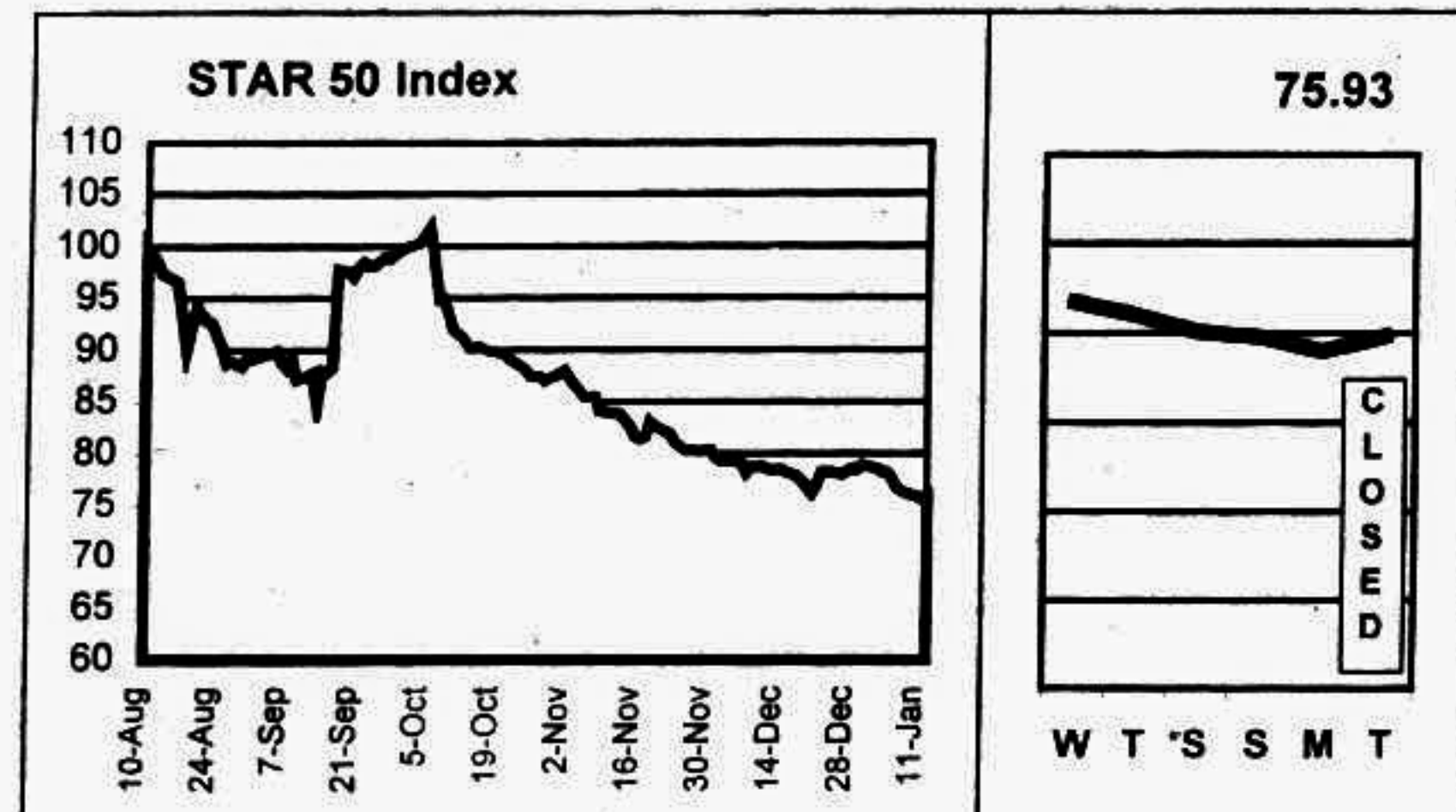
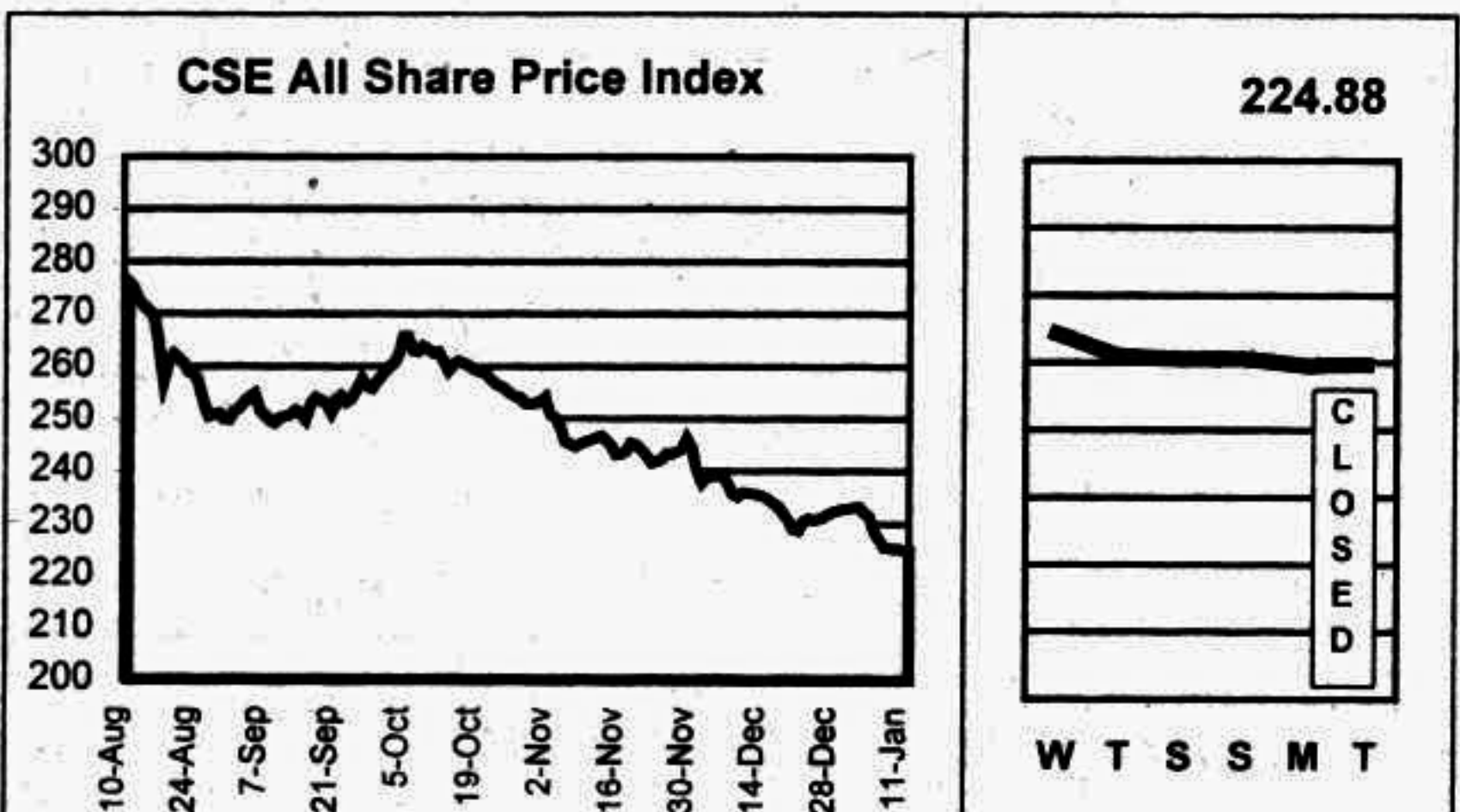
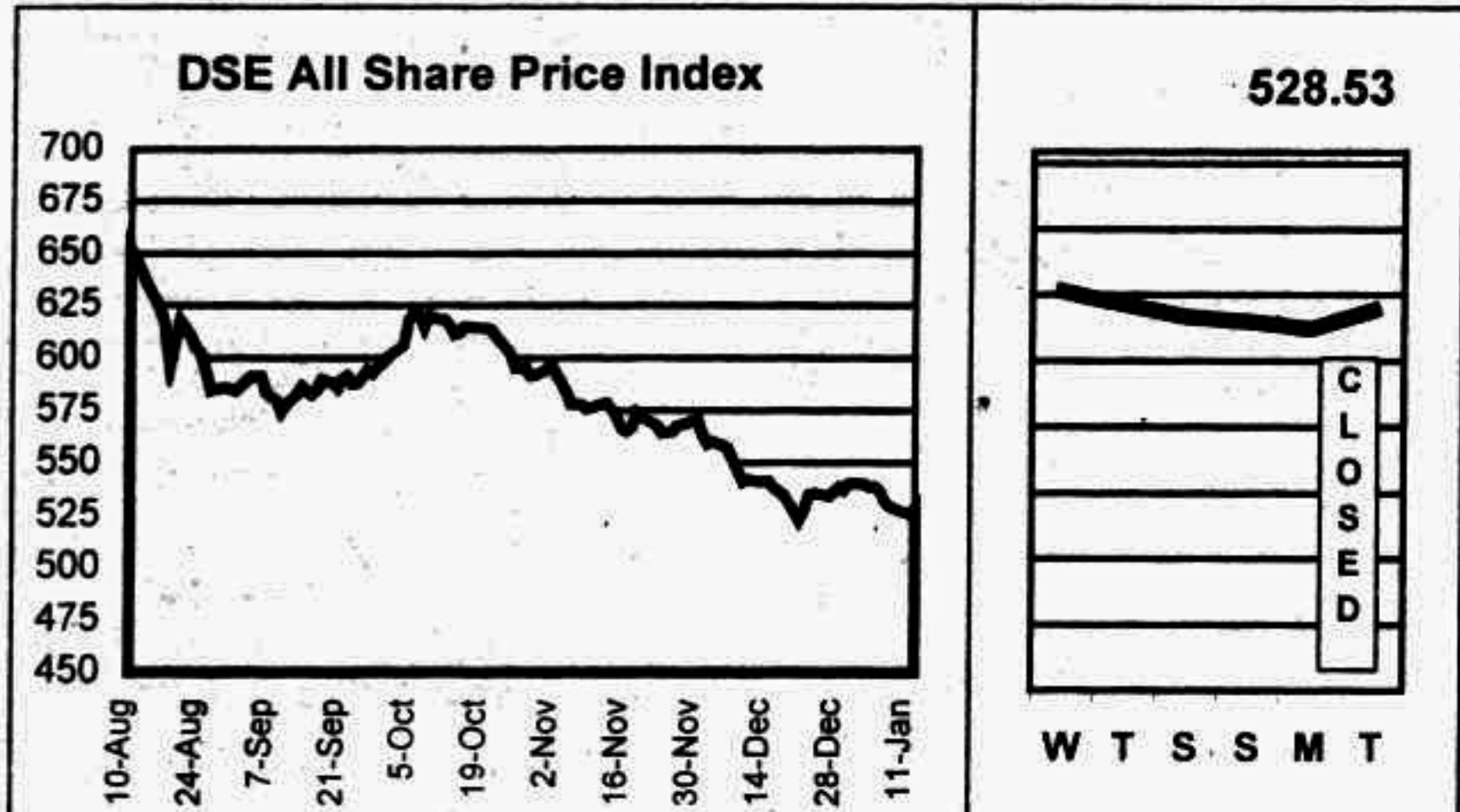




Fifty companies have been chosen for calculation of the STAR 50 Index based on their market capitalisation, liquidity, free float and corporate track record. The Base Period for the Index is August 10, 1998. The calculation has been done according to the widely used International Finance Corporation formula.



DAY'S MARKET January 12, 1999			
All Share Price Index	528.53	CSE	224.88
Change in Index (pts)	3.15		0.09
Change in Index (%)	0.60%		0.04%
Market Capitalisation (cr Tk)	4,803.22		4,019.33
Market Capitalisation (mil US\$)	1,000.67		837.36
Turnover Volume (000)	2,930		1,105
Turnover Value (cr Tk)	22.33		7.43
No. of Issues Traded	122		48
No. of Issues Gained	92		37
No. of Issues Incurred Loss	21		10
No. of Issues Unchanged	9		1
Price Earning Ratio (x)	6.77		6.72
Dividend Yield (%)	7.69		8.07

DAY'S MARKET LEADERS

TURNOVER LEADERS					
DSE	Vol	Value	CSE	Vol	Value
	'000	Tkm		'000	Tkm
1 Raspi Food	259	60.71	1 Samonta Hosp	280	44.44
2 J H Chemi	280	40.99	2 Sajib Knit	92	11.09
3 Sajib Knit	156	18.13	3 Chic Tex	402	3.86
4 Tulip Dairy	78	17.43	4 Anilima Yam	24	2.29
5 Samonta Hosp	74	12.81	5 Mona Food	15	2.02
6 Mona Food	70	9.01	6 Imam Buton	20	2.01
7 Imam Buton	77	8.35	7 J H Chemi	11	1.52
8 Anilima Yam	72	6.73	8 Perfume Chemi	13	1.13
9 Rupan Oil	383	4.56	9 Eagle Star Tex	93	1.12
10 Chic Tex	413	3.92	10 Rupan Oil	81	0.95

CAPITAL GAINERS					
DSE	Vol	Change	CSE	Vol	Change
	'000	%		'000	%
1 Imam Buton	77.35	19.67	1 Reckitt & Col	0.05	15.12
2 Kohinoor	1.38	18.53	2 Imam Buton	19.80	14.65
3 J H Chemi	279.80	12.05	3 Raspi Food	0.35	12.58
4 BD Autocars	7.46	11.55	4 J H Chemi	10.55	9.89
5 Perfume Chemi	19.75	11.15	5 Meghna Shrimp	5.46	8.78
6 Rahman Chemi	0.89	11.11	6 Perfume Chemi	12.75	8.56
7 Tulip Dairy	78.09	9.44	7 Samorta Hosp	279.50	6.35
8 Samorta Hosp	73.50	9.25	8 BD Autocars	0.01	6.25
9 Petro Synth	0.50	8.95	9 Anilima Yam	24.20	5.59
10 United Ins	0.11	8.05	10 Dynamic Tex	9.44	5.43

CAPITAL LOSERS					
DSE	Vol	Change	CSE	Vol	Change
	'000	%		'000	%
1 Sajib Knit	155.50	(12.73)	1 BATBC	0.05	(5.20)
2 Sandhani Life	0.05	(10.00)	2 Wonderland Toys	0.60	(2.68)
3 Renwick Jai	0.14	(8.50)	3 Aziz Pipes	0.01	(2.30)
4 7th ICB M Fund	0.10	(2.76)	4 Eastern Cables	0.20	(2.22)
5 Usmania Glass	0.08	(2.72)	5 Aramit Cement	0.15	(1.89)
6 Samata Leather	0.55	(2.46)	6 BOC (BD)	0.35	(1.46)
7 Beximco Infu	0.04	(1.97)	7 HR Tex	0.10	(0.60)
8 Wata Chemi	0.10	(1.71)	8 Alltex Ind	0.15	(0.50)
9 NBL	0.14	(1.55)	9 ACI	8.25	(0.38)
10 Aftab Auto	0.26	(1.37)	10 Confid Cement	0.28	(0.34)

LEAGUE TABLE																			
Company Name	FV/M	Market Performance								AGM		Financial Performance							
		Dhaka Stock Exchange						Chittagong Stock Exchange		Year End	Date	EPS	P/E	DPS	Yield	NAV per Share	Price/NAV		
		Vol	Day's High	Day's Low	Day's Closing	Prev. Closing	Net Chg	Vol	Day's Closing									Prev. Closing	Net Chg
		Tk/No	nos	Tk	Tk	Tk	Tk	Tk	Tk	nos	Tk	Tk	Tk	Tk	%	%	%		
Banks																			
Al-Arabi	10005		15	1,010.00	1,010.00	1,010.00	1,009.25	0.75			1,005.00	9803		312.89	3.23		1,318.80	0.77	
Al-Bank Ltd	10001										900.00	9712	11/29/98	604.64			1,061.40	0.86	
Arab Bangladesh Bank	10005										96.00	9712	12/29/98	24.03	4.00	10.00	10.42	177.92	0.54
City Bank	10005										104.25	9712	14/12/98	55.66	1.87		264.45	0.39	
Eastern Bank	10002										110.00	9712	12/11/98	57.14	1.93		159.58	0.69	
IDLCL	10002		220	490.00	475.00	475.00	479.25	(0.25)			480.00	9712	26/98	59.60	8.04	30.00	6.26	214.74	2.23
IFCB Bank	10005		20	100.00	100.00	100.00	99.00	1.00			97.00	9712	27/7/98	20.29	4.93		203.96	0.40	
Islamic Bank	10001		8	2,007.00	2,006.00	2,006.00	2,005.00	1.00			2,020.00	9712	20/9/98	322.18	8.23	21.00	1.05	3,925.20	0.51
National Bank	10002		140	54.50	53.50	53.50	54.50	(1.00)			56.25	9712	24/11/98	43.47	1.46		261.19	0.24	
Punjab Bank	10005										95.00	9712	29/11/98	262.14	0.41		323.20	0.33	
Rupali Bank	10010										85.00	9612	30/5/98	1.36	62.50		(134.40)		
UCBL	10005										75.00	9612	27/8/97	34.66	2.16		198.58	0.38	
United Leasing	10002										932.25	9712	27/5/98	91.23	10.22	24.00	2.57	366.91	2.61
Uttara Bank	10005										87.00	9712	24/11/98	4.98	17.47		304.72	0.29	
Uttara Finance	10050		600	197.00	192.50	194.25	195.00	(0.75)			202.00	9712	30/6/98	12.83	15.14	10.00	5.15	106.12	1.83
Investment																			
1st BSRF MF	10050		500	73.00	70.00	71.25	66.00	3.25			73.25	9806	21/10/98	119.44	8.46	70.00	6.93	359.74	2.81
1st ICB MF	10005										1,800.00	9806	21/10/98	10.49	54.34	30.00	5.26	141.57	4.03
2nd ICB MF	10005										570.00	9806	21/10/98	18.69	17.66	35.00	10.61	234.79	1.41
3rd ICB MF	10005										370.00	9806	21/10/98	27.81	9.35	32.00	12.31	167.85	1.59
4th ICB MF	10010										260.00	9806	21/10/98	16.93	10.34	22.00	12.57	134.46	1.30
5th ICB MF	10010										175.00	9806	21/10/98	9.39	15.07	18.00	12.72	135.10	1.05
6th ICB MF	10010										141.50	9806	21/10/98	6.72	18.38	14.00	11.34	119.42	1.03
7th ICB MF	10050		100	124.50	122.50	123.50	127.00	(3.50)			130.25	9806	21/10/98	3.35	34.25	12.00	10.46	116.60	0.98
8th ICB MF	10050		200	115.00	114.25	114.75	115.00	(0.25)			115.00	9806	21/10/98	22.06	9.07	7.00	3.50	298.84	0.70
ICB	10005										200.00	9806	21/10/98						
Engineering																			
Abad Automobile	10005		255	162.50	161.50	161.75	164.00	(2.25)			157.25	9706	17/12/98	27.55	5.87	16.00	9.89	237.80	0.96
Amara Galvanizing	10050										163.25	9706	30/3/98	21.44	7.81	15.00	9.94	106.44	1.53
Atlas Bangladesh	10005										120.00	9706	28/12/97	22.35	5.36	15.00	12.50	59.89	2.00
Autocars	10005		150	615.00	612.00	613.00	612.00	1.00		5	596.00	9712	30/7/98	13.53	45.31	15.00	2.45	544.82	1.13
BD Autocars	10005		7,455	79.00	72.00	72.25	66.25	8.00		5	85.00	9706	30/12/97	11.69	6.61		130.72	0.59	
BD Lumpy	10005		195	599.00	598.00	593.75	578.75	15.00			650.00	9712	30/8/98	34.88	17.02	30.00	5.05	243.81	0.74
BEMCO	10010										90.00	9712	30/12/98	(30.96)				76.67	1.11
Bengal Steel	10050										1,113.70	9612	27/8/97	(1.40)				2.34	475.94
Eastern Bank	10005		1,320	113.00	108.50	109.50	108.00	1.50		200	110.00	9706	30/3/98	7.88	14.26		137.77	0.79	
Karm Pipe	10005										83.25	9712	24/12/98	(22.77)				58.60	1.42
Kay & Co	10050		4,250	204.00	200.00	200.75	194.50	6.25			222.25	9612	28/8/97	10.99	16.27	12.50	6.23	119.00	1.69
Mohini Steel	10005										194.50	9506	24/4/98	(562.54)				(3,101.00)	
National Tube	10010										108.00	9712	11/2/98	22.69	11.98	20.00	7.55	228.48	1.16
Olympic Industries	10005		1,570	139.00	132.00	136.00	133.25	2.75		125	137.00	9706	21/2/97	15.10	13.25	15.00	5.56	699.58	1.56
Quessen Dryal	10050		4,896	21.20	20.90	21.10	20.80	0.30		5,250	21.10	9806	31/12/98	1.77	11.92	2.00	9.48	25.33	0.80
Ramtek Japans	10005		140	51.00	50.00	50.50	55.25	(4.75)			50.00	9806	31/12/98	(15.46)				(21.96)	
Singer Bangladesh	10005		320	1,370.00	1,331.00	1,350.00	1,341.50	8.50			1,341.50	9801	21/5/98	93.37	14.46	60.00	4.44	164.06	8.23
The Aluminum	10010										290.00	9712	24/9/98	34.04	8.23	10.00	3.57	154.18	1.82
Wonderland Toys	10050		5,600	75.00	73.00	73.50	72.75	0.75		600	72.75	9806	8/12/98	(11.25)				87.77	0.84
Food & Allied																			
AB Biscuit	10005										70.00	9506	30/12/95	(26.78)				238.76	0.29
Alpha Textiles	10050										69.00	9709	25/3/98	5.82	11.86	5.00	7.25	75.89	0.91
Amara Galvanizing	10005		10	340.00	340.00	340.00	320.00	20.00			265.00	9806	11/2/98	(18.37)				1.03	330.10
AMCL (Fram)	10010		320	267.00	264.50	265.25	260.00	5.25			281.75	9806	13/2/98	29.31	9.05	20.00	7.54	217.85	1.22
Apex Food	10005		175	445.00	438.00	441.75	436.50	5.25			459.75	9806	24/12/98	19.57	22.57	20.00	4.53	665.59	0.66
Bangas	10005										146.00	9706	28/12/97	10.52	13.37		145.40		
BD Plantation	10002										810.00	9706	28/12/97	(129.98)				(345.10)	
Bengal Biscuit	10002		15,880	119.50	113.00	114.25	107.50	6.75		5,880	113.75	9706	29/3/98	26.31	4.34		234.32	0.49	
Bengal Fisheries	10002		380	105.75	103.00	104.50	103.25	1.25			109.50	9712	19/11/98	18.53	5.64	20.00	19.14	132.82	0.78
BLTC	10005										680.00	9712	29/3/98	77.11	8.82	45.00	5.62	1,487.90	0.46
BTRCO	10050		3,450	97.00	89.50	90.25	85.00	5.25		50	82.00	9712	21/5/98	12.16	7.42	8.00	8.87	35.53	2.53
Chittagong Vegetable	10010		110	87.00	87.00	87.75	86.25	1.50		40	88.00	9706	30/12/97	(0.51)				194.43	0.84
Dhaka Fisheries	10050		230	122.75	122.75	124.00	122.00	2.00			125.00	9806	21/10/98	4.21	29.45			117.01	1.06
Dhaka Vegetable	10005		180	52.00	49.75	50.75	49.00	1.75			50.75	9706	10/9/97	(5.33)				103.80	0.47
EL Camels	10005										1,650.00	9612	11/10/97	(49.30)				(463.70)	
Good	10050		2,900	53.50	52.00	52.25	52.50	(0.25)		400	53.00	9804	30/11/98	6.59	7.93			139.32	0.38
Gemini Sea Food	10005										145.00	9709	12/12/98	12.87	11.27	10.00	6.90	108.50	1.34
Gulf Foods	10005										830.00	9806	28/12/98	0.38	456.55			100.86	1.73
Hill Plantation	10005										830.00	9706	28/12/97	(29.32)				(414.43)	
Meghna Shrimp	10020		16,100	86.75	82.50	85.00	82.50	2.50		5,460	86.75	9706	28/12/97	15.50	6.80	10.00	11.76	114.80	0.74
Meghna Vegetable Oil	10005		1,050	131.75	129.00	129.75	128.00	1.75		350	128.00	9806	24/12/98	16.04	8.09	15.00	11.56	157.56	0.74
Mohini Industries	10005										85.00	9806	31/12/98	(15.23)				48.17	1.73
National Tube	10050		99,550	140.00	127.00	129.50	128.75	(0.25)		15,500	131.00	9712	29/7/98	6.71	19.30	5.00	3.86	106.24	1.19
Northern Food	10005		85	420.00	415.00	416.25	409.50	6.75			321.00	9712	29/4/98	151.89	2.74	30.00	7.21	402.42	1.03
Rupali Flour	10050										1.31	9712	21/6/98	1.31		10.00		7.93	
Sabha Food Corp.	10050		5,950	71.50	69.00	69.50	67.50	2.00		1,750	70.00	9706	29/12/97	6.02	11.54			117.64	0.59
Saspi Food	10010		268,650	234.25	200.00	226.00	209.50	16.50			275.75	9706	29/12/97	11.82	19.12			101.64	2.22
Sapon Oil	10050		383,300	12.10	11.00	11.80	11.40	0.50		80,900	11.80	9706	12/8/98	9.11	108.18			32.14	0.37
Smyrna Sugar Mills	10010		40,300	11.70	11.20	11.40	10.90	0.50			10.90	9806	31/3/98	(13.31)				(53.30)	
Sri Lanka Industries	10005		2,510	86.00	84.00	84.00	83.25	0.75		75	86.25	9608	27/12/97	4.74	177.10	10.00	11.90	150.00	0.76
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