

## Asian stocks mixed

AFP, Hong Kong

Asian stock markets were mixed on Monday after a US jobs report gave a muddy picture of the state of the world's biggest economy, while concerns over Egypt pushed oil back above \$100.

Tokyo ended 0.46 percent, or 48.52 points, higher at 10,592.04 and Seoul added 0.47 percent, or 9.71 points, to 2,081.74.

Sydney closed 0.12 percent, or 5.8 points, up at 4,868.5 but Hong Kong finished 1.49 percent, or 355.37 points, lower at 23,553.59.

Trade was quiet across the region as dealers in many markets returned to work after the Lunar New Year holiday, although Shanghai and Taipei remained closed.

The United States released data Friday showing just 36,000 non-farm jobs were created in January.

However, it also said the unemployment rate fell to 9.0 percent of the workforce from 9.4 percent.

Normally such a big decline in the jobless rate would boost optimism over the country's recovery - the rate has been above nine percent for 22 months.

But the government said the fall came after recalculations on population. At the same time it said the low job creation number was because of the apparent impact of huge snowstorms in January, which skewed data collection.

Tokyo's Nikkei was lifted by exporters on the back of a weakening yen as well as merger activity -- stoked by reports last week of tie-up talks between Nippon Steel and Sumitomo Metal Industries.

On the currency markets the dollar fetched 82.37 yen in the afternoon in Tokyo, compared with

82.19 in New York late Friday. The euro gained to \$1.3608 dollars from \$1.3583, and rose to 112.14 yen from 111.62 yen.

Brent North Sea crude for March advanced 42 cents to \$100.25 a barrel in the afternoon while New York's main future contract, light sweet crude for March, was up 24 cents at \$89.27.

Crude traders have been edgy since the uprising in Egypt began nearly two weeks ago with demands for President Hosni Mubarak to step down.

Gold closed at \$1,347.50-\$1,348.50 an ounce in Hong Kong, up from Wednesday's close of \$1,340.70-\$1,341.70.

The market was closed on Thursday and Friday for the Lunar New Year holiday.

### In other markets:

Singapore closed down 0.59 percent, or 18.94 points, at 3,192.18.

Kuala Lumpur gained 0.25 percent, or 3.78 points, to 1,535.60. Bangkok edged up 0.09 percent or 0.85 points to 985.63.

Indian stocks rose 0.16 percent. The benchmark 30-share Sensex index was up 29.04 points to 18,037.19, but concerns of rising fuel and food prices weighed on the markets.

India's central bank has already hiked interest rates seven times in less than a year, in an effort to tame inflation. Indian shares have fallen near 13 percent this year on overseas funds outflows in excess of \$1.2 billion.

India's top property firm DLF rose 2.32 percent or 5.5 rupees to 242.7 while the largest private firm Reliance Industries rose 1.07 percent or 9.8 rupees to 929.3.



**Hafiz Ahmed Mazumder, Pubali Bank chairman, and Habibur Rahman, vice chairman, attend the bank's annual managers' conference at Rose View Hotel in Sylhet recently. Hehal Ahmed Chowdhury, managing director, was also present.**



**Mohammed Abdullah Mamun, chief executive officer of Chittagong Stock Exchange (CSE), and Tareq Kamal, vice president, attend the inauguration ceremony of the month-long comprehensive training course on stockmarket at the CSE conference hall in Chittagong recently.**

## Shipping

### Chittagong Port

Berthing position and performance of vessels as on 07/02/2011

Berth No.	Name of vessels	Cargo call	L. Port	Local agent	Date of arrival	Leaving	Import disch.
J/2	Trader	Rice(bag)	Yang	Sultan	28/1	7/2	750
J/3	Coral	Rice(bag)	Sing	Unship	2/2	13/2	--
J/4	New Baroness	C. peas	Sing	Mutual	25/1	7/2	544
J/5	Xpress Dhaulagiri	Cont	Col	Nwsl	4/2	8/2	327
J/6	Hua Tai	C. Clink	Quang	Nwsl	1/2	8/2	3432
J/7	Asrar-a-mostafa	Rice(bag)	Yang	Clia	24/1	7/2	669
J/9	Nemtas-2	Wheat	Sevas	Rnship	26/1	7/2	443
J/10	Banga Bodor	Cont	P.kel	Baridhi	4/2	8/2	195
J/11	Montana	Cont	Ptp	Mbdl	4/1	9/2	223
J/12	Vinalines Diamand	Cont	Col	Apl	4/2	8/2	2
J/13	Hanjin Semarang	Cont	P. Kel	Rsl	4/2	7/2	--
Cct/1	Kuo Lung	Cont	P. Kel	Trident	5/2	8/2	448
Cct/3	Sinar Bitung	Cont	Sing	Ipl	6/2	9/2	200
Nct/1	Hansa Commodore	Cont	P. Kel	Seacon	4/2	7/2	--
Nct/2	Convent	Cont	Ptp	Mbdl	5/2	9/2	--
Nct/3	Win Moony	Urea(bag)	Sing	Lilmond	16/1	10/2	--

### Outside port limit

Tridonawati	Crude Oil	R.tanu	Potl	
Banglar Shourabh	W/d C. coil	--	Bsc	R/a (6/2)
Express-29	Surv Vsl	Bata	lbsa	R/a (6/2)

### Vessels not ready

Bk Ace	Wheat(g)	Bulg	Seacom	9/10
Diana C	Urea(bag)	Mesai	Hsl	25/1
Golden Falcon	Rice(bag)	Kohsi	Psl	31/1
Imbak	Cpo	Bela	Pol	2/2
Bunga Delima	W/d Cont	Col	Pssl	R/a (6/2)
Ks Frontier	C. Clink	Kohsi	Asll	6/2

### Vessels awaiting employment / instruction

Banga Lanka	Cement(bag)	--	Baridhi	R/a (4/4)
Banga Borak	--	--	Baridhi	R/a (24/11)
Banga Barta	--	Ctg	Bdship	9/11
Banga Bjoy	--	Sing	Baridhi	R/a (22/2)
Banga Bort	--	P.kel	Bdship	R/a (1/5)
Phuc Hai Star	--	Honga	Asll	27/9

### Vessels not entering

Jebel-e-rahmat	C. Clink	Kotab	Inraport	6/4
Ocean Pearl	Urea	V. Tai	Litmond	3/9
Khaziza Jahan	Slag	Fuku	Srsl	30/1
Yangtze River	C.clink	Sing	Olm	31/1
Lagonda	Wheat	Oasim	Sultn	27/1
Jahan Brothers	C. Clink	Bukp	Srsl	2/2
Maa Samuda Khaton	C. Clink	Honga	Srsl	3/2

### Vessels due at outer anchorage

Name of vessels	Date of arrival	L. port call	Local agent	Type of cargo	Loading ports
Munster	7/2	Pki	Cma-cgm	Cont	Pkel
Jun Qiang	7/2	Ube	Sstc	C. Clink	--
Isa Lucky	7/2	Tarj	C.clink	--	--
Nahide-m	7/2	Qasm	Litmond	Wheat(g)	--
Yon Phung Ho	8/2	Mack	Sealift	Wheat(bag)	2500 W/d
Hansa Calypso	9/2	--	Seacon	Cont	Sing
Kota Ria	9/2	--	Pil(bd)	Cont	Mong
Asian Leader	11/2	Sin	Nyk	Vehicle	--

Positions of Chittagong Port vessels in line with a berthing sheet of the CPA provided by HRC

## STOCK

### Relative Strength Index (14) Report Feb 07, 2011

Company	Close	P	Dev.	RSI
<b>BANK</b>				
Ultara Bank -A	110.90	-8.20	17.14	
Prime Bank-A	61.50	-5.90	19.02	
Shahjalal Islami -A	55.80	-3.70	25.16	
UCBL -A	187.10	-12.10	27.31	
Rupali Bank -Z	1407.00	-29.00	30.1	
N C C Bank -A	49.50	-2.60	31.8	
AB Bank -A	1166.50	-64.00	32.71	
AI Arafah Islami B-A	44.80	-4.00	33.23	
Southeast Bank-A	430.25	-29.50	33.56	
City Bank -A	678.50	-44.75	33.68	
ICB Is. Bank-Z	15.90	-0.60	33.77	
Brac Bank -A	631.75	-29.00	34.54	
Mercantile Bank -A	407.75	-24.00	34.67	
Jamuna Bank -A	40.60	-3.70	35.06	
EXIM Bank-A	45.90	-2.90	35.12	
First Secu. Bk-A	30.80	-1.30	35.29	
Standard Bank -A	442.75	-30.50	35.48	
Pubali Bank -A	74.80	-5.30	36.13	
IFIC Bank -A	1057.00	-70.00	36.16	
Trust Bank-A	553.50	-38.00	36.46	
Bank Asia -A	695.25	-28.25	37.24	
Islami Bank -A	631.00	-19.50	37.38	
Social Invest. B-A	43.10	-2.80	39.21	
One Bank -A	60.60	-1.80	39.22	
Dhak Bank -A	849.00	-40.25	39.4	
Eastern Bank -A	94.00	-2.80	39.64	
MutualTrust Bank-A	552.25	-42.25	39.74	
Premier Bank -A	49.80	-2.20	40.03	
Dutch Bangla B -A	1869.75	-100.00	43.36	
National Bank -A	168.10	-2.50	49.11	
<b>NBFI</b>				
BD Finance-A	168.30	-17.50	33.88	
Phoenix Fin.-A	1614.75	-98.75	33.89	
Prime Finance-A	333.30	-28.00	34.43	
B I F C -A	804.00	-61.50	34.69	
Delta Brac HFCL-N	1932.25	-99.75	35.24	
Midas Financing-A	1320.75	-84.75	35.28	
United Leasing -A	1310.75	-87.00	35.46	
I P D C -A	477.75	-25.00	35.63	
First LeaseA	1123.25	-50.00	35.95	
Uttara Finance -A	269.80	-24.80	36	
National H Fin.-N	918.75	-54.75	36.16	
Fidelity Assets-A	625.25	-49.50	36.22	
Bay Leasing-A	2252.50	-118.50	36.68	
Islamic Finance-A	672.25	-47.50	37.23	
LankaBangla Fin.-A	398.60	-20.20	37.39	
Premier Leasing-A	880.00	-62.25	37.77	
Intl. Leasing-A	1913.75	-100.25	37.89	
Union Capital-A	189.00	-9.70	38.82	
IDLC Fin.-A	3815.75	-174.25	39.18	
Phoenix sLeas.-A	234.80	-11.30	41.25	
<b>INVESTMENT</b>				
ICB A. 1st NRB-A	445.50	-20.50	30.34	
ICB AMCL1stMF-A	606.50	-37.00	32	
AICM First -A	7.92	-0.23	32.23	
6th ICB M F-A	701.75	-10.25	33.66	
ICB A. IslamiCMF-A	351.50	-12.75	34	
1st BSRS M F-A	1691.50	-64.25	34.69	
ICB -A	3582.50	-147.25	35.19	
ICB A. 2nd NRB -A	200.75	-5.50	35.46	
Prime Bk 1st MF-A	11.80	-0.20	35.82	
Trust Bk 1st MF-A	13.00	-0.40	36.37	
ICB EMP.PMF-A	12.80	-0.30	36.62	
AMCL 2nd MF-A	139.50	-4.50	36.92	
Grameen M F 1-A	83.30	-2.00	37.06	
ICB AMCL 3rd NRB MF-A11.30		-0.30	37.51	
Phoenix Fin. 1st MF-A12.40		0.10	37.82	
IFIL Islamic M.F.1-A	9.10	-0.40	37.82	
Green Delta M.F.-A	10.00	-0.20	37.97	
IFIC 1st MF-A	12.60	-0.30	38.15	
EBL 1st MF-A	14.20	-0.40	38.45	
Popular Life 1st MF-A 9.50		-0.30	38.73	
Prime Fin. 1st MF-A	29.30	-0.20	38.78	
PHF 1st M. F.-A	9.40	-0.10	40.00	
Grameen1:Sch.2 -A	23.60	-0.50	40.25	
1st Janata Bank MF-A10.00		-0.10	40.54	
5th ICB M F-A	1950.75	-3.75	41.02	
8th ICB M F-A	792.50	-6.25	42.64	
1st ICB M F-A	10032.00	-299.25	42.68	
DBH 1st MF-A	13.40	-0.50	44.00	
3rd ICB M F-A	2221.00	0.00	46.48	
4th ICB M F-A	2360.00	7.75	47.91	
7th ICB M F-A	1239.75	40.25	50.34	
AIBL 1st M. F.-A	10.30	-0.60	51.32	
2nd ICB M F-A	3581.75	9.25	60.75	
<b>ENGINEERING</b>				
Monno JuteX -A	2450.00	0.00	15.69	
Anwar Galvanizing	-2340.00	-29.00	26.73	
Olympic Intl. -A	1704.25	-99.75	29.28	
National Tubes -A	1148.75	-59.25	29.32	
S. Alam Steel -A	566.25	-43.50	30.91	
BD. Autocars -B	402.00	-25.50	32.04	
Singer BD -A	5991.50	-231.25	32.4	
Aziz PipesZ	430.50	-33.00	33.7	
Renwick Jaineswar-8881.00	-60.50	33.35		
BD. Thai Alum -A	877.75	-62.50	33.58	
National Polymer -A	676.50	-30.50	33.89	
Aftab Auto.-A	265.10	-25.00	33.97	
Kay & Que (BD) -A	355.00	-27.25	34.07	
Quasem Drycells -A	91.70	-7.40	34.23	
Rangpur Foundry -A	94.90	-1.00	35.49	
Monno Stafflers -A	2612.25	-2.50	35.5	
Atlas BD-A	310.80	-7.30	36.73	
Eastern Housing -A	601.00	6.50	36.79	
Bangladesh Lamps -A2269.00	-117.25	37.35		
Golden Son -A	71.30	-4.40	38.14	
Navana CNG-A	153.80	-5.00	39.33	
BSRM Steels-A	1617.75	-95.00	40.45	
Deshbandhu Polymer-N65.00	-1.50	44.36		
<b>FOOD &amp; ALLIED</b>				
Bangas -A	1454.75	-90.75	25.41	
Fu-Wang Food A	47.00	-4.60	27.85	
Zeal Bangla Sugar -Z	16.90	-1.30	29.15	
Shampur Sugar -Z	15.70	-1.60	30.24	
Rahima Food -A	451.25	-36.25	30.65	
Apex Foods-A	873.75	-48.75	31.23	
Beach Hatchery -A	72.20	-6.00	33.6	
Meghna Con. Milk -B	47.50	-5.10	35.67	
Meghna PET Ind. -Z	20.00	-1.30	36.65	
AMCL (Pran) -A	1401.25	-37.50	37.19	
Chittagong Veg.-A	3748.25	-187.25	39.75	
Fine Foods Z	70.90	-4.40	40.62	
BATBCL -A	650.10	5.90	42.19	
National Tea -A	5110.50	-184.25	43.99	
GeminiSeaFood A	1735.25	99.75	59.32	
<b>FUEL &amp; POWER</b>				
Power Grid Co. -A	737.00	-50.75	28.72	
Titas Gas -A	797.50	-51.75	29.82	
Jamuna Oil -A	253.70	-18.70	30.39	
Eastern Lubricants -A575.20	-24.80	30.99		
Meghna Petroleum -A191.10	-9.10	33.44		
Padma Oil Co. -A	626.40	-43.50	33.91	
BOC (BD) Ltd. -A	561.90	-7.80	35.27	
Summit Power -A	112.20	-4.40	36.82	
Khulna Power-A	91.70	-3.30	37.81	
DESCO Ltd. -A	1756.00	-95.25	37.91	
Bangladesh Welding -A188.40	-15.60	42.1		
<b>JUTE</b>				
Sonali Ansh -A	1516.25	-99.75	25.18	
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