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**Macro:****Economy faces fresh risks if stability not restored soon: S&P**

- Bangladesh's political crisis has further undermined sovereign credit support since S&P Global Ratings lowered its long-term sovereign credit rating on July 30 this year, the American credit rating agency said yesterday.

<https://www.thedailystar.net/business/news/economy-faces-fresh-risks-if-stability-not-restored-soon-sp-3672086>

**Security concerns slow clearance of goods from ports**

- As security concerns continue to cloud the nation, importers and exporters called for the swift formation of an interim government to stabilise the law and order situation.

<https://www.thedailystar.net/business/news/security-concerns-slow-clearance-goods-ports-3672121>

**Factories yet to start running in full swing for a lack of security**

- Factories are yet to start running in full swing for a lack of law and order since Sheikh Hasina resigned from the post of prime minister three days ago in the face of a mass uprising.

<https://www.thedailystar.net/business/news/factories-yet-start-running-full-swing-lack-security-3672116>

**Sectors & Industries:****BANK | ATMs out of cash as money supply disrupted**

- Bankers said most ATMs were out of cash and even many branches were running low on cash as money supply had been disrupted due to inadequate security over the last several days.

<https://www.thedailystar.net/business/news/atms-out-cash-money-supply-disrupted-3672131>

**BANK | All 4 BB deputy governors agree to resign in face of protest from officials**

- Earlier in the day, Bangladesh bank officials called for the resignation of the governor of Bangladesh Bank and four deputy governors, accusing them of facilitating the plundering of the country's financial resources.

<https://www.tbsnews.net/economy/banking/bb-officials-demand-resignation-governor-3-deputy-governors-while-sayedur-quits>

**BANK | Banks' chief anti-money laundering officers called to BFIU meeting today**

- A senior official at the BFIU told TBS, "We will have a meeting with the chief anti-money laundering compliance officers of different banks in two phases on Thursday morning and afternoon.

<https://www.tbsnews.net/economy/banking/banks-chief-anti-money-laundering-officers-called-bfiu-meeting-today-911986>

**Stocks:****ISLAMIBANK | Islami Bank rejects cheque seeking to withdraw BDT 5.48 Bn**

- An official of the Shariah-based bank, requesting anonymity, said their Khatunganj corporate branch in Chattogram received the cheque issued by Top Ten Trading Company.

<https://www.thedailystar.net/business/news/islami-bank-rejects-cheque-seeking-withdraw-tk-548cr-3671776>

**EXCHANGE | BSEC top executives hanging between stay and leave orders of interim govt**

- The chairman of the Bangladesh Securities and Exchange Commission (BSEC), Prof. Shibli Rubayat UI Islam and Commissioner Dr. ATM Tariquzzaman told The FE that they would do as instructed by the interim government, which is expected to be sworn in Thursday night.

<https://today.thefinancialexpress.com.bd/stock-corporate/bsec-top-executives-hanging-between-stay-and-leave-orders-of-interim-govt-1723049622>

**Stock and Commodities\***

<b>Index Name</b>	<b>Close Value</b>	<b>Value Change YTD</b>	<b>% Change YTD</b>
Crude Oil (WTI)*	USD 75.58	USD 3.93	5.48%
Crude Oil (Brent)*	USD 78.59	USD 1.55	2.01%
Gold Spot*	USD 2,386.26	USD 323.28	15.67%
DSEX	5,618.79	-627.70	-10.05%
S&P 500	5,199.50	429.67	9.01%
FTSE 100	8,166.88	433.64	5.61%
BSE SENSEX	79,468.01	7,227.75	10.01%
KSE-100	77,114.49	14,735.08	23.62%
CSEALL	11,301.30	647.14	6.07%

**Exchange Rates****1 US Dollar = 117.60 BDT****1 GBP = 149.08 BDT****1 Euro = 128.43 BDT****1 INR = 1.40 BDT**

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