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Date: October 31, 2021 [Period: October 24 to October 31, 2021]

Money Market			
Parameters	Current Period	Earlier Period	Δ (Change)
Average Call Money Rate	2.33	2.26	3.09
Call Money Lending (crore BDT)	7,766.01	8,375.48	-7.27
Weighted Average Deposit Rate	4.05	4.05	0
Weighted Average Lending Rate	7.24	7.24	0
Spread	3.19	3.19	0
Classified Loan % Total Outstanding	8.18	8.18	0

Capital Market			
Parameters	Current Period	Earlier Period	Δ (Change)
DSEX	7,000.94	7,005.70	-0.06
CSCX	12305.08	12361.38	-0.45
CASPI	20480.31	20570.57	-0.43
DJIA	35,819.56	35,677.02	0.39
FTSE 100	7,237.57	7,204.55	0.45
Nikkei 225	28,892.69	28,804.85	0.30

Commodity Market			
Parameters	Current Period	Earlier Period	Δ (Change)
Crude Oil (Brent) [USD/bbl]	83.72	83.76	-0.04
Gold Spot (USD/t oz.)	1,783.38	1,792.65	-0.51
Wheat (CBOT) [USD/bu]	772.75	756.00	2.21
Soyabean Oil (CBOT) [USD/lb]	61.27	62.09	-1.32

Major Local Economic Indices			
Parameters	Current Period	Earlier Period	Δ (Change)
GDP Growth Rate (%)	5.47	5.47	0
Inflation (%) (12 Months Average)	5.50	5.53	-0.54
Export	4165.45	4165.45	0
Import (C&F)	6583.30	6583.30	0
Foreign Remittance	1726.29	1726.29	0
FX Reserve	46547.39	46194.99	0.76

* Figures are expressed in Million US\$ unless otherwise mentioned

Major Global Economic Indices			
Country	GDP Growth Rate	Inflation	Unemployment Rate
United States	6.7	5.4	4.8
United Kingdom	5.5	3.2	4.5
Euro Area	2.2	3.4	7.5
China	1.3	0.7	5.1
India	2.1	5.3	6.9
Germany	1.6	4.1	3.6
Singapore	0.8	2.4	2.7

Important Business News Headlines	
>	NBR sees 16.72pc growth in Q1 '22
>	BRAC EPL to use OMS platform
>	Dhaka Bank held Business Review Meeting-2021 for Sylhet Region Branches
>	FDI inflow rises marginally
>	Diversified products, new EPZs to net in more FDIs
>	Roadmap to \$5 billion IT exports by 2025
>	ADB to provide another \$150m for CMSMEs

* Current Period refers to October 31, 2021 and Earlier Period Refers to October 24, 2021

* Source: Bangladesh Bank, Bloomberg, Trading Economies, Daily Newspapers.

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