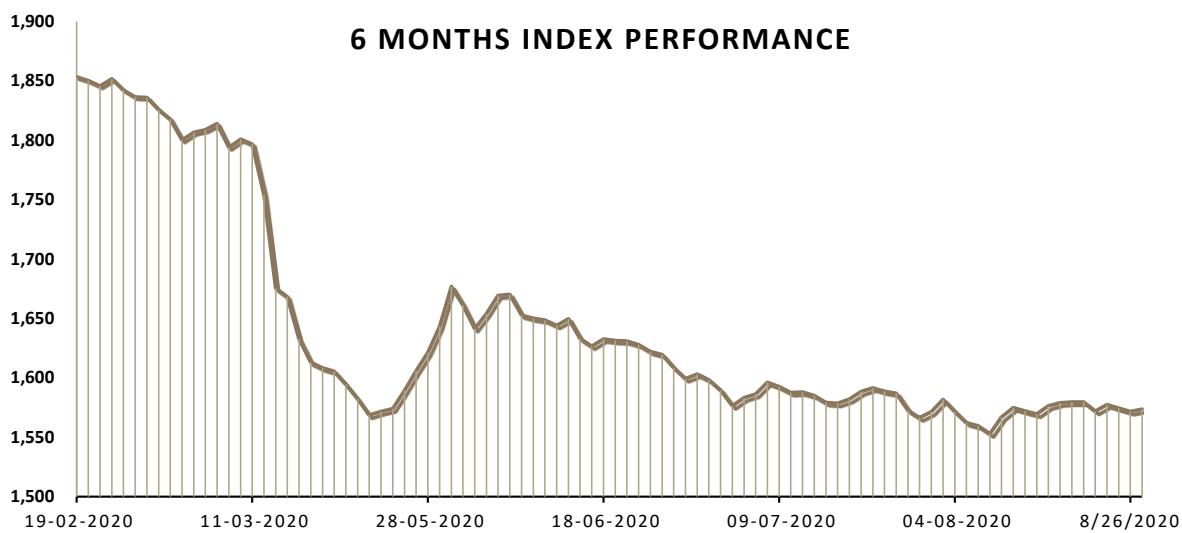


**Amman Stock Exchange**
**1-Sep-20**

	Close	% Change	Year-to-Date (YTD)	Daily Volume (shares)	Daily Turnover (JOD)
<b>AMMAN GENERAL INDEX</b>	<b>1,577.77</b>	<b>0.26%</b>	<b>-13.07%</b>	<b>4,964,674</b>	<b>3,266,344</b>


**Best Performing Companies**

	% Change
AMWAJ PROPERTIES	6.25%
NATIONAL CABLE & WIRE MANUFACTURIN	5.88%
INT'L ARABIAN DEVELOPMENT AND INVES	5.56%
SURA DEVELOPMENT & INVESTMENT PLC	5.00%
SINIORA FOOD INDUSTRIES PLC	4.88%

**Worst Performing Companies**

	% Change
AL-AMAL FINANCIAL INVESTMENTS CO.	-2.67%
SPECIALIZED INVESTMENT COMPOUNDS	-2.78%
TUHAMA FOR FINANCIAL INVESTMENTS	-2.78%
ARABIA INSURANCE COMPANY - JORDAN	-3.51%
ARAB ELECTRICAL INDUSTRIES	-3.70%

**Top Traded Companies by Volume (Shares)**

NATIONAL ALUMINIUM INDUSTRIAL	934,721
AMWAJ PROPERTIES	595,645
RUM GROUP FOR TRANSPORTATION & TOI	488,671
JORDAN ELECTRIC POWER	307,322
UNION INVESTMENT CORPORATION	260,070

**Top Traded Companies by Value (JOD)**

NATIONAL ALUMINIUM INDUSTRIAL	580,077
JORDAN ELECTRIC POWER	356,103
UNION INVESTMENT CORPORATION	281,272
RUM GROUP FOR TRANSPORTATION & TOI	205,244
ARAB INVESTORS UNION CO. FOR REAL ES	161,948

## Macroeconomic & Corporate News

### Jordan receives around \$700 million in US grant

The US on Monday provided Jordan with \$699.9 million, as part of the \$845.1 million annual aid from Washington's assistance to Amman. The first batch has been transferred in full to the Treasury, according to a Planning Ministry statement. The amount included \$350 million allocated to support the general budget of the Jordan Response Plan (JRP) to the Syrian crisis, the statement said. The ministry also said that signing the second batch of the US grant, at a value of \$145.2 million will be before the end of this year. Meanwhile, the amount of foreign assistance extended to Jordan by donor countries and international financing institutions in the seven months of 2020 totalled \$1.7 billion, the ministry said in another statement on Monday. The total sum comprised \$589 million for regular grants to support and implement development projects, according to a ministry statement. The amount also included \$507 million as soft loans and \$597 million as additional grants to support the JRP, the ministry said. The amount allocated to support the JRP included \$124 million offered to support Syrian refugees and \$123 million to assist host communities, while \$350 million directed to support the plan's general budget. Foreign assistance offered to the Kingdom in July amounted \$ 1 billion, including \$395 million for development projects, \$284 million as soft loans & additional grants to support the JRP, the statement said.

### September sees hike in fuel prices

The government's fuel pricing committee on Monday decided to raise the prices of a number fuel derivatives for September. With the committee's decision, the price of one litre of unleaded 90-octane gasoline will go up from JD0.655 in August to JD0.675 in September, according to an Energy Ministry statement. The price per litre of unleaded 95-octane gasoline will increase to JD0.890 in September, compared with JD0.875 in August. The prices of diesel and kerosene will increase to JD0.480 per litre in September compared with JD0.465 per litre in August, while the price of gas cylinders, as usual, will remain at JD7. Prices of oil derivatives in local market are calculated based on international prices, in addition to other costs, including shipping and taxes. The Energy and Minerals Regulatory Commission on Monday also decided to maintain the "differences in fuel prices" category on monthly electricity bills for September at zero fils per kilowatt-hour, according to a commission statement.

\* Source: Jordan Times, Zawya

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