

## Preview **Fundamental**

Expect futures to trade on a cautious note today on a potential of extended selling activities ahead of Fed's meeting later today and waiting for the decision of the size of interest rate hike and following the slide in overnight Wall Street while surging crude oil prices could be the supportive tone. Stateside, Major U.S. stock indexes ended lower on Tuesday, extending its losing streak to second consecutive day as U.S. job openings rise in September indicating that the solid labor market dimmed hopes that Fed might have enough reason to begin reducing the size of its interest rate hikes. In the region, Asian bourses extended its bullish run and advanced on Tuesday, led by the strong bounce back in China and Hong Kong technology shares from a rout as speculations mounted that Chinese policy makers are preparing to gradually exit stringent Covid-19 restrictions amid the fall in US treasury yields and Dollars. Back to our home front, the FBM KLCI gave up previous session strong gains to fall yesterday, against its regional peers' bullish momentum as market sentiment turns cautious and profit booking activities in most heavyweights emerged ahead of Fed's meeting for the outcome of interest rate decision on this Wednesday. The index closed at 1,445.92, fell 14.46 points, with top losers PBK, CIMB, SIME, MAY, DLG and GENT shares. Futures to cash basis strengthened to 7.0 points premium from 1-point discount.

Technical Futures contract opened marginally higher during early morning trading session but traded gradually lower throughout the trading session on persistent selling pressure and ended in negative territory on spilled over weakness in the underlying cash as profit taking emerged despite following its regional peers bullish run. The November futures contract settled 8.0 points lower at 1,453.0, forming a black bodied candlestick with extended upper and bottom shadow, indicating an aggressive selling activity during the session. On the technical perspective, MACD remained issue a sell signal while RSI indicator lingered at neutral region. Therefore, expect futures to continue its lacklustre mode today on the back of extended losses in overnight US equities market and ahead of U.S. Fed's meeting and the hope of the Federal Reserve

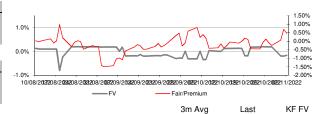
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would soften its hawkish stance vanished on robust US jobs data while preelection buying activities could limit the downside. Thus, the support and resistance can be eyed at 1,438.0 and 1,460.0 respectively.

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**FBMKLCI Volatility** 

Source: Bloor	mberg							O/I chg	Open I	nterest	Previous	Week
Contract	Sett	Change	High	Low	Volume	Open Int	O/I chg	Value USD	3mth avg	Value USD	High	Low
FBMKLCI	1445.92	-14.46	1457.64	1443.54	349 Mn						1459.86	1441.19
NOV 22	1453.00	-8.00	1466.50	1446.00	8197	30,058	1,637	25.09 Mn	30,124	461.61 Mn	0.00	0.00
DEC 22	1453.00	-7.50	1465.50	1447.50	112	418	3	.05 Mn	6,087	93.28 Mn	0.00	0.00
MAR 23	1444.50	-8.50	1459.00	1440.00	47	326	11	.17 Mn	759	11.57 Mn	0.00	0.00
JUN 23	1443.50	-9.50	1455.50	1437.50	48	29	29	.44 Mn	430	6.55 Mn	0.00	0.00
					8,404	30,831	1,680	25.74 Mn	37,401	573.01 Mn		

Futures Fa	ir Value	KLIBOR			KF Est	
Contract	Exp. Date	Index Pt	Div Idx Pt (	Gross) FV	Div Idx pt (Ne	et) FV
NOV 22	30/11/2022	2.97	2.18	0.79	2.18	0.79
DEC 22	30/12/2022	6.26	4.21	2.05	4.21	2.05
Roll FV				1.26		1.26
Benchmark	(Indices				Relative to FBI	MKLCI
Source: Blo	omberg	Last	1d Chg	6m Chg	3m Chg	6m Chg
FBMKLCI		1445.92	-0.99%	-9.65%	3.87%	-5.66%
FBM100		10002.12	-0.87%	-10.06%	0.05%	-0.45%
<b>FBMEMAS</b>		10267.13	-0.81%	-10.46%	0.32%	-0.89%
Local Sect	or Performand	e againts Fl	BMKLCI			
Sector				1d Chg	3m Chg	6m Chg
Financial				0.05%	1.29%	6.67%
Plantation				-0.28%	-0.06%	-14.76%
Utilities				0.00%		0.00%
Currencies	;		Last	1d Chg	3m Chg	6m Chg
USDMYR			4.7410	0.11%	6.41%	8.90%
CNYMYR			0.6508	0.55%	-1.08%	-1.21%
Dollar Index			111.487	0.01%	4.94%	7.46%
MYR to DX	Y			-0.10%	-1.39%	-1.32%
World Equi	ity Indices				Relative to FBMKLCI	
Source: Blo	omberg	Last	1d Chg	6m Chg	3m Chg	6m Chg
USA						
Dow Jones		32653.20	-0.24%	-0.98%	2.94%	9.60%
S&P 500		3856.10	-0.41%	-6.68%	-3.19%	3.30%
NASDAQ		10890.85	-0.89%	-11.71%	-8.96%	-2.27%
Europe						
DAX		13338.74	0.64%	-4.31%	2.55%	5.92%
CAC		6328.25	0.98%	-1.52%	2.08%	9.01%
FTSE100		7186.16	1.29%	-4.75%	0.29%	5.43%
EURO Stox		414.61	0.58%	-6.58%	-1.69%	3.40%
Asia Pacific	C					
Nikkei 225		27678.92	0.33%	3.21%	3.71%	14.24%
Hang Seng		15455.27	5.23%	-26.72%	-18.84%	-18.88%
Straits Time	es	3130.50	1.21%	-6.74%	-0.07%	3.22%
KOSPI		2327.15	-0.35%	-13.41%	-1.37%	-4.15%
TAIEX		13037.21	0.68%	-21.43%	-8.59%	-13.03%
S&P/ASX20	00	6985.50	0.12%	-4.92%	3.21%	5.24%



6.53 Pts

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U.S. stocks closed lower for a second straight session on Tuesday after data indicating that the labor market remained on solid ground dimmed hopes the Federal Reserve might have enough reason to begin reducing the size of its interest rate hikes.-Reuters