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Daily Currency Outlook

Daily Recommendation

Currency Pair	Contract	Action	Price	Target	Stoploss	Duration
GBPINR	Mar Futures	Sell	99.50	99.10	99.75	1 day

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Rupee Outlook and Strategy

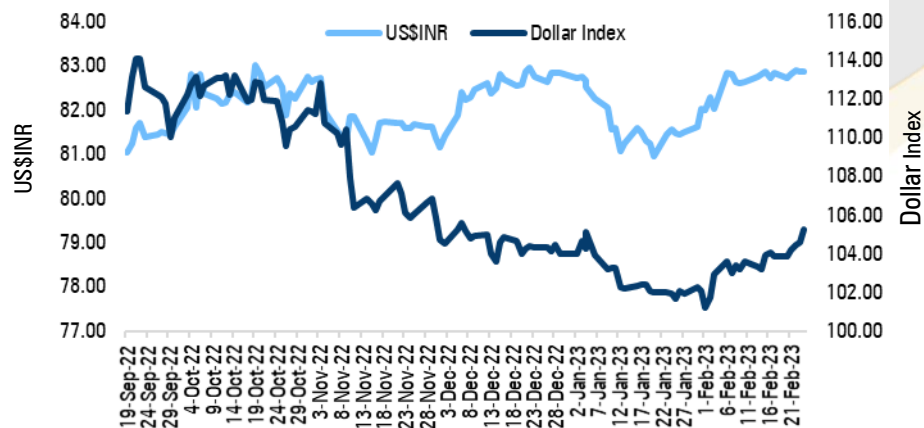
Domestic Currencies

Futures	Close	% Change	Open Interest	Change in OI	Volume	Change in Vol
USDINR (28th Mar)	82.89	0.03%	1792052	-347974	1073759	-948468
EURINR (28th Mar)	87.88	-0.05%	78142	-23047	63433	-67145
GBPINR (28th Mar)	99.51	-0.22%	31512	-20532	40734	-115516

Pivot levels

Futures	S2	S1	Pivot	R1	R2
US\$INR (28th Mar-23)	82.72	82.80	82.88	82.96	83.04
US\$INR (26th Apr-23)	82.83	82.97	83.08	83.22	83.32
EURINR (28th Mar-23)	87.74	87.80	87.90	87.96	88.05
EURINR (26th Apr-23)	88.09	88.13	88.21	88.25	88.33
GBPINR (28th Mar-23)	99.11	99.26	99.56	99.71	100.01
GBPINR (26th Apr-23)	99.42	99.56	99.84	99.98	100.27
JPYINR (28th Mar-23)	61.34	61.46	61.70	61.82	62.06
JPYINR (26th Apr-23)	61.74	61.86	62.09	62.21	62.45

Dollar Index vs US\$INR



- The US dollar edged higher to a seven-week peak on Friday, as core PCE price index data showed inflation accelerated in January reinforcing expectations that interest rates could stay higher for longer. Further, dollar was supported on uptick in US 10 years treasury yields. Additionally, the University of Michigan consumer sentiment was revised higher to 67 in February 2023, the highest since January 2022, from a preliminary of 66.4
- The rupee future maturing on March 28 depreciated marginally amid FII outflow from the domestic equity markets
- The rupee is expected to depreciate for the day amid strong dollar, FII outflows and rising crude oil prices. Further, investors will closely watch core durable goods orders from US, which is expected to rise from -0.20% to 0.10%. US\$INR is likely to rise towards the level of 83.10

GBPINR Strategy

GBPINR March futures contract (NSE)

Sell GBPINR in the range of 99.50-99.51

Target: 99.10

Stoploss: 99.75

Support: 99.10/99.00

Resistance: 99.70/99.90

Follow-up

Currency Pair	Contract	Action	Price	Target	Stoploss	Comment
EURINR	Feb Futures	Sell	87.70	87.40	87.90	Exit at Cost

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.

Major Currency Pairs

Currencies	Close	Pvs. Close	% Change
DXY	105.26	104.58	0.65%
US\$INR	82.89	82.74	0.18%
EURUSD	1.0545	1.0594	-0.46%
EURINR	87.88	87.71	0.19%
GBPUSD	1.1938	1.2010	-0.60%
GBPINR	99.51	99.56	-0.06%

10 year government - Global Bonds Yields

Country	Close	Pvs. Close	Change
India	7.419	7.391	0.028
US	3.947	3.883	0.064
UK	3.754	3.583	0.171
Japan	0.498	0.495	0.003
Germany	2.533	2.471	0.062

Daily Trends in FPI Investment

Segment	Purchase	Sell	Net Rs Crore
Equity	7799.56	8798.68	-999.12
Debt	1564.8	1456.98	107.82
Net			-891.3

- The Euro fell nearly 0.50% on Friday amid strong dollar and weaker than expected economic data from the euro area. The German economy shrank 0.4% in the last quarter of 2022, much worse than initial estimates of a 0.2% decline, marking the first drop in GDP in nearly two years
- We expect Euro to trade with a negative bias for the day amid strong dollar and pessimistic global markets sentiment. EURUSD is likely to break the key support level of 1.0510 to continue its downward trend towards the level of 1.0480. EURINR (February) is expected to drop towards the level of 87.50
- The Pound depreciated by 0.60% on Friday amid strong dollar and risk aversion in global markets. Meanwhile, further downside was prevented as the consumer confidence indicator in the United Kingdom improved to -38 in February 2023 from -45 in the previous month and pointing to the highest reading since April 2022
- The pound is expected to trade with a negative bias for the day majorly on the back of strong dollar. GBPUSD is likely to break the key support level of 200 DMA at 1.1930 to continue its downward trend towards the level of 1.1870. GBPINR (February) is expected to drop towards the level of 99.10

Economic Calendar

Data	Country	Time	Actual	Expected	Previous	Impact
Core Durable Goods Orders (MoM) (Jan)	US	7:00 PM	-	0.10%	-0.20%	High
Pending Home Sales (MoM) (Jan)	US	8:30 PM	-	1.00%	2.50%	High



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