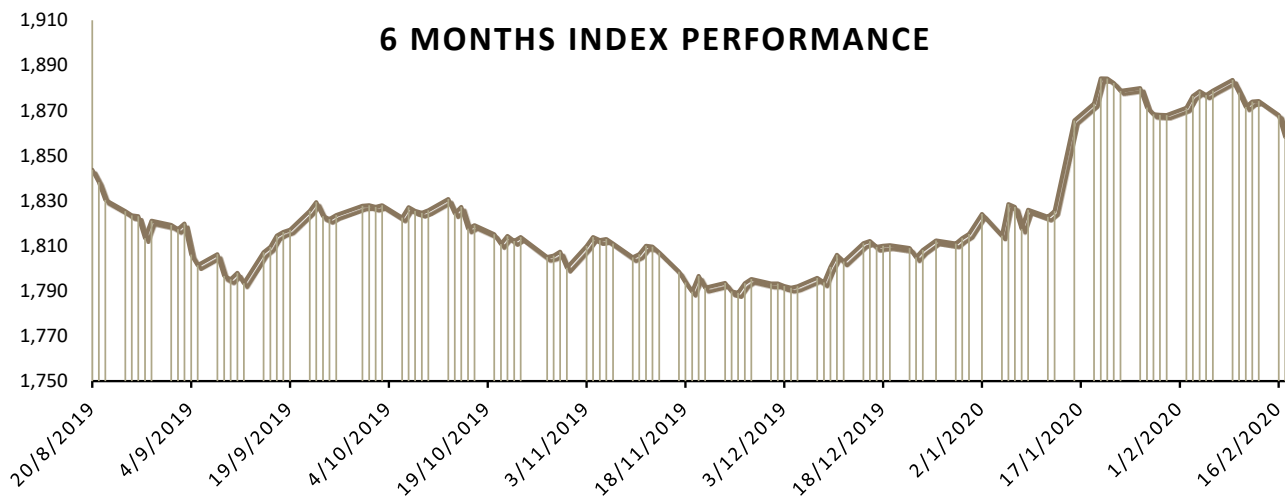


	Close	% Change	Year-to-Date (YTD)	Daily Volume (shares)	Daily Turnover (JOD)
<b>AMMAN SE GENERAL INDEX</b>	1,813.99	0.29%	-0.07%	5,805,000	6,565,907



**Best Performing Companies**

	% Change
AL EQBAL CO FOR INVESTMENT P	7.45
EMMAR INVESTMENTS & REAL EST	5.88
NOOR CAPITAL MARKETS FOR DIV	4.97
JORDAN PHOSPHATE MINES	4.73
AL-ISRA FOR EDUCATION & INV	4.65

**Worst Performing Companies**

	% Change
JORDANIAN PHARMACEUTICAL MAN	(3.57)
ZARA INVESTMENTS	(4.17)
COMPREHENSIVE MULTIPLE TRANS	(4.35)
CENTURY INVESTMENT GROUP	(4.83)
JORDAN MASAKEN FOR LAND & IN	(4.89)

**Top Traded Companies by Volume (Shares)**

RUM TOURIST TRANSPORTATION C	716,530
JORDAN PETROLEUM REFINERY CO	554,526
UNION INVESTMENT CORP	380,850
DEERA INVESTMENT & REAL ESTA	329,450
JORDANIAN ELECTRIC POWER	222,271

**Top Traded Companies by Value (JOD)**

JORDAN PETROLEUM REFINERY CO	1,835,081
UNION INVESTMENT CORP	441,407
ARAB BANK PLC	406,464
JORDAN PHOSPHATE MINES	348,136
RUM TOURIST TRANSPORTATION C	336,707

## Macroeconomic & Corporate News

### Jordan food industry witnessed 8 per cent export growth in 2019

The Kingdom's food industry sector accounts for 52 per cent of the local market share, contributing to food security and boosting the engines of growth, according to a representative of the Food Sector at the Jordan Chamber of Industry (JCI). The sector's adherence to the global standards and specifications, alongside its implementation of the international frameworks for food safety, led to an 8 per cent growth in Jordanian exports in 2019, Muhammad Jitan said in a JCI statement sent to The Jordan Times on Saturday. "The food industry in Jordan has various sub-sectors, including the dairy industry, canned goods, fruits and vegetables," Jitan stated, adding that the sector creates 5,000 job opportunities, which are mostly for Jordanians. The food industry also accounts for 15 per cent of the total number of Jordan's industrial facilities, with up to 2,645 industrial establishments, he added. "The value of exports during 2019 totalled JD530 million," Jitan said, citing the Jordan Food and Drug Administration data indicating that food factories' closure rate has been 5 per 1,000 for over three years as of now, which is a very small percentage.

### PM issues circular to implement gov't budget laws

Prime Minister Omar Razzaz on Thursday issued circular No. 4 to implement the State Budget Law and the Government Units Budgets Law for the fiscal year 2020, the Jordan News Agency, Petra, reported. This comes following the issuance of the Royal Decree to ratify Law No.4 for 2020, the State Budget Law for the fiscal year 2020, Law No.5 for 2020 and the Government Units Budgets Law for the fiscal year 2020, in line with the State Budget Regulation Law No.58 for 2008. Director General of the State Budget Department said in a statement that the issuance of this circular came to ensure the implementation of the State Budget Law and the Government Units Budgets Law in a "results-oriented" way that leads to achieving national goals and priorities. It also aims to reduce violations that may occur when implementing the general budget and provide the necessary financial and technical data in a timely manner.

\* Source: Bloomberg, Jordan Times, Zawya

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