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# Most assets of death row property tycoon Truong My Lan remain frozen, court rules

Most of Truong My Lan's assets, including shares in companies and hundreds of properties, will remain confiscated for the purpose of compensating bond fraud victims, a court has ruled.

# 20 US Peace Corps volunteers arrive in Vietnam to teach **English**

Twenty volunteers from the U.S. government's Peace Corps program have arrived in Vietnam to teach English in Hanoi and HCMC.



### Tsinghua University's wealthiest alumna Zhang Zetian embraces fall fashion

Zhang Zetian, the wealthiest graduate of Tsinghua University, has received accolades from fashion magazines for her chic fall attire.



### Vietnam gold ring price, global bullion values surge to new all-time highs

Vietnam gold ring price jumped 0.71% to a new historic peak of VND85.1 million (US\$3,368.30) Friday morning as global bullion values surpassed the \$2,700-per-ounce level for the first time ever.

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# **Union proposes** for overseas Vietnamese to be elected into **National Assembly**

The Union of Vietnamese People Associations in Europe has proposed allowing Vietnamese citizens living abroad to

both vote in and run for seats in the National Assembly.

### Five Southeast Asian nations agree to share aviation safety data

Five Southeast Asian nations said Thursday they had agreed to share aviation data and information among themselves, including reports of severe turbulence, to help make air travel safer.

Prime Minister Pham Minh Chinh has called on ministries and local authorities to expedite the development of expressways in the Mekong Delta, aiming to complete 600 km by 2025 and 1,200 km by 2030.

# Biggest supermoon of the year dazzles sky across Vietnam

The largest supermoon of the year lit up Vietnam's sky on Thursday night, offering stunning views from coastal to urban landscapes across the country.

# Man waiting for divorce sets wife on fire

A 64-year-old man in Phan Thiet in central Vietnam awaiting a divorce set his wife on fire during an argument on Oct. 15, leaving both with severe burn injuries.





Vietnam continues consultation with Laos, Cambodia after Cambodia exits development triangle

Vietnam will continue consulting with Laos and Cambodia to strengthen

cooperation after Cambodia's exit from the Cambodia-Laos-Vietnam Development Triangle Area, the foreign ministry said on Thursday.



# Terrorist behind deadly Vietnam attacks to be extradited from Thailand

Vietnam has deemed the extradition of a terrorist from Thailand who was behind deadly attacks in Vietnam "appropriate" to

ensure that all criminals are held accountable under the law.

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# **Dollar increases against dong**

The U.S. dollar gained against the Vietnamese dong Friday morning while heading for its third weekly gain in a row globally.



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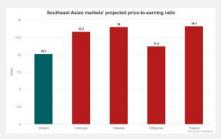


Quiz: How are durians harvested?

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# VinaCapital expects foreign investors to return to Vietnam stock market

Foreign portfolio investors will return, drawn by lower interest rates in the U.S., and attractive valuations, investment fund VinaCapital said.





Hermes bags of property tycoon Truong My Lan remain seized as court denies return request



Durian theft a concern for farmers in major growing areas as prices soar



Husband of death row property developer Truong My Lan receives 2 years for money laundering



Property tycoon Truong My Lan's niece sentenced to 5 years in prison



Death row property tycoon Truong My Lan gets life sentence for additional fraud charges



Vietnam stocks tiptoe up, Asian shares plunge to 3-week bottom

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# Musang King durian is not Malaysia's toprated fruit

Although Musang King is a renowned durian variety in Malaysia, it ranked eighth on the list of the 10 best-rated fruits in the country, according to international food magazine TasteAtlas.

# Thai-style sweet soup among best-rated durian dishes

Che Thai (Thai-style sweet soup), a popular Vietnamese dessert, has been ranked as one of the top nine dishes with durian, according to readers of the international food magazine TasteAtlas.

### Japan visitors spent \$39B through September, breaking annual record

Visitor spending in Japan broke an annual record in just nine months, official data showed on Wednesday, demonstrating the economic power of a tourism boom fueled by the weak yen.



# Southeast Asia's second largest economy expects 10 million tourists in final quarter

Thailand, whose economy heavily relies on tourism, targets at least 10.1 million foreign arrivals in the fourth quarter, representing a 25% year-on-year increase, to meet its annual target of 36.7 million tourists.



# Mountain province offers 30% hotel discounts to attract tourists back

Efforts are being made to draw tourists back to Ha Giang Province, which was hit severely by Typhoon Yagi, including hotel discounts.



# How South Korean tourists are spending money in Vietnam

South Koreans, who make up Vietnam's largest group of international visitors, mostly spend their money on luxury accommodation and high-end shopping in the country, industry insiders said.



# One of world's most beautiful streets in Vietnam to restrict vendors, beggars

Tran Phu Street in Hoi An, named one of the world's most beautiful by Architectural Digest, is set to ban plastic bags, begging, and street vendors as part of a plan to make it more civilized to foreign tourists.



# Why should you consume durian with caution?

While durian offers a wealth of nutrients, there are potential side effects that consumers, especially those with specific health conditions, should be aware of.

# I struggle to tell my family about my relationship with my former brother-in-law

I began dating my cousin's ex-husband a year ago, but I haven't told my family yet, fearing it may strain my relationship with them.

# **Clint Eastwood's daughter Francesca** arrested for allegedly assaulting boyfriend

American actress Francesca Eastwood, the daughter of director and actor Clint Eastwood, was arrested in Beverly Hills for domestic violence after allegedly getting physical with her boyfriend.



### Who is Gray Sorrenti, girlfriend of David Beckham's son Romeo?

Gray Sorrenti, girlfriend of David Beckham's son Romeo, has established a notable career in fashion photography, working

with prestigious brands like Saint Laurent, Loewe, Moncler, and La Mer, all by the age of 24.



# **Ashley Graham's** Victoria's Secret debut sparks mixed reactions over body diversity

American model Ashley Graham's debut at the 2024 Victoria's Secret Fashion Show drew

mixed reactions online, largely focused on her curvy figure.



# **South Korean** singer Seunghan departs from boy band RIIZE two days after comeback from hiatus

South Korean singer Seunghan has left the Kpop boy band RIIZE just



two days after returning from a yearlong hiatus.

# 5 health benefits of jujube fruit

Jujube fruit, rich in essential vitamins and minerals while being low in calories, provides several health benefits, such as promoting better sleep and aiding digestion.



# **Sports**

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Vietnam's top pool player beats former world champion three times at Reyes Cup



# Nadal defeated by 'animal' Alcaraz in Saudi Arabia as career nears end

Rafael Nadal admitted his fitness level was well off the tour's top players after falling on Oct. 17 in straight sets to fellow Spaniard Carlos Alcaraz, who described the exhibition match as "a little bit sad".



# 87 Vietnamese pool players banned for 6 months

The World Pool Association (WPA) has issued a six-month ban to 245 players, including 87 Vietnamese, for participating in the 2024 Hanoi Open without prior authorization.

Vietnam's number one pool player Duong Quoc Hoang boasted his third consecutive win against former world champion Francisco Sanchez Ruiz on Thursday and helped Asia move closer to victory over Europe at Reyes Cup in Manila.

# Real Madrid fans dismiss 'fake' Mbappe rape reports

Real Madrid fans rallied around star striker Kylian Mbappe on Thursday as the France captain battles a media frenzy linking him to a rape investigation in Sweden.

# Canadian ex-Olympic snowboarder wanted in US on drug, murder charges

A fugitive Canadian former Olympic snowboarder is among more than a dozen facing U.S. federal charges in connection with an international cocaine distribution ring that "orchestrated multiple murders," prosecutors said Thursday.



### Bahrain seeks neutral venue for World Cup qualifying match after receiving death threats from Indonesian fans

Bahrain Football Association (BFA) has expressed outrage after getting death threats from Indonesian fans and proposed moving the return leg of the World Cup qualifiers between the two teams to a neutral venue.



# Vietnam's top pool player continues to help Asia take commanding lead over Europe at Reyes Cup

Vietnam number one pool player Duong Quoc Hoang made great contribution in two matches and helped Team Asia extend their lead to 7-2 against Team Europe after the second day of Reyes Cup on Wednesday.

# **Perspectives**



Jesse Peterson

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#### **Readers' Views**

# How do we know if we're educating our children right?

As parents, we all want our children to succeed academically; after all, isn't that a sign of love and responsibility?

# Should we bring leftover food home after parties?

After a recent company party, I found myself wondering if offering leftovers to my colleagues was disrespectful or inconsiderate.



### High airfares keep Vietnamese migrant workers from returning home for Tet

As the Lunar New Year approaches, many Vietnamese workers are facing the harsh reality of skyrocketing airfares, making the dream of reuniting with family for the holiday seems out of reach.

#### World

Warner Bros Discovery to launch Max streaming in seven Asian markets in November

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Nigeria fuel tanker explosion kills almost 150

Harris mocks Trump after rally turns into bizarre dance-a-thon

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