Precious Metals

	Last Price	% Change
Comex Gold	1939.2	-0.40
Comex Silver	26.6	-0.49
MCX Gold	51269	-1.44
MCX Silver	65569	-2.23
USDINR	74.16	-1.01
US Dollar index	93.3	0.05
CBOE VIX	22.37	-0.75
US 10Y Yield	0.646	0.94
SPDR Gold	1252.38	0.00
Ishares Silver	17907.2	0.36
Gold/Silver Ratio	72.90	0.09

Precious Metals News

Gold higher on Tuesday as the dollar dipped, with investors awaiting U.S. Federal Reserve Chairman Jerome Powell's speech later this week, while a rally in equity markets limited bullion's advance.

On Thursday, Powell is due to talk at a gathering of central bankers in Jackson Hole, Wyoming, where he is expected to provide further clarity into the U.S. central bank's efforts to revamp its approach to monetary policy.

Asian stock markets rose as investors cheered signs of progress in U.S.-China trade negotiations and following a fresh Wall Street rally.

U.S. stocks rose to record highs and bonds fell on signs that the Trump administration may fast-track vaccines and treatments for coronavirus

US Mnuchin and China's Liu see progress on Phase One Trade Deal - committed to taking steps necessary to ensure success of agreement

Speculators raised their bullish positions in COMEX gold and silver contracts in the week to Aug. 18, the U.S CTC said

The U.S. FDA on Sunday said it authorised the use of blood plasma from patients who have recovered from COVID-19 as a treatment for the disease.

Precious Metal Outlook

Precious metals are trading higher in the morning trade. We expect prices to trade sideways to negative on stronger dollar and lack of economic data and after positive manufacturing data release in US. During the week, Jackson Hole meeting and Fed speech is important where the Fed will highlight more on future economic policy.





	Support 2	Support 1	Last Price	Resistance 1	Resistance 2
Gold Oct	50960	51200	51269	51690	52100
Silver Sept	63950	64880	65569	67300	68300

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%		

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