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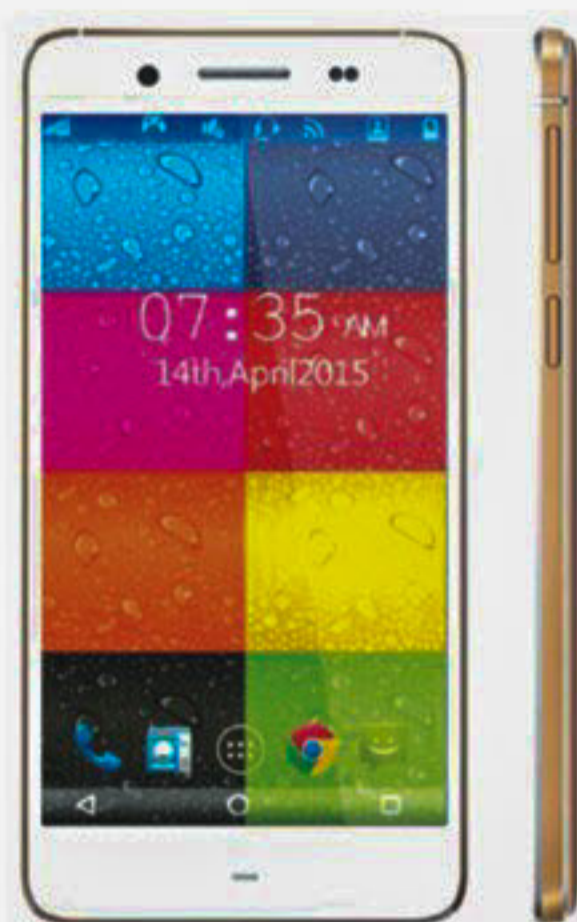
WORLD'S NO.1 ANTI VIRUS TECHNOLOGY

# TOP 15 UNDER 15

In today's issue of BYTES, we bring you a list of top 15 smartphones just under the Tk.15,000/- price-tag.

## MOTOROLA MOTO E DUAL

Price: Tk. 10,200-10,500/-  
Why Buy:  
Smooth UI with zero lag  
Value for money  
Planned Lollipop 5.1 upgrade



## SYMPHONY XPLORER ZVI

Price: Tk. 14,990/-  
Why Buy:  
6.85 mm Slim  
RAM 2 GB & 8MP front camera  
Metal unibody & 2 free covers

## ALCATEL ONETOUCH IDOL X

Price: Tk. 14,999/-  
Why Buy:  
Snappy Processor  
Slim design  
Excellent display (~441ppi)



## SAMSUNG GALAXY CORE PRIME

Price: Tk. 12,990/-  
Why Buy:  
Faux leather back  
Durability  
Average processor & GPU



## OPPO NEO 5

Price: Tk. 15,000/-  
Why Buy:  
Fine hardware  
Average camera  
Comes with Color OS



## WALTON PRIMO RX3

Price: Tk. 13,990/-  
Why Buy:  
Developer support  
Metal chassis



## XIAOMI REDMI 2

Price: Tk. 14,500-14,800/-  
Why Buy:  
MIUI 6.0 color skin on  
Great camera with 1.4 micrometer pixel size  
Sharp display with great colour rendition



## MICROMAX CANVAS HUE

Price: Tk. 14,990/-  
Why Buy:  
3000mAh Battery  
Robust build quality  
Great display (~291ppi)



## LAVA IRIS X8

Price: Tk. 13,450/-  
Why Buy:  
Planned Android Lollipop update  
Dragon Trail Display protecton  
Good Camera with dual LED flash



## MICROSOFT LUMIA 540

Price: Tk. 13,999/-  
Why Buy:  
Planned Windows 10 update  
5MP front camera with wide angle lens  
Robustly built colourful back cover



## GIONEE PIONEER P6

Price: Tk. 11,999/-  
Why Buy:  
Decent design  
Average battery life  
Value buy



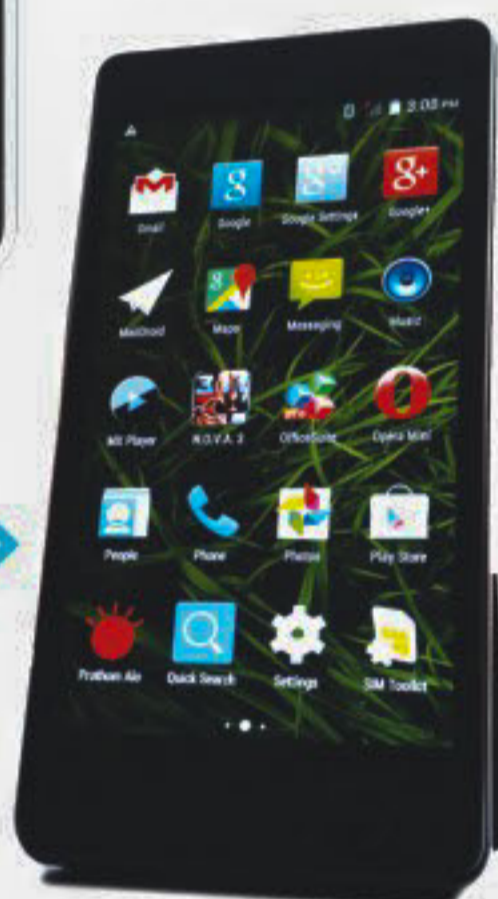
## ASUS ZENFONE 5

Price: Tk. 14,500-14,990/-  
Why Buy:  
Superior build quality  
Great screen  
Best value for money



## SYMPHONY XPLORER H150

Price: Tk. 10,590/-  
Why Buy:  
4000 mAh battery yet not so bulky  
Hall sensor with free hall cover  
Metal built



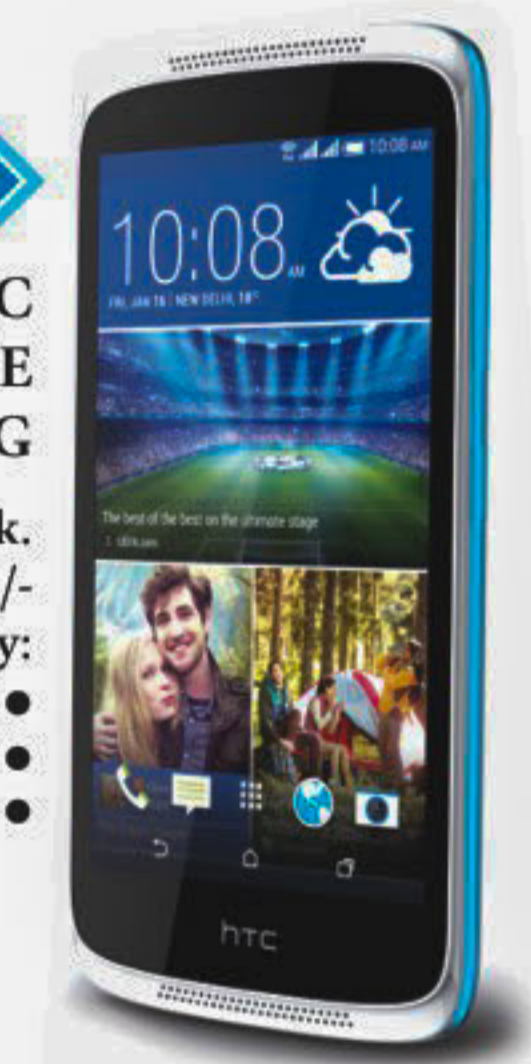
## HUAWEI HONOR HOLLY

Price: Tk. 12750/-  
Why Buy:  
Great hardware  
Good camera  
Comes with Emotion UI 2.3



## HTC DESIRE 526G

Price: Tk. 14,300-14,700/-  
Why Buy:  
Unique design  
Great camera  
Good display



## TECH HAPPENING

### Aamra Technologies to provide cloud services to Microsoft

Aamra Technologies Limited last week launched both; public and private, cloud offerings built on Microsoft Azure Pack. This unique solution set enables organizations to create, host, and manage business-critical applications in a compliant, secure, and highly available cloud environment. Aamra public and private cloud offerings support the Microsoft Cloud Platform, including Windows Server 2012 R2 with Hyper-V, System Center 2012 R2 and Windows Azure Pack. Aamra fully enables data and application migration to its cloud platforms

through its top-level customer support and enterprise-class technologies. Present at the press meet were, Mr. Syed Farhad Ahmed – Managing Director, Monirul Islam- Assistant General Manager, Mr. Muntasir Ahmed – Head of Brands and Communication from aamra technologies limited. Michelle Simmons, General Manager, Southeast Asia New Markets at Microsoft, Sonia Bashir Kabir, Managing Director Microsoft Bangladesh, Abu Saleh Mohammad Rasheduzzaman, Partner Technology Advisor, Microsoft Bangladesh.



### Huawei offers discount on the smartphones

Huawei is offering BDT 1,000 discount on its recently launched Huawei Y5C smartphone. The market price of Huawei Y5C is BDT 7,990. Huawei is offering this phone at BDT 6,990 with a BDT 1,000 discount on the occasion of Eid. It is also offering Huawei G Play Mini smartphone for the hardcore mobile gamers at an affordable price. The phone is priced at BDT 15,990 only.

### Government officials to be trained in tackling cyber crime

In collaboration with World Bank, the government will train up to 2500 officials on cyber crime prevention. 85 officials have already completed their training from both National University of Singapore and ESI Training Institute of India.

This training program is part of the Leveraging ICT for Growth, Employment and Governance (LIGT) project which will be funded by World Bank. The international donor agency has agreed to loan Tk. 560 crore in implementing several aspects of the LIGT project including expansion of data centre, developing human resources, setting up cyber safety training etc. The government is also looking to set up a National Enterprise for Architecture which will facilitate data sharing between government organizations.

### Goldberg's new flagship mobile hits market

Bangladeshi Mobile Handset producer Goldberg launched its latest flagship products. Goldberg Mobile Chief Executive Officer Abrar Rahman Khan inaugurated the sales activations of the handset ZAP FZ1 at an event on Saturday. The phone comes with 5 inches of IPS HD Display, Octacore processor of 1.4 gigahertz power, 5 megapixel front camera and 8 megapixel back camera with LED flash. Price: Tk 10,599/-



## KASPERSKY SECURITY UPDATE

### Kaspersky Lab is ready to protect your Facebook account!

Why would cyber-criminals want to control your Facebook account? At the very least, they could "like" weird things and promote questionable goods and services on your behalf. However, Facebook is well aware of this common criminal scheme and collaborates with us to protect innocent users from account infection.

To protect its users from cybercrime, Facebook recommends a free anti-malware scan to owners of accounts that Facebook's team has detected as behaving suspiciously and appear to be infected. Of course, Facebook itself is never the source of malicious software. But one can get infected in many ways. For instance, Facebook is a major target for phishers: 1 in 5 phishing scams target Facebook notifications. For this reason, one should be vigilant when receiving e-mails from this network—they might be fake. Additionally, there are lots of Trojans targeting Facebook users as well.

If the Facebook team has detected suspicious behavior from your account and it looks as though it might be infected, the social network will suggest you scan your device for security issues.

One of the programs, which help

to fix Facebook users' accounts, is our Kaspersky Malware Scan for Facebook. In the last 3 months alone we've protected over 260,000 Facebook users.

But forewarned is forearmed. If you happen to see some 'likes' that you never clicked or statuses that you never posted, or just suspect that your PC or smartphone might be



infected with malware, you can scan your device with a good security solution before the threat of a Facebook account suspension. There is a wide range of free Kaspersky Lab products on free.kaspersky.com.

And be sure to have a look at our collection of tips on how to fortify your Facebook account with proper privacy and security settings.



TECH BITS  
China says 'absurd logic' is behind US hacking accusations



Uber defiant in the face of French ridesharing crackdown



Audi is helping to make a moon rover for Google's Lunar Xprize



Stanford researchers find a cheaper, better way to make hydrogen gas



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