

Dhaka Stock Prices

At the close of trading on March 17, 1997

Price index continues to fall

Star Report

The benchmark Dhaka Stock Exchange All Share Price Index experienced another 46.75-point fall on Monday. The price index declined to 1423.47 points from 1470.22 points.

The market capitalisation of the bourse decreased by Tk 362.64 crore going down from Tk 11405.70 crore to Tk 11043.14 crore.

Both the turnovers in volume and value appreciated by nine per cent and one per cent respectively. As many as 2.68 lakh shares and debentures worth Tk 7.61 crore changed hands as against previous day's 2.45 lakh shares and debentures valued at Tk 9.50 crore.

A total of 119 issues were traded, of which only ten issues gained, 103 incurred loss while prices of six issues remained unchanged.

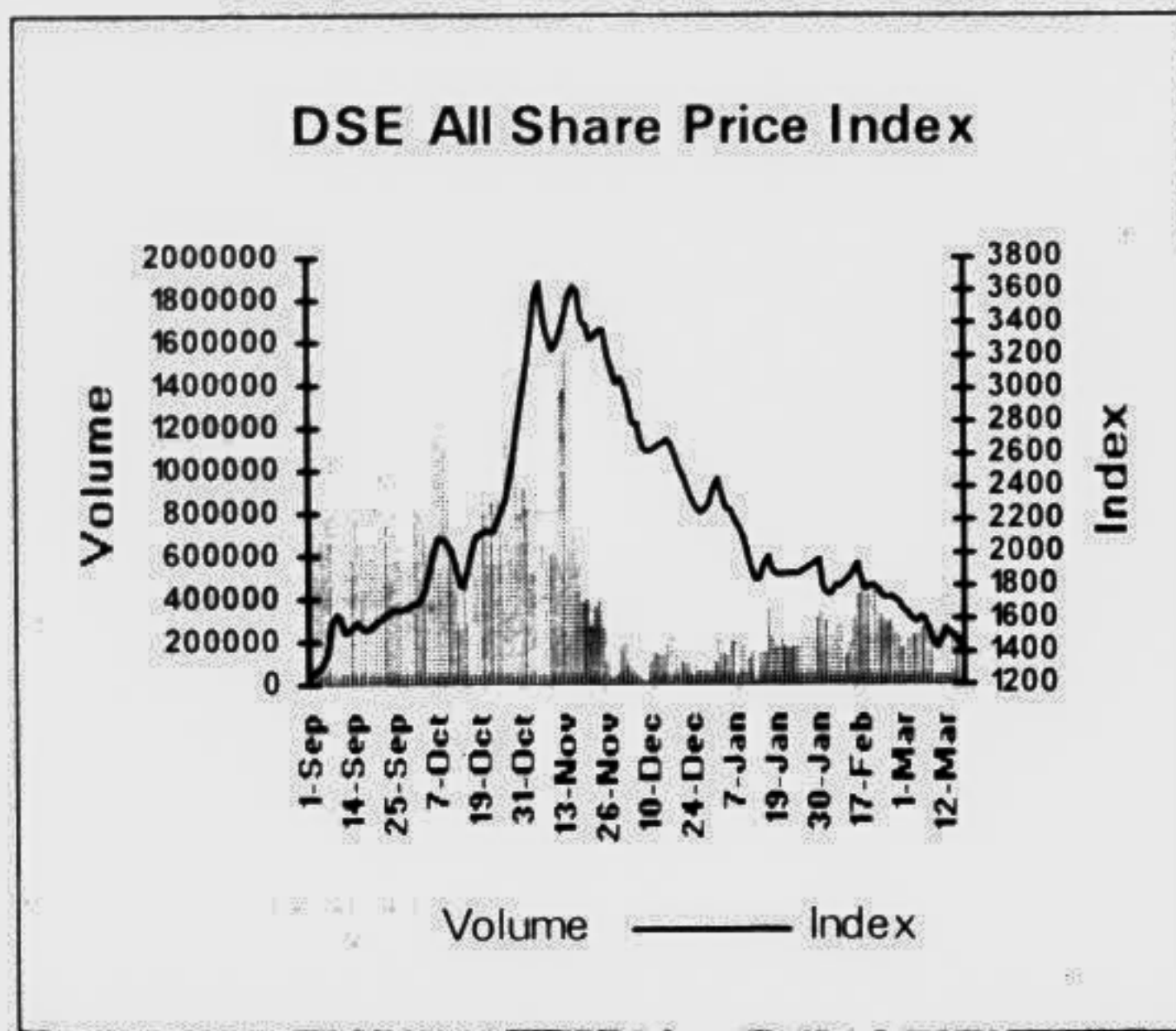
Eastland Insurance was the leading gainer of the day with a rise of Tk 20.00 per share while Singer Bangladesh topped the losers' list with a fall of Tk 680.24 per share.

Chittagong Cement, National Polymer, Islami Bank, IDLC and United Leasing Co were also losers of the day.

The volume leaders of the day were: Beximco Pharma (59150), Ashraf Textile (22000), Shine Pukur (14100) and Monno Fabrics (10450).

DSE at a glance

DSE Price Index	1423.47
Market Capital Tk	11043.14
Transaction in Volume	268296
Transaction in Value Tk	7.61
Total Issues Traded	119
Issues Gained	10
Issues Incurred Loss	103
Issues Unchanged	6



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. %	Bonus/ Right
		High Taka	Low Taka				Number of shares	Highest Price	Number of shares	Lowest Price						
BANK (13)																
AB Bank	100/5	236.93	165.00	207.00							20.30	14.32	4.04	24/10/96	-	
City Bank	100/5	271.00	132.00	150.00							(.33)	-86.50	(13.84)	26.12.96	-	
I.F.I.C.	100/5	297.92	145.00	162.97			3000	163.00	50	162.00	22.89	16.55	4.20	11.11.96	-	1B:10
Islami Bank	1000/1	6300.00	3432.00	4028.00	-122.00	25	3	4070.00	3	4000.00	53.50	927.90	14.84	08.08.96	18	1:1R
National Bank	100/5	474.60	115.00	128.29	-3.26	1460	100	130.00	20	125.00	21.82	42.25	16.52	17.12.96	10	1R.2
Pubali Bank	100/5	85.00	85.00	86.00							70.51	61.32	(9.81)	26.09.96	-	
Rupali Bank	100/10	181.14	85.00	125.00							(325.85)	-27.75	(34.68)	20.01.96	-	
U.C.B.L.	100/5	187.19	100.00	110.00							14.30	31.87	7.13	10.09.96	-	15B:100
Uttara Bank	100/5	140.00	100.00	100.00							5.15	7.34	.73	11.12.96	-	
Al Baraka Bank	1000/1	1450.00	950.00	950.00							(40.64)	-736.20	(19.10)	10.09.95	-	
IDLC	100/20	11500.00	2587.00	4696.44	-112.89	540	20	4700.00		20	4685.00	14.90	92.56	6.94	12.05.96	35
Eastern Bank	100/20	-	-	-							(245.47)	0.90	54	28.11.96	-	
ULC	100/20	7000.00	1600.00	1908.13	-159.87	320	20	1910.00		20	1900.00	8.15	62.96	4.4	15.04.96	18
INVESTMENT (10)																
I.C.B.	100/5	382.02	300.00	300.00	.00	5	5	300.00	5	300.00	13.86	23.76	4.75	09.10.96	10	
1st ICB MFund	100/5	2884.98	2100.00	2400.00							.10	69.79	.35	-	60	
2nd ICB MFund	100/5	1331.00	850.00	850.00	-40.00	10	10	850.00	10	850.00	.06	12.89	.06	-	42	
3rd ICB MFund	100/5	716.12	450.00	450.00	-48.00	10	10	450.00	10	450.00	.04	21.34	.21	-	28	
4th ICB MFund	100/10	887.12	581.00	581.00	-25.59	50	40	581.00	10	581.00	.004	36.42	.36	-	41	
5th ICB MFund	100/10	810.00	311.15	421.00	-29.00	40	10	421.00	10	421.00	.12	32.28	.48	-	30	
6th ICB MFund	100/10	499.20	280.00	280.00	-11.17	20	20	280.00	20	280.00	.19	20.37	1.02	-	20	
7th ICB MFund	100/50	550.00	230.00	262.46	-9.46	650	200	268.00	50	260.00	.16	23.40	.70	-	18	
8th ICB MFund	100/50	549.72	272.00	296.88	-10.62	400	50	300.00	50	295.00			NA			
1st BSRS Fund	100/50	281.00	200.00	218.30	+2.99	1000	100	220.00	50	210.00						
ENGINEERING (20)																
Aftab Auto	100/5	3155.00	200.00	678.83	-18.60	600	30	700.00	20	640.00	1.73	25.14	47	19.12.96	-	1B:5
Aziz Pipes	100/5	7802.19	780.00	2977.12	-49.84	695	10	3000.00	5	2950.00	2.01	61.53	1.19	15.07.96	30	
Olympic Indus.	100/5	5392.79	570.50	813.28	-3.94	2505	10	835.00	100	800.00	10.80	80.00	2.1	30.12.96	40	1B:3,1R:3
BD Lamps	100/5	14879.64	2840.00	5845.50	-96.35	170	10	5900.00	5	5830.00	10.20	98.89	3.56	15.09.96	40	
Bengal Steel	100/50	100.00	100.00	100.00							9.80	12.04	(1.88)	30.09.96		
Eastern Cables	100/5	2130.00	232.00	496.22	+7.28	945	50	500.00	50	493.00	11.09	24.48	4.89	27.03.96	10	
Karim Pipe	100/5	1287.00	210.00	287.88	-12.88	320	50	295.00	50	280.00	.18	10.36	27	30.11.95	15	
Monno Jute	100/5	9055.00	3100.00	4450.00							2.20	125.80	-75	24.12.96	50	
Monno Staffer	100/5	9032.36	900.00	9032.36							.49	11.97	0.4	25.09.96	81	
Singer BD	100/5	24222.85	9591.37	9798.94	-880.24	448	1	10000.00	2	9500.00	3.05	94.78	10.50	21.05.96	81	1:2B
Atlas BD	100/50	1281.19	174.00	315.05	-13.52	950	50	321.00	50	310.00	5.91	13.18	1.97	23.12.96	50	1B:4
BD Autocars	100/5	695.58	111.00	191.50	-8.50	90	10	196.00	20	186.00	(1.26)	10.32	.33	29.12.96	-	
Quasem Dry	100/50	415.00	22.00	103.97	-3.27	8900	50	107.00	200	100.00	1.47	4.34	1.30	0.90.96	25	
Renwick	100/5	400.00	151.00	151.00							(.01)	-24.61	(.41)	29.12.96	-	
Metalex Corp	100/5	1200.00	245.00	282.51							(16.00)	-562.54	(2.81)	24.04.96	-	
National Tubes	100/10	3000.00	864.00	1350.00	-49.17	30	10	1350.00	20	1350.00	(13.50)	132.88	3.32	28.03.96	25	
B Thai Al	100/5	2037.91	258.00	834.78	-15.24	540	10	836.00	20	833.00	1.32	30.01	1.52	12.09.96	17	
BD Electricity	100/10	687.00	150.00	150.00							(7.05)	-20.48	(.74)	21.12.96	-	
Anwar Gal	100/50	950.00	125.00	241.91	-22.82	1100	50	255.00	50	239.00			NA	-		
Kay & Que	100/50	2810.00	787.50	787.50	-88.00	400	50	800.00	50	770.00	.67	14.87	.57		-	
Wonderland Toy	100/50	1459.00	419.00	432.81	-21.40	1550	50	450.00	50	430.00					-	
FOOD & ALLIED (29)																
AB Biscuit	100/5	150.00	142.50	142.50							.69	-26.78	(.13)	30.12.95	-	
Alpha Tobacco	100/50	539.51	95.00	145.00	-8.87	50	50	145.00	50	145.00	.88	3.57	1.20	18.12.96	35	1B:3,1R:3
Amam Sea Food	100/5	17000.00	3130.00	4400.00							.82	165.07	1.38	15.12.96	-	1B:1
Apex Foods	100/5	23476.00	2685.94	2975.75	-1.19	265	10	2990.00	5	2940.00	10.32	9.03	3.43	15.12.96	25	
Tripti Inds Food	100/5	2455.95	180.00	498.75	-7.13	550	20	500.00	20	495.00	4.04	.82	82	26.08.96	-	
Bangas	100/5	910.00	250.00	534.55							.50	17.62	10	21.11.96	17.5	
B.L.T.C.	100/5	1500.00	760.00	760.00							.66	40.27	32	26.09.96	25	1B:5
B.T.C.	100/50	464.81	135.00	171.36	-4.00	2100	100	175.00	50	170.00	42.51	7.74	30.00	20.06.96	60	
E.L.Camellia	100/5	-	-	-							(.78)	-28.40	(.04)	27.09.96	-	
Gemini Food	100/5	995.00	305.00	305.00							.09	-7.75	.08	30.12.96	-	
N.T.C.	100/5	400.00	230.00	350.00							9.84	23.05	1.52	25.04.96	10	1:10B
Yousuf Flour	100/50	-	-	-							(.31)	-0.00	(.0000)	30.12.96	-	
Dhaka Vegetable	100/5	354.09	95.00	130.00	-11.00	25	20	130.00	5	130.00	1.65	-40.82	(3.46)	22.10.95	-	
Zeal Bangla	100/50	76.52	5.00	22.02	-1.05	1250	50	22.50	200	22.00	(12.74)	-0.66	(.39)	26.12.96	-	
Rupom Oil	100/100	41.40	14.57	18.88	-5.41	800	100	19.00	200	18.50	(3.54)	-1.26	(.34)	27.04.95	-	
Tulip Dairy	100/10	940.00	130.00	165.00	-5.47	50	50	165.00	50	165.00	(1.09)	-35.14	(.83)	30.03.95	-	
Ctg. Vegetables	100/10	817.44	142.00	325.17	-10.77	240	30	330.00	10	320.00	.94	14.64	.36	28.12.96	15	
Rabeya Flour	100/50	-	-	-							(.16)	0.76	.04	22.09.96	-	
B.D.Plantation	100/5	-	-	-							(.44)	-128.98	(.12)	28.12.96	-	
Hill Plantation	100/5	1200.00	1200.00	1200.00							(.21)	-29.32	(.04)	28.12.96	-	
Bex Fisheries	100/20	981.61	130.00	292.32	-8.71	200	20	300.00	20	290.00	2.98	22.96	2.98	01.06.96	20	
Bengal Biscuits	100/20	516.00	152.00	180.00	-7.71	100	100	180.00	100	180.00	3.12	25.24	1.51	23.06.96	20	
Meghna Shrimp	100/20	474.00	96.00	161.40	-5.11	4600	100	164.00	20	161.00	.96	20.55	2.05	08.09.96	22	
Raspiit Food	100/50	1391.00	297.00	391.67	-24.33	150	50	400.00	50	385.00	32.36	3.21	31	09.10.96	15	1B:10
AMCL Pran	100/50	5013.00	370.00	969.44	-47.87	1350	50	975.00	50	965.00	.56	0.00	.82	14.12.96	15	
Dhaka Fisheries	100/50	1576.81	280.00	311.25	-23.18	2400	200	320.00	50	305.00	.12	3.27	.10		-	
Modern Indus	100/5	300.00	80.00	162.00							(.46)	8.32	10	18.07.96	8	
Shampur S. Mill	100/10	15.00	15.00	15.00									NA		-	
Meghna V.O.	100/50	402.00	180.00	282.79	-15.93	600	50	285.00	50	282.00					-	
FUEL & POWER (4)																
BOC	100/50	757.00	190.37	190.37	-6.71	5200	200	195.00	50	188.00	30.77	6.39	8.11	04.02.96	40	
Padma Oil Co	100/50	1128.60	175.00	380.00	-30.70	50	50	380.00	50	380.00	18.74	14.12	4.94	27.03.96	30	
Eastern Lubrican	100/50	-	-	-							2.58	5.48	54	29.03.96	30	
National Oxygen	100/10	280.00	28.06	28.06							(4.57)	-113.91	(1.59)	29.06.96	-	
JUTE (7)																
Islam Jute	100/5	130.00	106.00	106.00							(6.01)	34.84	.31	30.12.96	-	
Jute Spinner	100/5	-	-	-							(2.90)	10.85	.18	30.03.96	10	
Mutual Jute	100/5	-	-	-							1.04	34.19	.23	31.03.96	-	
Northern Jute	100/20	76.62	18.00	21.00	.00	1200	200	21.0								