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Money Market			
Parameters	Current Period	Earlier Period	Δ (Change)
Average Call Money Rate	2.31	2.61	-11.49
Call Money Lending (crore BDT)	8,823.87	5,368.07	64.38
Weighted Average Deposit Rate	3.99	4.01	-0.50
Weighted Average Lending Rate	7.15	7.15	0.00
Spread	3.16	3.14	0.64
Classified Loan % Total Outstanding	8.12	8.12	0.00

Capital Market			
Parameters	Current Period	Earlier Period	Δ (Change)
DSEX	7,017.22	6,987.45	0.43
CSCX	12399.59	12272.38	1.04
CASPI	20641.26	20434.41	1.01
DJIA	35,911.81	36,231.66	-0.88
FTSE 100	7,542.95	7,485.28	0.77
Nikkei 225	28,124.28	28,478.56	-1.24

Commodity Market			
Parameters	Current Period	Earlier Period	Δ (Change)
Crude Oil (Brent) [USD/bbl]	86.06	81.75	5.27
Gold Spot (USD/t oz.)	1,817.94	1,796.55	1.19
Wheat (CBOT) [USD/bu]	741.50	758.50	-2.24
Soyabean Oil (CBOT) [USD/lb]	58.46	58.78	-0.54

* Current Period refers to January 16, 2022 and Earlier Period Refers to January 09, 2022

Major Local Economic Indices			
Parameters	Current Period	Earlier Period	Δ (Change)
GDP Growth Rate (%)	5.43	5.43	0.00
Inflation (%) (12 Months Average)	5.48	5.48	0.00
Export	4907.68	4907.68	0.00
Import (C&F)	7854.60	7854.60	0.00
Foreign Remittance	1629.04	1629.04	0.00
FX Reserve	44989.10	44363.71	1.41

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

Major Global Economic Indices			
Country	GDP Growth Rate	Inflation	Unemployment Rate
United States	2.3	7.0	3.9
United Kingdom	1.1	5.1	4.2
Euro Area	2.2	5.0	7.2
China	0.2	1.5	5.0
India	12.7	5.59	6.9
Germany	1.7	5.3	5.2
Singapore	2.6	3.8	2.6

Important Business News Headlines
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jan-Nov RMG exports to US up 30.68pc • Tax collection 14.22pc up in H1 • JV to invest \$100m in hi-tech park • IDA to provide \$295m for EDGE project • Bangladesh's economic growth expected to be 6.4% in 2021-22: World Bank • Dhaka Bank to launch AI-based instant loans

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

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