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## ECONOMIC & STOCK MARKET NEWS

5-March-2026

Index	04-03-2026	03-03-2026	Point Change	%Change
DSEX	5323.03	5325.07	-2.03	-0.04%
DSES	1062.50	1063.38	-0.87	-0.08%
DSE30	2045.38	2050.12	-4.74	-0.23%

Index	04-03-2026	03-03-2026	Point Change	% Change
CS50	1150.01	1155.08	-5.07	-0.44%
CS30	13449.37	13470.93	-21.56	-0.16%
CSI	897.19	901.29	-4.1	-0.45%

### Factories directed to clear workers' festival allowances by March 12

The government on Tuesday directed all factory owners to clear workers' wages for February within the first seven working days of March and to pay festival allowances by March 12, ahead of Eid-ul-Fitr...

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### Gold falls from three-week high on profit-booking, firm dollar

Gold prices fell on Tuesday as investors booked profits after bullion rose more than 2% in the previous session, while pressure from a stronger dollar also weighed on the yellow metal. Spot gold fell 0.8% to \$5,189.99 per ounce by 0125 GMT, snapping a four-session winning streak and dropping from

**The Financial Express**

### Samsung Galaxy S26 Series now up for pre-order

Samsung Galaxy S26 series is now up for pre-order in Bangladesh, bringing the brand's newest generation of Galaxy AI smartphones to local customers...

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### **Chinese firms pledged nearly \$1b investment in Bangladesh since Aug 2024: Embassy official**

More than 30 Chinese enterprises have signed investment agreements with Bangladeshi partners since August 2024, he said.

**The Business Standard**

### **CPD for formalising informal businesses to expand tax net**

The Centre for Policy Dialogue on Wednesday urged the government to expand the tax net by formalising small businesses and integrating informal-sector activities to broaden the tax base and strengthen domestic resource mobilisation...

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### **BB pauses dollar purchase to avoid exchange rate volatility as Iran war fallout looms**

Talks on policy rate cut put on hold for now

**The Business Standard**

### **QatarEnergy announces force majeure following Iran attacks**

Qatar's state-run energy firm on Wednesday declared force majeure following attacks on two of its main facilities that halted liquefied natural gas production and as Iran pressed missile and drone attacks across the Gulf...

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### **Startup funding crisis deepens as liquidity crunch leaves Chaldal staff unpaid for months**

The start-up seeks Tk40cr state support, proposing repayment within two years

**The Business Standard**

### **Banks' provision shortfall drops to Tk 1.91 lakh crore**

The banking sector's provision shortfall dropped to Tk 1.91 lakh crore at the end of December 2025 as defaulted loans declined following large-scale rescheduling ahead of the national election...

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### **Auditor Shiraz Khan Basak under fresh probe over ACME IPO irregularities**

The stock market watchdog has launched an inquiry into the auditing firm, Shiraz Khan Basak & Co., to determine its culpability following the detection of grave irregularities in the pre-IPO financial statements of ACME Pesticides, which were audited by the firm. A primary investigation conducted

**The Financial Express**

### **Lime, aubergine, cucumber prices remain high**

Lime, aubergine and cucumber maintained high prices on the second Friday of Ramadan, the fasting month of the Muslims, though prices were significantly lower than past week.

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### **No undisclosed price-sensitive info behind share surge: Northern Jute**

Yesterday, the shares closed at Tk131.80, up 4.27% from the previous session.

**The Business Standard**

### **Bangladesh's progress in the EU despite sluggish global demand**

Staff Correspondent: Bangladesh's position in the European Union (EU) market after China is now stronger. Despite global economic pressure and sluggish demand, Bangladesh's exports to Europe ...

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### **30 Chinese companies to invest \$1 billion in Bangladesh**

Staff Correspondent: Song Yang, Commercial Counselor at the Chinese Embassy in Dhaka, has reported an unprecedented and strong flow of Chinese investment into Bangladesh. He said that by August 2024 ...

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### **Drug-resistant fungus 'superbugs' rampant in ICUs**

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