

Tajuddin Ahmad

Bangataj

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1st [Prime Minister of Bangladesh](#)

In office

17 April 1971 – 12 January 1972

President [Sheikh Mujibur Rahman](#)
[Syed Nazrul Islam](#) (Acting)

Succeeded by [Sheikh Mujibur Rahman](#)

Personal details

	Tajuddin Ahmad Khan
Born	<div>23 July 1925</div> <div>Dardaria, Dhaka, Bengal Presidency, British India</div> <div>(now Kapasia, Gazipur, Bangladesh)</div>
Died	<div>3 November 1975 (aged 50)</div> <div>Dhaka, Bangladesh</div>
Cause of death	Assassination
Nationality	<div>British Indian (1925–1947)</div> <div>Pakistani (1947–1971)</div> <div>Bangladeshi (1971–1975)</div>
Political party	Awami League (1949–1975)
Other political affiliations	All-India Muslim League (Before 1949)
Spouse(s)	Syeda Zohra Tajuddin
Children	Sharmin Ahmad • Simeen Hussain Rimi • Mahjabin Ahmad • Sohel Taj
Mother	Meherunnesa Khanam
Father	Maulavi Muhammad Yasin Khan
Relatives	Afsaruddin Ahmad (brother)
Alma mater	<div>Dhaka College</div> <div>University of Dhaka</div>

Tajuddin Ahmad ([Bengali](#): ; (23 July 1925 – 3 November 1975) was the first Prime Minister of Bangladesh and one of the leaders of the freedom struggle . He served as the Prime Minister of Bangladesh during the Liberation War of Bangladesh in 1971 . Tajuddin Ahmad played an important role in the formation of the first government of Bangladesh during the liberation war, which is better known as " Mujibnagar Government ". After independence, he served as the Finance Minister of Bangladesh till 1974. After Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman's family was killed in 1975, he along with three other national leaders were

imprisoned in the old Dhaka Central Jail . Old Dhaka Central JailHe was assassinated on November 3, 1975 while in custody.^[1]

Reference

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v • t • e	National symbols of Bangladesh
Main symbols	Amar Sonar Bangla (national anthem) • Notuner Gaan (national march) • National Emblem • Government Seal • Red-Green (national flag) • Bengali (national language)
Monuments and Memorials	Shaheed Minar (1952, martyr monument) • National Martyrs' Memorial (1971, national monument) • Martyred Intellectuals Memorial (1971, martyr monument) • Column of Independence (1971, independence monument)
People	Sheikh Mujibur Rahman (Father of the Nation) • Kazi Nazrul Islam (National poet) • M. A. G. Osmani (National hero)
Flora and fauna	Mango Tree (national tree) • Doel (national bird) • Water lily (national flower) • Royal Bengal Tiger (national animal) • Jackfruit (national fruit) • Ilish (national fish)
Other symbols	Kabaddi (national game) • Bengali calendar (national calendar)

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