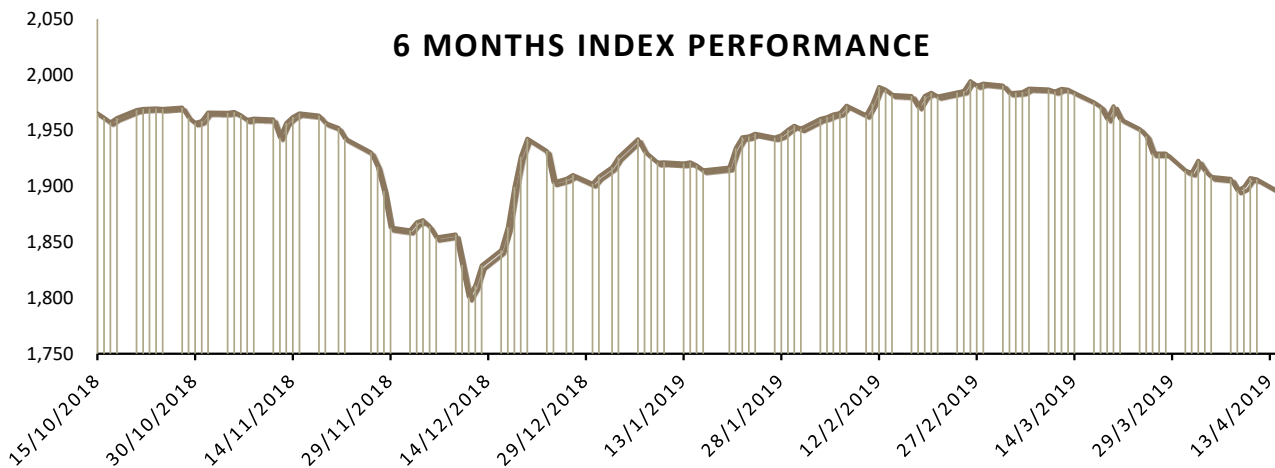


	Close	% Change	Year-to-Date (YTD)	Daily Volume (shares)	Daily Turnover (JOD)
AMMAN SE GENERAL INDEX	1,896.56	-0.10%	0.43%	3,852,043	3,521,776



Best Performing Companies

	% Change
ARABIAN STEEL PIPES	6.33
EMMAR INVESTMENTS & REAL EST	5.88
JORDAN NATL SHIPPING LINES	5.41
JORDAN PRESS FOUNDATI/AL-RAI	5.00
BABELON INVESTMENTS CO PLC	4.49

Worst Performing Companies

	% Change
TUHAMA FOR FINANCIAL INVESTM	(4.26)
INTL CO FOR MEDICAL INVEST	(4.41)
JORDAN PIPES MANUFACTURING	(4.46)
RUMM FINANCIAL BROKERAGE	(4.49)
MASAFAT FOR SPECIALIZED TRAN	(5.41)

Top Traded Companies by Volume (Shares)

SPECIALIZED INVESTMENT COMPO	646,749
AL-TAJAMOUAT FOR CATERING HS	406,747
TUHAMA FOR FINANCIAL INVESTM	320,625
AD-DULAYL INDUSTRIAL PARK CO	316,199
EMMAR INVESTMENTS & REAL EST	267,111

Top Traded Companies by Value (JOD)

SPECIALIZED INVESTMENT COMPO	703,731
JORDAN PETROLEUM REFINERY CC	318,510
RUMM FINANCIAL BROKERAGE	256,117
JORDAN PHOSPHATE MINES	218,168
UNION LAND DEVELOPMENT CORF	212,841

Macroeconomic & Corporate News

Amman Stock Market announces 'historic' JD686.8m in cash dividends for 2018

Dividends for the year 2018 at the Amman Stock Market (ASM) totalled at a "historic" JD686.8 million, a statement carried by the Jordan News Agency, Petra, said. The general assembly of public shareholding companies listed in the ASM approved their boards' recommendations to distribute the cash dividends for 2018, citing JD1.17 billion in total net profits, up 41.8 per cent from JD824.6 million in 2017, Petra reported. The banking sector won the lion's share, distributing JD533.5 million in dividends, with the Arab Bank presiding at JD288.4 million, approximately 45 per cent of its capital. Dividends of The Housing Bank for Trade and Finance and the Bank of Jordan reached JD47.3 million and JD36 million, at 15 and 18 per cent of their capital, respectively.

WB, IMF reiterate support for Jordan's economic growth, reforms

Minister of Planning and International Cooperation Mary Kawar on Monday concluded her working visit to Washington, DC, after participating in the Spring Meetings of the World Bank (WB) and the International Monetary Fund (IMF). Kawar, Jordan's governor at the WB, co-chaired a roundtable meeting with Jordan's main donors to follow up on the outcomes of London conference in February, entitled "Jordan: Growth and Opportunity — the London Initiative 2019", which was held in February. Representatives of the G-7, Gulf Council countries and donor organisations attended the meeting, a statement from the Ministry of Planning and International Cooperation said.

ASE still receiving Q1 financial statements

The Amman Stock Exchange (ASE) is still receiving the quarterly reports of the period that ended in March 31, 2019, from all ASE-listed companies, ASE Chief Executive Officer Nader Azar said. In a statement posted on the ASE website, he said the listed companies must submit quarterly reports reviewed by their auditors within one month after the end of the said quarter, in accordance with the market's directives. He added that the ASE will suspend the shares of the breaching companies as of the first working day following the deadline of receiving the reports until the companies submit the required reports.

* Source: Bloomberg, Jordan Times, Zawya

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