

Dhaka Stock Prices

At the close of trading on January 13, 1997

Trading almost at standstill

Star Report

Trading on the floor of the Dhaka Stock Exchange came almost to a standstill position as All Share Price Index continued to nosedive. The price index lost another 61.26 points to a fresh low of 1839.37 points from 1900.63 points.

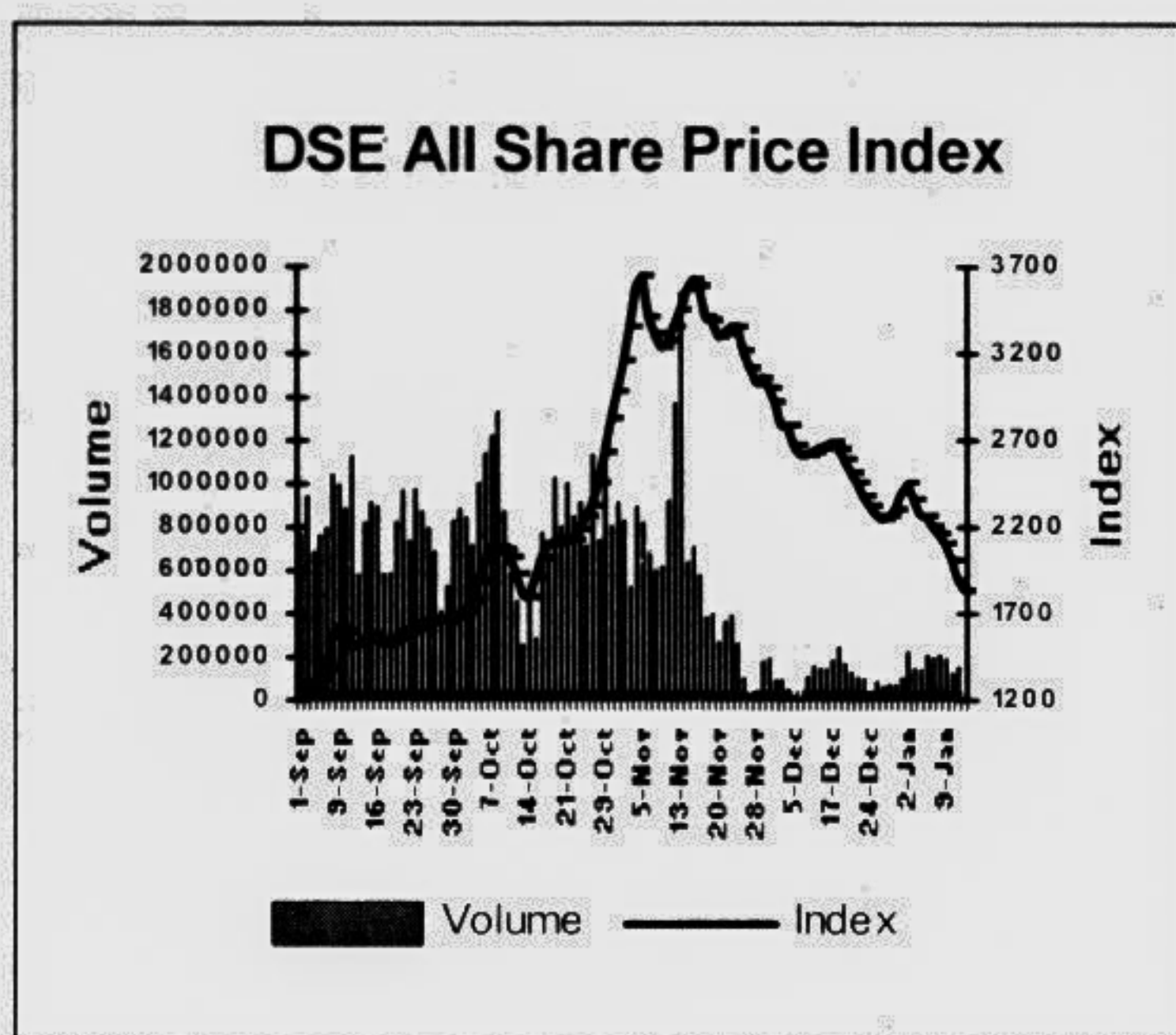
Both the turnovers in volume and value fell by 87 per cent and 89 per cent respectively.

A total of 19923 shares and debentures worth Tk 4711777 changed hands as against previous day's 155040 shares and debentures valued at Tk 43406526.

The market capitalisation of the bourse lost Tk 444.06 crore from Tk 13777.85 crore going down to Tk 13333.79 crore. A total of 59 issues were traded during the day, of which only two gained while prices of 57 issues incurred loss.

Bangladesh Tobacco Company was the top gainer with a rise of Tk 13.95 per share while Slinger Bangladesh topped the losers' list with a fall of Tk 1011.11 per share. Islami Bank, Square Pharma, Confidence Cement, National Polymer, Padma Textile and Tripti Industries were also among losers of the day. The volume leaders of the day were: Beximco Pharma (4050), Chic Tex (2060), BOC Bangladesh (1050), Ashraf Textile (1200).

DSE Price Index	1839.37
Market Capital Tk	13333.79cr
Transaction in Volume	19923
Transaction in Value Tk	4711777
Total Issues Traded	59
Issues Gained	2
Issues Incurred Losses	57
Issues Unchanged	0



CHITTAGONG STOCK PRICES

Day's Trading Performance

Company Name	Closing Rate	Previous Rate	Difference	No. Of Securities Traded
Rupali Insurance	540.80	560.00	-19.20	300
Janata Insurance	344.70	351.30	-6.60	1200
Central Insurance	213.33	231.50	-18.17	60
Federal Insurance	224.00	243.86	-19.86	100
BGIC	428.62	453.10	-24.48	210
Sandhani Life Ins.	233.17	256.50	-23.33	300
Prime Textile	247.50	274.50	-27.00	150
Apex Weaving	116.00	128.50	-12.50	150
Beximco Textile	157.50	175.00	-17.50	50
Beximco Synthetics	251.00	278.75	-27.75	200
Beximco Denims
Beximco Knitting	148.50	165.00	-16.50	20
Sajib Knitwear	87.50	97.00	-9.50	50
Sreepur Textile	85.25	93.50	-8.25	300
Monno Fabrics	179.50	199.04	-19.54	800
Alltex Ind.	112.11	123.83	-11.72	450
BD Dyeing	300.46	321.07	-20.61	500
Dynamic Textile	95.00	103.79	-8.79	260
Ashraf Tex	37.90	42.00	-4.20	700
Square Pharma	1125.13	1245.50	-120.37	980
ACI Ltd	165.20	183.48	-18.28	100
Beximco Pharma	180.40	200.36	-19.96	2950
Imam Button	144.50	160.33	-15.83	50
Orion Infusion	305.00	338.46	-33.46	1380
Bengal Biscuit	197.00	218.50	-21.50	20
Tripti Industries	729.00	810.00	-81.00	5
Ctg Cement	5950.00	6611.00	-661.00	135
Aziz Pipe	3507.00	3896.50	-389.50	10
Anwar Galvanizing	312.00	346.50	-34.50	100
BD Zipper	130.00	144.00	-14.00	900
Wonderland Toys	457.50	508.00	-50.50	150
Apex Tannery	792.50	880.23	-87.73	150
Apex Footwear	596.92	646.00	-49.08	120
Shine Pukur	178.50	198.00	-19.50	1150
Eastern Housing	189.00	210.00	-21.00	300

BOC (BD) Ltd.	202.50	225.00	-22.50	150
6th ICB MF	270.00	300.00	-30.00	20
8th ICB MF	328.50	364.50	-36.00	100
Deximco	324.30	360.30	-36.00	100
Monno Ceramic	1425.00	1583.00	-158.00	20
Bengal Fine Cera	1425.00	1438.50	-13.50	100
GQ Ball Pen	471.70	524.10	-52.40	100
Standard Ceramic	900.00	1000.00	-100.00	100

CSE at a glance

CSE All Securities Price Index	861.48
Day's Change in Index	-4.2555%
Total Turnover in Value in Taka	5599960.00
Total Turnover in Volume	16110
Total Closing Market Capital in Taka	11032163844.05
Total Number of Listed Securities	117
Total Number of Companies	105
Total Number Mutual Funds	8
Total Number of Debitures	4
Day's Contract Numbers	280
Day's Issues Traded	43
Day's Issues Gained	0
Day's Issues Incurred Loss	43
Day's Issues Unchanged	0

PEREGRINE BANGLADESH INDEX

Monday's market comment

The FBI dropped 3.4 per cent on very thin volume as agitated kerb-traders kept brokers from entering the DSE building. Market sentiment remained extremely bearish as 17 issues declined over only one gainer. Seven issues were unchanged including Chittagong Cement, Shinepukur, and Apex Foods in the absence of any buyers. Five issues dropped 10 per cent including Beta, Meghna Cement and Eastern Housing. Eight issues dropped more than 9 per cent including Slinger, Beximco Pharma and ACI. BTC was the only gainer of the day as it added 7.8 per cent on very low volume (50 shares only).

Latest position & performance of DSE-listed issues

Company	FV/ML	1996-97		Average Closing Rate (Taka)	Change (+/-) (Taka)	No. of Shares Traded	Day's highest bid		Day's lowest bid		Reserve & Surplus (Taka in crore)	Earning/ (Loss) per share (Taka)	Net Profit/ (Loss) After Tax (Taka in crore)	Last AGM Date	Total Div. %
		High Taka	Low Taka				Number of shares	Highest Price	Number of shares	Lowest Price					
BANK (13)															
AB Bank	100/5	236.93	165.00	225.08							20.30	14.32	4.04	24/10/96	-
City Bank	100/5	266.00	132.00	266.00							(20.10)	-103.06	(16.48)	24.12.95	-
I.F.I.C	100/5	297.92	145.00	218.45							18.69	14.35	3.64	11.11.96	-
Islami Bank	1000/1	6300.00	3432.00	3432.00	-380.63	4	3	3432.00			53.50	927.90	14.84	08.08.96	18
National Bank	100/5	474.60	115.00	190.00							18.97	15.58	5.18	19.09.95	10
Pubali Bank	100/5	85.00	85.00	85.00							(17.51)	61.32	(9.81)	26.09.96	-
Rupali Bank	100/10	181.14	85.00	112.00							(325.85)	-27.75	(34.68)	20.01.96	-
U.C.B.L	100/5	187.19	100.00	106.50							14.30	31.87	7.13	10.09.96	-
Uttara Bank	100/5	140.00	100.00	103.77							5.00	1.58	.15	03.12.95	-
Al Baraka Bank	1000/1	1450.00	1030.00	1030.00							(40.64)	-736.20	(19.10)	10.09.95	-
IDLC	100/20	11500.00	2620.00	4355.00							14.90	92.56	6.94	12.05.96	35
Eastern Bank	100/20	-	-	97.50							(245.47)	0.90	54	28.11.96	-
ULC	100/20	7000.00	1600.00	2230.00							8.15	62.96	4.4	15.04.96	18
INVESTMENT (9)															
I.C.B	100/5	382.02	150.00	382.02							13.86	23.76	4.75	09/10/96	10
1st ICB M Fund	100/5	2884.98	2100.00	2400.00							.10	69.79	.35	-	60
2nd ICB M Fund	100/5	1331.00	1050.00	1050.00							.06	12.89	.06	-	42
3rd ICB M Fund	100/5	716.12	500.00	500.00	-50.00	209	200	500.00	200	500.00	.04	21.34	.21	-	28
4th ICB M Fund	100/10	887.12	551.33	600.00							.02	36.42	.36	-	41
5th ICB M Fund	100/10	810.00	377.43	450.00							.14	32.28	.48	-	30
6th ICB M Fund	100/10	499.20	260.00	271.00	-29.91	100	10	271.00	10	271.00	.19	20.37	1.02	-	20
7th ICB M Fund	100/50	550.00	230.00	310.00							.16	23.40	.70	-	18
8th ICB M Fund	100/50	549.72	272.00	272.00	-29.67	100	50	272.00	50	272.00			NA	-	-
ENGINEERING (21)															
Aftab Auto	100/5	3155.00	200.00	1953.11							1.57	1.56	.02	19.12.96	-
Aziz Pipes	100/5	7802.19	780.00	2413.91							2.01	61.53	1.19	15.07.96	30
Olympic Indus.	100/5	5392.79	570.50	798.00	-58.00	110	10	796.00	10	796.00	20	37.18	3.07	13.12.95	20
BD Lamps	100/5	14879.64	2840.00	4745.00							10.20	98.89	3.56	15.09.96	40
Bengal Steel	10/50	-	-	20.00							(9.80)	-12.64	(1.88)	30.09.96	-
Eastern Cables	100/5	2130.00	232.00	558.00	-61.00	40	10	556.00	10	556.00	2.24	4.89	27.03.96	10	
Karim Pipe	100/5	1287.00	210.00	621.00							.18	10.36	.27	30.11.95	50
Monno Jute	100/5	9055.00	3100.00	8580.76							2.20	125.80	.75	28.12.95	15
Monno Staffer	100/5	9032.36	900.00	9032.36							.49	11.97	.04	25.09.96	20
Singer BD	100/5	24222.85	9792.25	9792.25	-1011.11	60	15	10000.00	5	97230	3.05	94.78	10.50	21.05.96	81
Atlas BD	10/50	1281.19	174.00	825.00							4.84	8.16	.98	27.12.95	36
BD Autocars	100/5	695.58	111.00	173.00							(1.42)	21.36	.69	30.12.95	-
Quasem Dry	10/50	415.00	22.00	225.40							1.47	4.34	1.30	9.09.96	25
Renwick	100/5	400.00	93.00	121.29							(1.35)	5.79	.09	30.12.95	-
Metalex Corp	100/5	1200.00	380.00	544.09							(16.00)	-562.54	(2.81)	24.04.96	-
Howlader PVC	100/10	191.00	40.00	60.17									NA	18.02.93	16
National Tubes	100/10	3000.00	864.00	1087.69							(13.50)	132.88	3.32	28.03.96	25
B Thai AI	100/5	2037.91	258.00	645.00	-71.00	30	20	645.00	10	645.00	1.32	30.01	1.52	12.09.96	17
BD Electricity	100/10	687.00	225.00	225.06							(6.24)	-37.45	(.99)	30.12.95	-
Anwar Gal	100/50	950.00	125.00	354.00									NA	-	-
Kay & Que	100/50	2810.00	1200.00	1816.01							.67	14.87	.57	-	-
Wonderland Toy	100/50	1459.00	451.00	451.00	-48.73	200	100	451.00	50	451.00				-	-
FOOD & ALLIED (30)															
A B Biscuit	100/5	150.00	142.50	142.50							.69	-26.78	(.13)	30.12.95	-
Alpha Tobacco	10/50	539.51	95.00	140.00	-6.80	50	50	140.00	50	140.00	.94	3.57	.91	12.12.95	36
Amex Sea Food	100/5	17000.00	3130.00	4500.00							(1.78)	178.59	.75	17.12.95	-
Apex Foods	100/5	23476.00	3100.00	3371.03							8.79	188.65	3.58	17.12.95	25
Aroma Tea	100/5	145.00	80.00	145.00									NA	27.12.90	-
Tripti Indus Food	100/5	2455.95	180.00	589.14	-83.88	35	20	590.00	5	588.00	9.54	9.54	.82	26.08.96	17
Bangas	100/5	910.00	250.00	534.55							50	17.01	10	21.11.96	17.5
B L T C	100/5	1500.00	925.00	928.79							.66	40.27	.32	26.09.96	25
B T C	10/50	464.81	135.00	179.00	-13.95	50	50	179.00	50	179.00	42.51	7.74	30.95	20.06.96	60
E L Camellia	100/5	-	-	NT							(.78)	-28.40	(.04)	27.09.96	-
Froglegs Export	10/50	25.00	6.00	19.91									NA	30.12.91	-
Gemini Food	100/5	995.00	680.00	726.17							(3.94)	-4.60	(.05)	31.12.95	-
N T C	100/5	400.00	230.00	360.00	-40.00	5	5	360.00	5	360.00	9.84	23.05	1.52	25.04.96	10
Yousuf Flour	100/5	-	-	NT							(.68)	-0.13	(.007)	30.12.95	-
Dhaka Vegetable	100/5	354.09													