Currency Daily



November 22, 2016

Closing yield%	Previous yield %
6.31	6.43
2.32	2.35
0.27	0.27
1.43	1.46
0.03	0.04
	6.31 2.32 0.27 1.43

RBI reference rate							
	% change						
	21-11-2016	70 Change					
USD/INR	68.26	68.09	0.24				
EUR/INR	72.35	72.21	0.19				
GBP/INR	84.20	84.42	-0.25				
YEN/INR	61.45	61.56	-0.18				

Close	Prev close	% change
68.17	68.14	0.04
101.05	101.21	-0.16
1.063	1.0588	0.40
1.2494	1.2342	1.23
110.82	110.91	-0.08
0.7369	0.7338	0.42
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Currency futures (US\$/<, NSE)								
Contracts	LTP	chnq (%)	01	Vol	chng (9	6)		
CUIIII dC18	LIF	Cilly (76)	UI	VUI	01	Vol		
Nov	68.17	-0.01	3058889	1207945	1.05	-57.20		
Dec	68.40	-0.04	493131	127103	4.10	-37.43		
Nov - Dec	-0.23	-	-	1080842		89.48		
Dec - Jan	-0.27			111346		87.60		

Global Indices			
Indices	Close	Prev close	% change
Dow Jones	18956.69	18867.93	0.47
Nasdaq	4858.998	4808.042	1.06
FTSE	6777.96	6775.77	0.03
DAX	10685.13	10664.56	0.19
Hang Sang	22645.6	22357.78	1.29
Nikkei	18114.68	18106.02	0.05
SGX Nifty	8004.5	7952	0.66

^{*} Asian market as at 08.00 am

Commodities								
	Close	Prev close	% change					
Gold	1214.23	1207.89	0.52					
Copper	251.5	246.75	1.93					
Brent crude	48.9	46.86	4.35					

Source: Reuters, Bloomberg, Cdsl for above all exhibits

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Debt market

- Government bonds jumped to record highs, as banks continued to buy debt after the government move to demonetise high-value currencies helped boost cash at banks. Expectations of a near-term rate cut have also increased since a rise in bank deposits
- The benchmark 6.97% bond maturing in 2026 ended at ₹ 104.80, highest since issuance against ₹ 103.80 the previous day
- The benchmark 6.97% 2026 bond yield fell to 6.31% from 6.43% on the previous day

Forex (US\$/INR)

- The rupee swayed between gains and losses before ending at a near nine-month low against the dollar. Weakness in domestic equities and strength in US\$ weighed on rupee
- The US\$ index ended slightly lower at 101.05 due to profit booking from 14-year highs. Also, a pullback in Japanese Yen on news of tsunami warning coupled with gains in British pound weighed on Dollar index

Equity

- Equity benchmarks extended losses for a sixth straight session, one of the longest losing streak since March 2016 amid fears that disruption in consumption following demonetisation will hurt GDP growth
- The Sensex lost 385 points or 1.47% to 25765 while the Nifty plunged 145 points or 1.80% to 7929
- The broader markets bore deeper cuts as the BSE midcap and small cap indices fell 2.8% and 3.16%, respectively. The overall market breadth was negative with an A/D ratio of 1:5.44 on the BSE

Commodities Market

- Crude oil prices extended gains on Monday on rising optimism that Opec could ahieve some consensus to contain supply glut. Prices were supported on news that talks on individual supply quotas have been going well. The official Opec meet is on November 30
- Gold prices gained as the US\$ rally paused. The dollar index has been on a sustained uptrend due to higher probability of a rate hike expected in December FOMC meet. Also, a tsunami warning in Japan supported safe haven gains in gold

US\$/INR derivatives strategy: Sell November Contract

- In the currency futures market, the most traded dollar-rupee November contract on the NSE ended at 68.17. The November contract open interest rose 1.05% from the previous day
- December contract open interest rose 4.10% from the previous day
- We expect the US\$ to meet supply at higher levels. Utilise upsides in the dollar to go short on the US\$INR pair

Intra-day strategy

US\$INR November futures contract (NSE)	View: Bearish on US\$INR
Sell US\$INR in the range of 68.15 - 68.25	Market Lot: US\$1000
Target: 67.95/ 67.75	Stop Loss: 68.35
Support	Resistance
S1/ S2: 67.85/67.65	R1/R2:68.20/68.40

Source: Company, ICICIdirect.com Research

*Call initiation and update messages will be broadcast on iclick-2-gain"



FII Activity			
Segment	Gross Purchase	Gross Sale	Net (₹ crore)
Equity	4183.10	5056.21	-873.11
Debt	1079.87	2867.43	-1787.56

Source: SEBI, CDSL





Source: Reuters, ICICIdirect.com Research

Exhibit 2: Pivot Levels (I	NSE)				
Futures	Pivot	S 1	S2	R1	R2
US\$ - INR (Nov)	68.18	68.05	67.95	68.28	68.40
US\$ - INR (Dec)	68.43	68.29	68.19	68.53	68.66
EUR - INR (Nov)	72.41	72.25	72.06	72.60	72.76
EUR - INR (Dec)	72.76	72.62	72.46	72.93	73.07
GBP - INR (Nov)	84.12	83.93	83.72	84.33	84.51
GBP - INR (Dec)	84.48	84.29	84.10	84.68	84.87
JPY - INR (Nov)	61.52	61.39	61.21	61.71	61.83
JPY - INR (Dec)	61.83	61.71	61.54	62.00	62.13

Source: NSE, ICICIdirect.com Research

Exhibit 3: Strategy follow up								
Date	Contract USD/INR	View	Strategy	Rec.	Target	SL	(P/L)*	Comment
21-Nov-16	November	Buy	Buy Fut	67.90	68.30	67.75	0	Not initiated

(*Returns are calculated on one lot only)



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Exhibit 4:	Contract	Specifica	ition (NSE)

Underlying Rate of exchange between one USD and INR

Trading Hours (Monday to Friday) 09:00 a.m. to 05:00 p.m.

Contract Size USD 1000

Tick Size 0.25 paise or INR 0.0025

Trading Period Maximum expiration period of 12 months

Contract Months 12 near calendar months

Final Settlement date/ Value date Last working day of the month (subject to holiday calendars)

Last Trading Day Two working days prior to Final Settlement Date

Settlement Cash settled

Final Settlement Price

The reference rate fixed by RBI two days prior to the final

settlement date will be used for final settlement

Source: NSE, ICICIdirect.com Research

NOTES:

- The Sell below / above price is a key technical level, which decides the trend for the day
- Initiate the trade within +/— 0.03—0.04 margin from the recommended level
- A return opportunity of about 0.09 paisa is considered for partial profit booking post initiation of the trade
- Once the Call is initiated, an appropriate Stop Loss trigger should be put for the trade
- Once into position, put trailing stops to preserve your profits
- Be careful if the counter achieves the target immediately after opening
- The strategies are valid only for the date mentioned at the top
- Positions should be squared off by the end of the day
- The strategies are based on intra-day volatility, suggesting a two-way approach intra-day
- Medium to long-term prospects do not have any bearing on the daily view

MOST IMP: The follow-up and performance review table of the strategies indicates the profit opportunity that was available in the strategies. Individual profits may vary, depending upon the entry and exit price and stop losses





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