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Good Morning



ADB keen to support Bangladesh's capital market development

The Asian Development Bank (ADB) has expressed interest in supporting the development and expansion of Bangladesh's capital market, including efforts to strengthen institutional capacity, develop the private sector and expand public-private partnerships (PPPs).

https://www.tbsnews.net/economy/stocks/adb-keen-support-bangladeshs-capital-market-development-1604761

Islami Bank lifts DSEX amid broad market sell-off

Despite heavy broad-based selling pressure across the Dhaka bourse today (16 November), a sharp rally in Islami Bank Bangladesh alone added around 14 points to the DSEX, keeping the benchmark index afloat as trading in the lender's shares halted at the upper circuit amid a severe shortage of sellers.

https://www.tbsnews.net/economy/stocks/islami-bank-lifts-dsex-amid-broad-market-sell-1604796

Ambee Pharma's earnings decline 40% in first quarter

The company's EPS stood at Tk0.30 for July-September 2026, down from Tk0.50 in the same period of the previous fiscal year, according to its unaudited financial statements disclosed through the Dhaka Stock Exchange (DSE) today (16 November).

https://www.tbsnews.net/economy/stocks/ambee-pharmas-earnings-decline-40-first-quarter-1604766

Dividend Announcement of Intech

Intech Limited, a listed company in the capital market, has disclosed its dividend information for the financial year ended June 30, 2026. The company has decided not to pay any dividend to its shareholders for the year under review.

https://www.arthosuchak.com/archives/982471/%e0%a6%87%e0%a6%a8%e0%a6%9f%e0%a7%87%e0%a6%95%e0%a7%87%e0%a6%b0%e0%a6%b2%e0%a6%ad%e0%a7%8d%e0%a6%af%e0%a6%be%e0%a6%82%e0%a6%b6%e0%a6%b8%e0%a6%82%e0%a6%95%e0%a7%8d%e0%a6%b0%e0%a6%be%e0%a6%a8-2/

Best Holdings' profit drops 24.5%, shares jump 7.09% after dividend announcement

Best Holdings PLC, an operator of hotels and hospitality businesses, reported a 24.5% year-on-year decline in consolidated net profit to Tk24.36 crore in FY2025-26, from Tk32.28 crore a year earlier.

https://www.tbsnews.net/economy/stocks/best-holdings-profit-drops-245-shares-jump-709-after-dividend-announcement-1604751

Rising costs, inefficiencies weigh on listed state-owned firms' Q1 earnings

The majority of listed state-owned enterprises (SoEs) struggled to maintain stable financial performance in the first quarter (July–September) of FY26–27, as rising operating expenses, high financing costs and structural inefficiencies weighed on their profitability.

https://www.tbsnews.net/economy/stocks/rising-costs-inefficiencies-weigh-listed-state-owned-firms-q1-earnings-1604781

Bangladesh Bank sells $100m from reserves through auction

Bangladesh Bank sold $100 million from its foreign exchange reserves at Tk124.50 per dollar through an auction today (16 November), putting some downward pressure on the exchange rate.

https://www.tbsnews.net/economy/banking/bangladesh-bank-sells-100m-reserves-through-auction-1604666

IFC wants to lend in taka through currency swap

The International Finance Corporation (IFC) has sought permission from the Bangladesh Bank to introduce an onshore cross-currency swap mechanism to facilitate long-term loans in local currency for the country's private sector.

https://www.tbsnews.net/economy/banking/ifc-wants-lend-taka-through-currency-swap-1603821

Dhaka counts deficits with four countries, India topping list

Bangladesh loses out in trade with four of the South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation (SAARC) countries -- Afghanistan, Bhutan, India and Pakistan -- according to import- export data for the fiscal year 2024-25.

https://thefinancialexpress.com.bd/economy/dhaka-counts-deficits-with-four-countries-india-topping-list