

Commodity Currencies Weekly Technicals

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Technical Outlook





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Technical Outlook

Commodity currencies are appreciating again; thus neutralising our forecasts vs. the greenback

Market	Short term view (1–3 weeks)
NZD/USD:	In view of the sharp rally we have had to neutralise our outlook. The .8106/87 area should cap.
USD/CAD:	Recent failure ahead of the 1.0608/75 resistance area has made us neutralise our forecast.
EUR/AUD:	Nears support at 1.4186/67 but still targets the 1.4000/1.3800 region.
EUR/NZD:	Is getting ever closer to the 1.6327/1.6229 support zone which could hold once again.
EUR/CAD:	Is likely to reach the 1.3600 region around which it could stabilise.



The Australian, New Zealand and Canadian Dollar vs. the US Dollar

Commodity currencies continue to appreciate versus the US Dollar but only in the short term

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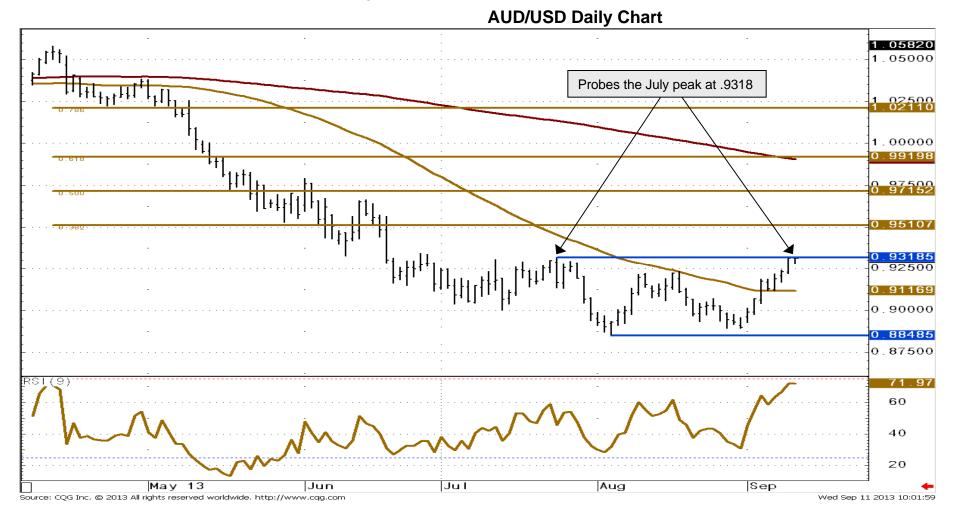
The Australian, New Zealand and Canadian Dollar vs. the Euro

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AUD/USD - Daily Chart

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NZD/USD - Daily Chart

In view of the recent sharp rally we have had to neutralise our outlook

- > NZD/USD's swift rally off its .7721 late August low has taken it back to the 2013 resistance line at .8069.
- In view of the impulsive nature of this rise we feel compelled to neutralise both our short- and medium-term forecasts and allow for the .8106/87 resistance area to be retested. It is made up of the July peak, August high and the 200 day moving average at .8187 and it should cap.
- Should this not be the case, a bottom will have been formed with the 61.8% Fibonacci retracement of the Aprilto-June decline at .8298 being targeted. This is not our preferred scenario, though.
- Instead we expect the currency pair to run out of steam in the .8106/87 region and for it to then head back down towards the .7721/.7683 major support zone which encompasses the June-to-August lows. If fallen through, our downside target zone, made up of the .7456/.7371 May 2012 low and November 2011 low, will be in focus.

Support	Resistance	1-Week View	1-Month View
.7970/04	.8106/87		
.7721/.7683	.8298&.8361		

NZD/USD Daily Chart



NZD/USD - Weekly Chart

Has once again bounced off the 2011-13 support line at .7667

NZD/USD Weekly Chart 0.9000 0.8845 0.8636 0.8000 0.7811 0.7667 0.7337 0.7000 0.6406 2011-13 support line is seen at .7667 0.6000 0.5743 0.5000 RSI(9) 75 53. 25 2011 2012 2009 2010 2013 Source: CQG Inc. © 2013 All rights reserved worldwide. http://www.cqg.com Wed Sep 11 2013 10:48:13

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USD/CAD - Daily Chart

Recent failure ahead of the 1.0608/75 resistance area has made us neutralise our forecast

- **USD/CAD Daily Chart** .07000 .06000 .05530 05000 .0412 03642 .03000 02000 .01000 .00000 0.99000 Support line at 1.0364 has given way 80 60 40 Jun Jul Sep Mar 13 Apr Mav Aug Source: CQG Inc. © 2013 All rights reserved worldwide. http://www.cgq.com Wed Sen 11 2013 10:51:0
- USD/CAD's inability to reach the 1.0608/75 resistance area (July 2013 high, July and August 2010 highs and the 2011 peak) provoked a sharp sell-off.
- > This is why we have neutralised our short- and medium-term forecasts.
- > Since the support line at 1.0364 is being slipped through further short term weakness remains on the cards.
- The 1.0295/47 support area could thus be revisited but should then hold. It contains the lows seen in July and mid-August.
- Only failure at the 1.0247 July low would void our short term now neutral forecast and lead to the 2012-13 support line at 1.0180 and the June low at 1.0135 being targeted instead.

Support	Resistance	1-Week View	1-Month View
1.0295/47	1.0413/44		
1.0200/1.0135	1.0473/1.0568		



USD/CAD - Weekly Chart

Is still expected to eventually rise above this year's July peak at 1.0608

1.30000 1.25000 July high was made at 1.0608 1.20000 1.15000 1.10000 1.08500 1.06565 1.05000 1.03415 01842 1.00000 որեր <mark>0.96090</mark> 0.95000 RSI(9) 75 48.81 25 2013 2011

USD/CAD Weekly Chart

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EUR/AUD - Daily Chart

Nears support at 1.4186/67 but still targets the 1.4000/1.3800 region

- > EUR/AUD remains on track to reach the 1.4167 mid-July low.
- Below it lies the minor psychological 1.4000 level which, together with the 1.3864/12 mid-June and mid-July lows, represents our medium term downside target.
- We will retain our bearish outlook for the next few weeks while EUR/AUD stays below its August peak at 1.5034 on a daily chart closing basis. Incidentally this high was made marginally above the July 2010 high at 1.5016.
- Only if a daily chart close above 1.5034 were to be made, would the May 2010 peak at 1.5463 be targeted instead. This is not on the cards, however, and instead further weakness should be seen.
- Resistance can be seen between the 1.4416 June high and the 55 day moving average at 1.4482.

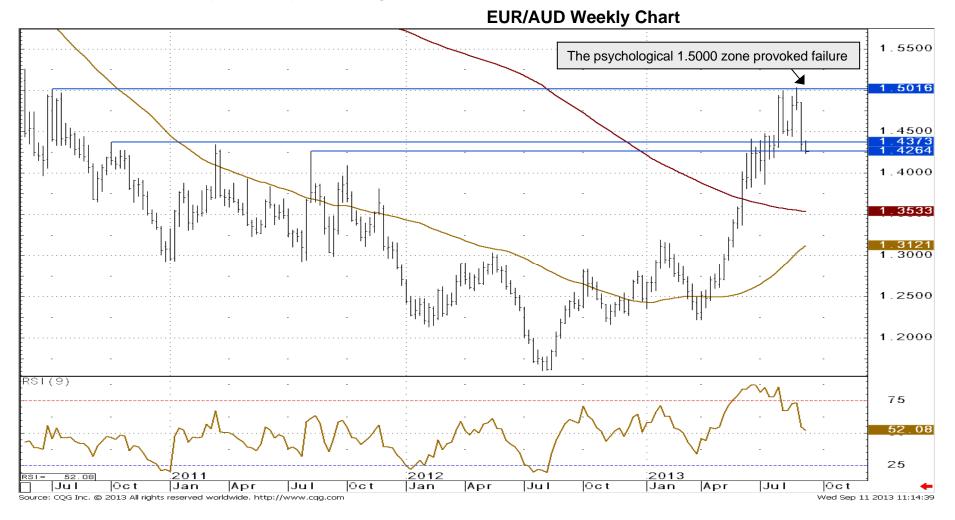
Support	Support Resistance		1-Month View
1.4186/67	1.4416/82	~	+
1.3938/1.3864	1.4996/1.5034		



EUR/AUD Daily Chart

EUR/AUD - Weekly Chart

Has been rejected by the July 2010 high at 1.5016

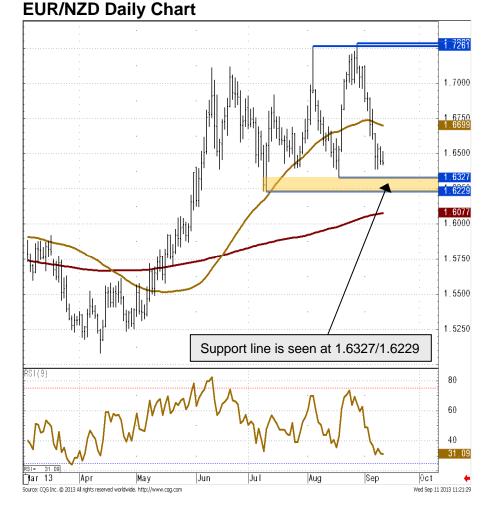


EUR/NZD - Daily Chart

Is getting ever closer to the 1.6327/1.6229 support zone which could hold once more

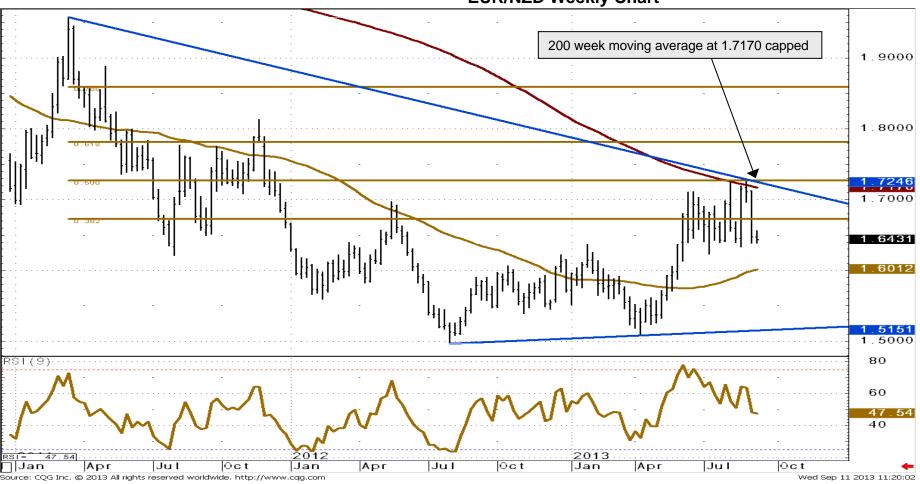
- EUR/NZD is still drifting lower towards the 1.6327/1.6229 August and July lows.
- The 1.6229 July low should be fallen through in the weeks to come with the 200 day moving average at 1.6077 then being back on the map.
- While EUR/NZD stays above the July low at 1.6229 on a daily chart closing basis, however, the medium term up trend remains intact.
- Once 1.6229 has been slipped through, however, a major top will have been formed. If so, the March high at 1.5920 will be back in the frame.

Support	Resistance	1-Week View	1-Month View
1.6327/1.6229	1.6699&1.6917	•	
1.6077&1.5920	1.7111/16		-



EUR/NZD - Weekly Chart

The 200 day moving average and 50% retracement at 1.7170/1.7270 provoked failure



EUR/NZD Weekly Chart

EUR/CAD - Daily Chart

Is likely to reach the 1.3600/1.3525 region around which it could stabilise

- EUR/CAD has now slipped through the 55 day moving average at 1.3742 and has the 1.3600/1.3525 region in focus. It is comprised of the August low, late July lows, 50% retracement of the April-to-August advance and the March and April highs. As such this support area is likely to hold.
- A drop through the mid-August low at 1.3664 and last week's low at 1.3650 will mean that an interim top has been formed. Only then will the August low at 1.3600 be back in the picture.
- > Should it be fallen through, the 1.3431 July low and the 200 day moving average at 1.3413 will be targeted as well.
- > While trading above the 1.3413 level our long term bullish forecasts will remain in place, though.
- Resistance is seen at the 1.3818 June high and around the 1.3923 August 8 peak.

Support	Resistance	1-Week View	1-Month View
1.3664/50	1.3818&1.3923	•	+
1.3600/1.3525	1.4128/76		

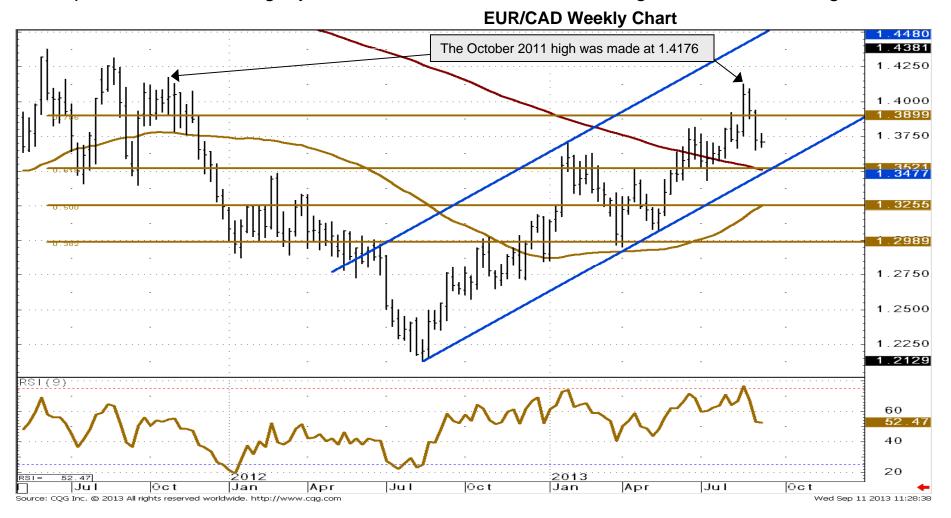
EUR/CAD Daily Chart



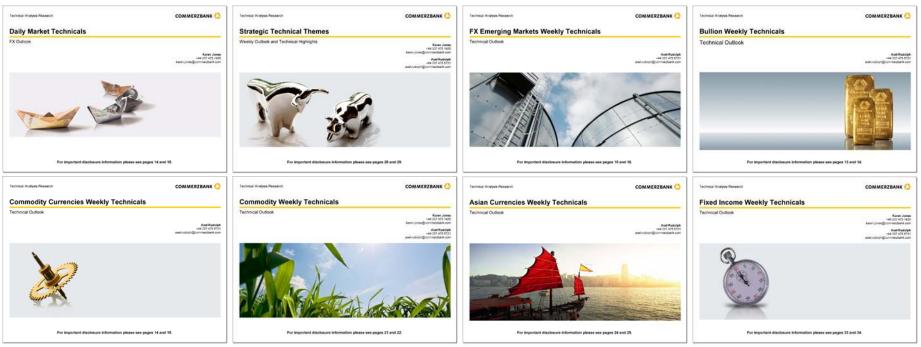


EUR/CAD - Weekly Chart

Lost upside momentum slightly below the 1.4176 October 2011 high and is still heading lower







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