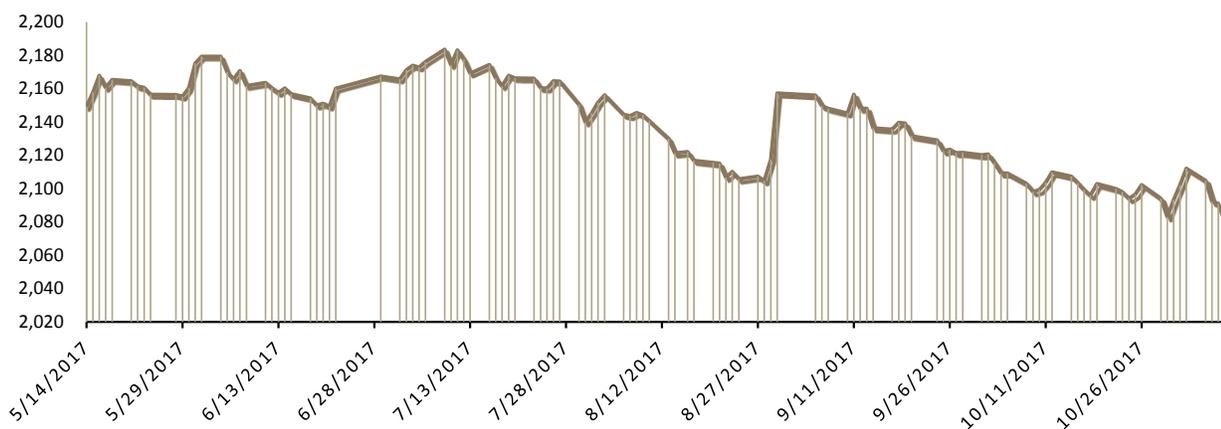


	Close	% Change	Year-to-Date (YTD)	Daily Volume (shares)
AMMAN SE GENERAL INDEX	2,082.81	0.14%	-4.03%	2,573,665

6 MONTHS INDEX PERFORMANCE



Best/Worst Performing Companies

Best Performers	% Change	Worst Performers	% Change
SALAM INTL TRANSPORT & TRAD	3.33	AD-DULAYL INDUSTRIAL PARK CO	(2.44)
NATIONAL CABLE & WIRE MANUF	3.33	FUTURE ARAB INVESTMENT CO	(2.50)
AL-TAJAMOQAT FOR CATERING HS	2.70	IRBID DISTRICT ELECTRICITY	(2.91)
INTL CO FOR MEDICAL INVEST	2.50	UNION LAND DEVELOPMENT CORP	(3.39)
AL-TAJAMOQAT FOR TOURISTIC P	2.33	AMAD INVESTMENT & REAL ESTAT	(4.67)

Top Traded Companies by Value

	Value traded (JOD)
UNION INVESTMENT CORP	297,633
CAIRO AMMAN BANK	285,326
JORDAN ISLAMIC BANK	193,349
JORDAN PETROLEUM REFINERY CO	185,386
BANK OF JORDAN	173,230

Top Traded Companies by Volume

	Volume traded (Shares)
ARAB EAST INVESTMENT	271,000
UNION INVESTMENT CORP	216,593
CAIRO AMMAN BANK	200,934
SPECIALIZED INVESTMENT COMPO	187,358
RUM TOURIST TRANSPORTATION C	94,574

Macroeconomic & Corporate News

New city scheme draws mixed reactions

Several members of the private sector have shown mixed reactions towards the government's national project to establish a new city in the Kingdom, expressing both optimistic and negative views over the newly announced plan.

The new city project, to be located to the east of Amman and southwest of Zarqa, was officially announced by the government on November 4, describing it as "one of the key strategic schemes" and a "significant step aimed at providing a better lifestyle for citizens, improving services and offering residences with lower costs," according to a statement sent to The Jordan Times. The project is part of the government's efforts to stimulate economic growth, and a strategic response to challenges facing the national economy through contributing to enhancing investment in national resources and assets, the statement said. However, the government "is not ready for such a megaproject," economist Zayyan Zawaneh told The Jordan Times, explaining that "building a new city would take years in any given economy, but the situation of Jordan is even worse."

King to inaugurate Parliament ordinary session today

His Majesty King Abdullah on Sunday is scheduled to open the Parliament's second ordinary session, where he will deliver the Speech from the Throne. The Senate will later convene a meeting chaired by President Faisal Favez to read the Royal Decrees that include one proroguing the Parliament's extraordinary session, a second adjourning its ordinary session until November 12, 2017, and a third summoning it to meet in an ordinary session as of Sunday, November 12. The Upper House will then elect members of the committee to reply to the Speech from the Throne. After the Senate meeting, the Lower House will hold its first meeting to elect the panel that will reply to the Speech from the Throne and the two deputy speakers and the speaker's assistants. The Lower House will also elect members of its 20 permanent committees.

Rolls-Royce to prepare feasibility study on small reactor

The Jordan Atomic Energy Commission (JAEC) and Rolls-Royce on Thursday signed a memorandum of understanding to conduct a technical feasibility study for the construction of a Rolls-Royce Small Modular Reactor (SMR) in Jordan, the two sides announced. The suggested reactor would have a 440MW capacity and would be used to desalinate seawater and generate electricity. The signing took place at the British embassy in Paris, between Alan Woods, Strategy and Business Development director, Rolls-Royce, and Kamal Araj, JAEC's vice chairman, according to Rolls-Royce media centre and a JAEC statement carried by the Jordan News Agency, Petra, on Saturday. They highlighted the growing international interest in small modular nuclear technology.

* Source: Bloomberg, Jordan Times, Zawya

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