2	242.60	
R 1	240.80	
Turnaround	237.90	
S 1	234	
S 2	232.50	
S 3	231.80	





**Bullish Sentiments** 



Neutral/Sideways



**Bearish Sentiments** 



Mild Bullish Sentiments



Mild Bearish Sentiments

\$1/\$2/\$3 -Support level - Price points where buying pressure thought to be strong enough to counter selling pressure.

R1/R2/R3 -Resistance level - - Price points where selling pressure thought to be strong enough to counter buying pressure.



### **ECONOMIC CALENDAR**

Time	Country	Importance	Data/Events	Actual	Forecast	Previous
			Monday, 07 Oct			
	China		National Day Holiday			
			Tuesday, 08 Oct			
18:00	United States	Moderate	International Trade \$		-70.4B	-78.8B
18:00	United States	Moderate	Goods Trade Balance			-94.26B
			Wednesday, 09 Oct			
10:00	India	Moderate	Repo Rate		6.50%	6.50%
10:00	India	Moderate	Reverse Repo Rate			3.35%
10:00	India	Moderate	Cash Reserve Ratio		4.50%	4.50%
19:30	United States	Moderate	Wholesale Inventories		0.2%	0.2%
20:00	United States	Very High	EIA Weekly Crude Stock			3.889M
20:00	United States	Very High	EIA Weekly Distillate Stock			-1.284M
20:00	United States	Very High	EIA Weekly Gasoline Stock			1.119M
23:30	United States	Very High	FOMC Minutes			
			Thursday, 10 Oct			
18:00	United States	Very High	Consumer Price Index MM (Inflation)		0.1%	0.2%
18:00	United States	Very High	Consumer Price Index YY (Inflation)		2.3%	2.5%
18:00	United States	High	Initial Jobless Claim		230k	225k
18:00	United States	High	Continuing Jobless Claim			1.826M
20:00	United States	Very High	EIA-Natural Gas Chg Bcf			55B
Friday, 11 Oct						
17:30	India	Moderate	Industrial Output YY			4.8%
18:00	United States	Moderate	PPI Final Demand YY		1.6%	1.7%
18:00	United States	Moderate	PPI Final Demand MM		0.1%	0.2%



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