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<p>SELL</p>  <p>CRUDE10-JU26 87.28 -0.16% Expiry 27/May/26 Remaining 36 Days</p> <p>Entry 88.13 - 87.77 Stoploss 88.79 Take Profit 87 - 86.56</p>	<p>SELL</p>  <p>NGAS1K-MY26 2.6690 -0.74% Expiry 27/Apr/26 Remaining 6 Days</p> <p>Entry 2.67 - 2.66 Stoploss 2.72 Take Profit 2.65 - 2.64</p>	<p>SELL</p>  <p>GO10Z-JU26 4,807.60 -0.44% Expiry 27/May/26 Remaining 36 Days</p> <p>Entry 4792 - 4788 Stoploss 4806.08 Take Profit 4776 - 4766</p>	<p>N/A</p>  <p>SL10-MA26 78.93 Expiry Remaining</p> <p>Entry --- Stoploss #VALUE! Take Profit ---</p>
<p>SELL</p>  <p>PLATINUM5-JY26 2,079.90 -0.35% Expiry 26/Jun/26 Remaining 66 Days</p> <p>Entry 2080 - 2073 Stoploss 2106.57 Take Profit 2062 - 2052</p>	<p>SELL</p>  <p>COPPER-MY26 6.0445 -0.02% Expiry 28/Apr/26 Remaining 7 Days</p> <p>Entry 6.04 - 6.03 Stoploss 6.08 Take Profit 6.01 - 5.97</p>	<p>BUY</p>  <p>ICOTTON-MY26 79.91 -0.16% Expiry 22/Apr/26 Remaining 1 Days</p> <p>Entry 79.71 - 79.91 Stoploss 79.57 Take Profit 80.29 - 80.66</p>	<p>BUY</p>  <p>DJ-JU26 49,934 0.59% Expiry 17/Jun/26 Remaining 57 Days</p> <p>Entry 49774 - 49822 Stoploss 49469.23 Take Profit 49919 - 50004</p>
<p>BUY</p>  <p>SP500-JU26 7,176 0.39% Expiry 17/Jun/26 Remaining 57 Days</p> <p>Entry 7161 - 7169 Stoploss 7110.81 Take Profit 7188 - 7209</p>	<p>BUY</p>  <p>NSDQ100-JU26 26,868 0.44% Expiry 17/Jun/26 Remaining 57 Days</p> <p>Entry 26817 - 26847 Stoploss 26570.85 Take Profit 26907 - 26960</p>	<p>BUY</p>  <p>GOLDUSDJPY-MY26 159.15 0.24% Expiry 28/Apr/26 Remaining 7 Days</p> <p>Entry 159.08 - 159.16 Stoploss 158.76 Take Profit 159.41 - 159.58</p>	<p>SELL</p>  <p>GOLDEURUSD-MY26 1.1768 -0.16% Expiry 28/Apr/26 Remaining 7 Days</p> <p>Entry 1.1772 - 1.1767 Stoploss 1.179 Take Profit 1.1751 - 1.1743</p>

Major Headlines

Oil falls on expectations US-Iran talks likely, opening of supply

Oil prices fell on Tuesday, reversing the previous session's gains, on expectations that peace talks between the U.S. and Iran will take place this week and lead to more supply flowing from the key Middle East producing region. Brent crude futures were down 69 cents to \$94.79 a barrel at 0955 GMT. U.S. West Texas Intermediate (WTI) for May was down \$1.12, or 1.3%, to \$88.49. [see more...](#)

Gold dips as dollar strengthens amid U.S-Iran talks, Warsh confirmation hearing

Gold prices dropped on Tuesday, weighed down by a firmer U.S. dollar, as investors assessed uncertainty around Middle East peace talks and awaited a key Congressional confirmation hearing with Federal Reserve Chair nominee Kevin Warsh. Denting the appeal of gold was a strengthening in the dollar, which can make bullion more expensive for overseas buyers. A tracker of the greenback against a basket of currency peers was last higher by 0.2%, as cautious traders flocked to the dollar, which some have argued presents a safe-haven [see more...](#)

US stock futures climb as AI optimism tempers Middle East concerns

U.S. stock index futures rose on Tuesday as renewed artificial intelligence optimism bolstered markets battered by repeated back-and-forth linked to headlines about the Middle East conflict. J.P. Morgan raised its year-end target for the S&P 500, citing AI and tech-driven earnings, while Amazon said on Monday it will invest up to \$25 billion in Anthropic [see more...](#)

USD/JPY gains to near 159.00 after natural calamities in Japan

The Japanese Yen was already underperforming earlier in the day amid growing doubts over the Bank of Japan (BoJ) raising interest rates in its monetary policy meeting on April 28. Investors expect the BoJ to avoid any monetary policy adjustment as a negative energy shock has raised concerns over Japan's economic outlook. Meanwhile, the US Dollar (USD) trades firmly as its safe-haven demand has improved amid Iran's refusal to conduct another round of negotiation talks [see more...](#)

EUR/USD bounces up to 1.1760, but tensions in the Middle East cap gains

The Euro (EUR) has retraced previous losses against the US Dollar (USD) following a weak weekly opening, as rising tensions between the US and Iran have curbed hopes of a swift resolution of the conflict. The pair has returned to the 1.1760 area after hitting daily lows below 1.1730, but upside attempts remain capped below the lows seen at the end [see more...](#)

US Dollar: Can Greenback Strengthen Amid Iran Uncertainty, Rising Energy Risks?

Global pricing right now is a bit more complex than a typical "flight to safety" phase. On one side, the US dollar is gaining support from energy and security risks coming out of the Middle East. On the other hand, it is also being driven by rising inflation in the US and delays in expected interest rate cuts. Because of this, the US dollar is no longer just a safe-haven asset that rises during crises. It is starting to look like the core of the global financial system again. [see more...](#)

Economic Calendar

Event	Date	Time	Currency	Importance	Actual	Forecast	Previous
Retail Sales (MoM) (Mar)	21/4/2026	5:30 PM	USD	High volatility		1.40%	0.60%
Core Retail Sales (MoM) (Mar)	21/4/2026	5:30 PM	USD	High volatility		1.30%	0.50%

FOREX MARKETS' STATISTICS

Forex Market Hours

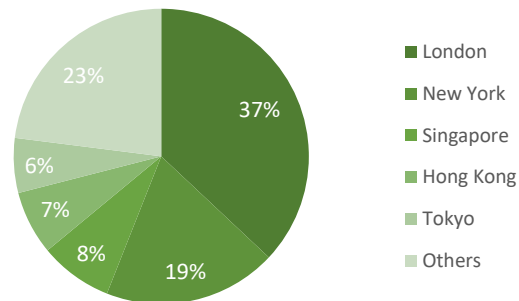


Note: This chart shows the normal forex trading times of all the major forex trading centers across the globe in Pakistan Standard Time.

Forex Turnover by Counterparty



Markets' Share in Total Forex Turnover



Most Traded Currency Pairs



Sources: ACPL Research, Forexmarkethours, Dailyfx, Ig

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- USD/PKR: 280.10
- JPY/PKR: 1.97

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- Technical Analysis
- Fundamental Analysis

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