

Weekly Trading Report (13/07-17/07) 2008
Al-Quds index closes at the level 697.24 points

Weak transactions dominates the PSE

Weakness continued in the market transactions this week to lower the market's value by %5.15 versus the previous week through trading 1.97 million shares that valued \$6.80 million, while prices that most of the shares attained had constituted elusive levels where it had been distinguished with scarcity in offers and bids. Al-Quds index registered a growth of %0.93 simulated by the increase of all sectors' indices when ended to close at the level of 697.24 points. In general (27) companies' shares were traded, where (13) witnessed an increase, (11) witnessed a decrease and the rest (3) companies' shares stabled.

The biggest gainer was services sector's index when it earned by %1.32 affected by PALTEL, which in its turn raised by %1.38 and closed at the level of JD 7.35 after trading 0.19 million shares that valued \$1.96 million. In the same sector, WASSEL also increased by %1.02 when ended to close at the level of JD 0.99 where PEC stabled at the level of \$1.02.

Investment sectors' index ascended by %0.09, where PADICO increased by %0.37 and closed at the level of \$2.70 after trading 0.76 million shares that valued \$2.05 million. In the same sector, PRICO retreated by %2.08 and ended closing at the level of JD 0.94, Where PIIC also decreased by %2.63 when closed at the level of JD 0.74. Moreover, UCI declined by %1.30 and ended the week at the level of \$0.76.

Banking sector's index advanced by %0.30 where BOP earned by %1.53 and ended to close at the level of \$3.98 after trading 0.21 million shares that valued \$0.86 million. On the other hand, The Capital Market Authority informed The Bank of Palestine with its primary approval on the entrance of IFC as a strategic partner in the bank. It is worth to mention that bank's board of directors had approved the mentioned institution- an affiliated financial institution of the World Bank – to enter as a strategic partner in the bank by %5 in the unsubscribed capital. In the same sector, QUDS fell back by %4.59 when it ended to close at the level of \$1.04 while AMB had ascended by %2.20 and closed at the level of \$0.93.

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Market Indices

Index	Beginning of the Week	End of the Week	Changes in Points	Change Ratio
Al Quds	690.81	697.24	6.43	0.93%
Banking	100.91	101.21	0.30	0.30%
Industry	63.41	63.73	0.32	0.50%
Insurance	68.01	68.15	0.14	0.21%
Investment	43.38	43.42	0.04	0.09%
Services	68.40	69.30	0.90	1.32%

Summary of the Week Performance

Item	Current Week	Last Week	Change Ratio	Daily Average of this Week	Daily average of 2007	Change Ratio
# of Shares	1,971,710	2,186,872	-9.84%	394,342	1,207,350	-67.34%
Value in JD	4,820,076	5,081,614	-5.15%	964,015	2,324,110	-58.52%

Most Active Companies This Week

Company Name	# of Traded Shares	Total value (JOD)	Open Price	Close Price	% Change	52 Weeks Price	
						High	Low
PADICO	763,766	1,452,041	2.69	2.70	0.37%	3.04	1.59
PALTEL	191,299	1,392,558	7.25	7.35	1.38%	8.24	3.22
BPC	182,500	801,088	4.43	4.41	-0.45%	5.47	3.77
BOP	217,764	612,487	3.92	3.98	1.53%	4.51	2.73
AIB	90,136	104,101	1.65	1.62	-1.82%	2.09	1.56
QUDS	116,180	86,124	1.09	1.04	-4.59%	1.50	1.00
GMC	85,669	80,018	0.94	0.94	0.00%	1.06	0.70
AMB	118,206	78,480	0.91	0.93	2.20%	1.06	0.78
PEC	70,081	50,950	1.02	1.02	0.00%	0.78	0.60
JCC	9,479	33,778	3.50	3.62	3.43%	4.00	2.90

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