

HDFC securities Retail Research

Currency Daily

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Currency Movements

| Name | Current Price | Previous Close* | Change | % Change | |
|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|--------|----------|--|
| USDINR | 82.985 | 82.921 | 0.064 | 0.08% | |
| DXY Index | 104.70 | 104.74 | -0.038 | -0.04% | |
| EURUSD | 1.0737 | 1.0737 | 0.000 | 0.00% | |
| GBPUSD | 1.2489 | 1.2476 | 0.001 | 0.10% | |
| USDJPY | 147.13 | 147.36 | -0.230 | -0.16% | |
| USDCNH | 7.2824 | 7.2799 | 0.003 | 0.03% | |
| US 10 Yr. Yield | 4.229 | 4.302 | -0.073 | -1.71% | |
| USDINR 1M FWD | 83.070 | 83.080 | -0.010 | -0.01% | |
| India 10 Yr. Yield | 7.196 | 7.229 | -0.033 | -0.46% | |

Global Equity Markets

| Name | Current Price | Previous Close | Change | % Change | |
|-----------|------------------|-------------------|--------|----------|--|
| Nifty | 20070 | 19993 | 77 | 0.38% | |
| Sensex | 67467 | 67221 | 246 | 0.37% | |
| Hang Seng | 17931 | 18009 | -78 | -0.43% | |
| Nikkie | 33014 | 32707 | 307 | 0.94% | |
| Shanghai | 3121 | 3123 | -2 | -0.07% | |
| S&P Index | 4467 | 4462 | 6 | 0.12% | |
| Dow Jones | 34576 | 34646 | -70 | -0.20% | |
| Nasdaq | 15349 | 15290 | 59 | 0.38% | |
| FTSE | 7526 | 7528 | -2 | -0.02% | |
| CAC | 7223 | 7253 | -30 | -0.42% | |
| DAX | 15654 | 15716 | -62 | -0.39% | |

* Prev. Close 5pm IST

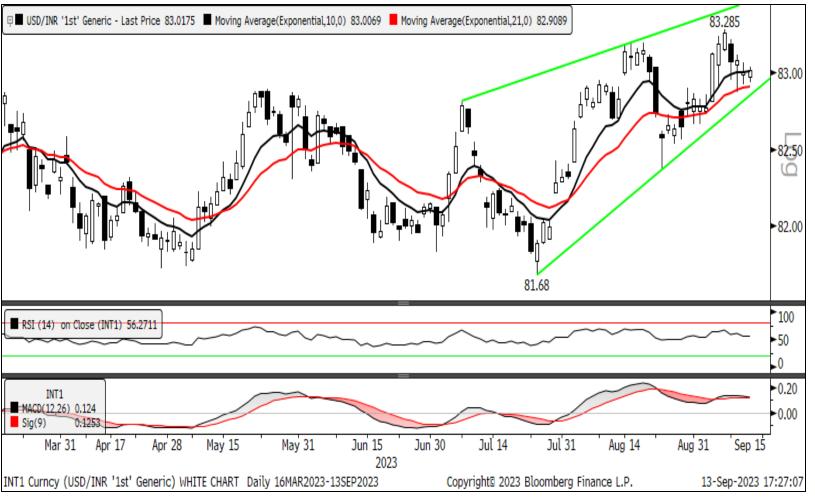
Market Roundup

- ▶ The Indian rupee is expected to open largely unchanged following steady trade in the dollar index and stronger Asian equities. Implied opening from forward suggests the spot USDINR may start trading around 82.985 the same level as its previous close of 82.9850.
- ▶ On Wednesday, spot USDINR was up six paise to 82.9850 as crude oil rallied while Asian currencies traded mixed. Technically, the trend supports the dollar bulls, while near-term consolidation can't be ruled out. From the level front, spot USDINR has support at 82.70 and resistance at 83.15.
- ► The impact of higher global oil prices will be more apparent in WPI inflation than in retail inflation. Traders will watch today's WPI numbers for retail inflation directions. Wholesale Prices YoY is est. -0.60%, prior -1.36%.
- The dollar edged lower after mixed inflation data showed core prices rose more than expected while headline figures were in line with estimates
- Asian stocks rose on cautious optimism that the Federal Reserve may pause rate hikes following the US inflation report, which was in line with estimates. The core consumer price index, which excludes food and energy costs, increased 4.3% from a year ago, in line with estimates and marking the smallest advance in nearly two years. In commodities, oil trade is near the highest since November after the International Energy Agency added to warnings of a supply shortfall.
- ▶ Swaps tied to the next two Federal Open Market Committee meetings continued to price in little chance of a hike next week and about 50% odds of one in November.
- Markets will look toward the ECB policy meeting and upgraded inflation forecasts on Thursday as evidence shows Europe is facing persistent cost pressures. Money markets are pricing in a two-thirds chance the ECB raises interest rates by a quarter of a percentage point, a rapid shift from earlier this month when traders were firmly in the camp rates would be held steady.





USDINR Sept Futures Daily Chart



Technical Observations:

- Spot USDINR is placed at 10 DEMA. The formation of a small body candlestick pattern suggests consolidation.
- ► The formation of higher tops and bottoms supporting the dollar bulls.
- ► The Relative strength index of 14 days remained positive and is currently placed at 55.
- Trend indicator MACD is flattening with the MACD average with a negative histogram exhibiting a sideways trend.
- Minor long unwinding has been seen as the price gained by 0.02% and open interest by 0.01%.
- The trend remains bullish for the pair as long as it holds the support of 82.80.
- ▶ USDINR Sep fut may consolidate between 83.10 to 82.90 with positive bias in today's trade.





Currency Derivative Price Actions

| Currency Pair | Open | High | Low | Close | % Change | Open Interest | % Chg. in OI | Agg. OI | % Chg. In Agg. OI | Volume | % Chg. Volume |
|----------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|------------------|-----------------|-----------|----------------------|-----------|------------------|
| USDINR Sep Fut | 82.9700 | 83.0350 | 82.9375 | 83.0200 | 0.02% | 3,818,084 | 0.0% | 5,894,621 | -0.3% | 1,232,580 | -30.0% |
| EURINR Sep Fut | 89.1750 | 89.2900 | 89.1350 | 89.1875 | 0.20% | 117,787 | -7.2% | 179,096 | -4.6% | 101,301 | 16.3% |
| GBPINR Sep Fut | 103.5500 | 103.6800 | 103.3200 | 103.5700 | 0.07% | 194,427 | -6.5% | 272,532 | -5.7% | 220,737 | 6.0% |
| JPYINR Sep Fut | 56.6450 | 56.6450 | 56.4450 | 56.5000 | -0.33% | 142,802 | 0.2% | 165,457 | 1.1% | 42,244 | 19.8% |
| | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EURUSD Sep Fut | 1.0757 | 1.0766 | 1.0736 | 1.0749 | 0.21% | 1,176 | 2.4% | 1,179 | 2.2% | 606 | 80.9% |
| GBPUSD Sep Fut | 1.2486 | 1.2493 | 1.2439 | 1.2475 | 0.00% | 590 | -1.8% | 590 | -1.8% | 42 | -71.2% |
| USDJPY Sep Fut | 146.75 | 146.94 | 146.71 | 146.90 | 0.35% | 1,373 | 10.9% | 1,480 | 10.0% | 162 | -31.6% |

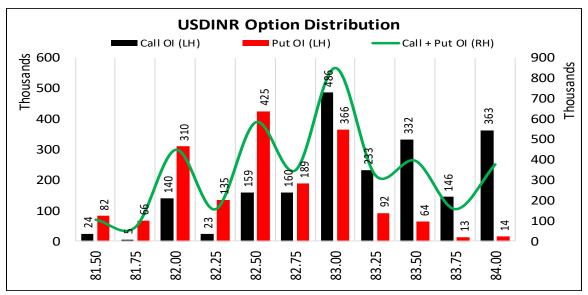
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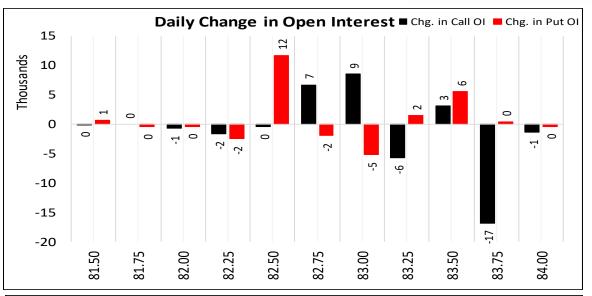
| Currency Pair | Close | Pivot | Supt.3 | Supt.2 | Supt.1 | Resi.1 | Resi.2 | Resi.3 | 5 DMA | 20 DMA | RSI |
|----------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------------|-------|
| USDINR Sep Fut | 83.02 | 83.00 | 82.80 | 82.90 | 82.96 | 83.06 | 83.10 | 83.19 | 83.09 | 82.97 | 54.41 |
| EURINR Sep Fut | 89.19 | 89.20 | 88.89 | 89.05 | 89.12 | 89.27 | 89.36 | 89.51 | 89.13 | 89.76 | 38.72 |
| GBPINR Sep Fut | 103.57 | 103.52 | 102.80 | 103.16 | 103.37 | 103.73 | 103.88 | 104.24 | 103.70 | 104.63 | 36.66 |
| JPYINR Sep Fut | 56.50 | 56.53 | 56.13 | 56.33 | 56.42 | 56.62 | 56.73 | 56.93 | 56.65 | 56.98 | 32.65 |
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| EURUSD Sep Fut | 1.0749 | 1.0750 | 1.0690 | 1.0720 | 1.0735 | 1.0765 | 1.0780 | 1.0810 | 1.0730 | 1.0819 | 37.94 |
| GBPUSD Sep Fut | 1.2475 | 1.2469 | 1.2361 | 1.2415 | 1.2445 | 1.2499 | 1.2523 | 1.2577 | 1.2481 | 1.2612 | 35.41 |
| USDJPY Sep Fut | 146.90 | 146.85 | 146.39 | 146.62 | 146.76 | 146.99 | 147.08 | 147.31 | 146.66 | 145.68 | 67.60 |

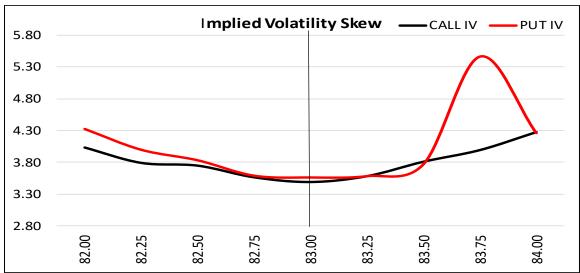


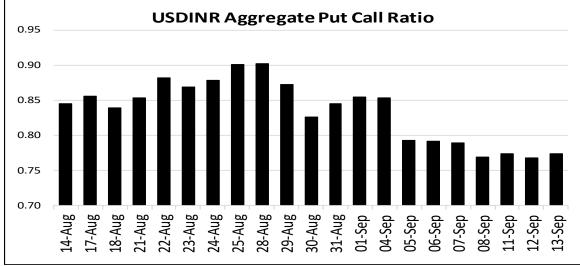


USDINR Sept Month Option Charts













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