

Market Snapshot

Rupee saw some sharp depreciation during the weekend, but will edge higher against the U.S. dollar, as the dollar slipped against the yen after Japan reported better-than-expected trade data for April. Broad weakness in the dollar should give the rupee an ever-so-slight boost at open, but whether it will manage to hold on to gains remains doubtful. We can expect month-end demand to start trickling in, which could put pressure on the rupee.

Dollar index was down 0.14% as the yen rose 0.35% after Japans exports fell by 10% in April compared with the same month last year. Imports plunged 23%, putting the trade balance at a 823bn yen (\$7.5bn, £5.2bn) surplus. Probability for a June rate hike at 30%: CME Group's FedWatch.

A Group of 7 finance ministers' meeting over the weekend ended with the US issuing Japan a warning against intervention to weaken the yen.

Technical Chart							Support - Resistance for the day					
USDINR DAILY CHART			69.20		-69.0000	Currency	Pivot	S1	S2	R1	R2	
68.5000						USDINR	67.52	67.43	67.31	67.64	67.73	
65.0000						EURINR	75.77	75.61	75.39	75.99	76.15	
						GBPINR	98.42	98.25	98.05	98.62	98.79	
67.0000 66.90.68.95						JPYINR	61.30	61.15	61.06	61.39	61.54	
						International Pairs						
STRONG SUPPORTAT 66.000						Currency	Open	High	Low	Close	% chg	
65.5000						Dollar Index	95.31	95.32	95.17	95.21	0.10%	
++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++						Euro	1.1215	1.1232	1.1204	1.1230	-0.07%	
						Pound	1.4503	1.4508	1.4484	1.4504	-0.03%	
						Yen	110.08	110.23	109.61	109.74	0.36%	
Economic Data								Forward Market (OTC/ Interbank)				
Today	Currency	Expected	Previous	Yesterday	Currency	Actual	Previous	Period	Forward	Future	NDF	
Manuufacturing PMI	EZ	51.90	5.17	CBI Industrial Trend Order	UK	-800.0%	-1100.0%	1- Month	67.7630	67.5625	67.8042	
Manuufacturing PMI	US	51.00	50.80	FOMC Member Tarullo Sp	US	-	-	3-Month	68.4767	68.2425	68.3942	
0	0	0.00	0.00	Existing Home Sales(MoM	US	1.7%	5.1%	6-Month	69.5567	69.2225	69.4142	
0	0	0.00	0.00	Existing Home Sales (Apr)	US	5.40M	5.33M	1-Year	71.5167	71.2225	71.3842	

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