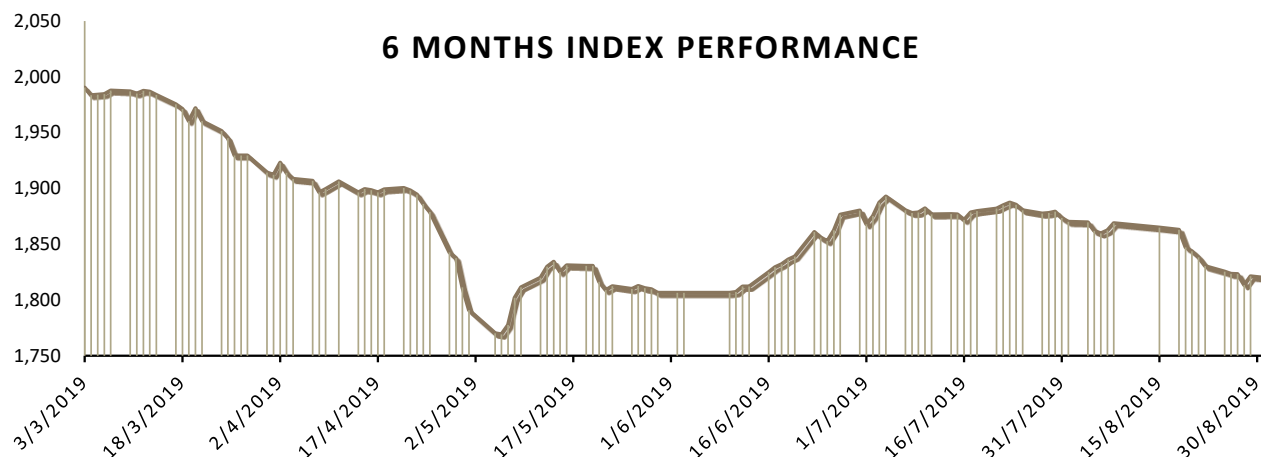


	Close	% Change	Year-to-Date (YTD)	Daily Volume (shares)	Daily Turnover (JOD)
AMMAN SE GENERAL INDEX	1,806.08	-0.76%	-5.38%	5,996,834	5,816,183



Best Performing Companies

	% Change
NATIONAL CABLE & WIRE MANUF	5.00
AKARY FOR INDUSTRIES AND REA	4.85
ARAB PHOENIX HOLDINGS	3.03
AL FARIS NATIONAL COMP FOR I	2.94
JORDANIAN PHARMACEUTICAL MAN	2.94

Worst Performing Companies

	% Change
RUM TOURIST TRANSPORTATION C	(2.90)
CONTEMPORARY FOR HOUSING PR	(4.17)
ZARKA EDUCATION & INVESTMENT	(4.58)
INTL CO FOR MEDICAL INVEST	(4.59)
ZARA INVESTMENTS	(4.92)

Top Traded Companies by Volume (Shares)

SPECIALIZED INVESTMENT COMPO	740,257
AL-TAJAMOUAT FOR CATERING HS	549,455
AL ENTKAEYA FOR INVESTMENT	358,800
RUMM FINANCIAL BROKERAGE	314,000
JORDAN AHLI BANK	276,992

Top Traded Companies by Value (JOD)

SPECIALIZED INVESTMENT COMPO	1,462,725
JORDAN PETROLEUM REFINERY CC	563,851
RUMM FINANCIAL BROKERAGE	511,820
AL ENTKAEYA FOR INVESTMENT	411,045
ARAB BANK PLC	274,496

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NON-JORDANIAN OWNERSHIP IN COMPANIES LISTED REACHED 50.4%

The value of shares that were bought by non-Jordanian investors at the Amman Stock Exchange (ASE) in August 2019 was JD26.1 million, representing 23.3% of the overall trading value, while the value of shares sold by them amounted to JD24.3 million. As a result, the net of non-Jordanian investments in August 2019 showed an increase by JD1.8 million, compared with an increase by JD11.6 million during the same month of 2018. The value of shares that were bought by non-Jordanian investors since the beginning of the year until the end of August 2019 was JD224.3 million, representing 23.7% of the overall trading value, while the value of shares sold by them amounted to JD266.7 million. As a result, the net of non-Jordanian investments showed a decrease of JD42.4 million, compared to an increase by JD27.9 million for the same period of 2018. Arab investors purchases since the beginning of the year until the end of August 2019 were JD129.4 million, or 57.7% of the overall purchases by non-Jordanians, while the non-Arab purchases amounted to JD94.9 million, constituting 42.3% of the total purchases. Arab investors sales amounted to JD162.1 million, 60.8% of non-Jordanians total sales, while the non-Arab sales amounted to JD104.5 million, representing 39.2% of the total sales by non-Jordanians.

ACI exports hit JD3 billion during January-August period

Exports of the Amman Chamber of Industry (ACI) grew to hit some JD3 billion during the January-August period, the chamber announced on Tuesday. According to data provided by the chamber, the value of the ACI's exports in the first eight months of 2019 totalled JD2.989 billion, compared with JD2.726 billion registered in the same period of 2018. India, Saudi Arabia, the US and Iraq accounted for more than half of the value of the exports, the Jordan News Agency, Petra, reported.

China to provide \$30 million for Salt road expansion

The Public Works Ministry and the government of China on Tuesday signed an agreement under which the latter will provide \$30 million towards the expansion of the Salt road linking Subaihi and Ardah intersections. The 12.5 km-long road will be expanded to a two-way road with four lanes, the Jordan News Agency, Petra, reported. Public Works Minister Falah Omoush, during the signing ceremony, expressed appreciation to the Chinese government for its continuous support, highlighting that the upgrade will serve various sectors including transportation, tourism and mainly agriculture.

* Source: Bloomberg, Jordan Times, Zawya

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