

Base Metals

	Previous	CMP	% Change
Comex Copper	2.999	2.942	-1.90
LME Copper	6491.25	6563.75	1.12
LME Aluminium	1766.5	1776.75	0.58
LME Zinc	2447.5	2461.75	0.58
LME Lead	1964.25	1983	0.95
LME Nickel	14757.5	14922.5	1.12
MCX Copper	518.8	521.35	0.49
MCX Aluminium	144.6	144.4	-0.14
MCX Zinc	193.55	194	0.23
MCX Lead	155.7	156.35	0.42
MCX Nickel	1104.4	1109.9	0.50

Base Metal Related News

Base metals as higher US jobless claims drove up concerns on a slow economic recovery.

The US dollar on Friday gained against the euro for the first week since mid-June after data showed a strong uptick in US business activity

China's July aluminium imports leapt nearly sevenfold year-on-year to their second-highest level on record, customs data showed

Operations at Indonesia's largest nickel smelting facility were not disrupted by worker protests outside the plant on Saturday over shifts during the coronavirus pandemic

Copper stockpiles in LME hit their lowest since August 2007 at 103,475 tonnes, latest exchange data showed, pushing the premium of cash LME over the three-month contract to a one-month high of \$21.50 a tonne.

A surplus in the global lead market fell to 16,300 tonnes in June, from 45,300 tonnes in May. The global zinc market surplus narrowed to 2,000 tonnes in June, from 19,000 tonnes in May, ILZSG data showed.

LME Inventory

Commodity	LME Stock	Change	Shanghai Stock	Change	Canceled Warrants	CW as % of LME
						Stocks
Copper	100425	-5575	173418	12942	44274	44.09
Aluminium	1572750	-1150	274828	7087	220500	14.02
Zinc	219025	-1225	84499	-3848	9875	4.51
Lead	124675	-50	19378	-716	12300	9.87
Nickel	240384	0	28554	546	59082	24.58

Base Metal Outlook

Base metals are trading slightly higher today. We expect prices to trade negative as dollar rebounds and delay in US stimulus package and weak European economic data suggest a weak recovery in demand of the metals and increasing infection cases is posing considerable risks to the economic outlook over the medium term.

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Important Events For The Week					
	Cur		Actual	Forecast	Previous
24-Aug					
5:20am	JPY	Prelim GDP Price Index y/y		1.90%	0.90%
25-Aug					
10:30am	JPY	BOJ Core CPI y/y			0.10%
11:30am	EUR	German Final GDP q/q		-10.10%	-10.10%
1:30pm	EUR	German ifo Business Climate		92.5	90.5
7:30pm	USD	CB Consumer Confidence		93.2	92.6
	USD	New Home Sales		775K	776K
	USD	Richmond Manufacturing Index		10	10
26-Aug					
6:00pm	USD	Core Durable Goods Orders m/m		1.70%	3.60%
	USD	Durable Goods Orders m/m		4.00%	7.60%
8:00pm	USD	Crude Oil Inventories			-1.6M
27-Aug					
10:00am	JPY	All Industries Activity m/m		6.30%	-3.50%
1:30pm	EUR	M3 Money Supply y/y		9.50%	9.20%
	EUR	Private Loans y/y		3.00%	3.00%
6:00pm	USD	Prelim GDP q/q		-32.50%	-32.90%
	USD	Unemployment Claims			1106K
	USD	Prelim GDP Price Index q/q		-1.80%	-1.80%
6:40pm	USD	Fed Chair Powell Speaks			
7:30pm	USD	Pending Home Sales m/m		5.50%	16.60%
8:00pm	USD	Natural Gas Storage			43B
Day 1	All	Jackson Hole Symposium			
28-Aug					
11:30am	EUR	German GfK Consumer Climate			-0.3
6:00pm	USD	Core PCE Price Index m/m		0.50%	0.20%
	USD	Personal Spending m/m		1.50%	5.60%
	USD	Goods Trade Balance		-72.3B	-70.6B
	USD	Personal Income m/m		-0.30%	-1.10%
	USD	Prelim Wholesale Inventories m/m		-1.00%	-1.40%
7:15pm	USD	Chicago PMI		51	51.9
7:30pm	USD	Revised UoM Consumer Sentiment		72.8	72.8
	USD	Revised UoM Inflation Expectations			3.00%
Day 2	All	Jackson Hole Symposium			

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