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EURUSD



Outlook neutral

EURUSD, returning within its former trading range, is expected to evolve between 1.2345 (supportive area) and 1.2470, in test of resistance.

EURUSD, after an "island reversal", is challenging a short term resistance line at 123.60 (currently turning around. The daily indicators are rebounding, from a low level. The hourly ones are supportive.

The currency pair is seen testing resistance, holding above 1.2345 (supportive area between 1.2350/35). A rebound above 1.2400 would argue for a rise towards 1.2470.

Analyst's Strategy:

USDJPY



Outlook neutral

USDJPY, following its upward course, is finding some resistance at 112.40. consolidation between towards 111.75, or even 111.50 as a pullback level is expected, before а rise towards 112.95 retracement).

The currency pair is approaching the "Dubai's gap" at 112.70/113.60, with the 50% retracement at 112.95. The return line of the bullish channel is at 113.50. The currency pair is trading towards the 200-day moving average. Last of Fiscal Year's level in 2003 was 119.02, while half year has been at 110.48. The daily indicators are rising. The hourly ones are signalling resistance, again.

The currency pair is seen evolving between 112.35 and 111.75, as a narrow range, or even below, with 111.50 as a pullback level. Above 112.35, the next target is at 112.90.

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Trend

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Spot

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USDCHF



Outlook neutral

USDCHF is doing a pullback towards former trend lines (and bullish break level at 1.2720). Below 1.2820, a return below 1.2720 is expected towards 1.2680.

USDCHF has done a retreat towards a short term support line (hourly chart), currently at 1.2720. The daily indicators are turning downside, from their former peaks (ROC at 3%). The hourly ones are neutral, rebounding towards zero.

Below 1.2850, seen as a resistance, the currency pair is expected to return below 1.2720, towards 1.2680.

Analyst's Strategy:

GBPUSD



Yesterday 1.8499 Hi 1.8179 Lo 1.8458 CI VS 1.8644 1.8580 S VS 1.8540 VS 1.8500 **Spot** 1.8486 S 1.8460 1.8415 VS 1.8375 VS 1.8330 S

Moving Ave 1.8412 5day 1.8694 20d 1.8265 60d 1.7024 200d

Trend
LT Up
MT Up
ST Neutral

Outlook neutral

GBPUSD is expect to consolidate its rebound, testing resistance at 1.8540. Support is seen at 1.8415.

GBPUSD is returning towards its former troughs (1.8460/80), finding some resistance. The daily indicators are rebounding from their low level (signalling an oversold configuration). The hourly ones are signalling resistance.

The currency pair is seen testing resistance towards 1.8540, with 1.8415 as the main support.

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Today

1.3363

1.3159

1.3220

1.3425

1.3415

1.3360

1.3310

1.3220

1.3155

1.3140

1.3100

1.3075

1.3030

1.3341

1.3276

1.3114

1.3413

LT

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Moving Ave

Trend

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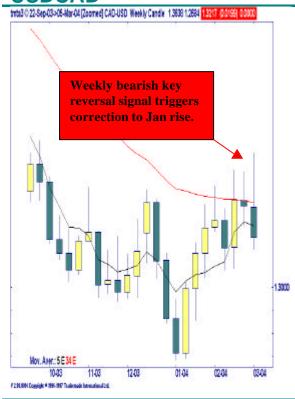
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USDCAD



Outlook Risk down to 1.3075

Wednesday's shooting star off 1.3585 triggered a weekly key reversal. The break of Jan uptrend and 1.3250 support opens key support at 1.3075 and 1.3030.

So close, yet no validation this week for a bullish USDCAD breakout. Recall a USDCAD daily close above 1.3435 would have escaped the resistance (on a daily close basis) from the winter triple-top at 1.3420-35 and allowed further gains this spring. Also a daily close above 1.3440 would have confirmed a bullish "inverse head & shoulders" pattern targeting 1.4200.

Instead, we get a bearish weekly key reversal signal implying a correction to the Jan-Feb rise. This could see a 50-62-80% retracement down to 1.3135/1.3030/1.2880. Note the inverse head&shoulders pattern implies support near 1.3075 (as a compound right shoulder could now form). Whether or not 1.3075 support holds -- near the 62% ret at 1.3030 -- will be a key barometer to the extent of the current decline.

AUDUSD

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0.7624 Hi 0.7487 Lo 0.7575 CI VS 0.7740 0.7705 S 0.7650 VS 0.7625 S 0.7575 Spot 0.7555 S 0.7520 S 0.7490 S 0.7470 S 0.7400 **VS Moving Ave** 0.7775 5day 20d 0.7760 0.7690 60d 0.7645 200d **Trend**

Outlook Corrective rise

S/t: Correction to Feb plunge is underway. Look for choppy gains into 0.7690-0.7765 area over next 2-4 days. M/t: Loss of key 0.7550/35 level confirms a decline to 0.7365.

S/t: Sharp rise started with Wednesday's V-bottom off 0.7400 and accelerated Friday. Still face some resistance at 0.7650 implies corrective scope to 0.7600 or 0.7650 -- the break pt that triggered this week's earlier slide. Possible that the Feb-March 0.8005-0.7400 decline finished an ABC correction. Yet it can also be seen as an impulsive (5-wave) decline. Obviously if we've finished the first leg of a major reversal in Aussie, it will likely stay below the 50% retemt pt of the Feb-March fall at 0.7690. Yet it could rise as high as 0.7820-0.7880 and still be a "bear market rally".

M/t: Loss of 0.7645/50 breaks Feb low & key 0.7535/50 support. Recall the mid-Feb collapse generated a 2-week snap-back bearish reversal signal. That *could be* the start of a major Aussie correction to 0.70 and below and suggests a major top is in place at 0.8005. It calls for at least a 38-50% ret of Sep-Feb rally off 0.6340 targeting 0.7365-0.7170.

L/t: Entire Sep'01-Feb'04 rally *could be* finished ala a 5-wave Elliott advance. Breaking 0.7530 on a *weekly close basis* would imply risk down to 0.7250-0.6800 over a multi-month period.

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Trend

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EURJPY



Outlook positive

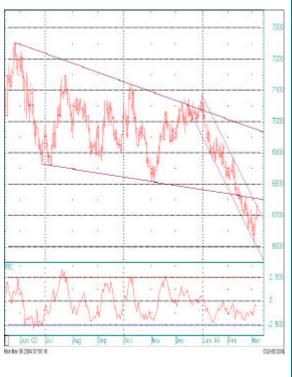
EURJPY, between 138.10 and 138.95 as a neutral, is expected to rise towards 140.20 as the next target (on the downside, the main support, as a pullback level is at 137.60).

EURJPY, rising above 137.70, is attempting to resume its bullish trend, with the main level at 140.90. The daily indicators are rebounding, above zero. The hourly indicators are signalling some resistance.

The currency pair, above 137.70, as a pullback level (strong support), is expected to rise towards 140.20 as the next target.

Analyst's Strategy:

EURGBP



Yesterday 0.6729 Hi 0.6684 Lo

0.6703 CI S 0.6765 0.6750 S 0.6730 VS 0.6715 VS 0.6700 **Spot** 0.6680 VS 0.6655 VS 0.6640 S 0.6615 VS

Moving Ave 0.6668 5dav 20d 0.6718

0.6868 60d 0.6950 200d

Trend

LT Up MT Down ST neutral

Outlook positive

EURGBP, capped by a resistance line at 0.6730, is seen returning towards 0.6680 in test of support. Above that level, the target is break of 0.6730.

EURGBP has met resistance on resistance line of its bearish channel, at 0.6730. The daily indicators are close to give a buy signal, with the ROC approaching the zero level. The hourly ones are signalling resistance, but they remain positive.

The currency pair is seen evolving between rebounding above 0.6680, is seen testing resistance, above 0.6715, towards 0.6730. Only a break of the latter would suggest a bullish reversal, towards 0.6800. We expect strong resistance at 0.6730.

Analyst's Strategy:



Long Term FX forecasts

USD Bloc	Q1 '04	Q2 '04	Q3'04	Q4'04
EUR/USD	1.25	1.30 1.28		1.35
USD/JPY	110	102 95		90
USD/CHF	1.27	1.19 1.27		1.22
GBP/USD	1.85	1.88 1.86		1.85
USD/CAD	1.32	1.22 1.24		1.18
AUD/USD	0.77	0.82	0.75	0.76
NZD/USD	0.68	0.70	0.65	0.65
USD/SEK	7.36	6.52 6.80		6.37
USD/NOK	6.96	6.59 6.56		6.15
EUR Bloc				
EUR/JPY	137	133	122	122
EUR/GBP	0.68	0.72	0.69	0.73
EUR/CHF	1.59	1.60	1.62	1.64
EUR/SEK	9.20	8.80	8.70	8.60
EUR/NOK	8.70	8.70	8.40	8.30
EUR/DKK	7.46	7.46	7.46	7.46
Central Europe				
EUR/PLN	4.90	4.75	4.65	4.70
EUR/CZK	32.50	32.00	31.50	32.00
EUR/HUF	265	260	255	260
EUR/SKK	40.00	40.50	40.00	41.00
USD/ZAR	5.90	5.55	6.60	6.45
USD/TRL	1200	1300	1550	1300
Asia Bloc				
USD/SGD	1.65	1.63	1.61	1.60
USD/MYR	3.80	3.80	3.80	3.80
USD/IDR	7900	7800	7700	7700
USD/THB	37.00	36.00 35.00		35.00
USD/PHP	54.00	53.50	53.00	53.00
USD/HKD	7.80	7.80	7.80	7.80
USD/RMB	8.28	8.28	8.28	8.28
USD/TWD	32.50	32.00	32.00	32.00
USD/KRW	1140	1130	1120	1130
USD/INR	44.50	44.00	43.50	43.50
LATAM Bloc				
USD/ARS	2.91	2.97	3.02	3.08
USD/BRL	2.88	2.90	2.93	2.95
USD/CLP	607	604	607	610
USD/MXN	10.80	11.23	11.50	11.78
USD/COP	2893	2929	2965	3001
USD/VEB	1920	1920	2300	3300

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