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MCX ENERGY	
Crude oil (Rs/bbl) 6430.0 6155.0 6334.0 <b>35.0</b>	0.56
Natural Gas (Rs/MMBtu) 345.5 329.9 344.6 <b>15.5</b>	4.71
LME BASE METALS (\$/tonne)	
Copper 9730.0 9648.0 9655.5 -13.5 -	0.14
Aluminium 2560.5 2537.5 2547.0 -3.5 -	0.14
Lead 1996.0 1971.0 1993.0 <b>17.0</b>	0.86
Zinc 2660.0 2631.0 2636.5 -2.0 -	0.08
MCX BASE METALS (Rs/kg)	
Copper 883.3 878.5 879.9 <b>0.1</b> (	0.02
Aluminium 246.6 244.8 245.5 <b>0.1</b> (	0.06
Lead 179.1 178.2 179.0 0.3 (	0.17
Zinc 254.0 252.2 253.0 <b>0.5</b> (	0.20
CURRENCIES	
Dollar Index 99.0 98.5 98.9 <b>0.1</b>	0.09
Euro/USD 1.153 1.146 1.148 0.0 0	0.00
GBP/USD 1.348 1.340 1.342 <b>0.0</b> -	0.05
USD/YEN 145.4 144.3 145.1 -0.2 -	0.11
USD/INR 86.6 86.3 86.5 <b>0.2</b>	0.27
Source: Bloomberg	

Bullion – Comex August gold futures settled marginally higher by
0.04% on Wednesday, while July silver declined by 0.64%. Gold
remained supported by safe-haven demand as geopolitical tensions
persisted, with Israel-Iran conflict entering its $7^{\text{th}}$ day and Iran's
Supreme Leader rejecting Trump's call for unconditional surrender.
A WGC survey revealed that 95% of central banks expect global
reserves to rise, with 43% planning to increase their own holdings.
Silver saw ETF inflows, reaching a 2-1/4 year high, but prices slipped
on weak U.S. housing data and downgraded growth projections,
indicating softer industrial demand. Today, gold is trading steady
above \$3,290 as dollar is trading positive after the Fed hold rates
steady at 4.25%-4.50%, maintaining a solid economic outlook. The
updated SEP lowered 2025 GDP forecasts to 1.4% and raised core
PCE inflation to 3%, implying scope for two rate cuts this year. U.S.
markets and bank will be closed today for Juneteenth.

Crude Oil – WTI crude oil briefly fell below \$73 per barrel yesterday, despite the largest weekly decline in U.S. crude inventories since July 2024. Although U.S. crude stockpiles dropped sharply by 11.4 million barrels for the week ending June 13, gasoline and distillate inventories both rose during the same period. The market remained focused on reports suggesting Iran had proposed negotiations with the White House to resolve its ongoing conflict with Israel. However, oil prices rebounded sharply, closing above \$75 per barrel after Iran denied making any such proposal to President Trump and stated it does not negotiate under duress, thereby boosting concerns over potential U.S. involvement in the Israel-Iran conflict. Today, oil prices are holding steady amid growing speculation about a possible U.S. strike on Iran in the coming days.

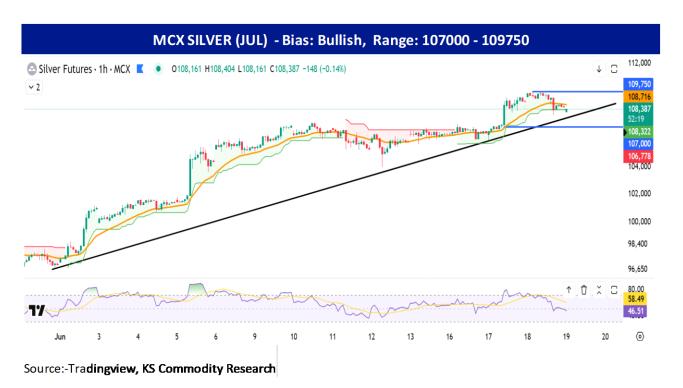
**Natural Gas** - NYMEX Henry Hub gas futures surged above \$4 per MMBtu yesterday buoyed by inventory addition in line with forecasts and hotter weather projections the eastern half of the US.

Base metals – LME base metals ended on a mixed note, with copper slipping 0.14% to \$9,655.5/ton as traders weighed escalating Middle East tensions against signs of tightening supply. Copper's slight decline came despite a sharp drop in readily available stockpiles, down nearly 60% this year, driven by a surge in U.S. imports ahead of potential tariffs. Spot copper continued to trade at a growing premium over three-month futures, indicating near-term supply strain. Besides, U.S. President Trump on Wednesday refused to confirm whether the U.S. intends to join Israel's offensive targeting Iran's nuclear program, while the Fed held rates steady and revised down its growth forecast, citing tariff-driven inflation risks and ongoing economic uncertainty. Tightening global stocks may keep metal prices elevated, though gains could be limited amid geopolitical uncertainty and dollar holding near 99 level.

MCX SPREAD MONITOR (M2-M1)					
Commodity	Current	Previous	Trend		
Gold (Rs/10gm)	881	896	Narrowing		
Silver (Rs/kg)	1312	1267	Widening		
Copper (Rs/kg)	6.1	5.7	Widening		
Aluminium (Rs/kg)	1.9	1.8	Widening		
Lead (Rs/kg)	1.7	1.5	Widening		
Zinc (Rs/kg)	-0.2	0.0	Widening		
Crude (Rs/bbl)	-131	-115	Widening		
NG (Rs/mmBtu)	7.6	8.6	Narrowing		
Gold Silver Ratio	91.7	91.3	Widening		
Crude/NG Ratio	18.4	19.1	Narrowing		
Source: Bloomberg					

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