

**4 March 2019**

Regional Markets	Index	WTD	MoM	YTD
Amman SE (ASE)	1,992.1	0.6%	2.4%	4.3%
Dubai FM (DFM)	2,635.8	0.1%	2.5%	4.2%
Abu Dhabi SE (ADX)	5,137.8	0.8%	1.7%	4.5%
Saudi SE (TASI)	8,492.7	-0.6%	-1.5%	8.5%
Kuwait SE (KSE)	5,231.7	-0.4%	1.0%	3.0%
Qatar SE (QSE)	10,111.6	-0.8%	-5.5%	-1.8%
Bahrain SE (BAX)	1,412.7	0.6%	2.4%	5.6%
Muscat SM (MSM)	4,144.5	2.2%	-0.4%	-4.1%

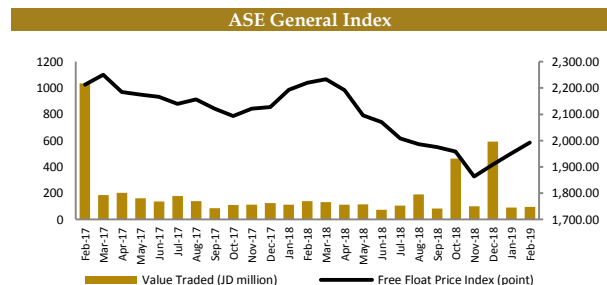
Source: FactSet

Sector Indices	Value Traded (JOD)	No. of Shares	Close	Change
Financial	18,319,742	20,491,636	2,745.3	0.72%
Banks	5,820,252	1,847,948	4,180.7	0.78%
Insurance	169,740	275,381	2,168.4	1.08%
Diversified Fin. S	5,213,657	6,079,858	1,325.2	1.32%
Real Estate	7,116,093	12,288,449	1,413.4	-0.68%
Services	3,992,144	4,138,076	1,330.3	0.15%
Industrial	2,934,346	2,108,386	1,966.5	0.54%

Source: ASE

## News and Updates

- Jordan's trade deficit dropped in 2018 by 4.2% to amount to JD 8,834.7 million, compared to a trade deficit of JD 9,220.6 million recorded in 2017. The kingdom's total exports amounted to JD 5,518.5 million in 2018, compared to JD 5,333.1 million recorded in 2017. Total imports amounted to JD 14,353.2 million in 2018, compared to JD 14,553.7 million in 2017. *Department of Statistic*
- The unemployment rate in Jordan in the fourth quarter of 2018 stood at 18.7%, compared to an unemployment rate of 18.5% registered in the fourth quarter of 2017. *Department of Statistics*
- Remittances from Jordanians working abroad increased in January 2019 to amount to USD 327.1 million, compared to USD 308.1 million recorded in January 2018. *Central Bank of Jordan*
- Siniara Food Industries (SNRA)** Board of Directors recommended to the company's General Assembly to approve the distribution of 12% cash dividends. *ASE*
- Ittihad Schools (ITSC)** Board of Directors recommended to the company's General Assembly to approve the distribution of 6% cash dividends. *ASE*
- First Finance (FFCO)** Board of Directors recommended to the company's General Assembly to approve the distribution of 4% cash dividends. *ASE*
- The Arab International Food Factories and Investment (AIFF)** Board of Directors recommended to the company's General Assembly to approve the distribution of 8% cash dividends. *ASE*
- Arab International Company for Education and Investment (AIEI)** Board of Directors recommended to the company's General Assembly to approve the distribution of 15% cash dividends. *ASE*



Market Breadth	Gainers	Losers	Unchanged
	53	58	35

Source: ASE

Top Gainers	Price	Change
Jordan Loan Guarantee Corporation	0.47	14.63%
The Jordan Pipes Manufacturing	1.29	14.16%
Alentkaeya for Investment & Real Estate Development Company	0.43	10.26%

Source: ASE

Top Losers	Price	Change
Amad Investment & Real Estate Development	0.72	16.28%
Injaz For Development & Projects	0.77	9.41%
Arab Orient Insurance Company	1.02	8.93%

Source: ASE

Most Active	Price	Number of Shares Traded
Al Amal Financial Investments	0.74	2,809,936
Amwaj Properties	0.14	2,788,600
Rum Group for Transportation & Tourism Investment	0.58	1,674,134

Source: ASE

Top Value Traded	Price	Value Traded (JOD)
Arab Bank	6.37	2,382,805
Al Amal Investments	0.74	2,252,590
Union Investment Corporation	1.19	1,435,155

Source: ASE

Trading by Investor Type (24 February – 28 February 2019)	Buy	Sell
Retail	67%	66%
Institutional	33%	34%

Source: SDC

Trading by Nationality (24 February – 28 February 2019)	Buy	Sell
Jordanian	76%	81%
Arab	15%	12%
International	9%	7%

Source: SDC



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