

Asian shares mixed

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Asian shares were mixed Wednesday despite a solid lead from Wall Street following strong earnings by top US firms, with traders in Japan ignoring a cut in the country's debt rating outlook.

Trade was muted ahead of a key policy decision by the US Federal Reserve, while dealers also had an eye on the release of corporate results in Japan, which began after the market closed.

Tokyo gained 1.39 percent, with the Nikkei up 133.15 points at 9,691.84. Investors around the region took their early trading cues from Wall Street where the Dow jumped 0.93 percent to a near three-year high on Tuesday.

The greenback was at 81.73 yen in Tokyo, slightly up from 81.55 in New York late Tuesday. The euro was at \$1.4681 from \$1.4636 while the single currency rose to 119.99 yen from 119.38 yen.

On oil markets New York's main futures contract, light sweet crude for June, was down 19 cents at \$112.02 a barrel, while Brent North Sea crude for delivery in June eased 22 cents to \$123.92.

In other markets: Singapore closed 0.34 percent, or 10.85 points, higher to 3,182.68. Bangkok added 0.40 percent or 4.40 points to 1,101.35.

Mumbai fell 0.49 percent, to record a third straight day of losses. The benchmark 30-share Sensex Index ended down 96.66 points to 19,448.69.



Mohd Noor Ali, chairman of Eastern Bank, inaugurates the Gulshan office of EBL Corporate Banking at Uday Tower in Dhaka yesterday. Ali Reza Iftekhar, managing director, was also present.



Anis A Khan, managing director of Mutual Trust Bank, launches MTB Winning, an etiquette and service excellence guideline for the employees of the organisation, on the sidelines of a daylong conference of the bank's branch managers and department heads in Dhaka recently.

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Relative Strength Index (14) Report 27-Apr-2011															
Company	Close	P	Dev.	RSI	Company	Close	P	Dev.	RSI	Company	Close	P	Dev.	RSI	
BANK					Quasem Drycells -A	104.10		8.70	49.48	ACI Formu. -A	149.20		9.00	65.16	
Shahjalal Islami -A	33.80	2.10	25.28		Aftab Auto.-A	280.70		18.90	49.64	PAPER & PACKAGING					
Social Invest. B-A	22.90	1.10	26.2		Aziz PipesZ	526.00		37.25	50.05	Hakkani P& Paper -B	56.70		2.80	52.02	
City Bank -A	446.25	20.50	26.47		Atlas BD-A	353.50	24.30	50.33		SERVICE					
Uttara Bank -A	63.80	3.30	28.23		Navana CNG-A	165.60	10.70	50.41	Ocean Containers-A	79.90	3.50	29.82			
EXIM Bank-A	31.60	1.00	29.19		Rangpur Foundry -A	104.40		7.80	50.93	Summit A. Port.-N	98.10		2.60	32.67	
Islami Bank -A	465.25	18.00	29.23		S. Alam Steel -A	628.75	36.00	51.54	Eastern Housing -A	900.50	61.75	44.74			
Bank Asia -A	432.25	11.25	30.61		Renwick Jaineswar-Z	21025.25	55.25	52.49	Samorta HospitalA	1345.00	63.00	50.26			
Standard Bank -A	289.00	18.50	32.03		Monno Stafflers -A	2978.50	38.00	52.78	LEATHER						
UCBL -A	62.50	4.10	32.19		Deshbandhu Polymer-N88.80	7.40	54.45		ApexAdelchi Ftr -A	3114.00	62.00	50.23			
One Bank-A	453.25	21.75	33.57		National Polymer -A	904.00	59.75	54.77	Bata Shoe Ltd. -A	614.30	27.20	54.84			
N C C Bank -A	33.50	2.00	35.49		BD. Autocars -B	554.75	36.50	54.87	Apex Tannery -A	1596.50	90.25	55.44			
Trust Bank-A	371.00	17.50	35.78		Olympic Ind. -A	2156.00	102.25	54.88	Samata LeatherR -Z	287.75	11.25	56.28			
Al Arafah Islami B-A	32.40	2.20	35.95		Kay & Que (BD) -A	467.00	36.00	55.1	Legacy Footwear -Z	50.00	0.00	64.74			
AB Bank -A	899.75	53.00	36.56		Eastern Cables-B	737.50	39.50	59.36	CERAMIC						
Pubali Bank -A	46.00	2.30	37.42		Anwar Galvanizing-Z	2440.25	0.00	68.72	Shinepukur Cera-A	87.70	2.70	49.01			
Prime Bank-A	40.20	2.90	37.44		FOOD & ALLIED					Monno Ceramic -A	862.00	59.75	49.24		
Premier Bank -N	32.90	2.60	39.16		BATBCL -A	605.80	16.50	41.05	Fu-wang Ceramic-A	476.25	11.25	49.75			
National Bank -A	58.70	2.90	40.86		Fine Foods A	71.70	4.60	44.16	RAK Ceramics-A	121.40	5.50	51.18			
Jamuna Bank -A	31.20	2.30	41.21		W-Fung Food A	54.70	4.70	46.27	Standard Ceramic -B	602.50	27.50	56.57			
Dhaka Bank -A	39.00	2.10	41.28		Beach Hatchery -A	73.30	5.90	47.57	CEMENT						
IFIC Bank -A	845.00	14.00	42.93		Chittagong Veg.-A	3506.25	155.25	51.21	LafargeS Cement-Z	373.00	0.00	38.45			
Southeast Bank-A	298.75	16.25	43.28		Apex FoodsA	111.25	60.50	51.41	ConfidenceCement A220.50	17.40	40.58				
Dutch Bangla B-A	1350.25	41.50	43.28		AMCL (Pran) -A	1598.00	89.25	53.09	MeghnaCement -A	235.20	16.10	43.68			
Eastern Bank -A	51.50	3.80	44.57		Meghna Con. Milk -B	57.80	4.90	53.16	HeidelbergCement -A	43051.00	138.00	47.41			
First Secu. Bk-A	27.30	1.80	45.07		Meghna PET Ind. -Z	22.10	-0.30	53.29	Aramit Cement-A	1438.75	80.25	52.15			
Rupali Bank -Z	1432.25	29.75	45.58		Bangas -A	2089.50	98.25	56.44	IT INDUSTRIES						
Brac Bank -A	450.00	23.00	46.23		Rahima Food -A	574.25	39.75	57.21	Agni Systems -A	44.00	2.30	43.83			
ICB Is. Bank-Z	12.80	0.60	46.4		GeminiSeaFood A	3448.00	133.50	57.6	Daffodil Comp.-A	28.50	1.50	49.44			
Mercantile Bank -A	304.25	22.75	46.74		Shampur Sugar -Z	19.90	0.10	61.71	In Tech Online -A	31.40	1.20	50.16			
MutualTrust Bank-A	363.00	18.25	47.32		Zeal Bangla Sugar -Z	27.90	2.50	82.12	ISN Ltd. -A	36.40	1.10	51.43			
NBFI					National Tea -A	6297.25	0.00	82.66	BDCom Online-A	43.50	3.20	51.52			
Union Capital -A	108.00	6.30	27.18		FUEL & POWER					Mercentile Insur -A	543.00	0.00	26.44		
Phoenix Fin.-A	1148.00	0.00	29.32		Summit Power -A	84.70	4.50	33.1	City G Insu.-A	57.50	4.60	26.47			
People'sLeas.-A	136.50	10.30	29.63		Khulna Power-A	87.60	2.70	41.78	NorthernGinsur-A	530.50	0.00	32.04			
Prime Finance-A	166.20	12.90	31.29		Eastern Lubricants -A	585.60	-12.90	42.46	United Insur -A	1062.50	62.25	32.78			
IDLC Fin. -A	2201.25	80.25	31.44		Bangladesh Welding -A	470.30	58.00	43.92	Peoples Insur -A	53.10	4.10	33.45			
BD Finance-A	124.60	9.30	31.86		Meghna Petroleum -A	188.90	2.80	45.41	Prime Insur -A	87.60	7.20	34.58			
LankaBangla Fin.-A	195.20	16.30	34.78		BOC (BD) Ltd. -A	613.60	12.80	47.35	Rupali InsurA	137.40	6.80	35.65			
Islamic Finance-A	503.50	32.25	35.51		Jamuna Oil -A	267.50	13.50	48.44	AsiapacificInsu. -A	522.00	37.25	38.33			
First LeaseA	737.75	42.00	35.77		Titas Gas A	820.00	29.00	50.15	Purabi G Insu.-A	1452.50	70.25	39.81			
National H Fin.-N	853.25	3.25	38.1		Power Grid Co. -A	802.75	21.50	51.91	BGIC -A	54.50	3.30	40.48			
B I F C -A	781.75	0.00	38.45		DESCO Ltd. -A	1983.75	78.50	58.13	Global Insur. -A	617.00	31.50	40.71			
FAS Fin. & Inv. Ltd.-A	523.25	37.00	40.19		Padma Oil Co. -A	733.20	0.00	61.75	Nitol Insurance -A	687.00	47.50	41.67			
Premier Leasing-A	741.25	47.25	43.4		JUTE					Asia Insu.-A	68.50	5.70	41.91		
I P D C -A	457.25	34.25	44.11		Sonali Ansh -A	2016.50	96.25	48.48	Reliance Insur -A	1213.75	22.75	42.58			
Bay Leasing-A	1865.50	88.00	44.25		Joint SpinnersA	1939.00	84.50	56.31	GreenDeltaInsu -A	221.90	17.80	43.09			
Uttara Finance -A	239.20	14.20	44.36		Northern Jute -Z	44.50	0.00	58.72	Phoenix Insur -A	118.10	10.50	43.75			
Intl. Leasing-A	1409.50	75.50	44.6		TEXTILE					Eastland Insur -A	1002.00	55.00	44.01		
Midas Financing-A	1233.75	66.75	46.04		Saiham Tex.A	75.30	-5.90	32.5	Paramount Insur-A	572.25	39.25	44.16			
United Leasing -A	1514.50	14.00	49.85		Sonargaon Tex -A	616.25	40.50	38.56	Federal Insur.-A	155.40	7.90	44.25			
Delta Brac HFCL-N	1944.00	77.00	56.53		R. N. SpinningA	83.60	5.80	44.24	Agrani Insur.-A	680.75	46.25	45.63			
INVESTMENT					Malek Spinning-A	66.80	3.90	44.32	SonarBanglainsu.-A	632.75	43.75	46.56			
MBL 1st M. F.-A	9.10	-0.20	39.34		BEXTEX -A	58.00	0.60	45.34	Pioneer Insur -A	1417.25	78.50	47.45			
4th ICB M F-A	2229.00	103.50	40.25		Metro Spinning -A	65.30	4.20	45.41	Takaful Islami Insu-A	928.50	52.75	47.6			
5th ICB M F-A	1701.00	0.00	40.59		CMC Kamal Tex.-A	77.60	6.10	45.42	Standard Insur.-A	614.50	39.75	47.4			
AIBL 1st Is. M. F.-A	8.90	0.30	42.87		Prime Textile -A	578.75	30.25	45.68	Continental Insur.-A	567.00	39.25	47.92			
Prime Bk 1st MF-A	9.80	0.40	45.05		Quatre Textile -A	173.40	6.70	46.36	Republic Insu.-A	692.75	46.00	48.09			
IFIL Islamic M.F.1-A	8.00	0.20	45.39		Apex SpinningA	1800.00	70.00	46.68	Pragati Gen. I -A	1185.25	64.50	51.12			
1st BSRS M F-A	1462.00	41.75	46.07		Maksons Spin-A	52.00	4.00	47.85	Karnaphuli Insur -A	83.80	4.80	51.43			
Trust Bk 1st MF-A	11.70	0.30	46.2		Beximco Syn.-A	498.50	12.75	48.22	Islami Ins.BD-Z	647.25	41.75	53.45			
ICB AMCL3rd NRB MF-A	9.00	0.40	46.65		Delta Spinn-A	550.00	35.00	49.08	Central Insur -A	907.75	48.00	54.5			
EBL 1st MF-A	13.10	0.50	47.78		Tallu Spinning -A	698.25	48.50	49.52	Eastern Insur A	1239.50	71.25	54.77			
1st Janata Bank MF-A	9.00	0.20	47.91		H.R. Textile -A	611.00	42.25	52.02	Janata InsurA	1763.00	91.75	56.33			
Prime Fin. 1st MF-A	22.00	1.20	48.24		Dacca Dyeing-A	70.40	5.30	49.52	Dhaka Ins. Ltd.-A	2701.50	116.00	56.75			
Green Delta M.F.-A	8.90	0.40	48.29		Al-Haj Textile -Z	611.00	42.25	52.02	Provati Ins.-Z	669.50	38.50	56.83			
ICB A. 2nd NRB -A	188.00	6.00	48.42		Anlima Yarn -A	493.50	37.25	55.43	LIFE INSURANCE						
DBH 1st MF-A	12.10	0.30	48.80		Safko Spinning-Z	631.25	43.25	56.04	DeltaLifeInsu. -Z	32170.75	-293.75	44.05			
PHP 1st M. F.-A	8.40	0.40	50.05		Mithun Knitting-A	1841.25	97.00	58.35	Sandhani Life -A	375.80	17.10	46.88			
ICB A. 1st NRB -A	429.75	20.25	50.45		Desh Garments -B	582.00	39.50	58.38	Foreast Is. Life -A	341.60	19.00	50.99			
AMCL 2nd MF-A	131.25	5.00	50.78		Al-Haj Textile -Z	66.90	3.00	59.16	PragatiLife Insu. -A	3557.25	156.50	51.55			
ICB A. IslamicMF-A	343.75	18.25	50.81		Rahim Textile A	3131.75	118.75	60.31	Progressive Life-A	2838.75	114.25	51.6			
8th ICB M F-A	754.25	38.00	51.36		Stylecraft -A	6450.00	0.00	63.43	Prime Is. Life -A	348.50	20.50	52.26			
Popular Life 1st M.F.-A	8.50	0.60	51.51		Modern Dyeing -Z	519.75	0.00	66.62	Popular Life I. -A	567.70	29.40	53.28			
Greenmeil.Sch.2 -A	22.70	1.50	51.75		Dulamia CottonZ	481.00	0.00	82.23	MughnaLifeIns.-A	367.30	18.30	54.06			
6th ICB M F-A	683.00	15.25	52.06		Alltex Industries -Z	360.25	0.00	84.05	RupaliLifeIns.-A	312.75	131.25	58.94			
7th ICB M F-A	1298.00	0.00	52.27		PHARMA & CHEMICAL					National Life I -A	7411.50	265.00	63.68		
ICB -A	3718.25	128.25	53.37		Salvo Chem. Ind. Ltd-N65.30	4.60	0		TELECOM						
AIMS First -A	7.92	0.48	54.77		Marico BD-A	533.90	28.50	39.69	Grameenphone-A	158.80	4.80	41.3			
ICB Emp.PMF-A	13.00	0.30	55.74		Kohinoor Chem -A	2399.50	114.25	39.89	TRAVEL & LEISURE						
ICB AMCL1stMF-A	613.75	6.50	56.92		Renata Ltd. -A	12127.75	283.25	42.71	UNITED AIR-B	48.20	3.60	38.88			
Greenmei F. 1-A	87.90	4.50	57.14		GlaxoSK (BD) -A	890.20	39.20	43.93	MISCELLANEOUS						
Phoenix Fin. 1st MF-A	12.90	0.90	57.59		Libra Infusions-A	4088.75	-109.25	45.99	BD.Service -A	11.70	0.00	98.84			
2nd ICB M F-A	2480.00	0.00	60.49		Active Fine Chem.-N	88.90	0.00	46.49	BSC-A	2802.00	107.00	49.27			
3rd ICB M F-A	4046.25	0.00	60.59		Pharma Aids A	2991.75	140.50	49.96	Usmania Glass -A	1583.00	90.00	49.63			
1st ICB MF-A	10690.00	0.00	63.62		Beximco Pharma -A	117.80	4.10	50.93	BEXIMCO Ltd. -A	291.40	3.70	50.31			
ENGINEERING					Reckitt Benckiser-A	1089.90	62.00	51.81	Sinobangla Indu.-A	73.40	3.60	52.01			
Singer BD -A	3316.25	92.75	28.81		Alci Limited-A	303.80	11.90	52.32	Savar Refractories-Z	799.50	52.00	52.14			
BD. Thail Alum -A	839.50														