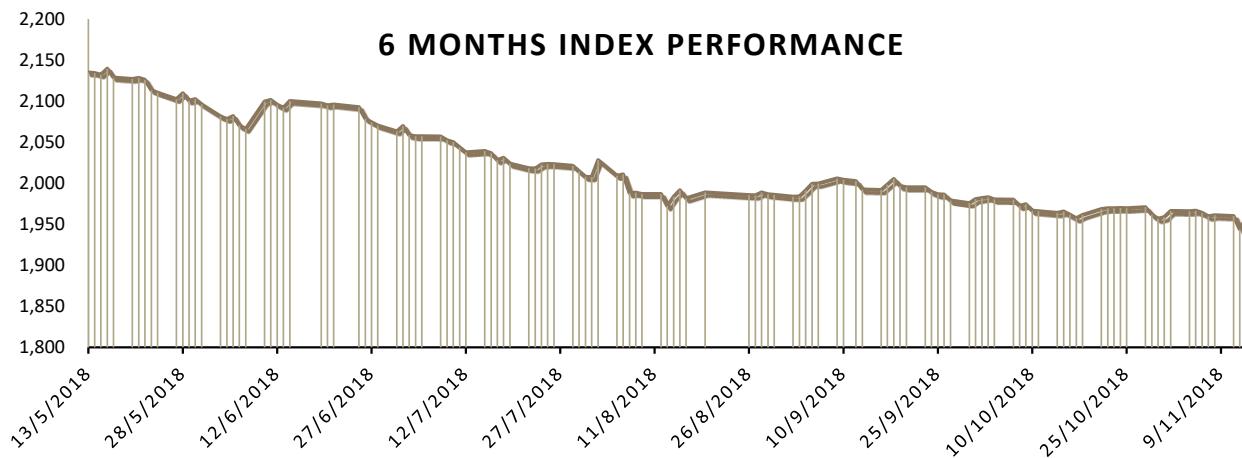


Amman Stock Exchange

14-Nov-18

	Close	% Change	Year-to-Date (YTD)	Daily Volume (shares)	Daily Turnover (JOD)
AMMAN SE GENERAL INDEX	1,962.38	0.27%	-7.73%	5,498,507	6,411,451



**Best Performing Companies**

	% Change
JORDAN MASAKEN FOR LAND & IN	4.80
NUTRI DAR	4.35
ARAB BANK PLC	3.01
SAFWA ISLAMIC BANK	2.61
CAPITAL BANK OF JORDAN	2.35

**Worst Performing Companies**

	% Change
TUHAMA FOR FINANCIAL INVESTM	(4.17)
ARAB UNION INTL INSURANCE	(4.35)
JORDAN STEEL	(4.44)
JORDAN TELECOM	(4.55)
AL AMAL FINANCIAL INVESTMENT	(5.17)

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

CAPITAL BANK OF JORDAN	1,073,798
SPECIALIZED INVESTMENT COMPO	679,634
SURA DEVELOPMENT AND INVESTM	671,085
AL ENTKAEYA FOR INVESTMENT	553,969
ARAB BANK PLC	236,502

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

ARAB BANK PLC	1,469,275
CAPITAL BANK OF JORDAN	923,274
SPECIALIZED INVESTMENT COMPO	759,600
AL ENTKAEYA FOR INVESTMENT	321,358
SURA DEVELOPMENT AND INVESTI	308,606

\* Source: Bloomberg

## Macroeconomic & Corporate News

### Jordanian, Russian ministers sign cooperation protocol

Jordan and Russia on Monday signed the protocol of the fourth meeting of the joint ministerial committee for development, trade, economic, scientific and technical cooperation. Minister of Planning and International Cooperation Mary Kawar and Russia's Minister of Agriculture Dmitry Patrushev signed the protocol in Moscow, a statement sent from the Planning Ministry said on Tuesday. The signing ceremony was preceded by a ministerial meeting that discussed cooperation in the fields of trade, economy and investment, agriculture, energy, industry, transport, communications, information technology, customs, education, culture,

### MPs start debating income tax bill after 'drastic' changes made

The Lower House on Tuesday began its deliberations over the 2018 amendments to the Income Tax Law, turning down a request by some MPs to reject the controversial bill completely. Of the 72 deputies present at Tuesday's session, 41 lawmakers voted against a request to reject the law and send it back to the government to make more changes. The 13-member Islamist Reform bloc issued a statement recently, calling on the House to reject the new law, citing the bill's impact on citizens' livelihoods. On Sunday, the House's Economic and Investment Committee wrapped up its amendments to the law, raising the income threshold for taxability for both families and individuals. The committee has held a total of 36 meetings with various segments of society on the new law, its head Khair Abu Saileik was quoted by the Jordan News Agency, Petra, as saying. He added that the panel has

### 13 per cent of Jordanian households spend more than JD20,000 a year

A survey on households' expenditure in Jordan showed that 9 per cent of the families' annual expenditure is less than JD5,000, while that of 13 per cent of the surveyed families exceeds JD20,000. Conducted by the Department of Statistics (DoS) in the period extending from August 1, 2017 to July 31, 2018, the study showed that households in Amman spent, on average, more than those in the remaining 11 governorates, according to the report the agency released on Tuesday.

\* Source: Bloomberg, Jordan Times, Zawya

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