

WEEKLY SELECTED ECONOMIC INDICATORS

Chief Economist's Unit
(Policy Support Wing)
08 March 2026

		05 March 2025		30 June 2025		26 February 2026		05 March 2026	
1.	Foreign Exchange Reserve (in billion US\$)	26.52	21.33 (BPM6)	31.72	26.71 (BPM6)	35.11	30.36 (BPM6)	35.49	30.76 (BPM6)
2.	Interbank Taka-USD Exchange Rate (average)	05 March 2025		30 June 2025		26 February 2026		05 March 2026	
		122.0000		122.7735		122.3003		122.3622	
3.	Overnight Call Money Rate	05 March 2025		30 June 2025		26 February 2026		05 March 2026	
	Weighted Average Rate (in Percent)	10.02		10.05		9.89		9.92	
	Broad/Overall Share Price Index	05 March 2025		30 June 2025		05 March 2026		Percentage change	
4.								05 Mar. 26 over Jun 25	05 Mar.25 overJun 24
	a) Dhaka Stock Exchange (DSE)	5196.66		4838.39		5240.84		8.32	-2.47
	b) Chittagong Stock Exchange (CSE)	14506.22		13438.38		14825.14		10.32	-3.72
5.		February, 2025		July-February, FY25		February, 2026		July-February, FY26	
	a) Wage Earners' Remittances (in billion US\$)	2.53		18.49		3.02		22.45	
	b) Annual Percentage Change	16.77		22.63		19.51		21.44	
6.		December, 2024		July- December, FY25		December, 2025 ^P		July- December, FY26 ^P	
	a) Import (C&F) (in billion US\$)	6.45		34.15		6.45		35.58	
	b) Annual Percentage Change	23.34		3.50		-0.06		4.17	
		December, 2024		July- December, FY25		December, 2025 ^P		July- December, FY26 ^P	
	a) Import(f.o.b) (in billion US\$)	6.08		32.09		6.08		33.68	
	b) Annual Percentage Change	30.09		3.53		0.15		4.96	
7.		December, 2024		July- December, FY25		December, 2025 ^P		July- December, FY26 ^P	
	a) Export (f.o.b) (in million US\$)	4.25		22.33		3.94		22.12	
	b) Annual Percentage Change	16.44		10.97		-7.33		-0.90	
8.		July- December, FY25 ^R				July-December, FY26 ^P		FY25 ^P	
	Current Account Balance (in million US\$)	-517.96				-342.60		149.00	
9.		January, 2025		July- January, FY25		January, 2026		July-January, FY26	
	a) Tax Revenue (NBR) (BDT in crore)	35881.81		198090.93		37033.00		223638.03	
	b) Annual Percentage Change	8.03		3.59		3.21		12.90	
10.	Investment in National Savings Certificates (BDT in crore)	January, 2025		July-January, FY25		January, 2026 ^P		July-January, FY26 ^P	
	a) Net Sale	-4768.99		-7013.24		1851.03		609.99	
	b) Total Outstanding	339255.79		339255.79		343103.92		343103.92	
11.		January, 2025		June, 2025		January, 2026		Percentage change	
								Jan.'26 over Jan.'25	Jan.'26 over June'25
	a) Reserve Money (RM) (BDT in crore)	378708.30		413179.00		417955.10		10.36	1.16
	b) Broad Money (M2) (BDT in crore)	2056032.90		2174621.80		2250533.30		9.46	3.49
12.	Total Domestic Credit (BDT in crore)	2164647.40		2284353.00		2392729.50		10.54	4.74
	a) Net Credit to the Govt. Sector	434361.30		488177.80		563193.20		29.66	15.37
	b) Credit to the Other Public Sector	50176.10		48488.30		48065.30		-4.21	-0.87
	c) Credit to the Private Sector	1680110.00		1747686.90		1781471.00		6.03	1.93

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		July- January FY25		July- January FY26 ^P		Percentage change					
						July- Jan. FY26 over July-Jan. FY25				FY25	
	L/C Opening and Settlement (in billion US\$)	Opening	Settlement	Opening	Settlement	Opening	Settlement		Settlement		
13.	a) Consumer Goods	3.99	3.65	4.32	3.63	8.36	-0.64	-0.29			
	b) Capital Machinery	1.06	1.27	1.21	1.11	14.55	-12.75	-25.42			
	c) Intermediate Goods	2.56	2.61	2.48	2.32	-2.93	-10.85	-8.85			
	d) Petroleum	5.25	5.56	4.95	5.07	-5.73	-8.75	6.42			
	e) Industrial Raw Materials	15.04	14.15	14.69	13.86	-2.28	-2.06	8.37			
	f) Others	13.87	13.29	15.11	14.04	8.93	5.68	6.97			
	Total	41.76	40.52	42.77	40.03	2.41	-1.21	4.18			
	Back to Back L/C	6.98	6.20	6.24	5.78	-10.69	-6.79	18.62			
14.	Inflation Rate for National (Base:2021-22=100)	April, 2025	May, 2025	June, 2025	July, 2025	August, 2025	September, 2025	October, 2025	November, 2025	Decemberber, 2025	January, 2026
	a) Twelve Month Average Basis	10.21	10.13	10.03	9.77	9.58	9.45	9.22	8.96	8.77	8.66
	b) Point to Point Basis	9.17	9.05	8.48	8.55	8.29	8.36	8.17	8.29	8.49	8.58
	Corresponding Period	April, 2024	May, 2024	June, 2024	July, 2024	August, 2024	September, 2024	October, 2024	November, 2024	December, 2024	January, 2025
	a) Twelve Month Average Basis	9.73	9.73	9.73	9.90	9.95	9.97	10.05	10.22	10.34	10.34
	b) Point to Point Basis	9.74	9.89	9.72	11.66	10.49	9.92	10.87	11.38	10.89	9.94
15.	Classified Loan	December, 2023	March, 2024	March, 2024		September, 2024	December, 2024	March, 2025	June, 2025	September, 2025	December, 2025
	a) % of Classified Loan to Total Outstanding	9.00	11.11	12.56		16.93	20.20	24.13	34.40	35.73	30.60
	b) % of Net Classified Loan to Net Outstanding	0.59	2.44	3.68		5.89	10.57	15.00	25.08	26.40	13.93
16.	Agricultural and Non-farm Rural Credit (BDT in crore)	December,'24	January,'25	July-January, FY25		December,'25	January,'26	July-Jan., FY26	FY25	FY24	FY23
	a) Disbursement *	3177.96	2956.37	19215.48		4915.49	3351.26	24359.42	37326.52	37153.90	32829.89
	Annual Percentage Change			54.67		13.36	26.77				
	b) Recovery	3047.76	2660.09	21777.35		3956.21	3146.02	24920.44	38024.50	35571.62	33010.09
	Annual Percentage Change			29.81		18.27	14.43				
	c) Outstanding	56018.85	56407.31	56407.31		62723.28	63040.20	63040.20	60232.42	58119.59	52704.45
	Annual Percentage Change			11.97		11.76	11.76				
17.	SME Loan (BDT in crore)	Jan-Mar, FY24	April-June, FY24	July-Sept., FY25		Oct.-December, FY25	Jan.-Mar, FY25	Apr.-June, FY25	July.-Sept, FY26 ^P	FY26 ^P	FY25
	a) Disbursement	53107.48	54526.41	44202.85		62580.78	47813.01	51176.29	48144.08	48144.08	205493.16
	Annual Percentage Change						-9.97	-6.14	8.92		
	b) Outstanding	303970.10	306119.87	299958.54		313175.76	302174.59	310761.69	312512.32	312512.32	310713.40
	Annual Percentage Change						-0.59	1.52	4.19		
18.	Industrial Term Loan (BDT in crore)**	April-Jun, FY24	July-Sept., FY25	Oct.-Dec, FY25		Jan-Mar, FY25	Apr-June, FY25	July-Sept, FY26	Oct-Decem, FY26	FY25	FY24
	a) Disbursement	20773.00	22146.00	31082.00		19614.47	24296.00	24771.29	31247.33	97138.47	88738.00
	Annual Percentage Change					-0.59	1.52	4.19	0.53		
	b) Recovery	20478.00	20505.00	33175.00		26436.36	27181.00	28922.09	35719.44	107297.36	94148.00
	Annual Percentage Change					25.01	32.73	41.05	7.67		
	c) Outstanding	343338.00	359498.00	379994.00		389282.43	384854.00	399245.05	423586.60	384854.00	343338.00
	Annual Percentage Change			17.52		12.09	11.06	11.47			
19.		FY17	FY18	FY19		FY20	FY21	FY22	FY23	FY24	FY25 ^R
	GDP Growth Rate (Base: 2015-16)	6.59	7.32	7.88		3.45	6.94	7.10	5.78	4.22	3.49

Note: * = About 62.46% of the target for agricultural credit disbursement has been achieved in July-January, FY26, ** = Source: Statistics Department, Bangladesh Bank.

P=Provisional, R=Revised.

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