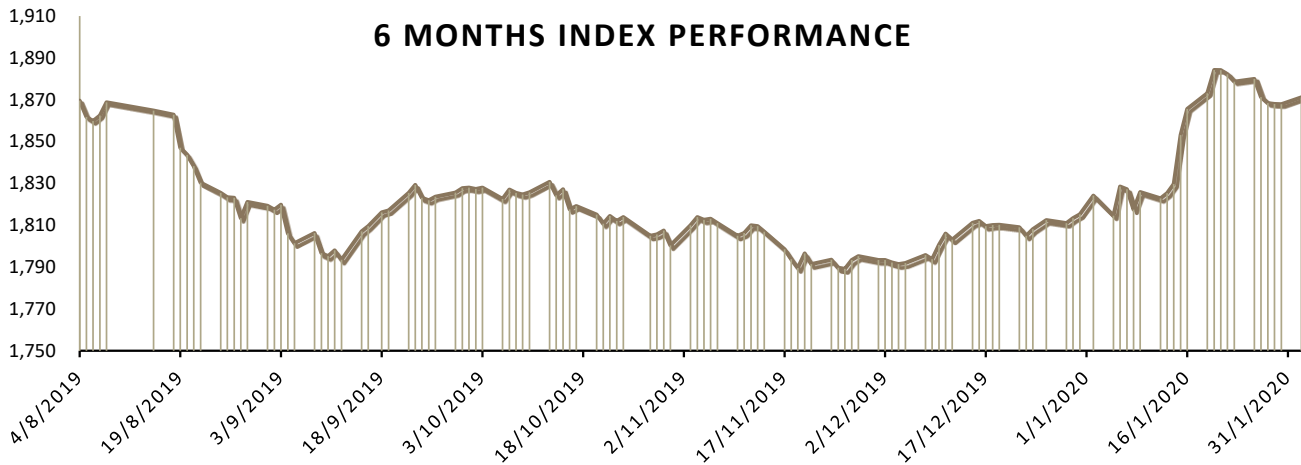


	Close	% Change	Year-to-Date (YTD)	Daily Volume (shares)	Daily Turnover (JOD)
AMMAN SE GENERAL INDEX	1,876.42	0.28%	-1.70%	4,075,003	4,426,226



Best Performing Companies

	% Change
AL-AMIN FOR INVESTMENT	4.88
SPECIALIZED INVESTMENT COMPO	4.60
COMPREHENSIVE MULTIPLE TRANS	4.55
BARTER CO FOR INVESTMENT & T	4.35
DEERA INVESTMENT & REAL ESTA	3.90

Worst Performing Companies

	% Change
JORDANIAN EXPATRIATES INV HL	(3.85)
ZARA INVESTMENTS	(3.92)
AL FARIS NATIONAL COMP FOR I	(4.20)
SAFWA ISLAMIC BANK	(4.35)
CONTEMPORARY FOR HOUSING PR	(4.88)

Top Traded Companies by Volume (Shares)

UNION INVESTMENT CORP	561,531
SPECIALIZED INVESTMENT COMPO	467,220
ALIA THE ROYAL JORDANIAN AIR	234,491
RUM TOURIST TRANSPORTATION C	190,358
SABA'EK INVESTMENT	159,180

Top Traded Companies by Value (JOD)

SPECIALIZED INVESTMENT COMPO	827,748
UNION INVESTMENT CORP	698,228
ARAB BANK PLC	489,933
CENTURY INVESTMENT GROUP	275,858
JORDAN ISLAMIC BANK	166,363

Macroeconomic & Corporate News

2019 expatriate remittances reached \$3.7bln: Central Bank of Jordan

The remittances of Jordanian expatriates in 2019 increased by 0.9 per cent as compared to 2018, the Central Bank of Jordan (CBJ) announced on Thursday. According to its initial data, the CBJ said that the value of remittances in 2019 reached \$3.7 billion, the Jordan News Agency, Petra, reported.

Informal economy constitutes around 25% of national income: study

Jordan's informal economy contributes around 25 per cent of the national income and employs around 46 per cent of the Kingdom's total workforce, according to a study recently conducted by two researchers from Al Quds Centre for Political Studies. Upon request, the centre shared the unpublished draft of the policy paper with The Jordan Times, titled "State of the Informal Sector in Jordan: Opportunities for Integration", conducted by researchers Bashar Suboh and Hussein Abu Rumman. In a statement, the centre said the study was conducted with three goals: Assessing the volume of the informal economic sector and the workers it employs, determining the factors that led to its establishment and development and exploring ways to integrate said sector into the formal economy. "Very few studies have tackled the informal sector in Jordan, and even fewer have done so on the national level," the study said in the introduction.

Queen Alia International Airport recorded 5.9% rise in 2019 passenger traffic

Queen Alia International Airport (QAIA) achieved a new milestone for annual passenger (PAX) traffic, receiving 8,924,080 PAX during 2019, according to recent statistics released by the Airport International Group (AIG). The number represents a 5.9 per cent increase compared with 2018, said an AIG statement made available to The Jordan Times on Sunday, adding that aircraft movements reached 79,740, indicating a 3.7 per cent rise, whereas handled cargo amounted to 102,459 tonnes, marking a 1.6 per cent decrease. In December 2019, QAIA welcomed 659,591 passengers, recording a 4.7 per cent surge as compared with the same month a year earlier. Furthermore, aircraft movements totalled 6,121, up by 2.5 per cent from December 2018, while handled cargo came in at 8,280 tonnes, down by 9.1 per cent, the statement said. The top five travel destinations in terms of the number of passengers during 2019 were Dubai, Istanbul, Cairo, Doha and Kuwait, the AIG study found.

* Source: Bloomberg, Jordan Times, Zawya

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