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## Realme unveils 2 new products on the occasion of Eid

Realme conducted a survey where more than 60% of the respondents claimed that their best choice would be a smartphone with a powerful battery more than 4,000 mAh, high-resolution front and multiple back cameras, smooth user interfaces as well as unique design all within a price range of BDT 9,000 to 11,000.

### Realme C3

They claim their C3 with AI triple camera setup on the back having a 12MP main camera, 2MP portrait lens and a 2MP macro lens answers that result. It has a 5MP front camera, a 5,000mAh battery with reverse charging option and a Helio G70 processor from MediaTek with a 6.5" HD+ display. Android 10-based realme UI is paired with 3GB RAM and 32GB ROM. Available in frozen blue and blazing red colors.

### Realme band

A large 2.4cm color screen (65,000 colors) can display as much as 64 letters on one page. While tracking your everyday fitness activity and showing notification of different social apps, SMS and calls, the band also has a real-time heart rate monitor. This Band has intelligent sports tracker and supports 9 different sport modes. On top of that, it has a sleep quality monitor as well. It features IP68 rating for all weather activity. Comes with a 90mAh (BIS) battery and available in yellow, black and green.

## Huawei to develop 5G enabled automobile ecosphere

Huawei, the world's leading ICT provider, has established an alliance with 18 automakers to build a 5G-enabled automobile ecosphere to accelerate the commercial use of 5G technologies in the industry.

The first batch of 18 automakers of this alliance includes First Automobile Group, Changan Automobile, Dongfeng Motor Corporation, SAIC Motor Corporation, Guangzhou Automobile Group, BYD Auto, Great Wall Motors, Chery Holdings and JAC Motors.

"Together with the deep convergence of automotive and ICT, intelligent connected vehicle emerges as a new revolutionary development engine of human society, with its impact goes far beyond the two industries themselves," said Eric Xu, Huawei Rotating Chairman.

With advantages in transmission speed, reliability and low latency, 5G technology is considered essential for enhancing connected vehicles' self-driving and entertainment capabilities. According to GlobalData, Asia-Pacific (APAC) will be the leading region in terms of 5G technology adoption with 1.14 billion subscribers, accounting for 65% of global 5G subscriptions by 2024, which will significantly influence the segments like IoT and automobile.

In April, Huawei launched a new DC fast-charging module product "Huawei HiCharger", a solution to NEV charging infrastructures. The company is also building an open intelligent-driving platform to study app interface, car controlling systems, smart cockpits and the internet of vehicles.

## EDITOR'S NOTE

### The game is afoot

Everybody loves a good whodunit. We love the mystery and the allure. And we want to find out what really happened. Today is Sherlock Holmes Day, the famous detective who only used his brain to figure everything out. And he kept that brain warm with the famous deerstalker hat.

Er, turns out, he never wore that hat. In Arther Conan Doyle's works, Sherlock never wears it. It showed up in illustrations that accompanied short stories for Strand magazine in the late 1800s. Artist Sidney Paget drew the cap that has become as recognisable as a Nike swoosh.

This week we look at detectives, their fictional cars and their real life, seemingly sci-fi tools. And we invite you to become detective by using a local tool to sift through hoaxes and false news online.

- Ehsanur Raza Ronny, Editor

## New bikes this week



**Indian FTR 1200 S Carbon** - When you think of the motorcycle brand Indian, a lightweight flat track street bike isn't what immediately comes to mind. However, that is exactly what the FTR 1200 S Carbon is. A street-legal successor of the FTR 750 race bike, the FTR 1200 has more power, tech, and riding characteristics suitable for road use. It's 1.2-litre liquid cool V-twin outputs a respectable 134 HP and 87 lb-ft of torque at 6,000 RPM. The Carbon edition comes with all carbon body panel and an Akrapovic low mounted performance exhaust, all yours for \$18,340, assuming you don't live in a displacement limited country.



**2020 Honda Africa Twin 1100** - The beloved Honda Africa Twin got is 2020 release and it got some upgrades. For starters, it now has a bigger engine, a 1.1-litre parallel-twin outputting 100 HP and 105 lb-ft of torque at 6,250 RPM. Some previous creature comfort options now come as standards, such as Apple CarPlay and cruise control for long rides. There are also a plethora of rider aids, a six-axis IMU enabling coming ABS, wheel and rear wheel lift control, engine braking control, and many more. This adventure bike is now probably a lot smarter than many of its to-be user, which is just as well, as doing something really stupid with a \$15,794 for street cred is unhealthy. Physically and finically.

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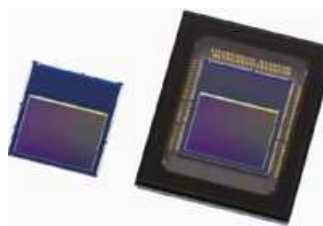
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# How FMCG industry in Bangladesh is coping with lockdown

SADMAN SAKIB PANTHO

During the lockdown, the demand for food and other necessary items has been soaring high. People have been scurrying to buy all types of finished goods that are important for their daily lives. As such, the fast-moving consumer goods (FMCG) industry is facing a challenge unlike ever before. Some of the companies have already adapted to the situation, while others are having it rough.

## The production end

All of the companies within the industry have their factories either in the outskirts of the capital or outside of it. Multinational corporations have their workers in the production end working in a rotational 3-day work cycle; half of the workers are working for 3 days straight and are afterwards replaced by the other half for 3 more days. They are ensuring that the procurement of raw materials is being done in high volumes to cope with the increased demand and to avoid extra costs. Companies like PRAN Foods and Akij Foods and Beverages (AFBL) are accommodating workers in factory premises and not allowing any outsiders.

## Supply chain, sales and distribution

Tim Mirwat Hossain from Nestle's Supply Chain function said, "Our activities have become incredibly time-bound. It is a challenge to ensure that funds are properly being transferred and received because of the tight banking hours." Every company is providing the sales representatives and distributors with PPE. The pandemic has proven to be particularly challenging for the sales representatives. Despite that, PRAN Mr. Noodles recorded their highest sales even in the last month. Md. Shamsur Arefin, Head of Sales of PRAN UHT Milk said, "We don't spend two days on taking



and delivering of orders anymore. Our sales representatives are now carrying the goods in the truck along with their Demand Signal Repository (DSR) reports while visiting the retail shops, and are distributing the necessary amount of goods as per the data suggests."

## Embracing the new normal

All of the companies have adopted virtual working procedures. Unilever was the first company to go virtual, shutting down its offices on 14th March. For the careline workers of PureIt, Unilever arranged transportation facilities. Even in this time of crisis, Unilever didn't flatten the learning curve as the company observed its Learning Week from 19th to 23rd April. All of the employees participated in

virtual learning sessions. Some companies like AFBL have reopened their commercial and financial departments in limited capacities on the 11th of May.

## Adaption and innovation

Aarong Dairy and Nestle have introduced their in-house home delivery services during the lockdown and are now taking orders online or over the phone. Although Takeout is not a part of this industry, their idea of selling ready-to-cook burger ingredients as a part of their DIY campaign puts them on the FMCG map courtesy of technicality. All of the items that the burger joint has sold this lockdown have been in frozen form. Takeout's Marketing Executive Nabila Farzin said, "Our frozen DIY products

were not only intended to reduce human interaction as much as possible but also to give our customers at home a fun task."

## Far from a bed of roses

Companies whose target group are residents in the suburban and rural areas are struggling to get their products to the markets. Rezaul Karim, DGM Finance & Accounts of AFBL, said, "A large portion of our annual sales come from during the Eid festivals. This year it won't be the same and we have had to revise our sales targets." Moreover, since some retailers cannot open their shops, a lot of the goods will expire their shelf life before they can be sold. FMCGs will have to take these back and also account for the sunk costs.



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# The coolest detectives and their car-stars

EHSANUR RAZA RONNY

Fictional detectives on TV need two things to make them pop culture icons – intelligence and a very cool ride. Here's the top 8 shows featuring cars that would have asked for as much pay as their human counterparts if they were sentient.



**1 - Magnum P.I. (1980-1988)**  
At 6'3", Tom Selleck couldn't fit into the iconic red Ferrari 308. Made sense to have a targa open for his head to poke through. 80's Hawaii, big moustache that fits Selleck like a charm, lots and lots of car chases. Has a 2018 remake with the pilot episode showing the 308 spectacularly falling off a cliff.

WTH - A detective driving a new Ferrari? How do you go undercover?



**2 - Scooby Doo Mystery Machine (awesome since 1969)**  
Four young people and a dog driving around in a bright green/blue floral printed van. They save the world one costumed monster at a time. The van never dies and in one episode it was fitted with enough gadgets to beat Knight Rider, Viper and a Star Trek Enterprise ship.

WTH – Van is a great place for, uh,

happy hour smoking. Getting the constant munchies isn't quite for kids.



**3 - Nash Bridges (1996-2001)**  
Wise cracking San Francisco cop (Don Johnson) and his partner (Cheech Marin) solve crimes. You know what else San Francisco has? Jumps. Elevated streets. And a 1971 yellow Plymouth Barracuda convertible.

Only 11 were ever made. One was likely scrapped. Originals are valued at over \$1 million but no one is selling theirs. This makes for a ridiculously good retirement investment for Nash.

WTH – A rare expensive convertible that doesn't get stolen. Just once it got graffiti on the hood.



**4 - Miami Vice (1984-1989)**  
Very cool 80's synth pop music, two super cool 80's detectives (Don Johnson and Philip Michael Thomas) pretending to be undercover drug dealers and two cool Ferraris. At least here, the Ferraris were justified. Drug lords don't roll in Crown Vics. A 1972 Ferrari Daytona Spyder 365 GTS/4 replica on a Corvette replaced with a 1986 Ferrari Testarossa after Ferrari complained. They were nice enough to loan two real Testarossas though.

WTH – Stunts were performed by a 1972 DeTomaso Pantera fitted with Ferrari body parts and a nitrous system. The 2006 movie was a bomb.



**5 - Equalizer (1985-1989)**  
I was a little kid watching this show for one single thing – a gorgeous sleek black 1984 Jaguar XJ6. A retired, tough intelligence agent (Edward Woodward) becomes a private detective who secretly helps out people in need all the while riding in style. It was gritty for the 80's with plenty of death and mayhem. Show was good enough to deserve a Denzel Washington movie remake and is coming to TV post-Covid with Queen Latifah as lead.

WTH – A detective who relies on an 80's Jag for, well, reliably getting him out of trouble every day.



**6 - Starsky and Hutch (1975-1979)**  
Two detectives with opposing personalities take on all manners of city crime in a red-and-white 1974 Ford Gran Torino termed the Red Tomato. They used about 10 cars throughout the show to show tons of jumps and chases. A Cleveland powered 250bhp

was back again in 2004 with Ben Stiller and Owen Wilson. Tons of chases and jumps.

WTH – Clues are less important than driving through strategically placed cardboard boxes.



**7 - The Rockford Files (1974-1980)**  
An ex-con becomes a private investigator (James Garner) who rarely uses a gun. A surprising show with a lot of character depth with occasional starring roles by a 1974 Pontiac Firebird Esprit. This is the show that made the reverse J-Turn get the nickname of Rockford Turn.

WTH – They ended the show.



**8 - Columbo (1971-2003, pilot aired in 1968)**  
An apparently bumbling homicide detective (Peter Falk) who looks like a homeless person goes about solving high profile murders. His famous line "Just one more thing" just before trapping the villain became a household catchphrase.

He has the most unlikely car in this round-up. His battered image was complemented by an equally beat up looking 1959 Peugeot 403 cabriolet.

WTH – Not really about chases but more about how it keeps breaking down. *We have more online*



## Rising cybercrime during pandemic: how to recognise and combat

JINAT JAHAN KHAN

During this ongoing crisis, we all are relying more than ever on our smartphones, computer systems and the internet to communicate and work. Cybercriminals are trying to take advantage of this vulnerable situation all over the world. Fake websites, scams, fraudulent phone calls and messages by digital thieves are giving people a hard time protecting important data or being safe from all kinds of cyber deceptions.

### Recognize the cybercrimes

**Phishing**  
In phishing, fake emails are created by hackers to steal your confidential information, especially your bank account details. These emails masquerading as legitimate ones claim to be from national or international authorities offering help to you and ask for personal credentials and bank details to get the process started. A fake email may appear to have come from the organization you work in or the bank where you keep your money. For example, the email can be like "Your ATM card has been disabled, and you need to confirm your card number to re-activate it." Fake emails can contain malware that may be able to hack your whole system. And the links are quite identical to the real websites' links such as the website address bbc.org instead of bbc.com clearly shows a scam.

### Telephone fraud

Telephone fraud is not a new form to deceive people. In this form of fraud, a hacker will try to leverage your trust via phone call or message to have your personal or account details. For example, we all know about "bKash theke ami Nahid bolchi" incident. Amid coronavirus outbreak, criminals pretend to be a hospital official who is with your sick relative and request for an emergency payment to start medical treatment or hackers can ask to provide bank account or bKash account details showing urgency. In this case, these criminals use their convincing power and people's emotion along with hacking. So, you need to be patient and act smart amid the pseudo urgency or panic they create.

### Bogus websites

Criminals often create bogus websites to cheat and loot people. Check the authenticity of the website paying attention to the website address bar. It is important to check domain names and watch for poor grammar and spelling. Authentic shopping websites always offer standard payment options. If a website requires an unsecured form of payment, you should stay away. Checking online reviews before purchasing anything through a website is another way to know about the site's authenticity.

### How to help protect yourself against cybercrimes

#### Don't fall for all the pop-ups

A fraudulent e-mail or message or a pop-up window containing any link can ask for your account details such as username and password. This can be a trap. The best way to save yourself from this cyber trap is to browse the website carefully before you enter any information through that link. Never download any attachment you get from an unknown source as malware can be installed as soon as you start to download it giving access to the hacker to your data.

#### Maintain the documents in two places

If you have files or spreadsheets containing sensitive and confidential information, consider keeping the encrypted files on Flash drive or DVD for safety purpose. You can also store them on an old computer or any other device that has no internet connection at all in case you don't have a DVD or Flash Drive and can't buy due to lockdown. Even if you don't have any extra device, store them with one of the free file encryption tools.

#### Strengthen home wireless network

To secure your home wireless network, always use a complicated and strongly encrypted password. A password should be a combination of letters,

numbers, and symbols that make no sense or is not related to your life. And it should be at least 8 characters. In this way, it'll be harder to track or guess your password and to hack it. Remember to change the passwords regularly and don't use one password for multiple purposes. Furthermore, it is always a great idea to use a virtual private network (VPN) whether you're in a home network or public. A VPN can encrypt all traffic excluding your devices until it arrives at its destination. If someone enters your communication line, they will get nothing but encrypted data.

#### Be aware of unauthorized calls and messages

Never share any critical information via phone calls or messages without verifying it. If the person claims to be from a company or institute, call there by finding the authorized number and recheck the update you've got from the unknown call. Don't click on the link you've got from an unknown message without verifying the source. An unknown link can lead your mobile to an installation of a malware hampering your privacy. If you doubt that you are being cheated after making a payment, stop the money transaction immediately by alerting your bank.

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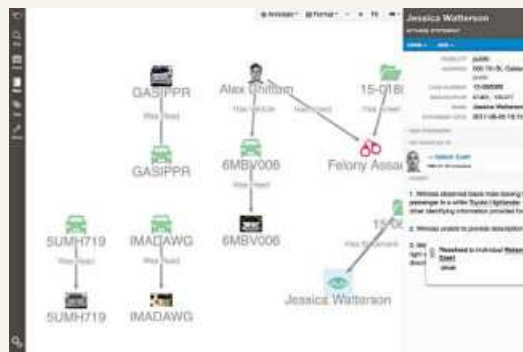
# Real-life detectives using tools from Sci-Fi

RAHBAR AL HAQ

In the olden days of Sherlock Holmes and Hercule Poirot, detectives used to solve cases using intelligence and deduction mostly. A simple diary and magnifying glass was often their main tools. Modern fictional detectives on the other hand, can't seem to get hold of enough technology. Using everything from slightly exaggerated DNA testing to ridiculous analysis software, whose zoom-in capability will make a CIA spy satellites question its existence. With that said, modern crime investigations use tech that was unimaginable for our classical, non-Cumberbatch Sherlock.

## Laser Ablation Inductively Coupled Plasma Mass Spectrometry (LA-ICP-MS)

Despite its technobabble name, the LA-ICP-MS has nothing to do with the CSI. What it is a powerful technology that enables highly sensitive elemental and isotopic analysis on solid samples. To put it into a real-life perspective, suppose investigators found a broken glass in a crime scene. Through the LA-ICP-MS, the glass can be digitally reconstructed to an atomic level. Providing critical data such as how it was broken, how much force was used, and what is missing. Moreover, forensics can use it to match even the smallest missing shard of the glass on a suspect's clothing.



## Link analysis software

A link analysis software is a data analysis method, a digital Sherlock Holmes if you will. It examines the connections or relationships between several network "nodes", each node representing people, organizations, and transactions. It then cuts through anecdotal data and false leads, presenting a much clearer picture to the investigators. Such softwares are used extensively by banks and security agencies, who use them to track illicit funds and highlight strange financial activity. Government agencies also use such systems to investigate frauds, criminal activities, and expose the terrorist network.

## Magnetic Fingerprinting and Automated Fingerprint Identification System (AFIS)

One of the harder parts of fingerprint Identification is sample collection. Not only clean prints are hard to find, collecting them without contamination is a task requiring time and skill. Thankfully, the incorporation of modern methods such as magnetic fingerprinting dust and no-touch wandling allows investigators to do the job much precisely and in a shorter period. Additionally, the automated systems used to identify the print have also bigger and better in its 25 years of service. Databases such as the US's new Homeland Advanced Recognition Technology will contain over 500 million print samples in its database and incorporate more sophisticated features such as palm print and iris scans.



## 3D scanner

Traditionally, the only way to preserve a crime scene was to hand-draw it. It was a laborious and time-consuming process, requiring dozens of photographs and drawings. Nowadays, modern 3D scanners provide a more expensive but streamlined alternative. Investigators can place the scanner in the middle of a scene and turn it on, whereupon it take 360-degree photographs of the entire room, calculating the distances from each object while doing so. The photographs can then be used to create a 3-D representation of a room in 15-30 minutes, complete with details the hand-drawn artists usually leave out to remove clutter.



## Digital Surveillance for Xbox

This might come as a surprise to many, but criminals sometimes hide their not-so-legal information on the original Xbox to keep it away from prying eyes. This is where software such as the XFT Devices are used. The XFT is something of a digital master key, allowing investigators to bypass the Xbox's security and directly access any hidden file or information. The system can also record access sessions to be used as evidence in court. So next time you hide your pirated copy of Star Wars Holiday Special, remember not to put it in an Xbox.





# How wearables are aiming to solve the COVID-19 testing crisis

OROBI BAKHTIAR

According to the WHO, symptoms of COVID-19 vary from fever through fatigue to shortness of breath. Some of the parameters of interest to medical professionals thus include changes in temperature, lung function and body fluid analysis for more specific tests. These are the measures you will find undertaken by hospitals to identify those infected with the virus. However, these variables are measured using separate, dedicated medical instruments in a hospital. Reusing them or merely getting close to infected patients pose a risk to the healthcare workers as well as other patients in the same hospital. Newer wearables are offering an all-in-one solution that even allows for remote monitoring in our own homes.

This is exactly what certain tech companies are asking and they have teamed up with researchers to investigate the possibility. More than just detecting such an infection, wearables can more effectively monitor infected patients or better, reveal previously unknown associations with COVID-19. Let's see what promise those tiny computers hold in the fight against the novel coronavirus.

## The answer lies in the heart: Fitbit

Doctors have been measuring heart rates for centuries, but wearables have changed the game when it comes to frequency and accessibility outside of the usual medical setting. Stanford Medicine researchers and

their collaborator, Fitbit, are launching a new effort that aims to detect early signs of viral infection through data from smartwatches and other wearable devices. By using wearable devices to measure things such as heart rate and skin temperature, which are known to elevate when the body is fighting off an infection, the team seeks to find a connection between these signs and the probability of COVID-19. Smartwatches and other wearables make numerous measurements per day — at least 250,000, which is what makes them such powerful monitoring devices," said Michael Snyder, PhD, professor and chair of genetics at the Stanford School of Medicine.

"When people get an infection, their resting heart rate tends to increase and their daily activities will change, as will their sleep patterns," explained epidemiologist Jennifer Radin of the Scripps Research Translational Institute. Fitbit is now collaborating with the Scripps Research Institute and Stanford Medicine to determine if this information could help provide an early indication of a viral illness like coronavirus.

## Breathe in, breathe out: Ava and Whoop

The University of Arizona conducted a study to determine the accuracy of the measurement of respiratory rates during sleep, which devices such as Ava and Whoop use to provide quality of sleep scores to its users. That study showed it to

be among the most accurate measurement tools for respiratory rate short of invasive procedures, which is what has led researchers behind this new study to hypothesize that it could be valuable as a sort of early-warning system for detecting signs of abnormal respiratory behaviour in COVID-19 patients before those symptoms are detectable by other means.

The Ava bracelet is a device worn like a watch that sends information to your smartphone app. It was designed to identify the most fertile days in a woman's menstrual cycle. The device measures skin temperature, pulse, breathing rate and blood flow and therefore might be able to detect the early signs of COVID-19, such as fever. It can also measure movement and might be able to detect a cough before a person is aware that they have started coughing more frequently. This means the Ava device could be useful in screening people who might have been exposed to coronavirus but don't have any symptoms of infection.

COVID-19 is specifically a lower-respiratory tract infection, unlike the flu or a cold, which are upper-respiratory issues. That means there is a strong correlation between rate changes due to lower-respiratory tract issues not accounted for by environmental problems and instances of COVID-19. And because the WHOOP wearable is designed to look for deviations as a sign of distress, among the other signs it monitors, it could notice

changes to respiratory rates relative to baselines before an individual becomes aware of any significant shortness of breath themselves.

## One ring to rule over COVID-19: Oura Ring

Like a lot of new and innovative wearable technologies, the Oura Ring got its start through a Kickstarter campaign in 2015. Tiny enough to slip onto a finger, the ring-shaped device by the wearable health tech company Oura Health earned appreciation for its ability to measure sleep as well as capture body measurements like heart rate, HRV, temperature and more. Dr. Mason, of Oura Health, had been using the Oura Ring in research for depression. When that study was shut down due to the coronavirus, she proposed using the ring to detect the early onset of the virus. The UCSF researchers want to use wearable data from Oura rings to help predict which health care workers are about to fall ill, so they can be isolated and cared for.

Oura has already detected at least one COVID-19 case. Finnish CEO Petri Hollmen was diagnosed with it when he got tested after waking up feeling uneasy. His Oura ring had notified him that his temperature was over 100 degrees Fahrenheit and his heart rate and breathing overnight were higher than usual.

# Debunking fake news in Bangladesh

JINAT JAHAN KHAN

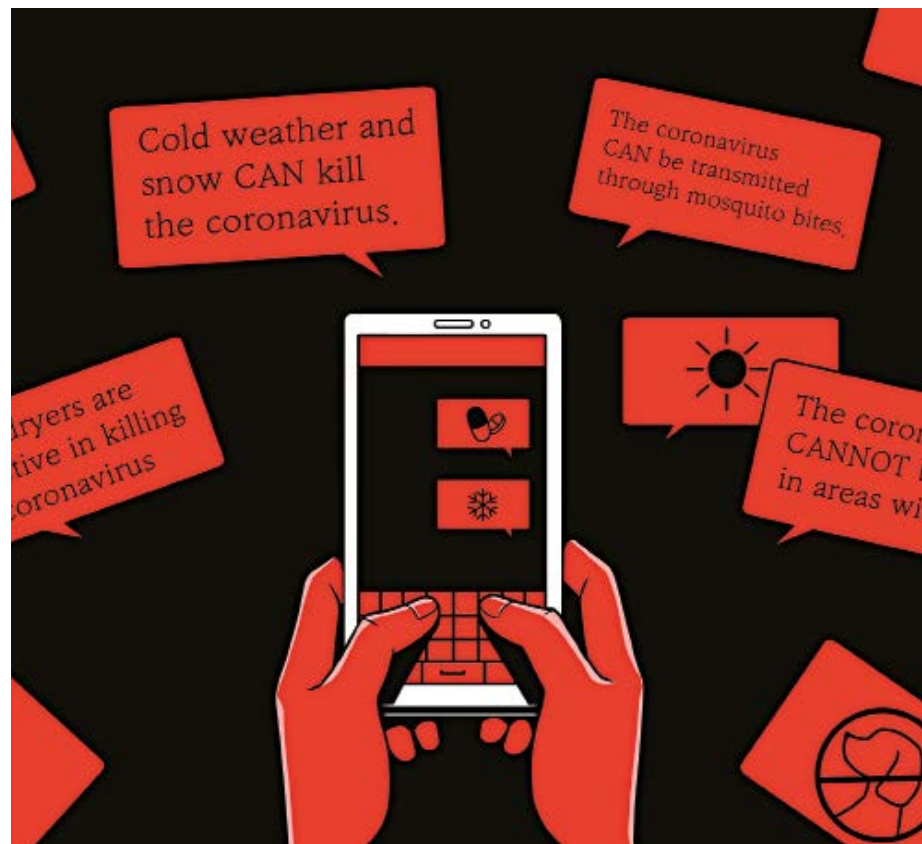
"Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, we will give out three months of Netflix Premium to help you spend time at home."

"Some country throw covid19 infected bodies into the seas. Advice to stop eating seafood."

"The world is really getting to an end. Dear God pls intercede."

Relax! These are just hoaxes. There are hundreds of fallacious news like these ones that pop up on Facebook, WhatsApp or other social media platforms all day. Identifying a fake story is never easy, especially when it is in Bengali as we don't have a powerful Bangla search engine and there are minimal Bengali contents available to confirm a claim. BD FactCheck, a nonpartisan and non-profit organization has the aim to reduce the level of deception and confusion regarding all kinds of national and international news in Bangladesh by debunking those.

The form of 'Fact Check' is routinely done by the western countries' media. However, this type of urgency is often absent in our media. In Bangladesh, BD FactCheck is trying to fill this information gap and playing a crucial role in tackling the spread of propagandas. The initiative of this fact-checking organization was taken by Zahed Arman in 2016 when he was a graduate student at Edinboro University of Pennsylvania. While doing an assignment on US fact-checking organizations in his Media Criticism course, he generated the idea to establish



a similar fact-checking organization in Bangladesh. With the help of some of his friends in Bangladesh who have 8-10 years of journalism experience, he started fact-checking in January 2017 and launched the website on 2nd April 2017 and this day was also the first

international fact-checking day declared by the International Fact-Checking Network (IFCN).

If you follow their Facebook page or website, you can see how properly they debunk a piece of news, explain their findings and add all the sources that

are relevant to prove their claim. Zahed Arman has shared some of the restrictions that his team faces during any verification of a story. According to him, as the archival system of ours is very poor, and most of the governmental documents can't be found online, it is much harder to conduct such research. Lack of sources and contents in Bengali and less powerful Bangla search engine are also hurdles for them. Developed tools like Artificial intelligence, social bots, and automation don't work in Bengali, which makes this whole fact-checking process difficult.

In these last three years, they have debunked thousands of hoaxes that promote political restlessness, religious extremism, communal hatred or other fallacies. We cannot help but appreciate their relentless efforts to unfold the false stories like "Royal Palace confirms Queen Elizabeth tests positive for coronavirus", "Vladimir Putin has dropped 800 tigers and lions all over the country to push people to stay home", "Police are beating ordinary people during the lockdown in Spain", and many more during this COVID-19 pandemic.

Anyone can request to recheck any news by messaging them on their Facebook page 'BD FactCheck' or by posting the link on their Facebook group 'BD FactCheck Community'. You can also contact them through their website and ask for a query. The diligent team is always there to help you out as much as they can.