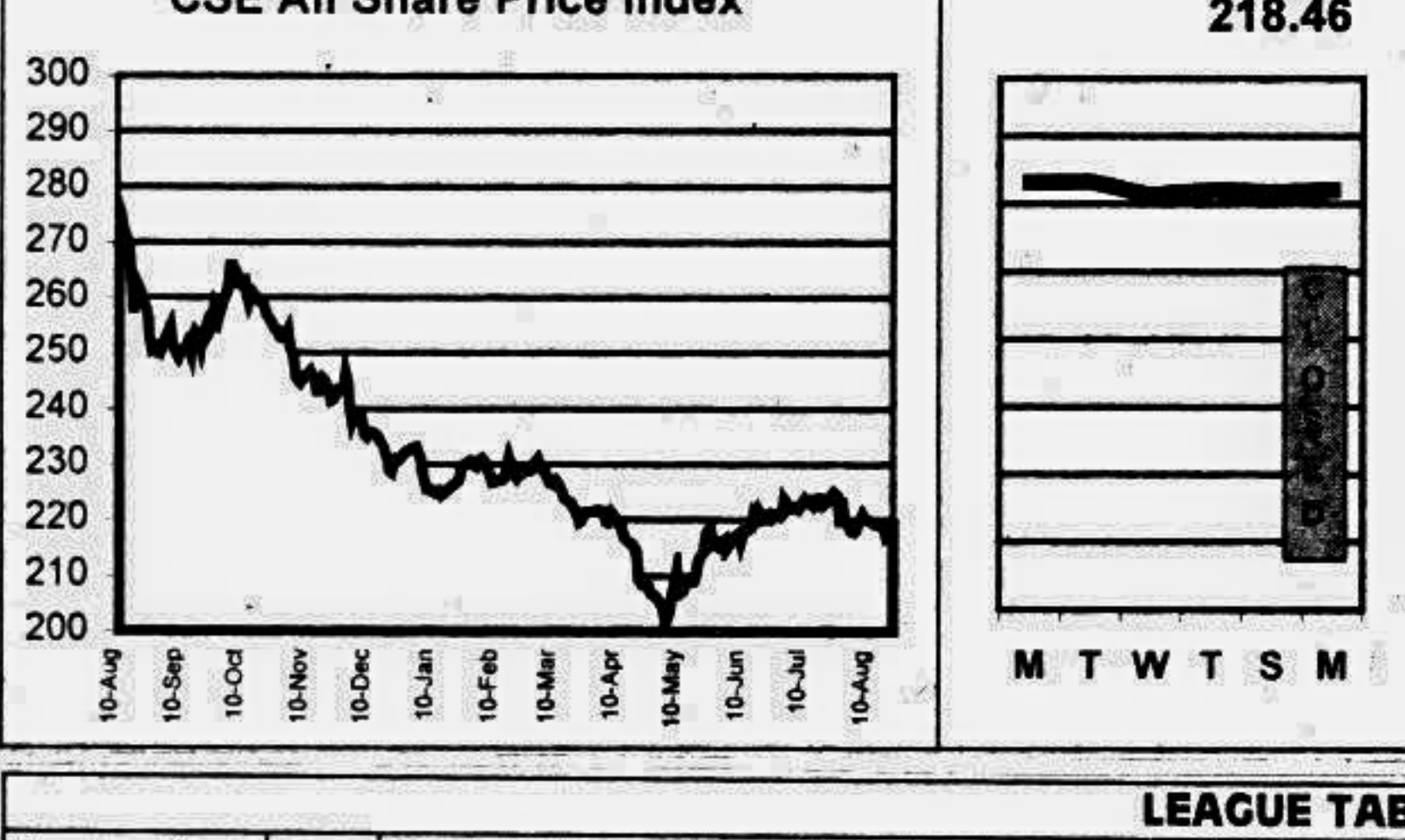


Fifty companies have been chosen for calculation of the STAR 50 Index based on their market capitalisation, liquidity, free float and corporate track record. The Base Period for the Index is August 10, 1998. The calculation has been done according to the widely used International Finance Corporation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



**DAY'S MARKET August 22, 1999**

DSE		CSE
All Share Price Index	81.00	218.46
Change in Index (pts)	0.25	0.11%
Change in Index (%)	0.11%	0.11%
Market Capitalisation (cr Tk)	4,010.46	
Market Capitalisation (mil US\$)	835.51	
Turnover Volume ('000)	292	
Turnover Value (cr Tk)	1.08	
No. of Issues Traded	43	
No. of Issues Gained	21	
No. of Issues Incurred Loss	15	
No. of Issues Unchanged	7	
Price Earning Ratio (x)	6.71	
Dividend Yield (%)	8.68	

**DAY'S MARKET LEADERS**

**TURNOVER LEADERS**

DSE		CSE	
Vol	Value	Vol	Value
'000	Tkn	'000	Tkn
1	Samata Leather	49	4.12
2	Sinobangla	146	3.14
3	Ranfoundry	69	1.19
4	Meghna Shrimp	11	1.01
5	Dhaka Fish	2	0.55
6	Samorta Hosp	1	0.15
7	Beximco Pharma	1	0.05
8	Paragon Leather	1	0.05
9	Quasem Drycell	3	0.05
10	Shine Pukur	1	0.04

**CAPITAL GAINERS**

DSE		CSE	
Vol	Change	Vol	Change
'000	%	'000	%
1	Rupan Oil	0.10	19.44
2	Key & Que	0.10	10.91
3	Raspi Food	0.05	7.89
4	Bengal Fine	0.25	7.30
5	Gulf Food	0.05	1.95
6	Ranfoundry	68.50	1.76
7	Dhaka Fish	2.35	1.74
8	Chic Tex	1.50	1.32
9	Eagle Star Tex	0.80	1.05
10	Ashraf Tex	0.70	0.74

**CAPITAL LOSERS**

DSE		CSE	
Vol	Change	Vol	Change
'000	%	'000	%
1	Aramit Lid	0.25	(2.80)
2	Gachihata	0.40	(1.92)
3	Aramit Cement	0.05	(1.85)
4	Wonderland Toys	0.20	(1.61)
5	GEM Knit	0.05	(1.39)
6	Samorta Hosp	1.00	(0.99)
7	Bengal Biscuits	0.26	(0.95)
8	Samata Leather	49.00	(0.88)
9	EHL	0.04	(0.61)
10	Excelsior Shoe	0.10	(0.53)

**LEAGUE TABLE**

Company Name	F.V.M.L	Market Performance				AGM				Financial Performance										
		Dhaka Stock Exchange		Chittagong Stock Exchange		Year		Date		EPS		NAV								
		Vol	Day's High	Day's Low	Day's Closing	Prev. Closing	Net Chg	Vol	Day's Closing	Prev. Closing	Net Chg	Year End	Date	EPS	PE	DPS	Yield	NAV	Prev. NAV	
<b>Banks</b>																				
Al-Arafah	10095																			
Al-Baraka Bank	10001																			
Arabi Bangladesh Bank	1005																			
City Bank	1005																			
Eastern Bank	10020																			
IDL	10020																			
FTIC Bank	1005																			
Islamic Bank	10020																			
National Bank	1005																			
Pubali Bank	1005																			
Rupali Bank	10010																			
UCBL	1005																			
United Leasing	10020																			
Uttara Bank	1005																			
Uttara Finance	10050																			
<b>Investment</b>																				
1st BSRF MF	10050																			
1st ICB MF	1005																			
2nd ICB MF	1005																			
3rd ICB MF	1005																			
4th ICB MF	10010																			
5th ICB MF	10010																			
6th ICB MF	10010																			
7th ICB MF	1005																			
8th ICB MF	10050																			
ICB	1005																			
<b>Engineering</b>																				
Alfab Automobile	1005																			
Anwar Galvanizing	10050																			
Atlas Bangladesh	1005																			
Azz Pipe	1005																			
BD Autocon	1005																			
BD Lamp	10010																			
BEACO	10010																			
Bengal Steel	1005																			
Eastern Cables	1005																			
Karin Pipe	1005																			
Key & Que	10050																			
Metalex Corp.	1005																			
Mono Jute Staffer	1005																			
Mono Jute	1005																			
National Tubes	10010																			
Olympic Industries	1005																			
Quasem Drycell	10050																			
Ranpukur Foundry	10050																			
Ranwick Japanes	1005																			
Singer Bangladesh	1005																			
The Aluminer	10010																			
Wonderland Toys	10050																			
<b>Food &amp; Allied</b>																				
AB Biscuit	1005																			
Alpha Tobacco	1005																			
Amam Sea Food	1005																			
AMCL (Pran)	10010																			
Apna Food	1005																			
Bangladesh Food	1005																			
BD Plantation	10020																			
Beximco Fisheries	10020																			
BLTC	1005																			
BATIC	1005																			
Chittagong Vegetable	10010																			
Dhaka Fisheries	10050																			
Dhaka Vegetable	1005																			
EL Camera	10050																			
Gachihata	10050																			
Gemini Sea Food	1005			</																