

Asian shares up

AFP, Hong Kong

Asian stock markets rose Tuesday following a rally on Wall Street as dealers grew optimistic that the Greek debt crisis may be resolved soon.

As attention turned to a confidence vote in Greece's prime minister and the beginning of a meeting of the US Federal Reserve policy committee, investors were keen to pick up cheaper stocks after selling in the previous two sessions.

Tokyo rose 1.13 percent, or 105.34 points, to 9,459.66, Sydney added 1.27 percent, or 56.5 points, to 4,508.2 and Seoul jumped 1.41 percent, or 28.52 points, to 2,048.17.

Hong Kong added 1.16 percent, or 251.08 points, to 21,850.59 and Shanghai closed 0.96 percent higher, adding 25.23 points to 2,646.48.

Europe gave Athens a two-week deadline to pass 28.4 billion euros (\$40.65 billion) of cuts, as the IMF warned the stability of the global economy rested on the confidence vote in Prime Minister George Papandreu's government later Tuesday.

Eurozone officials decided to meet again on July 3 -- to allow the vote to take place -- to decide on emergency cash and work out the details of a second bailout worth more than 100 billion euros.

They will also stage a summit in Brussels on Thursday and Friday -- with another bailout for Greece, whose debts currently exceed 350 billion euros, near the top of a packed agenda.

In Sydney, Foster's surged 13.47 percent after it turned down a \$10 billion takeover offer from brewing giant SABMiller, saying it significantly undervalued the company. Despite the rejection SABMiller said it would continue to pursue the drinks firm.

Taipei rose 0.78 percent, or 66.94 points, to 8,597.62.

Manila gained 1.41 percent, or 58.70 points, to 4,211.81.

Jakarta rose 65.82 points, or 1.76 percent, to 3,794.94.

Coal producer Bumi Resources gained 4.2 percent to Rp 3,100, Bank Rakyat rose 1.6 percent to Rp 6,350, while food producer Indofood increased 4.7 percent to Rp 5,600.

Kuala Lumpur ended up 0.10 percent or 1.60 points to close at 1,560.79. Singapore closed up 39.91 points, or 1.33 percent, to 3,053.51.

Bangkok rose 1.44 percent or 14.63 points to close at 1,027.72.

Mumbai rose 0.31 percent, or 53.67 points, to 17,560.3.

India's largest software outsourcing TCS rose 3.24 percent or 34.6 rupees to 1,104.15.



Neil Graham, chief executive officer of Banglalion Communications, opens its sixth customer care centre in Mirpur, Dhaka yesterday.

Oil prices edge higher, Brent above \$112

AFP, London

World oil prices firmed on Tuesday with the market on edge over the Greek debt crisis, analysts said.

Brent North Sea crude for August added 53 cents to \$112.22 a barrel in London morning deals.

"Financial markets in general and also the oil market are likely to remain nervous today as the showdown in the Greek parliament approaches," said SEB oil analyst Filip Petersson.

Currency

Tuesday's forex statement by Standard Chartered Bank

Table with columns: Major currency exchange rates (BC Sell, TT Buy), USD forward rate against BDT (Buy, Sell), and Exchange rate of some currencies (Per USD, BDT per Currency). Includes rates for US dollar, Euro, Pound, etc.

Local Market FX

USD/BDT rates remained steady.

Money Market Rates

Call money market rates were steady today and traded mostly in the 12% range.

Shipping

Chittagong Port

Berthing position and performance of vessels as on 21/06/2011.

Table listing vessels with columns: Berth No., Name of vessels, Cargo call, L. Port, Local agent, Date of arrival, Leaving arrival, Import disch.

Outside port limit

Table listing vessels outside port limit with columns: Vessel Name, Cargo, L. Port, Local agent, Date of arrival, Leaving arrival, Import disch.

Vessels not ready

Table listing vessels not ready with columns: Vessel Name, Cargo, L. Port, Local agent, Date of arrival, Leaving arrival, Import disch.

Vessels awaiting employment/instruction

Table listing vessels awaiting employment/instruction with columns: Vessel Name, Cargo, L. Port, Local agent, Date of arrival, Leaving arrival, Import disch.

Vessels due at outer anchorage

Table listing vessels due at outer anchorage with columns: Name of vessels, Date of arrival, L. Port, Local agent, Type of cargo, Loading ports.

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

STOCK

Relative Strength Index (14) Report 21-June-2011

Large table showing Relative Strength Index (14) Report for various companies, organized into sectors like BANK, PAPER & PACKAGING, SERVICE, LEATHER, CEMENT, IT INDUSTRIES, GENERAL INSURANCE, LIFE INSURANCE, TELECOM, TRAVEL & LEISURE, MISCELLANEOUS, BOND, and ENGINEERING.

AGM/EGM/Dividend/Right/IPO

Table listing company financial events including AGM/EGM/Dividend/Right/IPO with columns: Company, RD/BC, SPOT, Dividend, Yend, AGM Meeting, VENUE, Time.

RIGHT SHARE SUBSCRIPTION

Table for Right Share Subscription with columns: Company Name, Record Date, Right Share, Issue Price, Subscription Date.

RIGHT SHARE PROPOSED

Table for Right Share Proposed with columns: Company Name, Right Share, Issue Price (With Premium), Premium (Tk.).

IPO

Table for IPO with columns: Draft Prospectus Submitted, SE, Lankabanga Securities Ltd., STS Holdings Ltd. (Apollo Hospitals Dhaka), GBB Power Ltd., etc.

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