India competes to draw big-name automakers

AFP, *Chennai*

When South Korean automaker Hyundai first drove to India in 1996, it scouted around before choosing to build its factory in a southern Indian village of rice paddies and wetlands.

Now, drawn by tax breaks and infrastructure advantages, it has returned to open a second factory on the same site and plans to double its production to 600,000 units a year.

The confidence Hyundai is displaying in the facility indicates the growing ambitions of India's state governments as they compete against each other to attract some of the world's biggest automobile makers.

The stakes are high -- the government estimates 50 billion dollars of auto industry investment will flow into India by 2016.

Most state governments, including Tamil Nadu whose capital is Chennai, are offering fiscal and tax sops to lure carmakers tempted by a market where sales are forecast to reach two million units by 2010 from 1.4 million last year.

For the states, the lure of the car sector -- which currently employs some 13 million people -- lies in its potential to boost jobs and infrastructure, said industry analyst Murad Ali Baig.

"For every job created by the automobile industry," Baig said, "there are five more created in the secondary sector.

"From tea shops and hotels to masons, and educators -- it has a multiplying effect on employment."

Hyundai's new plant, making India its biggest overseas manufacturing base, opened earlier this month in Sriperumbudur, some 50 kilometres (30 miles) from the port city of Chennai.

"We always had plans to use India as an export base," said Arvind Saxena, a senior vice president at Hyundai India. "Sriperumbudur's proximity to the sea port and the international airport were major advantages."

Saxena said they also got support in tax exemptions and land acquisition, and pointed to good infrastructure and plenty of skilled manpower at hand.

Those, coupled with a thriving spare-parts industry, are advantages which have enabled Chennai to steal a march over rival automobile hubs.

Chennai also hosts Ford, Mitsubishi, Renault-Nissan and BMW and production capacity of 1.2 million cars a year, 35 percent of India's total.

It has attracted 4.5 billion dollars of auto investment so far.

"Chennai has consolidated its position as the Detroit of South Asia," said M. Velumurugan, director of Guidance Bureau, the agency overseeing industrial investment in Tamil Nadu.

Velumurugan said the state was in talks with carmakers that could bring at least three billion dollars of investment this year, although he declined to name names.

Ford last month announced plans to invest 500 million dollars to expand in India, most of which would go to its Chennai facility, raising its financial commitment to India to more than 875 million dollars.

That too was part of a "long-term and strategic plan" for India, said John Parker, executive vice president for Ford Asia Pacific and Africa.

Chennai's location at the centre of south India, a prosperous region of 220 million people that has led India's nine percent economic growth, gives it the edge over other aspiring hubs, said auto industry official Dilip Chenoy.

China suffers first defeat at WTO

AFP, *Shanghai*

China suffered its first defeat at the World Trade Organisation after it upheld a complaint by the United States, European Union and Canada over import tariffs on car parts, sources close to the case said.

WTO judges have handed China and the plaintiffs a confidential decision condemning the Chinese import rules, diplomats said, speaking Wednesday in Geneva on condition of anonymity.

The case is the first time China has been the subject of a complaint that went all the way through to the WTO's Dispute Settlement Body since it joined the organisation in 2001.

Beijing has a minimum local content requirement of 60 percent for home produced cars and if this is exceeded, it then levies the same tariff on the vehicle as it would if it was imported completely built.

Lafarge reports 39pc profit rise

AFP, *Paris*

Demand for cement is still rising after 20 years of uninterrupted growth despite economic cycles, French building materials group Lafarge noted Thursday when reporting a 39-percent rise in net profit last year.

Net profit of 1.9 billion euros (2.77 billion dollars) exceeded expectations, and the group stood by its targets for 2010, saying that expansion through Egyptian company Orascom Cement put it in a strong position on rapidly expanding markets.

PHOTO: BANK ASIA LIMITED

Syed Anisul Huq, president and managing director of Bank Asia Limited, and Dr Taufic Ahmad Choudhury, chairman of D.Net, exchange documents after signing an MoU recently for operating 13 computer learning centres in rural areas. Erfanuddin Ahmed, deputy managing director of the bank, and Dr Ananya Raihan, executive director of D.Net, were also present.

PHOTO: NITOL INS

The annual branch conference 2008 of Nitol Insurance Company Limited was held in Dhaka recently. Abdul Matlub Ahmad, chairman of Nitol Insurance Company Limited, AKM Monirul Hoque, vice-chairman, Shamsuddin Ahmed, managing director, all branch incharges and senior officials of the company were present.

PHOTO: GREY WORLDWIDE

Deputy Managing Director of Apex Adelchi Footwear Limited Syed Gias Hossain cuts a tape to open a new branch of Gallerie Apex at Kochukhet Tamanna Complex in Dhaka recently. General Manager Abdullah Al Mosaddeque and other senior officials were present.

PHOTO: RANKS TELECOM LIMITED

Abdur Rouf Chowdhury, president and CEO of Ranks Telecom Limited, and Major (Retd) Mohammad Jahangir, managing director and CEO of National Telecom Limited, exchange documents after signing an inter-connection agreement between their companies in Dhaka yesterday. Under the deal, the subscribers of the two companies will receive their telecoms connections easily. Senior officials of both sides were present.

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Berthing position and performance of vessels as on 14/2/2008

Berth No.	Name of vessels	Cargo call	L. Port	Local agent	Date of arrival	Leaving	Import disch
J/2	Orchid Express	Vehi	Sing	Nyk	13/2	14/2	–
J/3	Pagan	Rice(P)	Yang	MTA	12/2	14/2	1673
J/4	Hoang Son	Rice(P)	Yang	Cla	7/2	16/2	1762
J/6	Kota Rukun	Cont	Sing	Pil(Bd)	9/2	14/2	–
J/7	Xin Tong Yu-108	Rice(P)	Yang	Cosco	10/2	14/2	1547
J/12	Banga Barta	Cont	Kol	Bdship	11/2	14/2	171
J/13	Banga Bonik	Idle	Col	Baridhi	28/1	14/2	–

Vessels at Kutubdia

Name of vessels	Cargo	Last port call	Local agent	Date of arrival
Outside port limit				
Rig. Deep Driller-5	–	–	IBSA	30/9
Wira Keris	–	–	IBSA	R/A (11/2)
Cs Safe	–	–	IBSA	R/A (12/2)
Banglar Jyoti	Crude Oil	–	BSC	R/A (13/2)
Vessels at outer anchorage Vessels ready				
Cape Bonavista	Cont	P. Kel	Bdship	13/2
Unity	Cont	Col	Seacon	13/2
Al Deerah	HSD/Jet A-1	Kuwa	MSTPL	12/2
Kota Cahaya	Cont	Sing	Pil(Bd)	14/2
Asrar-a-Mostafa	Rice(P)	Yang	Cla	14/2
Vessels not ready				
Banga Borti	Cont	Col	Baridhi	12/2
Alam Comel	CDSO	Darv	MTCL	13/2
Weida-8	Clay	Hong	Cosco	13/2
Vessels awaiting employment/instruction				
Crown-1	–	Ind	Brothers	3/1
Borak	–	–	FSA	R/A(16/12)
Pacific Novator	–	–	Rsship	R/A(29/1)
Vessels not entering				
Protect	C. Clink	Hoping	ANCL	6/2
Sea Beauty-1	C. Clink	Kohsi	Uniglobal	7/2
Theodor	G. Slag	Sing	Saraf	6/2

The above are the shipping position and performance of vessels at Chittagong Port as per berthing sheet of CPA supplied by HRC Family, Dhaka.

CURRENCY

Following is Thursday's (Feb 14, 2008) forex trading statement by **Standard Chartered Bank**

Major currency exchange rates

	BC Sell	TT Buy
US dollar	69.00	68.00
Euro	101.93	97.57
Pound	136.79	131.80
Australian dollar	63.67	60.01
Japanese yen	0.65	0.62
Swiss franc	63.47	59.87
Swedish kroner	11.48	10.14
Canadian dollar	70.62	67.41
Hong Kong dollar	8.87	8.70
Singapore dollar	49.83	47.77
UAE dirham	18.94	18.37
Saudi riyal	18.54	17.99
Danish kroner	14.18	13.15
Kuwaiti dinar	248.78	245.86

Exchange rate of some currencies

	Per USD	BDT per Currency
Indian rupee	39.59	1.74
Pak rupee	63.00	1.10
Lankan rupee	107.85	0.64
Thai baht	32.85	2.10
Malaysian ringgit	3.24	21.31

USD forward rate against BDT

	Buy	Sell
1 M	68.22	69.23
2 M	68.48	69.56
3 M	68.76	69.91
6 M	69.61	71.01

STOCK

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Company	FV/ML (Tk/No.)	DSE Price Closing	DSE Price Chg.(%)	DSE Price Pre.Day	DSE Turnover Share	CSE Price Closing	CSE Price Chg.(%)	CSE Price Pre.Day	CSE Turnover Share	Other Info Last AGM	Other Info EPS (Tk.)	Other Info CDPS (%)
BANK												
AB Bank* - A	100/5	2879.75	-1.18	2914.00	51985	2860.50	-1.26	2897.00	15915	06/09/07	71.6	----
City Bank* - A	100/5	1748.00	-0.87	1763.50	7495	1727.75	-0.99	1744.00	870	04/06/07	20.2	----
IFIC Bank* - A	100/5	2776.50	-1.24	2811.25	20843	2784.25	-0.60	2801.00	1815	25/10/07	37.8	----
Islami Bank BD* - A	1000/1	5708.00	-0.67	5746.25	2402	5710.50	-0.20	5722.00	300	31/08/07	347.	15.0
National Bank* - A	100/20	1607.75	-0.43	1614.75	13288	1603.75	-0.39	1610.00	4280	10/04/07	42.0	----
Pubali Bank* - A	100/5	974.50	-0.74	981.75	13225	971.25	-0.69	978.00	2960	31/03/07	40.2	----
UCBL* - Z	100/5	4065.75	10.00	3696.25	13295	4031.00	9.99	3664.75	3550		252.	----
Uttara Bank* - A	100/5	4382.00	1.53	4808.25	11758	4839.50	0.98	4792.50	1845	30/04/07	62.2	20.0
IDLC Finance* - A	100/20	1344.50	1.35	1721.50	10500	1753.00	2.04	1718.00	265	16/04/07	77.5	5.00
Eastern Bank* - A	100/20	1030.50	-0.12	1031.75	5355	1031.50	-0.15	1033.00	160	12/06/07	49.5	20.0
United Leasing* - A	100/20	653.25	-0.46	656.25	11081	----	Not	Listed	----	07/05/07	58.6	20.0
Uttara Finance* - A	100/50	705.25	-1.98	719.50	24470	719.50	-1.44	730.00	750	25/04/07	70.3	10.0
Al Arafa Islami Bank*-A	100/50	405.75	1.88	398.25	19060	402.75	1.38	397.25	2220	13/05/07	40.7	----
Prime Bank Ltd.*-A	100/50	875.75	0.00	875.75	38170	869.75	0.20	868.00	1360	29/03/07	46.2	----
Southeast Bank*-A	100/50	549.50	-1.35	557.00	12890	551.50	-2.30	564.50	806	22/04/07	39.8	20.0
Dhaka Bank * -A	100/50	647.00	-0.12	647.75	3807	649.25	-0.12	650.00	1251	28/03/07	37.5	10.0
N C C Bank * -A	100/50	451.25	-0.06	451.50	13408	450.00	-0.66	453.00	3140	29/04/07	35.4	10.0
Social Invest. Bank*-Z	100/50	431.50	-1.54	438.25	33770	435.00	-0.68	438.00	5300	10/09/07	5.15	----
Dutch Bangla Bank*- A	100/50	9140.75	0.61	9085.75	1454	8389.00	Not	Traded	----	30/04/07	179.	25.0
Midas Financing*-A	100/50	347.00	-2.32	355.25	3535	370.00	1.65	364.00	28	13/12/07	17.6	5.00
Mutual Trust Bank*-A	100/50	555.50	-0.22	556.75	9268	555.00	0.00	555.00	550	17/05/07	47.9	20.0
First Lease - A	100/50	376.75	-1.89	384.00	6672	371.25	-2.30	380.00	450	22/06/07	45.8	----
Standard Bank *-A	100/50	320.75	0.39	319.50	24633	322.00	0.00	322.00	7371	29/04/07	17.8	----
One Bank *-A	100/50	525.75	-0.10	526.25	24419	523.25	-0.14	524.00	3867	29/04/07	33.3	10.0
Bank Asia *-A	100/50	538.75	-2.00	549.75	18411	524.50	-1.04	530.00	6600	30/04/07	34.1	----
Mercantile Bank *-A	100/50	413.75	0.61	411.25	3515	410.25	1.74	403.25	500	31/05/07	32.9	----
Export Import Bank*-A	100/50	389.75	0.65	387.25	13829	387.25	1.91	380.00	1855	03/06/07	36.1	20.0
People's Leasing*-A	100/50	309.25	0.49	307.75	14800	323.00	Not	Traded	----	23/05/07	43.2	----
Prime Finance*-A	100/50	714.00	0.49	710.50	23624	721.00	2.30	685.00	500	29/04/07	30.9	20.0
Premier Leasing*	100/50	208.00	-0.12	208.25	11470	207.25	0.12	207.00	1750	28/05/07	19.8	15.0
Islamic Finance*-A	100/50	212.25	-1.51	215.50	8400	211.00	0.00	211.00	850	07/06/07	18.1	12.5
Jamuna Bank *-A	100/50	370.25	-0.34	371.50	10682	371.25	-1.00	375.00	840	09/09/07	20.6	----
LankaBangla Finance* -A	10/500	101.60	0.79	100.80	143000	101.70	0.39	101.30	17000	28/05/07	1.91	10.0
B I F C* -A	100/50	222.25	-3.16	229.50	9650	228.75	Not	Traded	----	21/05/07	20.6	10.0
I P D C* -A	100/50	1.85	Not	Traded	----	1.50	0.00	1.50	6500	22/05/07	0.12	3.00
Brac Bank* -A	100/50	1339.50	-0.17	1341.75	70256	1332.50	-0.95	1320.00	3460	18/06/07	27.8	----
Shahjalal Islami Bank* -Z	100/50	356.00	-0.35	357.25	30400	354.50	-0.84	357.50	8600		24.7	----
Premier Bank* -N	100/50	289.50	0.09	289.25	24900	287.25	0.00	287.25	6000		20.7	----
Union Capital Ltd* -N	10/500	62.90	-1.10	63.60	84000	63.20	-0.32	63.40	22000		1.38	----
BD Finance*-N	100/50	311.00	-1.11	314.50	9800	308.75	-0.40	310.00	950		14.8	----
Intl. Leasing*-N	100/50	733.00	-2.40	751.00	2350	731.50	-1.15	740.00	150		44.2	----
Phoenix Finance*-N	100/50	405.50	-1.58	412.00	9050	401.75	-0.80	405.00	250		14.8	----
Trust Bank*-N	100/50	717.00	1.16	708.75	31750	717.75	-0.03	718.00	20400		22.5	----
Fidelity Assets*-N	100/50	265.75	0.09	265.50	12550	267.75	-0.28	268.50	2950		3.77	----
INVESTMENT												
ICB -A	100/50	947.00	0.80	939.50	605	352.00	Not	Traded	----	30/10/07	60.4	14.0
1st ICB M F *-A	100/5	5247.50	-0.05	5250.00	85	4020.00	Not	Traded	----	15/08/07	240.	190
2nd ICB M F *-A	100/5	2216.75	7.15	2068.75	55	1030.00	Not	Traded	----	15/08/07	76.1	62.0
3rd ICB M F *-A	100/5	2116.75	9.02	1077.75	225	1136.25	Not	Traded	----	15/08/07	69.1	56.0
4th ICB M F *-A	100/10	1087.25	3.42	1051.25	170	800.00	Not	Traded	----	15/08/07	63.1	52.0
5th ICB M F *-A	100/10	973.00	2.42	950.00	310	1083.25	Not	Traded	----	15/08/07	41.0	33.0
6th ICB M F *-A	100/10	467.25	3.78	450.25	350	441.00	Not	Traded	----	15/08/07	26.0	23.0
7th ICB M F *-A	100/50	561.25	-0.40	563.50	355	500.00	Not	Traded	----	15/08/07	27.5	23.0
8th ICB M F *-A	100/50	411.00	2.24	401.50	3025	423.75	Not	Traded	----	15/08/07	22.1	18.0
1st BSRS M F -A	100/50	583.50	-2.99	601.50	5650	590.00	-0.67	594.00	100	----	13.1	10.5
AIMS First * -A	1/250	9.48	-0.42	9.52	4188500	9.53	-0.94	9.62	573000	09/10/07	0.36	10.0
ICB AMCL 1st M F *-A	100/50	444.00	1.02	439.50	3000	479.00	Not	Traded	----	15/08/07	24.9	20.0
ICB AMCL Islamic M F*-A	100/5	0378.50	-1.50	384.25	6000	375.50	-1.70	382.00	1750	15/08/07	14.9	12.0
Grameen M F One*-A	10/500	115.90	-0.86	116.90	859500	116.10	-0.77	117.00	54000	04/10/07	3.52	29.0
ICB AMCL 1st NRB* -A	100/50	390.25	-0.45	392.00	10650	387.50	-0.39	389.00	450	----	5.02	----
ENGINEERING												
Aftab Automobiles*-A	100/5	278.00	0.09	277.75	3759	278.50	3.15	270.00	480	17/12/07	16.4	6.00
Aziz Pipes -Z	100/5	197.00	-1.25	199.50	500	196.00	Not	Traded	----	27/06/07	-6.6	----
Olympic Industries *-A	100/50	244.00	-3.08	251.75	4350	251.00	Not	Traded	----	27/12/07	18.8	11.0
Bangladesh Lamps *-A	100/5	744.00	-0.23	745.75	1230	750.00	Not	Traded	----	20/05/07	47.0	30.0
Eastern Cables -A	100/10	534.00	-0.88	538.75	6361	531.75	-0.61	535.00	2460	24/06/07	10.2	10.0
Singer Bangladesh *-A	100/5	1780.50	-0.78	1793.75	1715	1760.00	-0.54	1770.00	50	14/05/07	70.1	35.0
Atlas Bangladesh*-A	10/50	328.00	-1.12	331.70	17338	----	Not	Listed	----	13/12/07	12.6	12.5
BD. Autocars -B	100/5	110.50	-1.34	112.00	715	21.00	Not	Traded	----	30/12/07	5.71	3.00
Quasem Drycells *-Z	10/500	27.90	2.57	27.20	287800	28.00	2.94	27.20	66500	30/12/07	0.15	10.0
Renwick Jajneswar*-Z	100/5	232.00	-1.28	235.00	190	----	Not	Listed	----	14/12/07	12.8	6.00
National Tubes* -A	100/10	1936.00	-2.04	1976.25	1776	----	Not	Listed	----	06/11/07	36.3	10.0
BD. Thai Alum. -Z	100/10	95.00	-2.56	97.50	98	98.00	Not	Traded	----	25/10/07	-62.	----
Anwar Galvanizing -B	10/500	108.00	-8.23	115.50	1100	105.00	Not	Traded	----	28/03/07	1.70	2.00
Wonder Land Toys -Z	100/50	44.25	-2.21	45.25	2877	43.25	Not	Traded	----	26/12/07	-15.	----
Rangpur Foundry* -A	10/500	30.50	0.00	30.50	41500	30.40	-6.75	32.60	500	20/06/07	1.99	16.0
S. Alam C.R. Steels* -A	100/50	183.00	1.24	180.75	45650	182.25	1.82	179.00	5200	17/03/07	10.8	15.0
Golden Son* -N	10/500	20.30	0.00	20.30	142500	20.60	0.49	20.50	26000	----	----	----
FOOD & ALLIED												
Aman Sea Food -Z	100/5	140.25	-6.50	150.00	40	----	Not	Listed	----	31/12/06	-10.	----
Agesh -A	100/5	663.50	-0.67	668.00	280	655.00	-2.24	670.00	75	27/09/07	37.6	18.0
Tripti Industries -Z	100/50	43.25	0.58	43.00	1217	47.00	Not	Traded	----	27/12/07	-11.	----
Bangas* -A	100/5	305.75	-0.81	308.25	40	290.00	Not	Traded	----	27/12/07	21.7	15.0
BLTC -Z	100/5	102.00	-1.92	104.00	50	----	Not	Listed	----	20/06/06	-168.	----
BATBCL* -A	10/50	128.80	-0.08	128.90	18204	128.20	-0.31	128.60	6250	06/06/07	6.03	30.0
National Tea Co. -A	100/50	1121.75	6.45	1053.50	3775	870.00	Not	Traded	----	10/06/07	42.6	20.0
Zeal Bangla Sugar -Z	10/100	13.40	0.00	13.40	100	----	Not	Traded	----	29/12/07	-8.7	----
Chittagong Vegetable -Z	100/10	31.25	4.17	30.00	200	33.50	Not	Traded	----	29/12/05	-4.0	6.00
Beximco Fisheries*-Z	100/20	24.75	0.00	24.75	6200	24.25	Not	Traded	----	06/09/07	-1.3	----
Bengal Biscuits -Z	100/20	66.75	-2.91	68.75	400	67.00	Not	Traded	----	28/06/07	-17.	----
Meghna Sugarup -Z	100/20	28.75	-1.71	29.25	5500	30.75	Not	Traded	----	22/08/07	-12.	----
Raspit Food -Z	10/500	1.90	Not	Traded	----	1.50	0.00	1.50	6500	24/12/02	0.12	3.00
AMCL (Pran)* -A	100/10	564.50	-0.70	568.50	1300	580.00	1.75	570.00	10	27/12/07	36.6	26.0
Shampur Sugar Mills -Z	10/100	9.50	-1.04	9.60	3700	----	Not	Listed	----	15/12/07	-19.	----
Rahima Food Corp. -Z	100/50	44.00	3.53	42.50	2500	47.00	Not	Traded	----	27/12/07	0.94	----
Gulf Foods -Z	100/50	43.25	0.58	43.00	1600	37.00	Not	Traded	----	30/12/07	2.46	----
Mona Food Ind. -Z	100/50	19.50	2.63	19.00	700	18.50	-7.50	20.00	1000	28/06/07	-12.	----
Gazihihata Aqua. -Z	100/50	22.00	0.00	22.00	5050	23.00	Not	Traded	----	26/12/07	-19.	----
Bionic Seafood -Z	100/50	3.50	Not	Traded	26500	----	Not	Listed	----	29/09/05	-0.40	10.0
Fu-Wang Food -B	10/500	13.60	-0.73	13.70	39500	13.70	0.00	13.70	14000	27/12/07	0.70	5.00
Meghmi Pet Ind. -Z	10/500	3.70	0.00	3.70	5000	----	Not	Listed	----	23/06/05	-1.9	----
Rangamati Food -Z	10/500	2.50	0.00	2.50	2.50	Not	Traded	----	27/12/06	-0.7	----	
German Bangla Food -Z	10/500	2.10	0.00	2.10	9500	2.10	Not	Traded	----	29/06/06	-0.9	----
Meghna Condensed Milk -Z	10/500	7.00	0.00	7.00	17000	----	Not	Listed	----	23/06/05	-5.5	----
Beach Hatchery -Z	10/500	4.20	0.00	4.20	24000	4.30	0.00	4.30	10000	25/06/07	-0.9	----
Fu-Wang Ceramic -Z	10/500	4.80	-4.00	5.00	66000	5.20	Not	Traded	----	17/12/07	-0.1	----
FUEL & POWER												
BOC (BD) Ltd.* -A	10/50	261.70	-0.80	263.80	25660	261.60	-1.65	266.00	4950	10/05/07	16.1	70.0
Padma Oil Co.* -A	10/50	1044.50	2.61	1017.90	3700	1049.90	3.03	1019.00	1000	03/03/07	29.3	60.0
Eastern Lubricants -A	10/50	508.10	-0.65	511.40	250	----	Not	Listed	----	10/03/07	1.50	15.0
Bangladesh Welding -Z	10/500	17.80	-1.11	18.00	52500	18.00	-1.10	18.20	19000	23/09/07	0.23	----
Summit Power Ltd* -A	100/50	1600.00	-1.66	1627.75	37109	1575.50	12.54	1400.00	950	31/05/07	20.4	----
DESCO Ltd* -A	100/50	996.50	0.08	995.75	22700	996.50	0.15	995.00	500	12/02/07	45.5	20.0
Power Grid Co. * -A	100/50	639.75	-0.58	643.50	78600	635.75	-1.43	645.00	3200	03/03/07	17.0	10.0
Jamuna Oil* -N	10/100	329.80	-0.96	333.00	205500	330.90	-0.78	333.50	72000	----	2.86	----
Meghna Petroleum* -N	10/100	327.50	-1.44	332.30	144300	328.80	-0.75	331.30	65000	----	3.43	----
JUTE												
Sonali Jute* -Z	10/200	2.20	0.00	2.20	5000	----	Not	Listed	----	28/09/02	-2.1	----
TEXTILE												
Ashraf Textile -Z	10/100	9.70	0.00	9.70	9700	9.70	-2.02	9.90	1600	29/12/07	-27.	----
Quasem Textile -Z	10/500	3.30	0.00	3.30	1000	----	Not	Listed	----	26/05/05	-1.2	----
Quasem Silk Mills -Z	10/100	3.00	-6.25	3.20	2500	----	Not	Listed	----	26/05/05	-3.1	----
Saiham Textile -B	100/10	102.50	0.24	102.25	30	109.50	Not	Traded	----	26/12/07	11.2	10.0
Eagle Star Textile -Z	10/50	10.00	Not	Traded	----	10.50	1.94	10.30	350	10/12/07	6.67	----

Company	FV/ML (Tk/No.)	DSE Price Closing	DSE Price Chg.(%)	DSE Price Pre.Day	DSE Turnover Share	CSE Price Closing	CSE Price Chg.(%)	CSE Price Pre.Day	CSE Turnover Share	Other Info Last AGM	Other Info EPS (Tk.)	Other Info CDPS (%
Dulamia Cotton Mills -B	100/10	43.75	0.00	43.75	300	53.25	Not	Traded	----	15/12/07	6.02	5.00
Tallu Spinning* -Z	100/10	63.00	2.86	61.25	10	65.00	Not	Traded	----	27/12/07	-13.	----
BEXTEX Ltd* -A	10/200	18.90	3.28	18.30	1015525	18.80	2.17	18.40	519380	08/09/07	-1.1	----
Apex Spinning - A	100/20	308.00	1.15	304.50	240	300.00	Not	Traded	----	27/09/07	58.2	20.0
Dynamic Textile -Z	100/20	21.75	-1.14	22.00	1680	22.50	Not	Traded	----	16/05/04	-13.	----
Mithun Knitting* -B	100/20	106.50	0.47	106.00	260	150.00	Not	Traded	----	27/12/07	14.8	10.0
Mita Textiles -Z	100/20	42.25	2.42	41.25	500	45.50	Not	Traded	----	28/12/06	0.69	----
Delta Spinners -A	100/20	94.25	-0.26	94.50	7440	107.00	Not	Traded	----	27/12/07	15.8	10.0
Apex Weaving -A	100/50	120.25	-1.03	121.50	850	110.00	Not	Traded	----	11/12/07	11.5	10.0
Prime Textile -B	100/50	95.50	-1.80	97.25	2050	82.00	Not	Traded	----	29/12/07	13.9	10.0
Sajib Knitwear -Z	100/50	27.25	-2.68	28.00	300	32.25	Not	Traded	----	24/12/07	-47.	----
Sreepur Textile -Z	100/50	16.25	-1.52	16.50	200	21.75	Not	Traded	----	31/12/07	-25.	----
Monno Fabrics -B	100/50	64.00	-0.76	66.00	2400	64.00	Not	Traded	----	20/06/07	6.09	6.00
Alltex Industries -Z	100/50	63.50	0.00	63.50	3150	62.50	0.00	62.50	100	18/12/07	2.24	----
Anlima Yarn -Z	100/50	43.50	0.00	43.50	50	30.50	Not	Traded	----	29/12/07	-4.3	----
H.R. Textile -B	100/50	78.25	-0.95	79.00	1437	81.50	Not	Traded	----	24/03/07	8.15	7.50
Square Textile* -A	10/50	121.10	1.00	119.90	108601	121.10	1.34	119.50	6600	07/06/07	8.85	30.0
Metro Spinning -A	10/500	19.50	-0.51	19.60	11000	21.00	Not	Traded	----	29/12/07	1.16	12.0
Beximco Synthetics*-A	100/20	101.25	7.43	94.25	37734	99.50	5.85	94.00	6300	08/09/07	16.6	----
PHARMA & CHEM.												
Ambee Pharma*