Congress (I) to speed up reforms if returns to power

BOMBAY, May 4: Indian Finance Minister Manmohan Singh, the architect of market reforms, pledged to speed up liberalisation if the ruling Congress (I) Party returns to power in the current national polls, says AFP.

"We will expand liberalisation, involve private sector in infrastructure development, widen and deepen the tax net and cut government expenditure," Singh told a news conference here.

The former central bank chief said a new Congress government would unveil a national budget that would reform the tax structure, cut the fiscal deficit, begin insurance sector reforms and revitalise loss-making state firms.

The minister said five years of reforms had seen India make "exceptionally rapid progress with the least possible loss of output and employment."

"Other (opposition) parties have no experience of government and take contradictory stands on vital issues," he said.

Singh said there was widespread support for liberalisation, which reversed nearly four decades of quasi-socialistic policies, despite opposition claims that the country had become a hunting ground for multinationals.

"Liberalisation is only a means for India to get out of grinding poverty, hunger and provide funds for education and other social sectors," he said. "People appreciate the need for liberalisation and agree it will create jobs."

Singh slammed parties such as the main opposition Bharatiya Janata Party (Indian people's party) which oppose the entry of overseas firms in sectors like consumer goods while favouring investment in hi-tech areas.

"The issue of computer chips versus potato chips is a futile one, raised by people with no experience in government," he said.

"Those who oppose foreign consumer goods companies are enemies of Indian consumers. They want people to be content with shoddy goods as for the last 45 years and only help smugglers to thrive," he said.

Nigeria, China sign MFN status accord

LAGOS, May 4: Nigeria and China have signed an agreement according each other Most Favour Nation (MFN) trading status for five years initially, the Nigerian foreign ministry said, reports Reuter.

It said in a statement on Friday the MFN status would apply "in respect of customs duties and charges and administrative formalities for the issuance of import and export licences."

The accord was signed at the end of the Nigeria-China joint commission session held in Beijing from April 25-29, it said.

Foreign Minister Tom Ikimi led a 35-member Nigerian team that included businessmen to the session which is being hailed by the isolated African country as the start of strong economic and diplomatic ties between two major developing nations.

"The actions the leaderships of our two nations have taken to raise the level of our cooperation is something the world is now watching," Ikimi told state television on Friday night.

Nigeria's relations with its traditional trading partners in the west is strained over the execution last November of nine minority rights activists including the writer Ken Saro-Wiwa. Nigeria, Africa's most populous nation, has since being courting China, whose vote it needs at the United Nations Security Council to thwart any move to impose multilateral sanctions on it.

S Arabia, trading partners may join WTO in '97

GENEVA, May 4: Saudi Arabia and its major trading partners are hopeful it can join the World Trade Organisation (WTO) next year, the Saudi Commerce Minister said yesterday, reports Reuter.

Osamah Bin Jaafar Bin Ibrahim Faqih also said the desert kingdom was seeking membership as a developing country granting it a special transition period during which to conform to WTO rules in such areas as patent and copyright protection.

He spoke in an interview with Reuters after leading a Saudi delegation in the first round of talks on the world's largest oil exporter entering the 120-member trade watchdog.

Four of the six Gulf Cooperation Council members (Bahrain, Kuwait, Qatar and the United Arab Emirates) are already WTO members, while Oman last week formally applied for membership.

Saudi Arabia applied in July 1993 to the TWO's predecessor body, the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (GATT). But a GATT working party set up to study the request made no progress.

Asked the chances of Riyadh being admitted in 1997, Faqih told Reuters: "I hope so. I don't think it is unrealistic.

"This hope was shared by some countries, especially our major partners. We don't really anticipate major obstacles."

Faqih said: "We are one of the strong believers in free trade and open markets...our trade regime is WTO compliant and there are very little things here and there that require clarification and explanation."

John Weekes, Canada's trade ambassador who chairs the WTO working party studying the Saudi application, told Reuters: "We got the process off to a very good start, but it takes time to negotiate an accession."

"Even in the best case scenario, one couldn't envisage finishing until sometime next year," he added.

The Saudi minister, who led a delegation of 21 officials, also held bilateral talks with Geneva trade envoys with partners including the United States, European Union and Japan.

Faqih said bilateral contracts had enabled the Saudi team to assess "requirements of the next phase" and it would be preparing a memorandum on services and intellectual property.

Bilateral negotiations between Saudi Arabia and its partners will eventually establish concessions put in the schedules for goods and services as part of the accession protocol.

The next WTO session, tentatively set for November, will address service sectors in Saudi Arabia as well as its enforcement of intellectual property rights.

Kazakstan, Mobil sign accord

ALMATY, Kazakstan, May 4: Mobil Corp and Kazakstan's government signed a final agreement Friday granting the US company a 25-per cent stake in the Tengizchevroil joint venture for developing the Tengiz oil field, reports AP.

The field holds an estimated 6 billion to 9 billion barrels of oil. The sum of the new agreement was not disclosed.

Previously, the Kazak government had a 50-per cent stake in Tengizchevroil, a limited-liability partnership with the American Chevron Corp., through the state-owned Tengizmunaigaz company. The 40-year agreement was signed in 1993.

Under the new deal, Tengizmunaigaz's share will be reduced to 25 percent, and Chevron will continue to own 50 per cent.

The deal we signed today allows us to get money we were supposed to get within the next 37 years in advance," said Kazak Oil and Gas Minister Nurlan Balgimbayev, who signed the agreement with Mobil's chief executive Lucio A Noto.

"It is extremely important and profitable for Kazakstan," he said.

Kazakstan will receive 72 per cent of the profits after taxes and royalties, and the two US companies 28 per cent. Previously, Kazakstan and Chevron had agreed to keep 80 per cent and 20 per cent, respectively.

Chevron is negotiating to sell part of its share to the Russian company Lukoil, and an agreement could be concluded in a month or two, Balgimbayev said.

The minister said Mobil was given preference by the Kazak government because of its long-term commitment in the Central Asian country, and its involvement in the Caspian Pipeline Consortium for transporting Kazak oil to a Russian port on the Black Sea.

Under a separate agreement signed Friday, Mobil and Kazakstan's ministries for Oil and Gas, and for Energy and Coal, also declared they would work together on energy projects.

Japanese cos try to reduce dollar-denominated exports

TOKYO, May 4: Japan's export oriented companies are making headway in attempts to make their earnings less vulnerable to change in the dollar yen exchange rate by reducing surpluses of exports denominated in dollars, a major business daily said today, reports AFP.

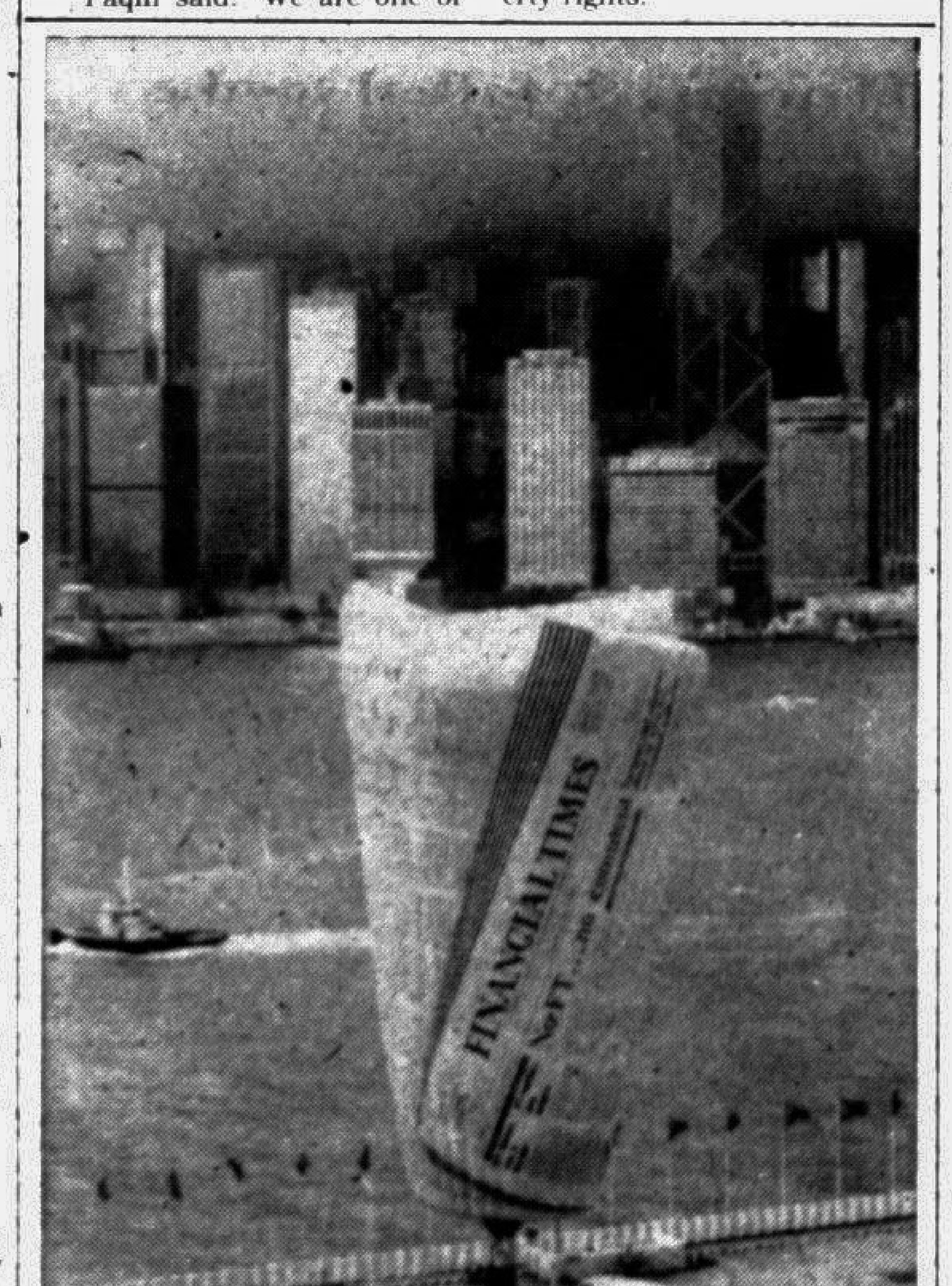
The Nihon Keizai Shimbun said Fujitsu Ltd and Sega Enterprises Ltd expected to balance the value of dollar-denominated exports and imports in the year to March 1997 by increasing overseas production and parts procurement.

Fujitsu, Japan's largest computer manufacturer, expected dollar-denominated exports to total 3.7 billion dollars in the yen matching the company's imports quoted in the US currency, the Daily said.

Fujitsu had a surplus of 1.6 billion dollars in dollar-quoted exports in fiscal 1994 and 600 million dollars in the year ended March, it said.

Sega Enterprise Ltd, Japan's largest maker of commercial-use amusement equipment, hopes to balance the value of exports and imports by boosting the offshore production ratio of its mainline Saturn video game machines abroad from 50 per cent in March to 100 per cent by March 1997, it said.

NEC Corp aims to balance dollar-denominated exports and imports possibly by fiscal 1997, which ends in March 1998. The electronics giant had a surplus of about two billion dollars in dollar-denominated exports in fiscal 1994.



The world's biggest newspaper — the 100 ft tall Financial Times Hot Air Balloon is seen in this recent photo to celebrate the paper's launch in the territory.-AFP/UNB photo

Global telecom talks extended up to '97

WASHINGTON, May 4: Multilateral talks aimed at liberalizing global trade in telecommunications services have been extended until February 15, 1997, after the United States rejected as "inadequate" the offers made by many other countries, says USIS.

"We have not yet reached a critical mass of quality offers from our trading partners, acting US Trade Representative Charlene Barshefsky told reporters in Washington only hours before the initial deadline for conclusion of the talks April 30. "Rather than accept a bad deal — or walk away from the good offers tabled by many countries — the United States won support for an extension of the telecom talks."

The stakes in this negotiation are huge — a global telecommunications market approaching 500,000 million dollars annually.

Yet the decision not to conclude a deal now won full support from key US industry leaders.

"We believe the US government has made an extraordinary effort to reach an accord to help US firms to compete globally and we think real progress has been made," said Alex Mandl, president and chief operating officer of AT&T. "Unfortunately, the offers by other countries to open their markets have been for the most part insufficient and would do little to achieve that goal."

Barshefsky said that the Clinton administration expects overseas markets to be as open to US goods, services and investment as the US market is to foreign goods and services.

However, the existing offers in the telecom negotiations, taken together, fail to cover 40 per cent of world telecom revenues and about 34 per cent of global international traffic, she said.

"We will not enter an agreement on these terms," she said.

Barshefsky said that only ten countries made offers equivalent to the US offer: Austria, Denmark, Finland, Germany, Luxembourg, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Sweden and United Kingdom.

China to retaliate if US imposes sanctions

BEIJING, May 4: Beijing warned the United States Friday that it would face retaliation if it imposed sanctions against China for copyright piracy, a spokesman for the Ministry of Foreign Trade and Economic Cooperation told the Xinhua news agency, reports Reuter.

A US decision to identify China as the worst pirate of copyrights and patents on a list of offending nations issued annually by the US trade representatives' office was "irrational," Xinhua quoted the ministry spokesman as saying. "China firmly opposes the action," the spokesman said.

"If the US goes so far as to implement its trade retaliation. China will, according to its foreign trade law, take countermeasures to safeguard its sovereignty and national esteem," he said.

US pays $100m for downing Iranian airbus in '88

TEHRAN, May 4 : The United States has paid Iran around 100 million dollars in compensation for the US navy's 1988 downing of an Iranian airliner with 290 people on board, an Iranian official said yesterday, reports AFP.

Gudarz Eftekhar Jahromi, head of the office for international legal affairs, said the United States had deposited 61.8 million dollars at a Swiss bank to go to relatives of victims and the rest in compensation for the downing of the Airbus A-300.

The official, quoted by Iran's state news agency IRNA, said 300,000 dollars had been set aside for each victim who was a "wage earner" and 150,000 dollars for each of the others.

The airliner was shot down on July 3, 1988 as it was on a flight across the Persian Gulf from the Iranian port of Bandar Abbas to Dubai in the United Arab Emirates.

The United States said the plane had been mistaken for an F-14 fighter jet, but Iran insists the attack was intentional.

Washington said in February that the two countries had been able to settle the claim after the International Court of Justice dismissed a law suit filed by Tehran.

US officials said before that only the families of the victims would be compensated and no money would go to the Iranian government.

Families of 42 non-Iranian victims have already received compensation.

Victims of Marcos abuses win $1m settlement

MANILA, May 4 : Victims of human rights abuses during the rule of Ferdinand Marcos have won a one million settlement with a former associate of the late Philippine ruler, their lawyer said on Thursday, reports Reuter.

Attorney Rod Domingo said former Philippine Ambassador Bienvenido Tantoco had deposited a cheque for one million with a US district court in Hawaii for distribution to the victims.

The deal with Tantoco was negotiated in the United States by US lawyer Robert Swift, lead counsel for the victims, Domingo said in a statement.

In 1994 the Hawaii court awarded 1.9 billion dollars in damages to 10,000 victims of Marcos-era human rights abuses, but the Marcos family appealed against the verdict.

Chittagong Stock Exchange

Index rises slightly

CHITTAGONG, May 4: Trading resumed on the Chittagong Stock Exchange today after a week-long Eid recess but transactions remained paltry with only seven out of the total 70 listed securities being active, reports UNB.

Of these, five issues gained and two others incurred loss.

A total of 1435 securities valued at Tk 316366.40 were traded.

However, the CSE All Securities Price Index rose slightly on the day to 405.70 from 402.18 of last Saturday.

Market capitalization also rose to Tk 27.92 billion from Tk 27.68.

Day's Trading performance

Company Names	Closing Rate	Previous Rate	Difference	No of Securities Traded	Value in Taka
Janata	204.38	203.00	1.38	80	16350.40
Beximco Pharma	91.98	92.39	-0.41	400	36792.00
CTG Cement	1701.00	1519.12	181.88	50	85050.00
Shine Pukur	81.64	80.50	1.14	350	28574.00
Usmania glass	740.00	732.50	7.50	5	3700.00
Apex Weaving	109.00	108.00	1.00	80	16350.40
AMCL (Pran)	300.00	345.00	-45.00	450	135000.00

CSE at a glance

All Share Price Index	405.70
Day's Change in Index	0.8752%
Total Turnover in Value in Taka	316366.40
Total Turnover in Volumes	1435
Total Capital Issued in Taka	12,237,744,190.00
Total Closing Market Capital in Taka	27,923,465,078.00
Total Number of Listed Securities	70
Total Number of Companies	63
Total Number of Mutual Funds	7
Day's Contract Numbers	18
Day's Issues Traded	7
Day's Issues Gained	5
Day's Issued Incurred Loss	2
Day's issues Unchanged	0

Exchange Rates

Janata Bank

The following are the dealing rates to public for some selected foreign currencies with Bangladesh Taka as on May 4, '96.

(Figures in Taka)

	Selling		Buying		
Name of Currency	T.T & O.D	B.C	T. T. Clean	O.D. Sight Export Bills	O.D Transfer
US Dollar	41.9120	41.9650	41.6160	41.4542	41.3416
G.B. Pound	63.3872	63.4626	62.4256	62.1676	62.0045
D.Mark	27.6179	27.6506	27.1452	27.0330	26.9621
F. Franc	8.1731	8.1828	8.0330	7.9998	7.9788
JP. Yen	0.4036	0.4041	0.3940	0.3923	0.3913
C. Dollar	30.8504	30.8870	30.3192	30.1940	30.1147
S. Franc	33.9076	33.9478	33.3172	33.1796	33.0925

Janata Bank's selling and buying rates in cash currency for public

	US DLR	G.B.P	S.Riyal	UAE DH.	Kuw Dinar
Selling	42.5000	63.3872	11.2000	11.2500	137.5000
Buying	41.8000	61.1372	10.8000	10.8500	132.5000

Shipping Intelligence

Chittagong port

Berth position and performances of Vessels as on 4.5.96

Berth No	Name of vessels	Cargo	L port call	Local agent	Date of arrival	Leaving
J/5	Banglar Urmi	Rice (P)/GI	Kara	BSC	23/4	7/5
J/7	Tivat	GI	P.Kel	ANCL	2/5	15/5
J/10	Banglar Moni	Cont	Sing	BSC	1/5	7/5
J/13	Meng Kiat	Cont	Sing	AML	2/5	7/5
CCT/1	Sylia	Cont	Sing	BDship	28/4	8/5
CCT/2	Marinne Schulte	Cont	Mong	Baridhi	27/4	5/5
CCT/3	Shenton	Cont	Sing	APL (B)	28/4	7/5
TSP	Sea World	Repair	-	Litmond	R/A	10/5
RM/4	Banglar Jyoti	Repair	-	BSC	R/A	5/5
RM/6	Sea Muse	Cement	Rizh	PSAL	21/4	10/5
DOJ	QC Pintail	Repair	Sing	QCSL	22/4	8/5
DDJ/1	Tanary Star	Idle	Para	PSAL	7/6	30/6
DDJ/2	Banglar Shurabh	Repair	-	BSC	R/A	8/5
RM/8	Banglar Kiron	Repair	-	BSC	R/A	10/5
SM/10	Tug Britoil-17	-	Chand	Karna	R/A	-
Kafco(U)	Banglar Baani	Urea	-	CTPL	R/A	7/5

Vessels due at outer anchorage:

Name of vessels	Date of arrival	L port call	Local agent	Cargo	Leading port
Continent-1	4/5	Sing	CLA	GI	-
Al Salma	4/5	Vizak	BSLL	GI	-
Sintra	8/5	Sing	PIL (B)	Cont.	Sing
Kang Son	7/5	Sing	MHSL	Cement	-
Nicholas	5/5	Yant	Jaycee	Cement	-
Consistence	4/5	Sing	RSL	Cont	Sing
Pacific Aries (Roro)7/4	4/5	Yant	JF	Vehi	-
Banglar Robi	6/5	Sing	BSC	Cont	Sing
Meng Yang	9/5	Sing	AML	Cont	Sing
Fong Shin	7/5	Sing	BDship	Cont	Sing
Kota Berjaya	5/5	Sing	PIL(B)	Cont	Sing
AL Safi	10/5	-	Raonbow	M.Seeds	-
Panaylota	6/5	-	PSAL	Cement	-
QC Teal	6/5	Sing	QCSL	Cont	Sing
Padma	7/5	Sing	RSL	Cont	Sing
Mikhail Stenko	8/5	Col	Baridhi	Cont	CBO
Ultima	9/5	MGL	Baridhi	Cont	CBO
Laconian Confidence	10/5	-	Rainbow	R.Seeds	-
Ascan Victory (Roro)21/4	10/5	-	JF	Vehicles	-
Sun Bright	16/5	-	BBA	GI	-
Eufonia (Roro/24) 01/05	20/5	-	JF	Vehicles	-
Trans Auto (Roro/24) 24/4	7/5	-	Oil	Vehicles	-

Tanker due:

Dragon Success	7/5	TSL	CPO	-
Vanino	14/5	JF	Tallow	-

Vessels at Kutubdia :

Name of Vessels	Cargo	L port call	Local agent	Date of arrival

Vessels at outer anchorage :

Ready on :

Ikan Selar	Peas/Rice		MSA	29/4
Hang Fu	C.Clink	Xing	PSAL	1/5
Fong Yun	Cont	Sing	BDship	-

Vessels not ready :

Peleas-K	Cement	Sing	PSAL	22/4
Mulpha Sibu	Cement	Sing	PSAL	25/4
Danakos	Cement	Lans	Rainbow	28/4
Chao Yang	Cement	Qing	USTC	28/4
Yue Yang	Rice (G)	Kaki	Viking	30/3
Hae Woo No 2	Cement	Lanc	SBS	1/5

Vessels awaiting instruction :

Banglar Sampad	-	-	BSC	R/A (30/4)
Tug Britoil-16	-	Kaki	Karna	2/5
Tug I. Eagle	-	Kari	Karna	R/A (2/5)

Vessels not entering :

Da Ye	Scraping		BDship	R/A (14/4)
Renessii	Scraping	Mong	H & SL	18/4
Hercules	Scraping	Mong	UMTL	29/4
Tug Nilgiri		Mong	UMTL	29/4
Amore	Scraping		Cross	R/A (23/9)

Movement of vessels for 5.5.96

Outgoing	Incoming	Shifting
CCT/2 M. Schulte	J/4 AL Salma	J/13 Meng Kiat to CCT/2
RM/4 B. Jyoti	J/3 Continent-1	
	J/9 Yue Yang	
	J/3 Kota Berjaya	

The above were the shipping position and performance of vessels of Chittagong Port as per berthing sheet of CPA supplied by **HRC Group, Dhaka.**

Dhaka Stock Prices

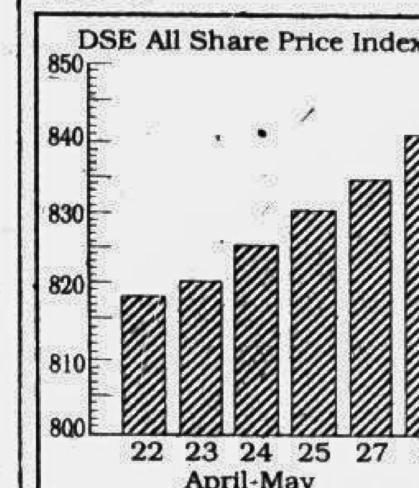
At the close of trading on May 4, 1996

Six points rise in index

Star Report

The Dhaka Stock Exchange All Share Price Index gained 6.13 points on Saturday opening after six consecutive days break.

In Index reached 841.07 from previous trading day's 834.94.



The transaction in volume declined by 60 per cent from 3.59 lakh to 1.45 lakh.

The transaction in value fell by 45 per cent to Tk 3.16 cr from Tk 5.75 cr.

The total market capital of DSE reached Tk 5710.87 cr from Tk 5667.63 cr.

The leading gainers of the day were Apex Foods and IDLC with a rise of Tk 165.00 and 88.75 per share respectively while the losers were led by Bengal Carbide and Raspit Food with a fall of Tk 19.30 and 13.00 per share respectively.

The volume leaders of the day were: Beximco Pharma (69500); Shine Pukur (7050) and BOC Bangladesh (6050).

The number of issues traded during the day totalled 84 of which 43 gained 36 incurred losses while prices of five remained exchanged.

Trading at a glance

DSE All Price Index	841.07
Market capital Tk	5710.87 cr
Transaction in volume	145155
Transaction in value Tk	3.16 cr
Total issues traded	84
Issues gained	43
Issues incurred losses	36
Issues unchanged	5

Company name	change (per share) Tk	number of shares traded
National Bank	.40 (G)	125
IDLC	88.75 (G)	340
United Leasing Co	55.78 (G)	140
2nd ICB M Fund	7.70 (L)	48
4th ICB M Fund	5.00 (L)	10
5th ICB M Fund	5.00 (G)	70
6th ICB M Fund	1.03 (G)	510
Aftab Automobiles	10.00 (L)	40
Aziz Pipes	5.20 (L)	1225
Bengal Carbide	19.30 (L)	130
Bangladesh Lamps	6.91 (L)	675
Eastern Cables	1.22 (G)	150
Karim Pipe	2.38 (L)	458
Singer Bangladesh	10.80 (G)	344
Atlas Bangladesh	3.43 (G)	550
Bangladesh Autocars	.00	25
Quasem Drycells	.19 (L)	2500
National Tubes	11.02(G)	990
B Thai Aluminium	11.58 (G)	260
Alpha Tobacco	.50 (L)	50
Amam Sea Food	57.87 (G)	54
Apex Foods	165.00 (G)	40
Bengal Food	3.00 (L)	50
B Leaf Tobacco	15.00 (G)	20
Rupon Oil	.20 (L)	200
Beximco Fisheries	1.59 (L)	280
Meghna Shrimp	1.91 (L)	460
Raspit Food	13.00 (L)	150
AMCL Pran	3.87 (L)	2472
BOC Bangladesh	2.74 (G)	6050
Shine Pukur	2.07 (G)	7050
Saleh Carpet	.00	200
Ashraf Textile	.38 (G)	3000
Beximco Knitting	1.00 (L)	200
Mita Textiles	1.00 (G)	20
B. Dyeing	.13 (L)	100
Apex Weaving	1.59 (G)	2700
Dandy Dyeing	2.00 (G)	50
Beximco Textiles	1.40 (G)	500
BD Zipper Industries	.57 (L)	350
Beximco Denims	1.34 (G)	850
Prime Textile	4.50 (G)	100
Sajib Knitwear	1.00 (L)	250
Chic Tex	.10 (G)	4000
Sreepur Textile	1.00 (L)	100
Monno Fabrics	.52 (L)	400
Beximco Pharma	3.85 (G)	69500
ACI Limited	.80 (G)	100
Reckitt and Colman	5.16 (L)	3000
Rahman Chemicals	.00	10
Wata Chemical	15.26 (G)	1740
Beximco Infusions	5.00 (L)	230
National Polymer	18.33 (G)	4080
Beximco Synthetic	6.24 (L)	60
Libra Pharma	6.76 (G)	340
Eagle Box	2.00 (G)	2200
Maq Paper	8.00 (L)	40
Apex Tannery	15.00 (G)	60
Bata Shoe	5.22 (L)	4600
GQ Ball Pen	5.00 (G)	3025
Monno Ceramic	6.14 (G)	155
Usmania Glass	4.41(L)	925
Beximco Ltd	1.70 (L)	2710
Chittagong Cement	56.50 (G)	1970
Apex Footwear	.46 (G)	120
Eastern Housing	1.11 (L)	3530
Confidence Cement	1.25 (L)	1380
Meghna Cement	.02 (L)	3500
Lexco Limited	67.08 (G)	950
BGIC	5.00 (L)	10
United Insurance	.69 (L)	200
Janata Insurance	.90 (L)	420
Phoniex Insurance	1.77 (G)	260
Central Insurance	.22 (L)	80
Karnaphuli Insurance	.00	20
Rupali Insurance	1.00 (G)	200
National Insurance	.25(G)	100
Reliance Insurance	20.00 (G)	100
Delta Insurance	3.00 (G)	250
Pragati Insurance	5.00 (L)	150
Sandhani Insurance	3.03 (G)	250
Beximco Fisheries (Deb)	15.00 (G)	60
BD. Zipper (Deb)	.00	2
Beximco Denims (Deb)	6.00 (G)	2

DSE Shares and Debentures

Company	FV/ML (Taka)	Closing Rate (Taka)
BANKS (13)		
AB Bank	100/5	145.00
Al Baraka Bank	1000/1	1180.00
City Bank	100/5	220.00
Eastern Bank	100/20	97.50
IDLC Ltd	100/20	2250.00
I.F.I.C	100/5	1644.44
Islami Bank	1000/1	4000.00
National Bank	100/5	120.40
Pubali Bank	100/5	90.00
Rupali Bank	100/10	80.00
U.C.B.L	100/5	90.00
ULC	100/20	1007.14
Uttara Bank	100/5	76.00
INVESTMENT (8)		
I.C.B	100/5	427.00
1st ICB M Fund	100/5	1951.30
2nd ICB M Fund	100/5	662.92
3rd ICB M Fund	100/5	445.00
4th ICB M Fund	100/10	630.00
5th ICB M Fund	100/10	375.00
6th ICB M Fund	100/10	236.00
7th ICB M Fund		185.81
ENGINEERING (20)		
Aftab Automobiles	100/5	210.00
Aziz Pipes	100/5	842.91
Bengal Carbide	100/5	534.92
Bangladesh Lamps	100/5	2713.44
Bengal Steel	10/50	600.00
Eastern Cables	100/5	229.33
Howlader PVC	100/10	50.00
Karim Pipe	100/5	147.62
Metalex Corp	100/5	165.00
Monno Jutex	100/5	3420.00
Monno Jute Staf	100/5	900.00
Singer Bangladesh	100/5	8558.43
Atlas Bangladesh	10/50	150.21
Bangladesh Auto	100/5	98.00
B Thai Aluminium	100/10	220.00
BD. Electricity	00.00	175.00
National Tubes	100/10	521.01
Panther Steel	10/50	8.00
Quasem Drycells	10/50	24.88
Renwick Jajneswar	100/5	72.00
FOOD & ALLIED (27)		
A B Biscuit	100/5	110.00
Alpha Tobacco	10/50	76.00
Amam Sea Food	100/5	3220.37
Apex Foods	100/5	3152.50
Aroma Tea	100/5	55.00
Bangas	100/5	310.00
B D Plantation	100/5	870.00
Bengal Food	100/5	187.00
B L T C	100/5	785.00
B T C	10/50	140.00
N T C	100/5	250.00
Dhaka Vegetables	100/5	103.00
Zeal Bangla Sugar	10/50	6.00
E L Camellia	100/5	2200.00
Froglegs Export	10/50	7.50
Gemini Sea Food	100/5	298.00
Modern Industries	100/5	121.00
Rabeya Flour	10/100	NT
Rupon Oil	10/100	5.00
Ctg. Vegetables	100/10	108.20
Hill Plantation	100/5	1260.00
B Fisheries	100/20	2795.00
Bengal Biscuits	100/20	146.00
Meghna Shrimp	100/20	102.05
Tulip Dairy	100/10	55.00
Yousuf Flour	10/50	13.00
Raspit Food		330.00
AMCL Pran		316.86
FUEL & POWER (4)		
BOC Bangladesh	10/50	191.08
Eastern Lubricant	10/50	14.00
National Oxygen	100/10	100.00
Padma Oil Co	10/50	160.00
JUTE (12)		
Ahad Jute	100/10	NT
Anowara Jute	10/50	NT
Delta Jute	10/50	8.50
Gawsia Jute	10/50	NT
Islam Jute	100/5	100.00
Jute Spinner	100/5	145.00
Mutual Jute	100/5	120.00
Northern Jute	10/50	18.00
Shamser Jute	100/5	100.00
Specialised Jute	10/50	NT
Sonali Aansh	100/5	150.00
Saleh Carpet	10/200	6.00
TEXTILE (34)		
Ashraf Textile	10/50	20.99
GMG Ind Corp	10/50	30.00
Alhaj Textile	10/50	NT
Chic Tex Ltd		9.90
Apex Spinning	100/20	205.00
Arbee Textile	100/10	112.00
B Knitting	100/20	117.00
Apex Weaving		105.62
Desh Garments	100/10	85.00
Dulamia Cotton	100/10	107.00
Dynamic Textile	100/20	66.67
Eagle Star Textile	10/50	13.30
Mita Textile	100/20	77.00
B Dyeing	120/20	170.00
Delta Millers	100/20	90.63
M Garments	—	89.56
Mithun Corpn	100/20	107.00
Modern Dyeing	100/5	48.00
Monno Fabrics		122.88
Padma Textile	100/20	325.00
Prime Textile		289.50
Quasem Silk	10/100	5.70
Quasem Textile	10/50	24.00
Rahim Textile	100/5	100.00
Saiham Textile	100/10	80.00
S T M (ORD)	100/5	100.81
Stylecraft	100/5	505.00
Swan Textile	100/5	40.00
Sreepur Textile		90.00
Tallu Spinning	100/10	126.80
Tamijuddin	100/10	199.00
Dandy Dyeing	-	70.00
Sonargaon Textiles	-	110.00
Beximco Textiles	-	105.00
PHARMACEUTICALS & CHEMICALS (23)		
A C I	10/50	115.00
Ambee Pharma	10/50	18.00
Bangla Process	100/5	90.00
BCIL	100/10	200.00
Beximco Infusion	100/00	335.00
Beximco Pharma	10/50	90.25
B Synthetic	100/20	165.00
Libra Pharma	100/20	341.76
Glaxo	10/50	120.00
Ibn Sina	100/10	125.00
Kohinoor Chemical	100/5	131.00
N Polymer	100/10	690.74
Petro Synthetic	10/50	6.00
Orion Infusion	100/200	120.00
Pharma Aids	100/5	120.00
Pharmaco	100/5	108.00
Progressive Plastic	100/5	20.00
Reckitt & Colman	10/50	194.30
Rahman Chemicals	100/10	45.00
Renata Ltd	100/5	700.00
Square Pharma	100/20	748.07
Therapeutics	100/5	90.00
Wata Chemical	100/20	405.68
PAPER & PRINTING (7)		
Eagle Box	10/5	44.00
Maq Paper	100/20	150.00
Monospool Paper	100/5	45.00
Paper Converting	100/5	105.00
Paper Processing	100/10	32.00
Padma Printers	10/50	25.00
Sonali Paper	10/50	30.50
SERVICE (3)		
Bangladesh Hotel	10/50	12.00
Bd. Service	10/50	NT
S Pukur Holdings	100/5	81.09
INSURANCE (16)		
BGIC	100/10	295.00
Central Insurance	100/20	156.00
Eastern Insurance	100/20	195.00
Eastland Insurance	100/20	175.10
Delta Life Insurance		305.00
Pragati Insurance		383.00
Green Delta	100/10	350.00
Janata Insurance	100/20	199.95
Karnaphuli Insu	100/20	141.00
Peoples Insurance	100/10	785.00
Phoniex Insurance	100/20	247.17
Rupali Insurnace	100/20	271.00
United Insurance	100/10	290.00
National Insurance	-	112.00
Federal Insurance	-	135.00
Reliance Insurance	-	390.00
Purabi Insurance	-	111.00
Sandhani Insurance	-	103.60
MISCELLANEOUS (24)		
Apex Footwear	100/20	483.17
Apex Tannery	100/5	595.00
Aramit	10/50	65.00
B Denims	-	140.00
Bata Shoe	10/100	127.03
Beximco Ltd	10/100	59.36
B.S.C.	100/5	102.00
Ctg. Cement	100/5	1782.85
Confidence Cement	100/20	328.20
Eastern Housing	100/20	107.34
G.Q. Ball Pen	10/50	202.75
High Speed	100/5	55.75
Himadri Ltd	10/100	6.00
Lexco Ltd	-	1172.11
Milon Tanneries	100/5	60.00
Monno Ceramic	100/5	710.00
Meghna Cement		274.03
New Dhaka Refac	100/20	50.00
Phoenix Leather	100/5	300.00
Savar Refractories	100/5	55.00
The Engineers	100/5	100.00
BD Zipper Indus	-	128.43
Texpick Ind	100/10	85.00
Usmania Glass	100/5	728.38
Sajib Knitwear	-	52.00
DEBENTURES (11)		
BCIL (17%)	2000/1	1292.29
Beximco (17%)	1331/1	825.00
B Infusion (17%)	1400/2	1300.00
B Pharma (17%)	570/1	305.00
B Synthetic (14%)	2500/2	2430.00
B Fisheries (14%)	3000/1	2795.00
B Knitting (14%)	3000/2	2236.76
E Housing (15%)	5000/1	4415.45
B Textiles		2330.00
B Denims (Deb)		2290.00
BD. Zipper (Deb)		2670.00

Note: FV= Face Value ML=Market Lot NT=Not Traded AL=Allot-ment Letter G=Gain L=Loss