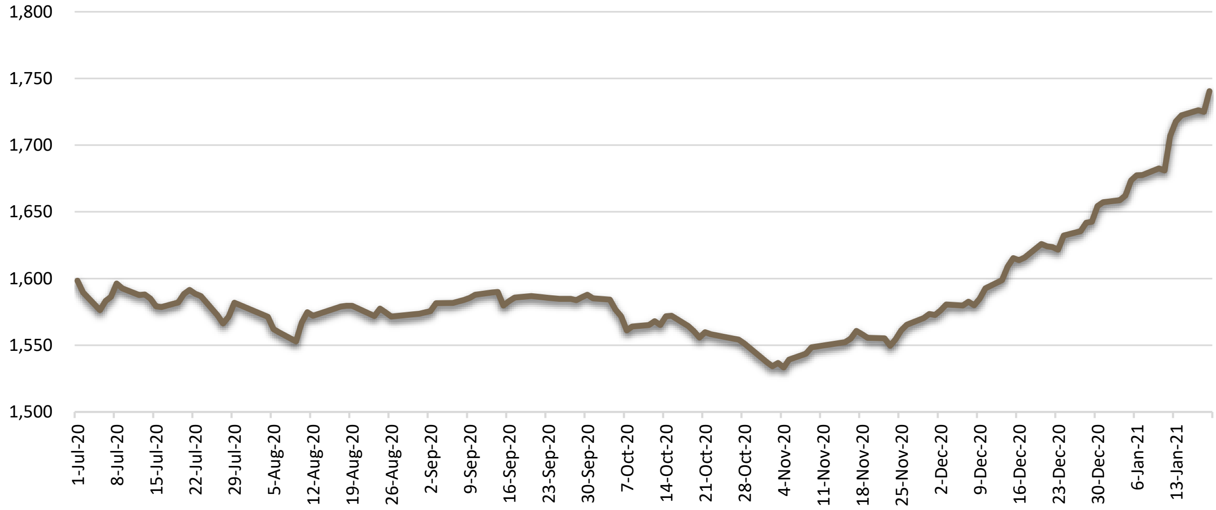
Amman Stock Exchange 19-Jan-21

	Close	% Change	Year-to-Date (YTD)	Daily Volume (shares)	Daily Turnover (JOD)
AMMAN GENERAL INDEX	1,740.49	0.89%	5.02%	7,869,545	6,460,182

Index Perfomance Graph



Best Performing Companies

	% Change
INT'L CARDS CO.	7.14%
NATIONAL STEEL	5.00%
JOR PHOSPHATE MN	4.95%
JOR INT INSUR CO	4.88%
SOCGEN BK - JORDANIE	4.67%

Worst Performing Companies

	% Change
JOR PIPES MANFACT	-3.13%
NAT/CABL/WIRE/MF	-3.33%
DAR AL AMAN	-3.57%
TRAVCO	-3.70%
AL-AMAL INV.	-4.62%

Top Traded Companies by Volume (Shares)

PHOENIX HOLDINGS	1,440,373
JORDAN IND.RES.	525,725
UNION LAND DEV	491,603
JOR STEEL	474,334
RUM GROUP	449,000

Top Traded Companies by Value (JOD)

UNION LAND DEV	945,796
INJAZ	554,521
PHOENIX HOLDINGS	451,695
JOR PETROLM REF	417,721
JOR PHOSPHATE MN	387,139

Macroeconomic & Corporate News

King, Egypt president discuss ties, regional developments

His Majesty King Abdullah and Egyptian President Abdel Fattah El Sisi held talks on Monday that covered the deep-rooted bilateral relations and the importance of bolstering cooperation in service of shared interests. During bilateral and expanded talks, attended by HRH Crown Prince Hussein, the King commended the distinguished level of coordination and consultation between the two countries on various issues of mutual concern, according to a Royal Court statement. The two leaders discussed means to bolster cooperation across all sectors, and expand Jordanian-Egyptian-Iraqi cooperation, while building on progress made at the three previous summits. Turning to the latest Arab and regional developments, foremost of which is the Palestinian cause, His Majesty reaffirmed Jordan's steadfast position, which calls for a just and comprehensive peace on the basis of the two-state solution, guaranteeing the establishment of an independent, sovereign and viable Palestinian state on the June 4, 1967 lines, with East Jerusalem as its capital, the statement said. The King welcomed the outcomes of the 41st Gulf Cooperation Council summit hosted by Saudi Arabia, which contributed to enhancing solidarity and stability in the Gulf Arab region.

Jordan, Japan sign $22.9 million grant agreement to upgrade Zay water station

Jordan and Japan on Monday signed a grant agreement of $22.9 million to implement a renovation project to the Zay station that provides drinking water to Amman and Balqa. The agreement was signed by Planning and International Cooperation Minister Nasser Shraideh, Japanese Ambassador to Jordan Shimazaki Kaoru and High Representative of the Japanese Agency for International Cooperation in Jordan (JICA) Noriharo Masugi, according to a ministry statement. The deal aims at improving the quality of services offered to citizens through rehabilitating the station that provides a daily amount of 245,000 cubic metres of drinking water to central region areas.

* Source: Jordan Times, Zawya