

The Newspaper

SATURDAY, 03 OCTOBER 2026

The headlines of today's edition are dominated by the escalating tensions in the Middle East, with reports of Egypt warning Israel of a Hamas threat, a missile strike on an Aramco refinery in Saudi Arabia, and China's support for Iran's nuclear program. These geopolitical developments are juxtaposed with a focus on emerging technologies, including AI's risks, a record number of autonomous underwater drones, and investments in AI talent.

. . .

ECONOMY AND POLITICS

Bloomberg Markets: Egypt Warned Israel of Hamas Threat Before Oct. 7

BLOOMBERG MARKETS · SINGLE SOURCE

Bloomberg Markets reports that Egypt's former intelligence chief Abbas Kamel made a 67-minute trip to Israel in September 2023 to warn Israeli officials that Hamas was mobilizing for a major assault. This report provides new context on the intelligence and diplomatic efforts that preceded the October 7 attack.

[Bloomberg Markets](#) →

Irina: Huthi Missile Strike on Aramco Refinery in Riyadh

IRINA · SINGLE SOURCE

The Houthi group launched ballistic missiles at an Aramco refinery in Riyadh, causing a major fire at the facility.

[Irina](#) →

RT News: China backs Iran's 'legitimate right' to civilian nuclear program

RT NEWS · SINGLE SOURCE

China's UN envoy Sun Lei stated that Iran has a legitimate right to peaceful nuclear energy under the NPT, blaming the US, UK, Germany, and France for the stalemate. This highlights China's diplomatic support for Iran amid international tensions over its nuclear program.

"As a non-nuclear-weapon State party to the Treaty on the NPT, Iran should honor its commitment not to develop nuclear weapons, and its legitimate right to the peaceful use of nuclear energy should be respected"

[RT News](#) →

RT News: Latvia's Russian-speaking population faces critical rights crisis ahead of new parliament vote

RT NEWS · SINGLE SOURCE

Latvia's Russian-speaking minority faces a critical situation with shrinking language rights and a 'non-citizen' status that denies voting rights. The upcoming October 3 parliamentary election offers little hope for a political reset or the restoration of these rights.

[RT News →](#)

Rollo Chino: China establishes a record with 116 autonomous underwater drones

ROLLO CHINO · SINGLE SOURCE

Engineers from Northwestern Polytechnical University and Xi'an Tianhe Maritime Technologies formed a synchronized swarm of 116 TH-618 autonomous underwater vehicles in a 50-meter pool, demonstrating coordinated navigation and formation control without constant human input. This achievement highlights a significant advance in underwater swarm technology, which could enhance surveillance and exploration capabilities in GPS-denied environments.

[Rollo Chino →](#)

RT en Español: Trump announces distribution of millions of dollars in checks to 20 million people

RT EN ESPAÑOL · SINGLE SOURCE

Former President Donald Trump announced a plan to distribute millions of dollars in checks to 20 million people, a move that would be a significant fiscal stimulus. This proposal, if enacted, would represent a major economic intervention and could have wide-ranging effects on the US economy and its citizens.

[RT en Español →](#)

Negocios.com: US tests explosives to monitor China as the Middle East burns

NEGOCIOS.COM · SINGLE SOURCE

The United States is conducting tests of explosives for surveillance purposes in the Middle East, even as the region faces ongoing conflict. This dual focus underscores the US strategic priority of monitoring China while managing its immediate security challenges in the Middle East.

[Negocios.com →](#)

TECHNOLOGY

Bloomberg Technology: Bessent Says AI Industry Must Own Its Risks and Find Solutions

BLOOMBERG TECHNOLOGY · SINGLE SOURCE

US Treasury Secretary Scott Bessent criticized warnings from prominent AI figures about existential risks, calling them alarmist and unhelpful. He urged the industry to police itself and develop solutions to the challenges it faces.

[Bloomberg Technology](#) →

Generación IA: Musk predicts robot economy with high incomes for all

GENERACIÓN IA · SINGLE SOURCE

Elon Musk, according to Generación IA, envisions a future where robots and superintelligence create an era of abundance, offering high incomes and superior healthcare to all, a personal prediction he describes as the most probable outcome.

[Generación IA](#) →

Bloomberg Technology: RBI Governor warns next financial crisis may stem from war or cyber attack

BLOOMBERG TECHNOLOGY · SINGLE SOURCE

The Reserve Bank of India Governor, per Bloomberg Technology, stated that the next financial crisis could originate from a non-financial source, such as war or a cyber attack.

[Bloomberg Technology](#) →

r/ClaudeAI: Anthropic invests \$100 million to train 10,000 engineers and close the enterprise AI talent gap

R/CLAUDEAI · SINGLE SOURCE

Anthropic, according to r/ClaudeAI, is investing \$100 million to train 10,000 engineers in an effort to address the shortage of enterprise AI talent.

[r/ClaudeAI](#) →

DAILY READINGS

USD/BRL	2026-10-02 · European Central Bank via Frankfurter	5.2214
USD/CNY	2026-10-02 · European Central Bank via Frankfurter	6.7046
USD/EUR	2026-10-02 · European Central Bank via Frankfurter	0.8909
USD/JPY	2026-10-02 · European Central Bank via Frankfurter	157.67
USD/MXN	2026-10-02 · European Central Bank via Frankfurter	18.335

[READ ONLINE](#)