

MORNING NEWS

Thursday, October 09, 2025

Good Morning

BD to get \$3.0b in SDR for job-centric development

Confirmation set to come from annual WB-IMF meet

Source: <https://tinyurl.com/yvweypkd>

Remittance inflow witnesses 14.6pc growth till Oct 7

Inflow of remittances witnessed 14.6 percent (pc) growth, reaching US\$8,278 million during the period from July 1 to October 7, 2025 which was \$7,225 million during the same period of the previous fiscal year.

Source: <https://tinyurl.com/fcry2us2>

Inflation falls sharply from 12.5pc to 8.3pc: BB Governor

Bangladesh Bank Governor Ahsan H Mansur at a high-level meeting on Wednesday informed that inflation has dropped significantly - from 12.5 percent to 8.3 percent in the recent months.

Source: <https://tinyurl.com/yc7apv6e>

World Bank maps 'trident-shaped' growth corridor in Bangladesh

Bangladesh's industrial and job growth has increasingly concentrated around Dhaka and Chattogram and, more recently, in the Rangpur city corporation area, forming a trident-shaped growth corridor, said a new World Bank (WB) study.

Source: <https://tinyurl.com/2znt7ed2>

Dhaka stocks slip for third day

The DSEX, the benchmark index of the bourse, dropped 39.14 points, or 0.72 percent, to close at 5,337.86, according to DSE data.

Source: <https://tinyurl.com/yyr3utm2>

Shariah bank merger gains momentum

According to finance ministry officials, the paid-up capital of the proposed new shariah bank has been set at Tk 35,200 crore.

Source: <https://tinyurl.com/muty3j3u>

ACC raids Jamuna Oil over 375,000 litres of missing diesel

The Anti-Corruption Commission (ACC) conducted raids at various facilities of the state-owned Jamuna Oil Company Limited in Chattogram yesterday, following reports of discrepancies involving 375,365 litres of diesel -- a loss categorised as damage to state assets.

Source: <https://tinyurl.com/3j2jks44>

BB allows exporters to use local ins for open account shipments

To this effect, the central bank issued a circular on Tuesday permitting banks to arrange payment undertakings or payment risk coverage from Bangladeshi insurers.

Source: <https://tinyurl.com/ysk7tmur>

Gold price jumps by Tk6,906 per bhoiri to record high of Tk2,09,101

In a notification issued last night (8 October), BAJUS said the new price of 22-carat gold has been fixed at Tk 2,09,101 per bhoiri, effective from today (9 October)

Source: <https://tinyurl.com/ysk7tmur>

Govt nod for 5 Islamic banks' merger today

Deposit Protection Ordinance also to be tabled for advisory council seal

Source: <https://tinyurl.com/5n9ytrpn>

Ctg port makes hefty profits yet why its tariff was hiked

Port usage charges and fees to rise 41% on average from 15 Oct

Source: <https://tinyurl.com/fcry2us2>

Saudi businesses eye food, beverage, real estate sectors for investments

Saudi Arabia's visiting business delegation has expressed strong interest in investment in Bangladesh's food, beverage and real estate sectors as the three-day Saudi Arabia-Bangladesh Business Summit 2025 ended on Wednesday, reports UNB.

Source: <https://tinyurl.com/48wwbx9r>

Tri-national JV investing \$120m to run countrywide retail outlets

A tri-national joint venture is investing US\$120 million to build and run countrywide retail outlets in Bangladesh with the local firm's two foreign partners bringing in most modern marketing know-how.

Source: <https://tinyurl.com/mrty5fzv>

Berger Paints partners with BTI

Berger Paints Bangladesh Ltd has entered into a strategic partnership with Building Technology & Ideas Ltd (BTI), one of Bangladesh's most trusted and innovative real estate developers, says a press release.

Source: <https://tinyurl.com/chje2xk>

Jet fuel price raised for October

The price of jet A-1 fuel has been increased by 3.34 per cent to US\$0.6545 per litre for international flights and by 3.33 per cent to Tk 99.29 per litre for domestic flights from the country's airports, compared to the previous month's rates.

Source: <https://tinyurl.com/chje2xk>