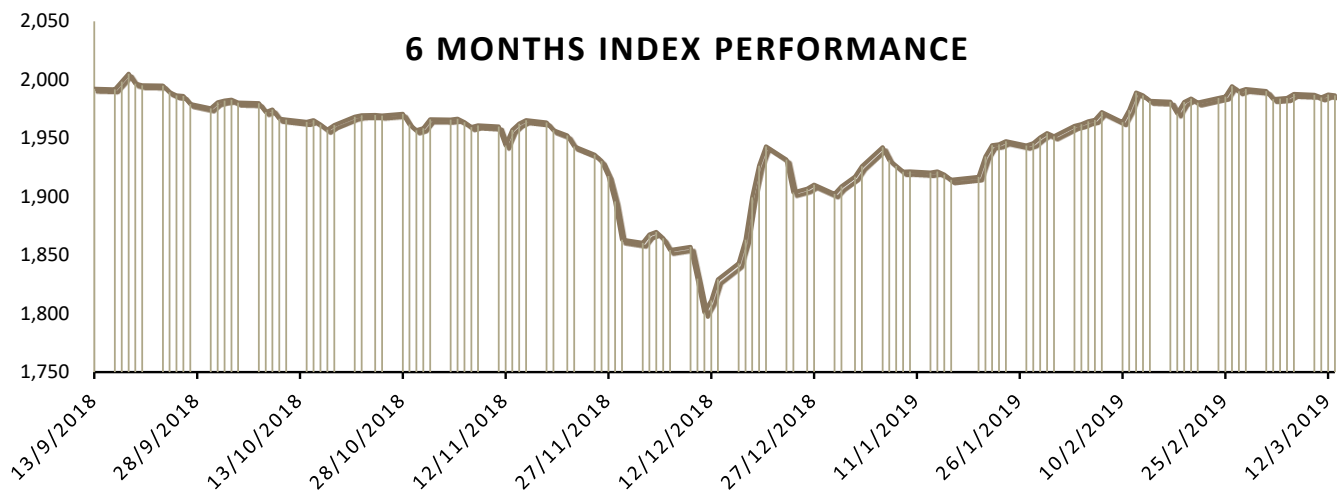


	Close	% Change	Year-to-Date (YTD)	Daily Volume (shares)	Daily Turnover (JOD)
AMMAN SE GENERAL INDEX	1,983.70	-0.15%	3.92%	4,586,001	3,856,782



Best Performing Companies

	% Change
ARAB EAST FOR REAL ESTATE IN	5.69
NUTRI DAR	4.94
REAL ESTATE DEVELOPMENT	4.88
JORDAN MASAKEN FOR LAND & IN	4.76
UNION LAND DEVELOPMENT CORP	4.71

Worst Performing Companies

	% Change
READY MIX CONCRETE & CONSTR	(1.96)
SPECIALIZED INVESTMENT COMPO	(2.06)
UNION INVESTMENT CORP	(2.52)
AL-TAJAMOuat FOR TOURISTIC P	(3.03)
SOUTH ELECTRONICS	(7.69)

Top Traded Companies by Volume (Shares)

ARAB PHOENIX HOLDINGS	1,079,389
AL AMAL FINANCIAL INVESTMENT	432,142
SPECIALIZED INVESTMENT COMPO	394,903
INTERMEDIATE PETROCHEMICALS	305,414
AL-TAJAMOuat FOR CATERING HS	172,406

Top Traded Companies by Value (JOD)

SPECIALIZED INVESTMENT COMPO	381,779
ARAB PHOENIX HOLDINGS	366,992
ARAB BANK PLC	355,128
AL AMAL FINANCIAL INVESTMENT	354,972
JORDAN PETROLEUM REFINERY CC	255,514

Macroeconomic & Corporate News

Arab Potash Company's partnership with Chinese SDIC to bring progress, jobs — PM

The government on Wednesday applauded the strategic partnership between China's State Development and Investment Corp. (SDIC) and the Arab Potash Company (APC) to develop potash manufacturing. The SDIC acquired the Canada-based company PotashCorp's 28 per cent stake in the APC for around \$500 million, the Jordan News Agency, Petra, reported. Prime Minister Omar Razzaz, during his meeting with the Chinese delegation headed by SDIC President Shi Hongxiang, welcomed the Chinese state-owned company's partnership with the APC, Jordan's leading mining company. Razzaz said that the APC- SDIC strategic partnership will develop the Arab Potash's fertiliser manufacturing capabilities and create jobs for Jordanians.

Zawati calls on renewable energy sector to support job-creating projects

Minister of Energy and Mineral Resources Hala Zawati emphasised on Wednesday the importance of coordinating efforts in the private renewable energy sector to support the sustainable productive projects that create job opportunities in various governorates across Jordan. During a meeting organised by the EDAMA Association for Energy, Water and Environment, and which included the representatives of companies operating in the sector as well as project developers, Zawati urged companies in the sector to uphold their social responsibilities and work together to create more jobs for Jordanians.

Jordan businessmen, officials go on trial in graft case

Two dozen businessmen, a customs chief and an ex-minister went on trial for tax evasion and bribery at Jordan's state security court on Tuesday in the country's most high profile corruption case in years. Prime Minister Omar al Razzaz put fighting graft high among his government's tasks after King Abdullah appointed him in June to defuse a crisis that saw some of the largest protests in years over unpopular IMF-guided economic policies and tax hikes. The prosecution said chief suspect Owni Mutee and his 28 other accomplices had evaded paying 539 million dinars (\$760 million) by bribing officials to dodge customs and taxes from a counterfeit cigarettes and tobacco production business. Among the charges facing all the defendants are "acts that endanger security of the society" and "endangering the economic resources of the country" under tough anti-terrorism laws.

* Source: Bloomberg, Jordan Times, Zawya

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