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Daily Currency outlook

Recommendation in the report							
Curreny Pair Contract Action Price Target Stoploss Duration							
US\$INR	August futures	Buy	74.30	74.50	74.18	1 day	

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Daily Snapshot



Rupee Pairs						
Currency	Close	Pvs. Close	% Change			
US\$-INR	74.15	74.16	-0.01			
EUR-INR	87.26	87.72	-0.46			
GBP-INR	102.87	103.24	-0.37			
JPY-INR (Future)	67.67	67.89	-0.22			

Global Bonds			
Indices	Close	Pvs. Close	% Change
India 10 Year	6.20	6.19	0.16
India 2 Year	4.55	4.57	-0.44
US 10 Year	1.24	1.20	3.51
US 2 Year	0.20	0.18	11.11
Germany 10 Year	-0.50	-0.50	-0.80

FII & FPI Activities					
Segment	Purchase	Sell	Net Rs. crores		
Equity	8763	9305	-542		
Debt	551	491	60		
Net			-482		

Source: Bloomberg, Reuters, ICICI Direct Research

- After the announcement of RBI's monetary policy, the rupee's strengthened for a fifth straight session on Friday, closing 1 paise higher at 74.16
- The dollar climbed against major currencies, reaching four-month highs of 93, as market participants are expecting an earlier tapering of federal stimulus

On Friday, the Nifty opened higher but faced resistance from 16300 Call writers as it closed with a loss of 0.30%. Looking at options data, the Nifty is likely to find resistance at 16300 as substantial Call writing is visible. On the downside, 16100 and 16000 Put witnessed noteworthy OI addition, which should act as support

 The Bank Nifty witnessed muted activity as it remained in a range and closed almost flat. According to options data, the Bank Nifty is expected to trade in a range between 35500 and 36000

 Foreign institutional investors (FII) turned net sellers to the tune of ₹ 482 crore on August 5. They sold worth ₹ 542 crore in the equity market and bought worth ₹ 60 crore in the debt market

Rupee Outlook and Strategy

US\$INR futures on NSE						
	LTP	chng (%)	01	Vol	(%) change	
Contracts					01	Vol
August	74.28	-0.02	2285981	3168133	-0.60	-9.60
September	74.50	0.00	379993	187779	4.84	-22.69
August-Sept	0.22	-	-	2980354	-	

- By looking at US\$INR options data, the US\$INR has significant open interest at ATM strike of 74.25, suggesting a range bound movement of 74.20 and 74.50 levels in coming sessions
- The dollar-rupee August contract on the NSE was at ₹ 74.28 in the last session. The open interest fell almost 0.60% for the August series

Pivot levels

Futures	\$2	\$1	Pivot	R1	R2
US\$INR (Aug)	74.15	74.21	74.30	74.37	74.45
US\$INR (Sep)	74.33	74.42	74.51	74.60	74.69
EURINR (Aug)	87.57	87.66	87.85	87.94	88.13
EURINR (Sep)	87.90	87.99	88.17	88.26	88.44
GBPINR (Aug)	103.19	103.27	103.39	103.48	103.60
GBPINR (Sep)	103.50	103.57	103.69	103.76	103.88
JPYINR (Aug)	67.52	67.60	67.69	67.77	67.86
JPYINR (Sep)	67.72	67.80	67.89	67.97	68.06

US\$INR Strategy

US\$INR August futures contract (NSE)				
Buy US\$INR in the range of 74.28-74.32	Market Lot: US\$1000			
Target: 74.50/ 74.60	Stop Loss: 74.18			
Support: 74.20/74.00	Resistance: 74.50/74.65			

Note: The given recommendation in this report is intraday and should not be linked with positional view & recommendations given in Monthly currency Derivatives and Positional Currency report may have different view.

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