

| | Expect futures to trade range bound with slight upward bias today on improving |
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| 60 | sentiment around the region following Wall Street higher and crude oil gains while |
| 00 | in the absence of fresh local impetus and ahead of U.S. economic data might cap |
| | gains. Stateside, all three major U.S. indexes advanced Monday but closed off |
| 48 55 45 50 | session highs amid light trading at the start of what is considered the last unofficial |
| | week of summer, one jam-packed with closely watched economic indicators that |
| | could affect whether the Federal Reserve will take a rate-hike breather in |
| 33.65 | could affect whether the Federal Reserve will take a rate-hike breather in September. On the external front, Asian bourses rallied on Monday after China approunced measures to support its alling markets, but Western markets remained. |
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| 22.51 | cautious ahead of European and U.S. economic data expected later in the week |
| | due to determine central bankers' next steps. At home, the FBM KLCI extended |

its lacklustre mode to end marginally lower, bucking regional peers upbeat trend as selling pressure persist in selected index heavyweights on lingering concerns over weaker global economic activities and ahead of U.S economic data. The index closed at 1,444.06, fell 0.35 points, led by the losses in PCHEM, MAXIS, AMM, RHBBANK and DLG shares. Futures to cash basis strengthened to 1.5 points discount from 4 points discount.

Technical

Preview **Fundamental**

The futures contract reverse course and finished higher, on bargain buying resonating gains in the overnight Wall Street and sturdy regional peers performance against softer underlying cash market on lack of buying support. The August futures contract rose 5 points at 1,445.5, forming a short-white bodied candlestick with long top and long bottom shadow which indicated bulls managed to seize control of the session despite bears tries to take charge. Technical viewpoint, MACD indicator issue a sell signal while RSI indicators lingered at neutral region. However, expect futures to trade cautiously higher today on the back of extended gains on U.S. equities market and crude oil upbeat performance while traders awaiting a raft of economic figures over the next few days for clues on the outlook for global central bank policy could limit the upside. The trading range of today's session can be found at 1,440.0 and 1,456.0 respectively.

| Source: Bloo | mberg | | | | | | | O/I chg | Open | Interest | Previous | Week |
|--------------|---------|--------|---------|---------|--------|----------|---------|------------|----------|-----------|----------|---------|
| Contract | Sett | Change | High | Low | Volume | Open Int | O/I chg | Value USD | 3mth avg | Value USD | High | Low |
| FBMKLCI | 1444.06 | -0.35 | 1445.31 | 1441.78 | 110 Mn | | | | | | 1456.40 | 1438.51 |
| AUG 23 | 1445.50 | 5.00 | 1451.50 | 1442.00 | 23996 | 20,417 | -9,377 | -145.72 Mn | 35,825 | 556.71 Mn | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| SEP 23 | 1424.00 | 4.00 | 1431.00 | 1421.00 | 22709 | 24,616 | 10,703 | 163.85 Mn | 8,189 | 125.36 Mn | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| DEC 23 | 1428.00 | 4.00 | 1434.00 | 1425.00 | 81 | 406 | 13 | .2 Mn | 925 | 14.20 Mn | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| MAR 24 | 1419.00 | 3.50 | 1425.00 | 1416.50 | 44 | 282 | 20 | .31 Mn | 732 | 11.16 Mn | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| | | | | | 46,830 | 45,721 | 1,359 | 18.64 Mn | 45,671 | 707.43 Mn | | |

| Futures Fa | ir Value | KLIBOR | | | KF Est | |
|------------|-----------|----------|---------------|----------|------------------|--------|
| Contract | Exp. Date | Index Pt | Div Idx Pt (G | ross) FV | Div Idx pt (Net) | FV |
| AUG 23 | 30/8/2023 | 0.13 | 0.00 | 0.13 | 0.00 | 0.13 |
| SEP 23 | 29/9/2023 | 4.01 | 22.91 | -18.90 | 22.91 | -18.90 |
| Roll FV | | | | -19.03 | | -19.03 |
| Benchmar | k Indices | | | | Relative to FBMI | KLCI |

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| Source: Bloomberg | Last | 1d Chg | 6m Chg | 3m Chg | 6m Chg |
| FBMKLCI | 1444.06 | -0.02% | -0.70% | 4.16% | 4.05% |
| FBM100 | 10356.11 | 0.12% | 0.82% | 0.44% | 1.53% |
| FBMEMAS | 10681.52 | 0.18% | 0.97% | 0.65% | 1.68% |
| Local Sector Performa | nce againts FF | BMKLCI | | | |

| Sector | | 1d Chg | 3m Chg | 6m Chg |
|--------------------|---------|--------|---------|--------|
| Financial | | 0.03% | 2.98% | 0.68% |
| Plantation | | -0.12% | -0.49% | 3.42% |
| Utilities | | 0.00% | | 0.00% |
| Currencies | Last | 1d Chg | 3m Chg | 6m Chg |
| USDMYR | 4.6510 | -0.09% | 1.01% | 3.65% |
| CNYMYR | 0.6386 | 0.29% | -1.92% | -1.29% |
| Dollar Index (DXY) | 103.941 | -0.11% | -0.25% | -0.88% |
| MYR to DXY | | -0.03% | -1.25% | -4.37% |
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| World Equity Indices | | | | Relative to FE | BMKLCI |
| Source: Bloomberg | Last | 1d Chg | 6m Chg | 3m Chg | 6m Chg |
| USA | | | | | |
| Dow Jones | 34559.98 | 0.62% | 5.83% | 1.60% | 6.57% |
| S&P 500 | 4433.31 | 0.63% | 11.67% | 2.56% | 12.45% |
| NASDAQ | 13705.13 | 0.84% | 19.64% | 2.76% | 20.48% |
| Europe | | | | | |
| DAX | 15792.61 | 1.03% | 2.78% | -3.69% | 3.50% |
| CAC | 7324.71 | 1.32% | 0.78% | -2.43% | 1.49% |
| FTSE100 | 7338.58 | 0.07% | -6.83% | -6.39% | -6.17% |
| EURO Stoxx | 455.41 | 0.89% | -1.24% | -3.86% | -0.54% |
| Asia Pacific | | | | | |
| Nikkei 225 | 32169.99 | 1.73% | 17.21% | 0.21% | 18.04% |
| Hang Seng | 18130.74 | 0.97% | -8.37% | -4.91% | -7.72% |
| Straits Times | 3213.68 | 0.75% | -1.50% | -2.15% | -0.81% |
| KOSPI | 2547.17 | 0.15% | 5.57% | -3.15% | 6.31% |
| TAIEX | 16509.26 | 0.17% | 6.49% | -3.45% | 7.23% |
| S&P/ASX200 | 7164.30 | 0.06% | -1.30% | -3.43% | -0.60% |

U.S. markets Wall Street ended higher on Monday, with gains in 3M and Goldman Sachs ahead of key inflation and jobs data this week that will offer more clues on the Federal Reserve's interest rate path.- Reuters



-1.0% 6/6/20283/6/20**28**/6/20**23**/6/20**24**/7/20281/7/20**28**/7/20**23**/7/202**9**/8/202**3**/8/202**3**/8/20**22**/8/20**22**/8/20**23**/8/202 —FV - Fair/Premium

3m Avg

30 Days

7.50%

KF FV

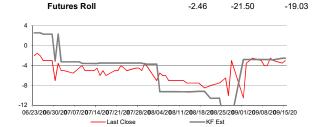
90 Days

7.26%

Last

60 Days

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FBMKLCI Volatility