

Daily Market Report

Wednesday, 29 December 2021

QSE Intra-Day Movement



Qatar Commentary

The QE Index rose 0.5% to close at 11,675.3. Gains were led by the Industrials and Real Estate indices, gaining 0.6% each. Top gainers were United Development Company and Vodafone Qatar, rising 1.7% and 1.2%, respectively. Among the top losers, Qatar General Ins. & Reins. Co. fell 5.1%, while Dlala Brokerage & Inv. Holding Co. was down 2.0%.

GCC Commentary

Regional Indices

Qatar*

Dubai

Kuwait

Oman

Bahrain

Abu Dhabi

Saudi Arabia

Saudi Arabia: The TASI Index gained 1.4% to close at 11,315.3. Gains were led by the Capital Goods and Software & Services indices, rising 2.3% and 1.8%, respectively. Astra Industrial Group rose 5.2%, while AI Moammar Information System was up 3.9%.

Dubai: The DFM Index gained 0.3% to close at 3,199.1. The Real Estate & Construction and Transportation indices rose 0.9% each. Dar Al Takaful rose 7.5%, while National General Insurance was up 7.1%.

Abu Dhabi: The ADX General Index fell 0.2% to close at 8,391.3. The Banks and Telecommunication indices declined 0.6% each. Fujairah Cement Industries declined 10.0%, while Abu Dhabi Natl Co for Building was down 8.8%.

Kuwait: The Kuwait All Share Index gained 0.3% to close at 7,046.3. The Technology index rose 4.2%, while the Insurance index gained 2.8%. Energy House Holding Co. rose 16.0%, while Munshaat Real Estate Project was up 12.2%.

Oman: The MSM 30 Index gained 0.9% to close at 4,141.1. Gains were led by the Services and Financial indices, rising 0.7% each. United Finance Company rose 5.4%, while Al Sharqiya Investment Holding Co. was up 4.5%.

Bahrain: The BHB Index gained 0.2% to close at 1,791.2. The Financials index rose 0.3%, while other indices ended in red or flat. Al Salam Bank rose 1.0%, while BBK was up 0.8%.

QSE Top Gainers	Close*	1D%	Vol. '000	YTD%
United Development Company	1.59	1.7	469.5	(4.2)
Vodafone Qatar	1.65	1.2	418.8	22.9
Al Meera Consumer Goods Co.	19.60	1.1	187.7	(5.4)
Aamal Company	1.04	1.1	1,202.0	21.2
QNB Group	20.10	1.0	2,353.1	12.7
QSE Top Volume Trades	Close*	1D%	Vol. '000	YTD%
Mazaya Qatar Real Estate Dev.	Close* 0.90	1D% (0.8)	Vol. '000 19,861.6	YTD% (28.6)
Mazaya Qatar Real Estate Dev.	0.90	(0.8)	19,861.6	(28.6)
Mazaya Qatar Real Estate Dev. Salam International Inv. Ltd.	0.90 0.81	(0.8) (0.2)	19,861.6 10,948.8	(28.6) 24.1

1D%

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Close

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11,315.32

7,046.34

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WTD%

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Market Indicators	2	28 Dec 2	1	27 Dec	21	%Chg.
Value Traded (QR mn)		251.	1	198	3.8	26.3
Exch. Market Cap. (QR mi	n) (666,187.	1	663,523	3.7	0.4
Volume (mn)		95.	-		1.7	32.9
Number of Transactions		7,88	-	6,1	-	27.4
Companies Traded		4	-		45	2.2
Market Breadth		21:2		13:		_
Market Indices	Close	1D%	W	TD%	YTD%	TTM P/E
	23,111.90	0.5		(0.2)	15.2	16.3
All Share Index	3,689.96	0.5		(0.2)	15.3	161.9
Banks	4,969.84	0.5		(0.2)	17.0	15.4
ndustrials Fransportation	4,032.13 3.561.92	0.6		(0.2)	30.2 8.0	16.7 17.7
Real Estate	1,781.08	0.0		(1.1)	(7.7)	15.3
nsurance	2.606.62	(0.6)		(1.0)	8.8	15.0
Felecoms	1,033.70	0.4		(0.1)		#N/A N/#
Consumer	7,992.30	0.5		0.1	(1.8)	21.3
Al Rayan Islamic Index	4,749.14	0.4		(0.3)	11.2	18.
GCC Top Gainers##	Exchan	ge (Close#	1D%	Vol. '00	0 YTD
Sahara Int. Petrochemical	Saudi A	rabia	43.15	3.1	2,707.	2 149.
Makkah Const. & Dev.	Saudi A	rabia	74.70	3.0	317.	0 16.
Al Rajhi Bank	Saudi A	rabia 1	43.00	2.9	2,867.	5 94.
Emaar Economic City	Saudi A	rabia	11.76	2.6	3,098.	9 27.
National Industrialization	Saudi A	rabia	20.44	2.6	3,196.	7 49.
GCC Top Losers##	Exchan	ge C	lose#	1D%	Vol. '000	YTD
Ezdan Holding Group	Qatar		1.32	(1.9)	9,691.9) (25.7
First Abu Dhabi Bank	Abu Dha	abi	18.80	(0.9)	13,499.9	45.
Qurain Petrochemical Ind.	Kuwait		0.35	(0.9)	689.8	3.3
GFH Financial Group	Dubai		1.19	(0.8)	7,118.5	5 100.7
Bank Dhofar	Oman		0.13	(0.8)	172.4	28.9
ource: Bloomberg (# in Local C omposite Large Mid Cap Index)	urrency) (##	GCC Top	gainers	losers der	ived from th	e S&P G(
QSE Top Losers		Close*	1	D% \	/ol. '000	YTD%
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D%	QSE Top Losers	Close*	1D%	Vol. '000	YTD%
4.2)	Qatar General Ins. & Reins. Co	. 1.85	(5.1)	5.3	(30.5)
22.9	Dlala Brokerage & Inv. Holding	1.23	(2.0)	1,585.3	(31.6)
5.4)	Ezdan Holding Group	1.32	(1.9)	9,691.9	(25.7)
21.2	Islamic Holding Group	3.84	(1.6)	244.8	(25.0)
2.7	Ahli Bank	3.85	(1.3)	2.8	11.7
TD%	QSE Top Value Trades	Close*	1D%	Val. '000	YTD%
28.6)	QNB Group	20.10	1.0	47,097.8	12.7
24.1	Masraf Al Rayan	4.85	(0.2)	24,488.6	7.1
25.7)	Mazaya Qatar Real Estate Dev	. 0.90	(0.8)	17,891.1	(28.6)
103.2	Qatar Islamic Bank	18.30	0.4	15,017.1	7.0
F 0	Ezdan Holding Group	1.32	(1 0)	12,783.5	(25.7)
5.6	Source: Bloomberg (* in QR)	1.32	(1.9)	12,703.5	(25.7)
	Source: Bloomberg (* in QR)	change Mkt. Cap. (\$ mn)	(1.9) P/E**		Dividend Yield
	Source: Bloomberg (* in QR) Exch. Val. Traded Ex	change Mkt.	. ,		Dividend
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3.6 Source: Bloomberg, Qatar Stock Exchange, Tadawul, Muscat Securities Market and Dubai Financial Market and Parket and Parket

MTD%

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(1.8)

YTD%

Qatar Market Commentary

- The QE Index rose 0.5% to close at 11,675.3. The Industrials and Real Estate indices led the gains. The index rose on the back of buying support from GCC, Arab and foreign shareholders despite selling pressure from Qatari shareholders.
- United Development Company and Vodafone Qatar were the top gainers, rising 1.7% and 1.2%, respectively. Among the top losers, Qatar General Ins. & Reins. Co. fell 5.1%, while Dlala Brokerage & Inv. Holding Co. was down 2.0%.
- Volume of shares traded on Tuesday rose by 32.9% to 95.3mn from 71.7mn on Monday. However, as compared to the 30-day moving average of 119.9mn, volume for the day was 20.5% lower. Mazaya Qatar Real Estate Dev. and Salam International Inv. Ltd. were the most active stocks, contributing 20.8% and 11.5% to the total volume, respectively.

Overall Activity	Buy %*	Sell %*	Net (QR)
Qatari Individuals	30.34%	39.78%	(23,708,492.8)
Qatari Institutions	19.34%	32.96%	(34,196,256.5)
Qatari	49.67%	72.74%	(57,904,749.3)
GCC Individuals	0.52%	0.19%	848,347.4
GCC Institutions	3.30%	2.49%	2,035,990.2
GCC	3.82%	2.67%	2,884,337.6
Arab Individuals	10.28%	9.26%	2,550,667.0
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Arab	10.28%	9.26%	2,550,667.0
Foreigners Individuals	3.41%	2.73%	1,722,821.0
Foreigners Institutions	32.82%	12.60%	50,746,923.7
Foreigners	36.23%	15.33%	52,469,744.7

Source: Qatar Stock Exchange (*as a % of traded value)

Global Economic Data and Earnings Calendar

Global Economic Data

Date	Market	Source	Indicator	Period	Actual	Consensus	Previous
12-28	Japan	Ministry of Economy Trade and Industry	Jobless Rate	Nov	2.80%	2.70%	2.70%
12-28	Japan	Ministry of Economy Trade and Industry	Industrial Production MoM	Nov P	7.20%	4.80%	1.80%
12-28	Japan	Ministry of Economy Trade and Industry	Industrial Production YoY	Nov P	5.40%	2.90%	-4.10%

Source: Bloomberg (s.a. = seasonally adjusted; n.s.a. = non-seasonally adjusted; w.d.a. = working day adjusted)

Earnings Calendar

Tickers	Company Name	Date of reporting 4Q2021 results	No. of days remaining	Status
QNBK	QNB Group	11-Jan-22	13	Due
ABQK	Ahli Bank	13-Jan-22	15	Due

Source: QSE

News

Qatar

- ORDS EGM approves US\$6bn merger of ops in Ooredoo-CK Hutchison deal – With reference to the previous announcement regarding the proposed merger between Ooredoo ("ORDS") and CK Hutchison Holdings Limited ("CK Hutchison") – Ticker: HK0001 (together the "Parties"), The Extraordinary General Meeting of Shareholders (EGM's) held on December 28, 2021 at Indosat Ooredoo's head office has approved the merger of their respective telecommunications businesses in Indonesia, PT Indosat Tbk ("Indosat Ooredoo") and PT Hutchison 3 Indonesia ("H3I"). Vikram Sinha will be Chief Executive Officer of the new entity. (Company Press Release)
- MRDS announces completion of a commercial transaction Mazaya Real Estate Development (MRDS) announced the completion of a commercial transaction consisting of the purchase of a residential complex consisting of 42 villas in The Muaither area, and the value of the transaction is QR66,500,000. (QSE)
- BLDN announces board of directors meeting results Baladna (BLDN) announced the results of its Board of Directors' meeting held on December 27, 2021 and approved (a) Acknowledged the Minutes of the last Board of Directors meeting dated October 28, 2021. (b) Approved Baladna's Budget for the year 2022. (c) Approved Baladna's Board of

Directors meetings calendar "tentative" for the year 2022. (d) Approved the proposed amendments to the Company's Articles of Association in compliance with Law No. (8) of 2021 dated 29 July 2021, amending some provisions of the Commercial Companies No. (11) of 2015, and to carry out these amendments in line with the applicable law and regulations. (QSE)

• Qatar's trade surplus widens by 15.8% on higher shipments of gas - Qatar's merchandise trade surplus surged by a monthly rate of 15.8% in November, hitting QR24.5bn (\$6.7bn), data from the country's Planning and Statistics Authority showed. Exports - which includes both domestic goods and reexports - went up by 13.9% to reach QR34.3bn. Jumps in shipments of petroleum gas and other gaseous hydrocarbons drove this increase, as they rose by 18.9%. In annual terms, exports soared by 106.6% in November. Observing the destination of these shipments, China received the bulk, purchasing 14.8% of Qatari exports. Japan and South Korea followed, with shares of 13.1% and 10.4%, respectively. Meanwhile, Qatar's imports experienced a monthly hike of 9.6% to stand at QR9.8bn during November, the authority said. Purchases of electrical apparatus for line, telephony and telephone sets underwent the highest rise, going up by 18.3%. Imports were 29.6% higher in November from a year ago. Again, China was the main partner in providing goods, selling

18.8% of foreign goods bought by Qatar. The US and Germany came next with shares of 11.2% and 7.2%, respectively. (Bloomberg)

- QCB: Qatar's macroeconomic environment expected to improve further with higher vaccination - Qatar's macroeconomic environment is expected to further improve along with increasing rate of vaccination, Qatar Central Bank said in its latest Financial Stability Review. QCB noted that the budget allocation of additional QR72.1bn for major projects related to World Cup was expected to provide necessary impetus for development activities. Proactive response to the Covid-19 pandemic by the authorities facilitated the economy to be back on track within five to six months since the strict preventive measures to contain the spread of pandemic was initiated. The policy package (QR75bn) to counter the economic impacts from the pandemic consisting of monetary policy and macro-financial measures has positively impacted the macroeconomic environment. The financial market conditions remained broadly in order after initial reactions, QCB said in its 12th Financial Stability Review. "Qatar banking sector remained unscathed supported by higher capital buffers and ample market liquidity. Banks have also increased their provisioning to mitigate probable risk from credit quality," QCB said. QCB's "proactive move" to provide liquidity support to the banks brought positive sentiments which assisted the banks to improve their funded liquidity from both external and domestic sources. More broadly, the banking sector has improved its structural liquidity by lengthening the maturity structure and expanding the geographical diversity of its external sources of funding. "Overall, amidst the negative externalities from the pandemic, the banking sector in Qatar remained safe, sound and liquid," QCB noted. (Gulf-Times.com)
- Activation of TIR transit system boosts trade The activation of TIR Transit Agreement in Qatar is contributing to the promotion of inter-national trade in the Middle East region. In June this year, the Inter-national Road Transport (TIR) system went live in Qatar, boosting the country's position as a strategic transport and trading partner and driving more efficient transport routes in the Gulf region. With Qatar set to host a series of major international events in the coming years, including the FIFA World Cup Qatar 2022, TIR is helping speed up supply chains, ensuring the secure and timely delivery of goods and services to and from the State. TIR, the only global transit system, allows goods to be transported from one country to another, via transit countries if needed, in sealed load compartments that are controlled by customs via a multilateral, mutually recognized and UN-backed system. (Peninsula Qatar) International
- Japan's jobless rate rises to 2.8% in November Japan's jobless rate rose to 2.8% in November, while the availability of jobs matched that of the previous month, government data showed on Tuesday. The seasonally adjusted unemployment rate compared with 2.7% in October and a median forecast of 2.7% in a Reuters poll of economists. The jobs-to-applicants ratio was 1.15 in November, labor ministry data showed, unchanged from the previous month and lower than a Reuters poll forecast of 1.16. (Reuters)
- China vows proactive moves to stabilize economy in 2022 China is seen adding stimulus to stabilize growth next year, with various ministries vowing more proactive measures to reverse the slowdown caused by a worsening property slump, weak consumption and the coronavirus. As downward pressure on the economy increases, China's top leaders made ensuring stability their top priority for next year, telling all regions and ministries to share responsibility in achieving that goal. Heeding the call, the central bank pledged to pro-actively introduce monetary policies

that are conducive to economic stability. The People's Bank of China will use a variety of monetary policy tools to keep liquidity "reasonable and ample" and ensure credit growth is stable, according to a statement on Monday evening after the bank's planning conference for 2022. On the same day, the finance ministry said it would proactively roll-out fiscal policies to stabilize growth, with greater cuts in taxes and fees planned for 2022. China's economy has slowed in recent months, with the property market slump hitting debt-laden developers and also undercutting industrial output, home prices falling, and investment and private consumption weak. The emergence of the omicron variant is an added threat to the economy as it could hit demand for exports and tighter restrictions at home could further damage spending. (Bloomberg)

- · Central Bank governor says China about to issue low-cost loans for emissions cuts - China's central bank will by the end of the month issue a first batch of low-cost loans to financial institutions to enable carbon emissions cuts, state-owned Xinhua reported on Tuesday, citing an interview with central bank governor Yi Gang. The People's Bank of China (PBOC) in November said it would provide 60% of the loan principal taken out by financial institutions for carbon emission cuts, with a oneyear lending rate at 1.75%, without specifying when the lending would be issued. The measure is in line with China's broader goal to bring emissions to a peak before 2030 and achieve carbon neutrality by 2060, as well as to shelter the economy from the fallout of the COVID-19 pandemic. China's economy, the world's biggest after the United States, faces the triple pressure of falling demand, supply problems and weakening expectations, Yi said, reiterating previous official comment. "The macroeconomic market must by stabilized," he told Xinhua. "In addition, it's necessary to let shareholders of companies, and local authorities shoulder the responsibility of risk events occurring in the market." Yi said the PBOC will keep its monetary policy flexible and appropriate, and liquidity ample. To further lighten the pressure on business, which in general can obtain corporate loans with an average interest rate of 5%, a record low, Yi said, the PBOC will increase the quota for refinancing to small businesses as necessary. He also said financial risks were under control and expectations for the property market have improved. (Reuters)
- Brazil lending grows in November despite worsening credit conditions - Credit conditions in Brazil worsened in November amid rising interest rates, central bank figures showed on Tuesday, but lending continued to grow both for companies and consumers. Lending spreads, which reflect the difference between banks' rates for giving out a loan and their cost to raise money, rose to 23.4 percentage points in November from 22.9 percentage points in October, the central bank said. That is the highest level since January. The amount of outstanding loans, however, increased 1.8% in November to 4.58tn Reais (\$811.50bn), which corresponds to 53.2% of gross domestic product. Overall, the credit market is being hampered by an aggressive monetary cycle being conducted by the central bank to tame double-digit inflation. Brazil's base rate Selic ended November at 7.75%, up from 2% in March, when it started going up. The central bank raised it to 9.25% in December and has already signaled another 150 basis-point hike in February. Still, the volume of corporate loans rose 0.7% in November to 4.6tn reais, and personal loans increased 1.9% to 2.9th reais. Loan growth over the last 12 months reached 13.8%, the central bank said. In its guarterly inflation report, the bank revealed it expects a 14.6% increase for loans this year. A broad measure of Brazilian consumer and business default ratios came in at 3.1%, compared with 3% in the previous month. (Reuters) Regional

- Saudi Arabia's November net foreign assets rise to SR1,676.9bn Saudi Arabian Central Bank SAMA has published foreign assets and reserves data for November on website. Total reserve assets rose to SR1,741.52bn from SR1,690.5bn in October Investment in foreign securities fell to SR1,119.1bn from SR1,119.9bn in October FX and deposits abroad rose to SR525.19bn from SR472.8bn in October (Bloomberg)
- Saudi Arabia's November M3 money supply rises 6.3% on year – Saudi Arabian Central Bank in Riyadh has published data on monetary aggregates for November on website. M2 money supply rises 4.2% from year ago. M1 money supply rises 5.2% from year ago. (Bloomberg)
- Saudis seen cutting Arab light OSP by \$1.25 to asia for February – Saudi Aramco may reduce the official selling price of Arab Light crude by \$1.25/bbl m/m for February sales to Asian customers, according to the median estimate in a Bloomberg survey of six refiners, traders. February Arab Light OSP differential estimated at \$2.05/bbl premium to Oman-Dubai benchmark vs \$3.30/bbl premium for January (Bloomberg)
- Saudi Chemical buys rights to Eli Lilly'S Cialis in Saudi Arabia – Saudi Chemical Co. signs agreement to acquire all prescription rights of Cialis (5mg and 20mg) in Saudi Arabia. AJA Pharmaceutical Industries, a subsidiary of Saudi Chemical, would become the manufacturer and supplier for Cialis in Saudi Arabia. Cialis annual revenue in Saudi Arabia is expected to reach about SR100mn. (Bloomberg)
- State media: Saudi Arabia to finalize Riyadh 2030 strategy next year – Saudi Arabia has delayed the launch of a major development strategy for the city of Riyadh up to 2030 until next year due to some "incomplete elements", the state news agency SPA reported on Tuesday. SPA said the development strategy for the capital is to be "finalized" in 2022. Saudi Arabia is investing \$220bn to transform Riyadh into a global city by 2030, and expects to attract a similar amount of investment from the private sector, the head of the royal commission for the capital told Reuters in January. (Zawya)
- SASCO to distribute 2% dividends for 3Q21 The board of Saudi Automotive Services Company (SASCO) has approved to distribute cash dividends, equivalent to 2% of the capital, for the third quarter (3Q) of 2021. The cash dividend distribution stands at 20 halalh per share, aggregating at a total value of SR12mn, according to a bourse filing on Tuesday. The entitlement date was set on Sunday, 2 January 2022. (Zawya)
- Saudi's SISCO, Amiantit consider IPO of subsidiary Tawzea at 15-30% stake, says CEO – Saudi Industrial Services Co., SISCO, along with its partner Amiantit are considering offering a 15 to 30% stake in an initial public offering of their subsidiary, the International Water Distribution Co. Tawzea. SISCO's Chief Mohammed Al-Mudarres told CNBC Arabia that no final decision has been taken with regards to the final stake and offer price. It will only be determined upon completion of the study by the designated financial advisor of IPO, Wasatah Capital. (Zawya)
- Saudi Central Bank issues draft rules on real estate refinancing The Saudi Central Bank has issued preliminary draft rules on new regulations for real estate refinancing companies. The rules aim to contribute to the development of the finance sector promoting growth and stability in the secondary market for real estate finance. The bank said these would provide better ways for real estate financiers to finance the beneficiaries' ownership of housing. (Zawya)
- Saudi Arabia to fully employ locals in 3 sectors to create up to 10,000 jobs – Saudi Arabia will see localization of up to 10,000 jobs in 3 sectors on Thursday December 30, with almost

100% of employees being Saudis. The sectors include customs clearance, driving schools, and engineering technical professions. The decision will provide 2,000 jobs in customs clearance sector to Saudis and up to 8,000 jobs in the driving schools sector, Al Arabiya reported. (Zawya)

- Oman sells OMR73mn 182-day bills at yield 0.776% Oman sold OMR73mn of bills due June 29, 2022 on December 27. The bills were sold at a price of 99.615, have a yield of 0.776% and will settle on December 29. (Bloomberg)
- Warba Bank celebrates listing of \$250mn Tier-1 sukuk on Nasdaq Dubai – Shaheen H. Al-Ghanem, CEO of Warba Bank, a leading Kuwaiti Islamic Bank, Tuesday rang the marketopening bell to celebrate the listing of the Bank's US\$250mn perpetual Tier-1 Sukuk on Nasdaq Dubai, in the presence of Hamed Ali, CEO of Nasdaq Dubai and Dubai Financial Market (DFM). This is the third Sukuk listing by Warba Bank on Nasdaq Dubai, following the listing of a US\$250mn and a US\$500mn instrument in March 2017 and October 2019 respectively. The latest issuance was priced at 4% and oversubscribed by 4.4 times. (Zawya)
- New finance minister, opposition lawmakers in Kuwait's cabinet Kuwait formed a new cabinet on Tuesday with a new finance minister and including three opposition lawmakers following a standoff between previous governments and the parliament. Oil Minister Mohammad al-Fares was reappointed. Abdul Wahab Al-Rasheed, head of the non-governmental Kuwait Economic Society, replaced Khalifa Hamada as finance minister. The new health minister is Khaled Al-Saeed, whose predecessor had steered Kuwait through the COVID-19 pandemic. This is the Gulf state's third cabinet this year after the previous governments resigned in the standoff that had hindered state efforts for fiscal reform. (Reuters)

Rebased Performance

Source: Bloomberg



Daily Index Performance



Source: Bloomberg

Source: Bloomberg (*\$ adjusted returns)

Asset/Currency Performance	Close (\$)	1D%	WTD%	YTD%	
Gold/Ounce	1,806.18	(0.3)	(0.2)	(4.9)	
Silver/Ounce	23.02	(0.2)	(0.0)	(12.8)	
Crude Oil (Brent)/Barrel (FM Future)	78.94	0.4	3.7	52.4	
Crude Oil (WTI)/Barrel (FM Future)	75.98	0.5	3.0	56.6	
Natural Gas (Henry Hub)/MMBtu	3.33	(2.6)	(6.2)	39.3	
LPG Propane (Arab Gulf)/Ton	109.50	1.6	4.8	45.5	
LPG Butane (Arab Gulf)/Ton	134.25	1.5	2.3	93.2	
Euro	1.13	(0.2)	(0.1)	(7.4)	
Yen	114.82	(0.0)	0.4	11.2	
GBP	1.34	(0.1)	0.4	(1.7)	
CHF	1.09	0.0	0.2	(3.5)	
AUD	0.72	(0.1)	0.1	(6.0)	
USD Index	96.20	0.1	0.2	7.0	
RUB	73.75	0.4	0.1	(0.9)	
BRL	0.18	(0.1)	0.9	(7.7)	

Global Indices Performance	Close	1D%*	WTD%*	YTD%*
MSCI World Index	3,239.28	0.0	1.0	20.4
DJ Industrial	36,398.21	0.3	1.2	18.9
S&P 500	4,786.35	(0.1)	1.3	27.4
NASDAQ 100	15,781.72	(0.6)	0.8	22.5
STOXX 600	488.50	0.5	1.2	13.3
DAX	15,963.70	0.7	1.1	7.1
FTSE 100	7,372.10	-	-	12.0
CAC 40	7,181.11	0.4	1.3	19.7
Nikkei	29,069.16	1.5	0.6	(4.7)
MSCI EM	1,227.12	0.4	0.5	(5.0)
SHANGHAI SE Composite	3,630.11	0.4	0.3	7.1
HANG SENG	23,280.56	0.2	0.2	(15.0)
BSE SENSEX	57,897.48	1.2	1.9	18.6
Bovespa	104,864.20	(0.8)	0.4	(19.3)
RTS	1,611.75	0.6	1.7	16.2

Source: Bloomberg

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