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Raymond soars to record high amid fresh buy ratings

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Synopsis

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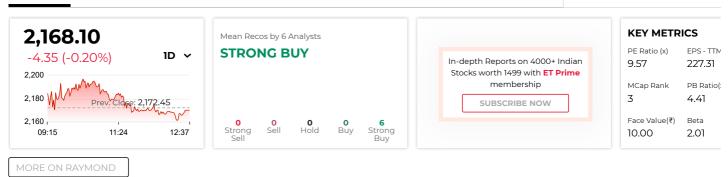
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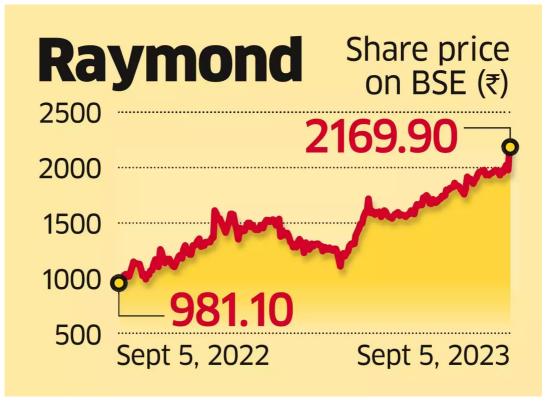
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