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Indian Economy & Policy

India on track for \$1 trillion exports in FY27: Piyush Goyal

India is poised to hit its ambitious \$1 trillion export goal by FY27, despite ongoing West Asia challenges, according to Commerce Minister Piyush Goyal. He expressed strong confidence, citing progress and the impact of free trade agreements and improved business ease. Discussions with the US on a trade pact are finalized, awaiting India's tariff advantage over rivals for implementation.



India, US trade deal can't be implemented until we have competitive advantage: Piyush Goyal

Commerce and Industry Minister Piyush Goyal on Saturday said India cannot implement the proposed trade agreement with the United States until it secures a competitive advantage over competing nations, indicating that tariff-related issues remain the final hurdle in the negotiations.



Indian Politics & Governance

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Nudged by RSS-linked body, several universities replace 'India' with 'Bharat'



Geopolitics (India Focus)

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Bangladesh issues countrywide alert fearing unrest on anniversary of Sheikh Hasina's Awami League

The party was disbanded by the Muhammad Yunus-led interim government after Hasina's government was toppled on August 5, 2024



Indian Stock Market & IPOs

Warsh's gamble: A quieter Federal Reserve could mean volatile markets, higher rates

New Federal Reserve Chair Kevin Warsh is significantly reducing the central bank's communication, particularly "forward guidance" on interest rates. This move, aimed at making markets less reliant on Fed signals, has already caused market volatility. Analysts warn this could lead to higher borrowing costs for consumers and businesses, contrasting with previous chairs who used guidance to stabilize markets and lower rates.



Dalal Street Week Ahead: Lower volatility signals calm, but resistance looms large

Indian markets concluded the week on a strong note, driven by consistent buying interest and a significant drop in volatility. The Nifty index, while trading within a defined range, showed resilience by defending key support levels. However, a formidable resistance zone overhead suggests a cautious approach. Investors are advised to focus on stock-specific opportunities and avoid aggressive positions until a clear breakout occurs.



Marketing, Brands & Consumer Trends

India's ethanol push faces a hidden challenge: The growing water burden

Much of the growth in first-generation (1G) ethanol production has occurred in states such as Maharashtra, where groundwater stress is already a pressing concern



Centre to raise ₹13,000 cr via OFS in three state-run banks

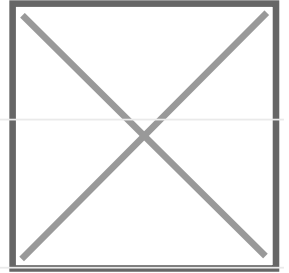
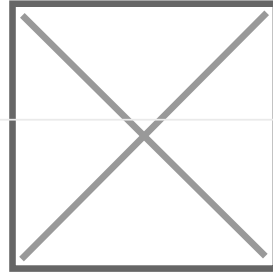
The government plans to raise around ₹13,000 crore through an offer for sale in Punjab & Sind Bank, UCO Bank and Indian Overseas Bank to meet the minimum public shareholding norms prescribed by the Securities and Exchange Board of India



Sports (Business & Governance)

20 new national records in three months: Behind Indian athletics' winning run

Gill non-committal on who India would pick between Rohit, Kishan & Jaiswal



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