

# PPI jumps, Wall Street marches on, DXY finds support

Good morning Traders,

# 1, FOMC minutes

The latest FOMC meeting minutes showed most voting members leaned towards 1 more hike during Fed's last September meeting, but this has shifted rapidly and becoming less relevant after several Fed speakers hinting the hike is done.

#### 2, DXY

The USD index (USD vs a basket of 6 other currencies) has found a support at 105.558 after dropping from October high of 107.328. As shown yesterday, this level also coincides with Fib 23.6% level as the greenback finds buyers amid geopolitical uncertainty.



# DXY.cash H4

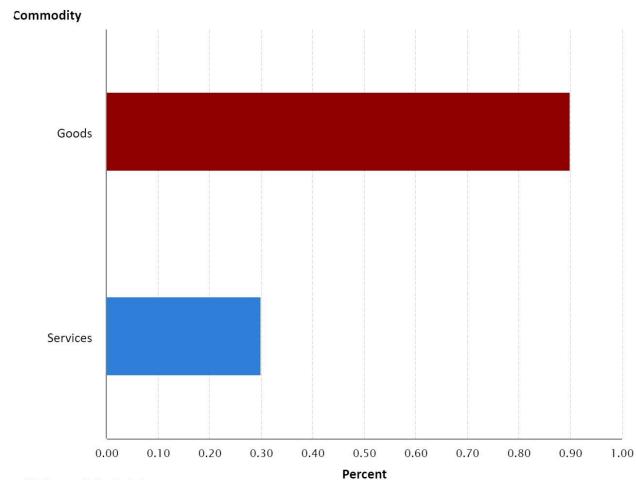
#### 3, PPI jumps

The PPI, aka Producers' Price Index, which measures input price changes from the manufacturing side has jumped to +0.5% in September, beating markets' forecast of +0.3%. The upside surprise has aided USD's temporary recovery while also indicating an increased likelihood of higher inflation for October.



#### PPI for final demand components, 1-month percent change, September 2023

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Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.



# 4, Wall Street higher, NAS100 shines

NAS100 has outperformed Wall Street again overnight, finishing 0.71% higher while the US30 and SPX500 only recorded modest gains. What I'm looking at though, is the technical divergence widening again -- NAS100 has remained in its bullish tunnel while the US30 and SPX500 have both fallen out and are showing double or triple top formations, indicating buyers are hesitant to challenge resistance levels.





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What are your thoughts on CPI tonight?

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