

**Financial Market****Rupee gains on capital inflow hopes (BL-6)**

The rupee gained by around 15 paise against the dollar on Friday on expectations of capital inflows. It opened at 45.53 and strengthened to touch an intra-day high of 45.39. It weakened to touch an intra-day low of 45.54, but ended the day at 45.44, against the previous close of 45.61. The rupee opened with gains but weakened to the day's low after persistent dollar demand from oil companies and gold importing companies.

**Travel insurance sector may see 20% growth in 2010-11 (BL-6)**

The overseas travel insurance segment is expected to grow by nearly 20 per cent in 2010-11, in terms of premium collection, with corporates and tourists stepping up international travel.

**Banking****Solar energy powers remote branches of Karnataka Vikas Grameen Bank (BL-6)**

Ingali, a remote village in Belgaum district of Karnataka, is financially included and connected to the grid power supply. But the problem is the lack of quality power, thus affecting the day-to-day activities of the villagers including their banking operations.

**RBI****Reserve Bank to buy IMF notes worth \$10bn (BS-9)**

The Reserve Bank of India (RBI) has signed an agreement with the International Monetary Fund (IMF) to purchase notes up to \$10 billion to improve the ability of the international lender to provide timely and effective balance-of-payment assistance to member countries.

**Indian Economy****Capital goods, consumer durables lift Jan industrial growth 16.7% (BL-1)**

Indian industry has posted a robust 16.7 per cent growth in January on the back of spectacular increases in the output of capital goods and consumer durables.

**'Food prices to cool after rabi harvest' (FE-3)**

Food inflation in the country is likely to come down to 6-7% by the second half of 2010-11, said C Rangarajan, Chairman of the Prime Minister's economic Advisory Council.

**Corporate****Maruti set to cross 10L car mark in 2009-10 (ToI-17)**

Almost after 26 years it started selling cars in India, Maruti Suzuki is all set to become a million-plus baby as the company's production and sales are poised to cross the 10-lakh mark in the current financial year (2009-10), setting a new record for any Indian car company.

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