Daily Market Summary


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Query Response
In response to a CSE query dated May 30, 2018, the Company has informed that there is no undisclosed price sensitive information of the Company for recent unusual price hike.

## PRIMEBANK

Stock Dividend Disbursement
The Company has informed that it has credited the Bonus shares for the year ended on December 31, 2017 to the respective shareholders' BO Accounts on May 31, 2018.

## MIRACLEIND

Credit Rating Result
Credit Rating Information and Services Limited (CRISL) has rated the Company as "A-" in the long term and "ST-3" in the short term along with a stable outlook in consideration of its audited financials up to June 30, 2017, unaudited financials up to March 31, 2018 and other relevant quantitative as well as qualitative information up to the date of rating declaration.

## PUBALIBANK

Q1 Financials
 for January-March, 2017. Consolidated NAV per share was Tk. 26.02 as on March 31, 2018 and Tk. 28.59 as on March 31, 2017.

## Others News Today

## Bangladesh Bank asks banks to keep spread within 4.0pc - Source: The Financial Express

The central bank has asked the commercial banks to keep their intermediation spread between the lending and average deposit rates within 4.0 per cent. To this end, it issued a circular on Wednesday. The Bangladesh Bank ( BB ) expressed concern over the recent trend of 'illogical' rise in lending rates. "In recent times, interest rates on different types of credit are being increased irrationally, which is a matter of concern," said the BB circular. "To keep interest rates on credit for different sectors excepting credit cards and consumer loans at rational levels, banks are advised to keep the intermediation spread within 4.0 per cent," it added. Earlier, the BB's Banking Regulation and Policy Department (BRPD) issued a couple of circulars on November 15 and December 14 in 2015 . It asked the banks to keep the intermediation spread within the "lower single digit" at 5.0 per cent. The BB's latest instruction has come in the wake of a slight rise in the intermediation spread of the banks to 4.40 per cent in March from 4.37 per cent in February. On the other hand, the weighted average interest on lending rose to 9.70 per cent in March compared to 9.55 per cent in February, official figures showed.

## Term loan, SME snare major loan portfolio of Standard Bank - Source: The Financial Express

Term loan and small and medium enterprises (SME) continued to grab the major loan portfolio of Standard Bank Ltd. As per the loan portfolio mix-2017 of the bank, term loan accounted for 21.92 per cent, SME 16.81 per cent, secured overdraft against TDR (term deposit receipts) 15.58 per cent and cash credit/murabaha 12.20 per cent of the total advances. The bank also focuses on increasing of deposit, procuring more low-cost deposits, improving net interest margin, low interest margin, fee-based income and non-funded incomes, strengthening the recovery against rescheduled, classified and written-off loans for reducing NPLs to a large extent through intensive recovery drive and early settlement of court cases. The bank in its 19th annual general meeting held on May 10 approved 10 per cent stock dividend for the shareholders for the year ended on December 31, 2017.

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