

Global Markets Research

FX Strategy

Daily Currency Outlook – 11am edition





Source: Bloomberg

- USDMYR opened little changed at 4.0895 today. Daily outlook bullish.
- · Weekly and monthly outlook bullish.
- Ringgit daily outlook is bearish, as USDMYR has
 bottomed out and is set to rebound today judging from
 overnight's broad-based dollar strength. MYR medium term
 outlook is still bearish as the dollar is still expected to be
 well supported by relatively solid US data in Q1 2020.
- Key resistances: 4.1000 (S1), 4.1200 (S2), 4.1300 (S3)
- **Key supports:** 4.0900 (R1), 4.0850 (R2), 4.0800 (R3)
- Expected range for the day: 4.0890-4.1150

Indicative GBPMYR 5.3826



Source: Bloomberg

- GBPMYR opened 0.56% lower at 5.3751 today. Daily outlook bearish.
- Weekly outlook bearish and monthly outlook neutral.
- GBPMYR is bearish today on much lower opening after the sterling plunged against the USD overnight. Medium term outlook is neutral for now, awaiting more Brexit related development.
- **Key resistances**: 5.3882 (R1), 5.4260 (R2), 5.4600 (R3)
- **Key supports**: 5.3600 (S1), 5.3400 (S2), 5.3100 (S3)
- Expected range for the day: 5.3600- 5.3900

^{*} levels are quoted based on spot prices at time of writing, bid/ask prices may vary







Source: Bloomberg

- AUDUSD opened unchanged at 0.6993 today. Daily outlook bearish.
- · Weekly and monthly outlook neutral.
- AUD daily outlook is bearish after pulling back from key 0.7000 handle and looks set to weaken today in a stronger USD environment. Medium term outlook is neutral amidst lower risk of a US-China trade war escalation and RBA's accommodative stance.
- Key resistances: 0.7000 (R1), 0.7020 (R2), 0.7050 (R3)
- Key supports: 0.6950 (S1), 0.6925 (S2), 0.6900 (S3)
- Expected range for the day: 0.6950-0.7000

Indicative AUDMYR 2.8554



Source: Bloomberg

- AUDMYR opened 0.30% lower at 2.8554 today. Daily outlook bearish.
- . Weekly and monthly outlook neutral.
- We are bearish on AUDMYR cross today on lower opening and mainly because Aussie weakness is currently outpacing that of MYR's in a strong dollar environment. Medium term outlook is neutral amidst lower risk of a US-China trade war escalation and RBA's accommodative stance.
- Key resistances: 2.8600 (R1), 2.8650 (R2), 2.8700 (R3)
- Key supports: 2.8523 (S1), 2.8450 (S2), 2.8400 (S3)
- Expected range for the day: 2.8500- 2.8600

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Indicative EURUSD 1.1175



Source: Bloomberg

- EURUSD opened unchanged at 1.1172 today. Daily outlook bearish.
- Weekly outlook neutral and monthly outlook bearish.
- EUR daily outlook is slightly bearish as it closed below 1.12
 key handle and is likely hovering at at1.1150-1.1180 with
 technicals pointing to a gradual loss in momentum. Medium
 term outlook is bearish on ECB's accommodative monetary
 policy stance and continued weaker growth outlook versus a
 more solid US economy.
- Key resistances: 1.1200 (R1), 1.1220 (R2), 1.1250 (R3)
- **Key supports:** 1.1150 (S1), 1.1120 (S2), 1.1100 (S3)
- Expected range for the day: 1.1150-1.1185

Indicative EURMYR 4.5762



Source: Bloomberg

- EURMYR opened 0.29% lower at 4.5675 today. Daily outlook slightly bearish.
- Weekly outlook neutral and monthly outlook bearish.
- EURMYR cross is slightly bearish today on lower opening as EUR lost ground against the USD overnight but downside is capped given that both EUR and MYR are trading weaker in a stronger dollar environment. Medium term outlook is bearish on ECB's accommodative monetary policy stance and continued weaker growth outlook versus a more solid US economy.
- Key resistances: 4.5800 (R1), 4.5900 (R2) 4.6000 (R3)
- Key supports: 4.5700 (S1), 4.5620 (S2), 4.5550 (S3)
- Expected range for the day: 4.5650- 4.5830

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