Brent Intraday Morning Technical

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Support		Resistance		current Price	Bull	Deal
S1	70.69	R1	71.87			
S2	69.60	R2	74.20	71.99	Stochastic oversold	RSI below 50
S3	68.52	R3	74.80			

Synopsis—Intraday

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Chart source Bloomberg

- Price is below the 8-21 period EMA's
- RSI is below 50 (37)
- Stochastic is oversold
- Price is above the daily pivot point 71.87
- Technically bearish on Friday, we had entered an Elliott wave 4, meaning upside moves were still considered as countertrend. The MA on the RSI implied that momentum was supported, leaving the futures vulnerable to an intraday move higher. We noted that below USD 72.35 the futures would have entered a bearish wave 5, meaning we had the potential to trade as low as USD 68.52 within this phase of the cycle. However, a new low would mean that the futures are in divergence with the RSI, not a buy signal, it warned that we could see a momentum slowdown, which would need to be monitored.
- The futures traded to a high of USD 73.53 before selling to a new low. We are seeing light bid support but remain below all key moving averages with the RSI below 50, intraday price and momentum are conflicting as the previous candle closed below the daily pivot level.
- A close on the 4-hour candle below USD 81.87 with the RSI at or below 32.5 will mean price and momentum are aligned to the sell side; likewise, a close above this level will mean it is aligned to the buyside. Upside moves that fail at or below USD 77.86 will leave the futures vulnerable to further tests to the downside, above this level the technical will have a neutral bias.
- Technically bearish, the futures are now on an Elliott wave 5 of this phase of the cycle, with a potential downside target as low as USD 68.52. Note: if we do achieve our downside target, then we could potentially be looking at a wave extension within the existing trend, as the lower timeframe oscillator cross is marginal. However, we are seeing a higher timeframe wave cycle in play, meaning upside moves should be considered as countertrend. The futures are now in divergence with the RSI, implying caution on downside moves at these levels. Above USD 74.20 the futures will be bullish based on price, implying the lower timeframe wave cycle has completed, meaning we will be in a higher timeframe countertrend wave 4.

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