

# WEEKLY SELECTED ECONOMIC INDICATORS

Chief Economist's Unit  
(Policy Support Wing)  
18 January 2026

|     |                                                            |                                                                                        |                  |                                  |            |                                     |                 |                                   |                              |                   |                   |                |
|-----|------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|----------------------------------|------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|----------------|
| 1.  |                                                            | 15 January 2025                                                                        |                  | 30 June 2025                     |            | 30 December 2025                    |                 | 15 January 2026                   |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     | Foreign Exchange Reserve (in million US\$)                 | 25180.39                                                                               | 20129.40 (BPM6)  | 31723.79                         | 26707.31   | 33186.94                            | 28517.95 (BPM6) | 32624.87                          | 28029.87 (BPM6)              |                   |                   |                |
| 2.  |                                                            | 15 January 2025                                                                        |                  | 30 June 2025                     |            | 30 December 2025                    |                 | 15 January 2026                   |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     | Interbank Taka-USD Exchange Rate (average)                 | 122.0000                                                                               |                  | 122.7735                         |            | 122.2954                            |                 | 122.3140                          |                              |                   |                   |                |
| 3.  |                                                            | 15 January 2025                                                                        |                  | 30 June 2025                     |            | 30 December 2025                    |                 | 15 January 2026                   |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     | Overnight Call Money Rate                                  | 15 January 2025                                                                        |                  | 30 June 2025                     |            | 30 December 2025                    |                 | 15 January 2026                   |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     | Weighted Average Rate (in Percent)                         | 10.12                                                                                  |                  | 10.05                            |            | 10.03                               |                 | 10.01                             |                              |                   |                   |                |
| 4.  | Broad/Overall Share Price Index                            | 15 January 2025                                                                        |                  | 30 June 2025                     |            | 15 January 2026                     |                 | Percentage change                 |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     |                                                            |                                                                                        |                  |                                  |            |                                     |                 | 15 Jan. 26 over Jun 25            |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     |                                                            |                                                                                        |                  |                                  |            |                                     |                 | 15 Jan.25 over Jun 24             |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     | a) Dhaka Stock Exchange (DSE)                              | 5142.52                                                                                |                  | 4838.39                          |            | 4958.99                             |                 | 2.49                              |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     | b) Chittagong Stock Exchange (CSE)                         | 14389.83                                                                               |                  | 13438.38                         |            | 13921.77                            |                 | 3.60                              |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     |                                                            | November, 2024                                                                         |                  | July-November, FY25              |            | November, 2025 <sup>P</sup>         |                 | July-November, FY26 <sup>P</sup>  |                              |                   |                   |                |
| 5.  | a) Wage Earners' Remittances (in million US\$)             | 2199.99                                                                                |                  | 11137.10                         |            | 2889.49                             |                 | 13038.29                          |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     | b) Annual Percentage Change                                | 13.99                                                                                  |                  | 26.44                            |            | 31.34                               |                 | 17.07                             |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     |                                                            | November, 2024                                                                         |                  | July- November, FY25             |            | November, 2025 <sup>P</sup>         |                 | July- November, FY26 <sup>P</sup> |                              |                   |                   |                |
| 6.  | a) Import (C&F) (in million US\$)                          | 5377.91                                                                                |                  | 27696.51                         |            | 5799.09                             |                 | 29125.90                          |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     | b) Annual Percentage Change                                | -8.71                                                                                  |                  | -0.24                            |            | 7.83                                |                 | 5.16                              |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     |                                                            | November, 2024                                                                         |                  | July- November, FY25             |            | November, 2025P                     |                 | July- November, FY26P             |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     | a) Import(f.o.b) (in million US\$)                         | 5055.87                                                                                |                  | 26012.87                         |            | 5481.63                             |                 | 27593.79                          |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     | b) Annual Percentage Change                                | -9.49                                                                                  |                  | -1.18                            |            | 8.42                                |                 | 6.08                              |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     |                                                            | November, 2024                                                                         |                  | July- November, FY25             |            | November, 2025P                     |                 | July- November, FY26P             |                              |                   |                   |                |
| 7.  | a) Export (f.o.b) (in million US\$)                        | 3798.84                                                                                |                  | 18075.84                         |            | 3647.48                             |                 | 18187.08                          |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     | b) Annual Percentage Change                                | 16.10                                                                                  |                  | 9.76                             |            | -3.98                               |                 | 0.62                              |                              |                   |                   |                |
| 8.  |                                                            | July- November, FY25 <sup>R</sup>                                                      |                  |                                  |            | July- November, FY26 <sup>P</sup>   |                 | FY25 <sup>P</sup>                 |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     | Current Account Balance (in million US\$)                  | -567.95                                                                                |                  |                                  |            | -695.55                             |                 | 149.00                            |                              |                   |                   |                |
| 9.  |                                                            | October, 2024                                                                          |                  | July- October, FY25              |            | October, 2025                       |                 | July-October, FY26                |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     | a) Tax Revenue (NBR) (BDT in crore)                        | 27854.39                                                                               |                  | 103409.17                        |            | 28473.00                            |                 | 119478.00                         |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     | b) Annual Percentage Change                                | 3.75                                                                                   |                  | 1.05                             |            | 2.22                                |                 | 15.54                             |                              |                   |                   |                |
| 10. | Investment in National Savings Certificates (BDT in crore) | November, 2024                                                                         |                  | July- November, FY25             |            | November, 2025 <sup>P</sup>         |                 | July- November, FY26 <sup>P</sup> |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     | a) Net Sale                                                | -3430.90                                                                               |                  | 1676.92                          |            | -293.41                             |                 | 2076.26                           |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     | b) Total Outstanding                                       | 347945.97                                                                              |                  | 347945.97                        |            | 340574.72                           |                 | 340574.72                         |                              |                   |                   |                |
| 11. |                                                            | November, 2024                                                                         |                  | June, 2025                       |            | November, 2025                      |                 | Percentage change                 |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     |                                                            |                                                                                        |                  |                                  |            |                                     |                 | Nov./25 over Nov./24              |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     |                                                            |                                                                                        |                  |                                  |            |                                     |                 | Nov./25 over June25               |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     |                                                            |                                                                                        |                  |                                  |            |                                     |                 | Nov./24 over June24               |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     | a) Reserve Money (RM) (BDT in crore)                       | 388455.90                                                                              |                  | 413179.00                        |            | 405352.20                           |                 | 4.35                              |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     | b) Broad Money (M2) (BDT in crore)                         | 2040784.90                                                                             |                  | 2174621.80                       |            | 2222812.80                          |                 | 8.92                              |                              |                   |                   |                |
| 12. | Total Domestic Credit (BDT in crore)                       | 2150832.90                                                                             |                  | 2284353.00                       |            | 2373393.20                          |                 | 10.35                             |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     | a) Net Credit to the Govt. Sector                          | 438647.50                                                                              |                  | 488177.80                        |            | 553910.50                           |                 | 26.28                             |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     | b) Credit to the Other Public Sector                       | 47861.20                                                                               |                  | 48488.30                         |            | 45653.00                            |                 | -4.61                             |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     | c) Credit to the Private Sector                            | 1664324.20                                                                             |                  | 1747686.90                       |            | 1773829.70                          |                 | 6.58                              |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     |                                                            |                                                                                        |                  |                                  |            |                                     |                 | 1.50                              |                              |                   |                   |                |
| 13. |                                                            | July- November FY25                                                                    |                  | July- November FY26 <sup>P</sup> |            | July- Nov. FY26 over July-Nov. FY25 |                 | FY25                              |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     | L/C Opening and Settlement (in million US\$)               | Opening                                                                                | Settlement       | Opening                          | Settlement | Opening                             | Settlement      | Settlement                        |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     | a) Consumer Goods                                          | 2580.26                                                                                | 2434.16          | 2854.75                          | 2414.07    | 10.64                               | -0.83           | -0.29                             |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     | b) Capital Machinery                                       | 689.05                                                                                 | 895.79           | 911.09                           | 745.59     | 32.22                               | -16.77          | -25.42                            |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     | c) Intermediate Goods                                      | 1714.33                                                                                | 1869.75          | 1747.74                          | 1562.96    | 1.95                                | -16.41          | -8.85                             |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     | d) Petroleum                                               | 3771.64                                                                                | 4160.73          | 3438.50                          | 3707.50    | -8.83                               | -10.89          | 6.42                              |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     | e) Industrial Raw Materials                                | 10256.48                                                                               | 9654.03          | 10299.42                         | 9694.39    | 0.42                                | 0.42            | 8.37                              |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     | f) Others                                                  | 9394.19                                                                                | 9103.22          | 10448.02                         | 9816.88    | 11.22                               | 7.84            | 6.97                              |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     | Total                                                      | 28405.96                                                                               | 28117.68         | 29699.52                         | 27941.39   | 4.55                                | -0.63           | 4.18                              |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     | Back to Back L/C                                           | 4729.55                                                                                | 4214.58          | 4119.37                          | 4051.50    | -12.90                              | -3.87           | 18.62                             |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     |                                                            | March, 2025                                                                            | April, 2025      | May, 2025                        | June, 2025 | July, 2025                          | August, 2025    | September, 2025                   | October, 2025                | November, 2025    | December, 2025    |                |
|     | 14.                                                        | Rate of Inflation on the basis of Consumer Price Index for National (Base:2021-22=100) |                  |                                  |            |                                     |                 |                                   |                              |                   |                   |                |
|     |                                                            | a) Twelve Month Average Basis                                                          | 10.26            | 10.21                            | 10.13      | 10.03                               | 9.77            | 9.58                              | 9.45                         | 9.22              | 8.96              | 8.77           |
|     |                                                            | b) Point to Point Basis                                                                | 9.35             | 9.17                             | 9.05       | 8.48                                | 8.55            | 8.29                              | 8.36                         | 8.17              | 8.29              | 8.49           |
|     |                                                            | Corresponding Period                                                                   | March, 2024      | April, 2024                      | May, 2024  | June, 2024                          | July, 2024      | August, 2024                      | September, 2024              | October, 2024     | November, 2024    | December, 2024 |
|     | a) Twelve Month Average Basis                              | 9.69                                                                                   | 9.73             | 9.73                             | 9.73       | 9.90                                | 9.95            | 9.97                              | 10.05                        | 10.22             | 10.34             |                |
|     | b) Point to Point Basis                                    | 9.81                                                                                   | 9.74             | 9.89                             | 9.72       | 11.66                               | 10.49           | 9.92                              | 10.87                        | 11.38             | 10.89             |                |
| 15. | Classified Loan                                            | September, 2023                                                                        | December, 2023   | March, 2024                      |            | June, 2024                          | September, 2024 | December, 2024                    | March, 2025                  | June, 2025        | September, 2025   |                |
|     | a) % of Classified Loan to Total Outstanding               | 9.93                                                                                   | 9.00             | 11.11                            |            | 12.56                               | 16.93           | 20.20                             | 24.13                        | 34.40             | 35.73             |                |
|     | b) % of Net Classified Loan to Net Outstanding             | 1.22                                                                                   | 0.59             | 2.44                             |            | 3.68                                | 5.89            | 10.57                             | 15.00                        | 25.08             | 26.40             |                |
| 16. | Agricultural and Non-farm Rural Credit (BDT in crore)      | October,24                                                                             | November,24      | July-November, FY25              |            | October,25                          | November,25     | July-November, FY26               | FY25                         | FY24              | FY23              |                |
|     | a) Disbursement *                                          | 2933.18                                                                                | 3689.79          | 13081.15                         |            | 3438.30                             | 4164.90         | 16092.67                          | 37326.52                     | 37153.90          | 32829.89          |                |
|     | b) Recovery                                                | 3112.45                                                                                | 3747.08          | 16069.50                         |            | 3446.85                             | 3826.97         | 17818.21                          | 38024.50                     | 35571.62          | 33010.09          |                |
|     | c) Outstanding                                             | 55084.42                                                                               | 54809.59         | 54809.59                         |            | 59880.74                            | 60718.03        | 60718.03                          | 60232.42                     | 58119.59          | 52704.45          |                |
| 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 <sup>P</sup> | FY26 <sup>P</sup> | FY25              |                |
|     | a) Disbursement                                            | 53107.48                                                                               | 54526.41         | 44202.85                         |            | 62580.78                            | 47813.01        | 51176.29                          | 48144.08                     | 48144.08          | 205493.16         |                |
|     | b) Outstanding                                             | 303970.10                                                                              | 306119.87        | 299958.54                        |            | 313175.76                           | 302174.59       | 310761.69                         | 312512.32                    | 312512.32         | 310713.40         |                |
| 18. | Industrial Term Loan (BDT in crore)**                      | Jan-Mar, FY24                                                                          | April-June, FY24 | July-Sept., FY25                 |            | Oct.-Dec, FY25                      | Jan-Mar, FY25   | Apr-June, FY25                    | July-Sept, FY26              | FY25              | FY24              |                |
|     | a) Disbursement                                            | 20061.00                                                                               | 20773.00         | 22146.00                         |            | 31082.00                            | 19614.47        | 24296.00                          | 24771.29                     | 97138.47          | 88738.00          |                |
|     | b) Recovery                                                | 21148.00                                                                               | 20478.00         | 20505.00                         |            | 33175.00                            | 26436.36        | 27181.00                          | 28922.09                     | 107297.36         | 94148.00          |                |
|     | c) Outstanding                                             | 331247.00                                                                              | 343338.00        | 359498.00                        |            | 379994.00                           | 389282.43       | 384854.00                         | 399245.05                    | 384854.00         | 343338.00         |                |
| 19. |                                                            | FY17                                                                                   | FY18             | FY19                             |            | FY20                                | FY21            | FY22                              | FY23                         | FY24 <sup>R</sup> | FY25 <sup>P</sup> |                |
|     | GDP Growth Rate (Base: 2015-16)                            | 6.59                                                                                   | 7.32             | 7.88                             |            | 3.45                                | 6.94            | 7.10                              | 5.78                         | 4.22              | 3.97              |                |

Note: \* = About 41.26 % of the target for agricultural credit disbursement has been achieved in July- November, FY26, \*\* = Source: Statistics Department, Bangladesh Bank.

P=Provisional, R=Revised.

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