



Commodity Research - Metals & Energy

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Non	Agri Com	modity pr	ices as on	10-S	ep-24
Commodity	High	Low	Close	Chg	% Chg
COMEX PRECIOUS METALS					
Gold (\$/toz)	2547.5	2528.9	2543.1	10.4	0.41
Silver (\$/toz)	28.89	28.36	28.61	-0.04	-0.13
MCX PRECIOUS METALS*					
Gold (Rs/10 gram)	71999	71580	71913	285.0	0.40
Silver (Rs/kg)	84276	83060	83681	36.0	0.04
ENERGY					
Brent Crude oil (\$/bbl)	72.3	68.7	69.2	-2.65	-3.69
WTI Crude oil (\$/bbl)	69.1	65.3	65.8	-2.96	-4.31
NYMEX NG (\$/MMBtu)	2.258	2.125	2.232	0.06	2.86
MCX ENERGY*					
Crude oil (Rs/bbl)	5786.0	5501.0	5533.0	-243.0	-4.21
Natural Gas (Rs/MMBtu)	190.0	179.2	188.7	6.3	3.45
LME BASE METALS (\$/tonne)					
Copper	9143.5	8983.0	9026.0	-71.0	-0.78
Aluminium	2375.0	2332.5	2336.5	-14.0	-0.60
Lead	1967.5	1949.0	1955.0	2.0	0.10
Zinc	2740.5	2679.0	2712.0	-19.0	-0.70
MCX BASE METALS (Rs/kg)*					
Copper	795.0	782.4	785.0	-5.90	-0.75
Aluminium	221.8	219.0	219.6	-1.40	-0.63
Lead	181.8	180.8	181.0	-0.50	-0.28
Zinc	256.7	252.7	254.7	-0.90	-0.35
	CUR	RENCIES			
Dollar Index	101.77	101.54	101.63	0.08	0.08
Euro/USD	1.105	1.102	1.102	0.00	-0.14
GBP/USD	1.311	1.305	1.308	0.00	0.05
USD/YEN	143.7	142.2	142.4	-0.74	-0.52
USD/INR	84.0	83.9	84.0	0.02	0.03
Source: Bloomberg *MCX price.	s as on 14t	h August			

MCX SPREAD MONITOR (M2-M1)

Previous

475

121

8.4

0.4

-0.8

1.1

-37

29.9

88.4

31.7

Current

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Bullion – Comex gold prices remained steady near \$2,550 today after
two session of positive closing this week, as market participant
positioned themselves ahead of the US inflation data release
seeking further guidance on the Fed's interest rate cut trajectory
Last week's NFP report revealed a 142K increase in employment
slightly below consensus, but the dip in the Unemployment Rate
kept bulls in check. Several Fed officials have expressed dovisl
sentiments, hinting at a rate cut. Swaps market indicates a 33%
chance of a 50bps cut and a 67% chance of a 25bps cut. Marke
attention now turns to the August CPI report, expected to show
easing inflation to 2.6% annually, down from July's 2.9%, while core
CPI projected to remain at 3.2% and expected to justify the Fed'
dovish stance towards beginning a rate cut cycle amid fears tha
labor market could weaken. However, Comex Silver closing with
moderate loss amid economic uncertainties in top consumer China

Crude Oil – WTI crude oil prices plunged over 4% yesterday, hitting \$65.30 per barrel, lowest level since May 2023 hurt by demand concerns from major consumers like the US and China indicated by weak economic data, and aggressive speculative selling. According to CFTC data, hedge funds and other money managers are more bearish on crude oil than ever before, holding the smallest net-long position on record. Additionally, OPEC has reduced its global demand growth forecasts for 2024 and 2025, although the EIA expects global oil demand to average around 103.1 million barrels per day this year, up from its previous forecast of 102.9 million barrels per day. Today, oil prices are attempting a recovery ahead of the EIA inventory report and US inflation numbers. A potential decline in US stocks, as estimated by the API to have fallen by about 2.8 million barrels last week, might provide some support for prices.

Natural Gas - Nymex gas futures increased by 3% yesterday to \$2.23 per mmBtu, buoyed by expectations that Tropical Storm Francine will bypass major liquefied natural gas facilities.

Base metals – LME base metals were pressured yesterday by weaker economic data from China, indicating diminished domestic demand. While China's exports rose by a stronger-than-expected 8.7% in August, imports grew by just 0.5%, falling short of expectations. LME Copper fell below \$9,000 per tonne as customs data showed a 12.3% drop yoy in China's copper imports for August co, marking the third consecutive monthly decline and highlighting weak demand from the world's largest consumer. Although metals are trading higher today, significant upside is unlikely given the continued weakness in key demand-driving sectors in China, real estate and manufacturing. Additionally, risk appetite remains cautious as traders assess the impact of the presidential debate.

Commodity

Gold (Rs/10gm)

Silver (Rs/kg)

Lead (Rs/kg)

Zinc (Rs/kg)

Crude (Rs/bbl)

NG (Rs/mmBtu)

Gold Silver Ratio

Crude/NG Ratio

Source: Bloomberg

Copper (Rs/kg)

Aluminium (Rs/kg)

TECHNICAL CHARTS







Source:-Tradingview, KS Commodity Research



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BUY	We expect the commodity to deliver 1% or more returns		
SELL	We expect the commodity to deliver (-1%) or more returns		
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