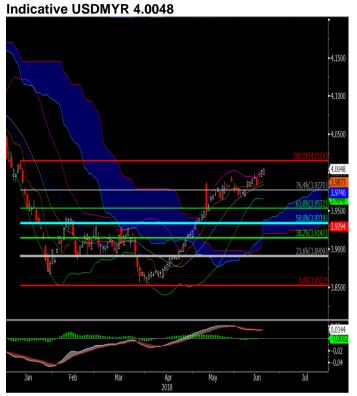
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Daily Currency Outlook – 11am edition

Source: Bloomberg

- USDMYR opened lower today and edged higher. **Daily** outlook bullish as a result of sustained USD bulls and reducing demand for EM currencies amid ongoing trade tensions.
- Weekly outlook bullish, monthly outlook bearish.
- USDMYR is poised to move higher after breaking above the psychological 4.00 handle. We expect the pair to head towards 4.0155 next.
- Expect USDMYR to head towards 3.9990 followed by 4.0015, unless the pair closes below 3.9796.
- Key resistances: 4.0056 (R1), 4.0094 (R2), 4.0117 (R3)
- Key supports: 3.9995 (S1), 3.9950 (S2), 3.9920 (S3)
- Expected range for the day: 3.9975 4.0090

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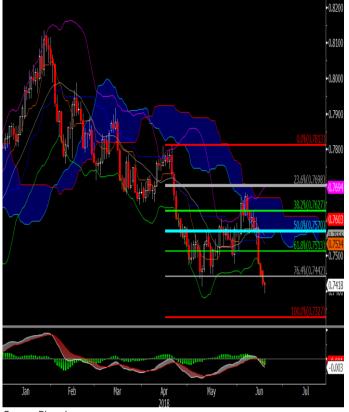


Source: Bloomberg

- GBPMYR opened 51pips lower at 5.2729 today. Daily outlook bullish in anticipation of further MYR weakness and reduced demand for GBP as investors stay on the sideline ahead of BOE meeting tomorrow.
- Weekly outlook bearish; monthly outlook bullish.
- Upside momentum in GBPMYR continued to retreat and the pair has turned bearish as expected following yesterday's close below 5.2786.
- Key resistances: 5.2795 (R1), 5.2873 (R2), 5.2953 (R3)
- Key supports: 5.2656 (S1), 5.2577 (S2), 5.2505 (S3)
- Expected range for the day: 5.2647 5.2790



Indicative AUDUSD 0.7394



Source: Bloomberg

- AUDUSD opened unchanged at 0.7381 today. **Daily outlook bearish**, weighed down by absence of risk appetite in the market.
- Weekly outlook bearish, monthly outlook bullish.
- AUDUSD moved lower to 0.7412 as expected, reinforcing downside bias in the pair. Closing below 0.7388 yesterday has set the stage for the pair to target 0.7327 next.
- Key resistances: 0.7414 (R1), 0.7449 (R2), 0.7471 (R3)
- Key supports: 0.7371 (S1), 0.7341 (S2), 0.7327 (S3)
- Expected range for the day: 0.7340 0.7420

Source: Bloomberg

- AUDMYR opened 97pips higher at 2.9578. **Daily outlook bullish**, lifted by expectations for extended MYR weakness.
- Weekly and monthly outlook bearish.
- AUDMYR is technically bearish. Continuous close below 3.00 and having broken support at 2.9643 yesterday has reinforced its negative momentum.
- We now expect AUDMYR to head towards 2.9285 next unless the pair closes above 2.9643.
- Key resistances: 2.9643 (R1), 2.9682 (R2), 2.9722 (R3)
- Key supports: 2.9578 (S1), 2.9553 (S2), 2.9518 (S3)
- Expected range for the day: 2.9496 2.9680

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Indicative AUDMYR 2.9619





Indicative EURUSD 1.1585



Source: Bloomberg

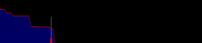
- EURUSD opened unchanged at 1.1590 today. Daily outlook slightly bearish on the back of sustained USD bull on ongoing trade tensions and growing rate differential between the US and EU.
- Weekly outlook bearish; monthly outlook bullish.
- EURUSD is turning bearish. Closing below 1.1723 has established a bearish case in EURUSD which could set the course for the pair to head towards 1.1510 next.
- Key resistances: 1.1607 (R1), 1.1626 (R2), 1.1657 (R3)
- Key supports: 1.1568 (S1), 1.1542 (S2), 1.1504 (S3)
- Expected range for the day: 1.1540 1.1600

EURMYR opened 148pips higher at 4.6383. Daily outlook

Source: Bloomberg

- bullish, in anticipation of further weakness in MYR.
- Weekly outlook bearish, monthly outlook neutral.
- Momentum indicators have turned negative, subjecting EURMYR to a downward trajectory after the pair failed to recapture 4.7000 as expected.
- EURMYR remains bearish in our view and could potentially test 4.5926 provided it does not close above 4.6608.
- Key resistances: 4.6413 (R1), 4.6462 (R2), 4.6608 (R3)
- Key supports: 4.6347 (S1), 4.6236 (S2), 4.6194 (S3)
- Expected range for the day: 4.6300 4.6460

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Indicative EURMYR 4.6397





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