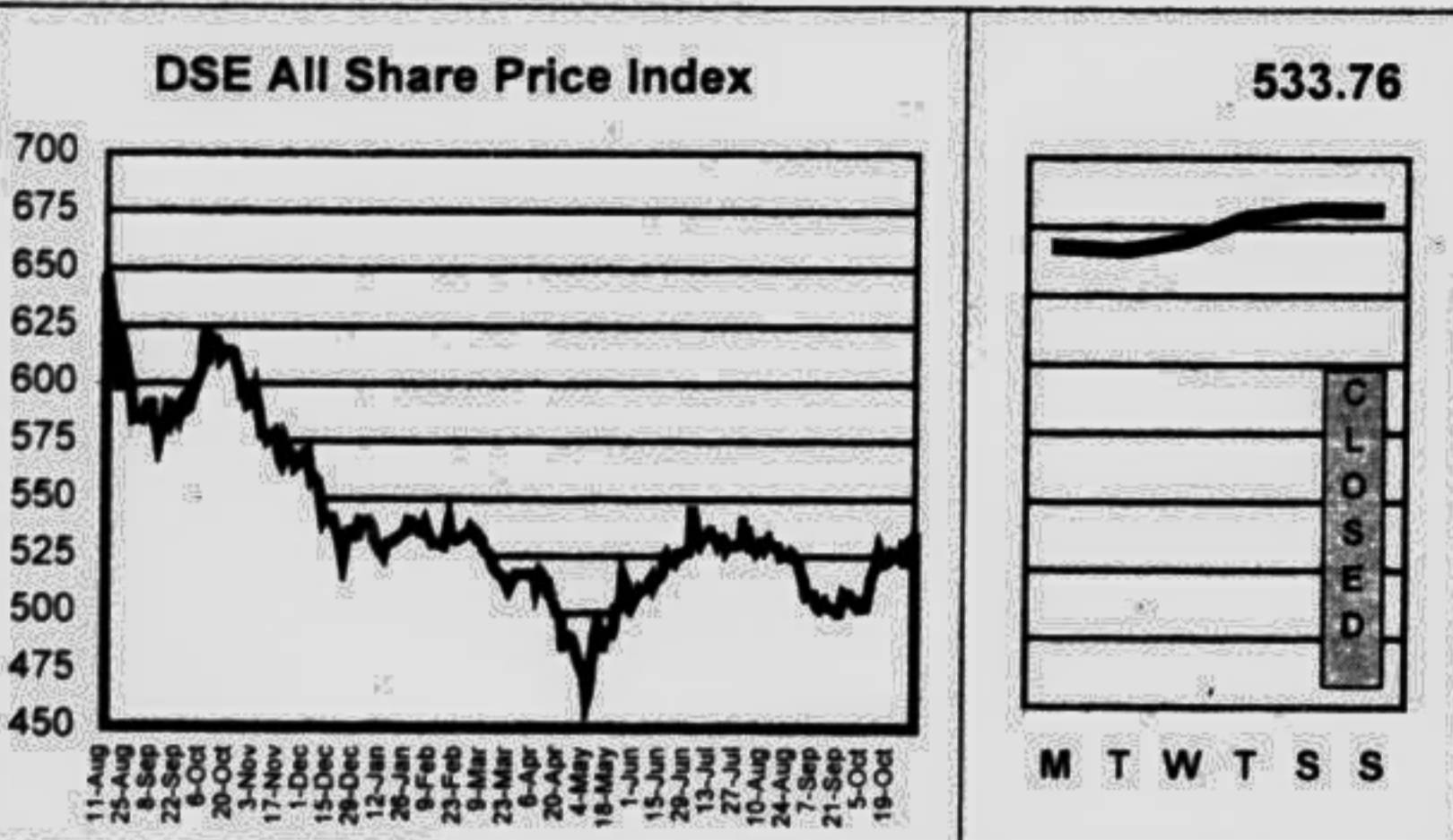


Fifty companies have been chosen for calculation of the STAR 50 Index based on their market capitalisation, liquidity, free float and corporate track record. The Base Period for the Index is August 10, 1998. The calculation has been done according to the widely used International Finance Corporation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



DAY'S MARKET

October 31, 1999

Item	DSE	CSE
All Share Price Index	533.76	217.13
Change in Index (pts)	(0.22)	(0.84)
Change in Index (%)	-0.04%	-0.38%
Market Capitalisation (cr Tk)	4,853.80	4,002.47
Market Capitalisation (mln US\$)	1,011.21	833.85
Turnover Volume (000)	3,378	629
Turnover Value (cr Tk)	12.97	4.15
No. of Issues Traded	164	60
No. of Issues Gained	58	16
No. of Issues Incurred Loss	92	36
No. of Issues Unchanged	14	8
Price Earning Ratio (x)	6.89	6.68
Dividend Yield (%)	8.25	8.77

DAY'S MARKET LEADERS

TURNOVER LEADERS

DSE	Vol	Value	CSE	Vol	Value
	'000	Tmn		'000	Tmn
1 Meghna Shrimp	267	25.26	1 Delta Millers	232	21.00
2 Delta Millers	191	17.26	2 Meghna Shrimp	135	12.43
3 EBL	120	13.68	3 Cig. Cement	2	1.99
4 Shampur Sugar	919	12.31	4 Chic Tex	161	1.26
5 Cig. Cement	6	5.46	5 Sinobangla	18	0.50
6 Padma Printer	206	4.70	6 Sajib Knit	5	0.35
7 Quasem Silk	187	3.28	7 Altitex Ind	6	0.35
8 Aramt Ltd	58	2.60	8 Eagle Star Tex	21	0.22
9 Zaal Bangla	292	2.34	9 Apex Weaving	4	0.18
10 Raspi Food	127	2.15	10 Square Pharma	0.26	0.16

CAPITAL GAINERS

DSE	Vol	Change	CSE	Vol	Change
	'000	%		'000	%
1 Shampur Sugar	918.70	17.54	1 MAQ Enter	0.10	11.11
2 Aramt Cement	1.40	12.63	2 Wala Chemi	0.08	9.09
3 Rupan Oil	0.20	11.67	3 Sandhani Life	0.05	6.79
4 BLTC	0.01	9.95	4 Rupali Ins	0.16	5.88
5 ICB	0.01	9.33	5 Aramt Ltd	0.05	4.90
6 Wala Chemi	1.44	9.03	6 Rupan Oil	0.10	2.94
7 Monno Jute	0.01	4.63	7 Cig. Cement	2.27	2.15
8 Reckitt & Col	1.80	4.30	8 M Hossain Gar	1.00	1.59
9 Talu Spinning	0.17	4.14	9 Uttara Finance	0.05	1.33
10 Rupali Bank	0.04	3.91	10 Padma Printer	0.20	1.30

CAPITAL LOSERS

DSE	Vol	Change	CSE	Vol	Change
	'000	%		'000	%
1 Delta Millers	191.44	(18.51)	1 Delta Millers	232.00	(19.20)
2 Bangla Pro	1.31	(7.12)	2 Meghna Shrimp	135.05	(6.36)
3 Modern Ind	0.32	(6.75)	3 Monno Chra	0.01	(5.15)
4 Metalex Corp	0.09	(5.58)	4 AnlimaYam	0.15	(3.37)
5 Remwick Jut	20.15	(5.87)	5 Sajib Knit	4.70	(3.24)
6 BEMCO	1.70	(5.48)	6 Sinobangla	18.00	(3.13)
7 Textip Ind	0.55	(5.32)	7 BOC (BD)	0.20	(2.91)
8 Sandhani Life	0.15	(4.99)	8 Chic Tex	161.00	(2.50)
9 Beximco Tex	0.20	(4.16)	9 Monno Fab	0.10	(2.03)
10 United Ins	0.04	(4.10)	10 Imam Button	0.20	(2.01)

LEAGUE TABLE

Company Name	Market Performance					AGM				Financial Performance			
	Dhaka Stock Exchange		Chittagong Stock Exchange			Year End	Date	EPS	PE	DPS	Yield	NAV per Share	Prev NAV
	Vol	Days' High	Days' Low	Days' Closing	Prev. Closing								
Banks													
Al-Arafat	10001	55	100.00	998.25	999.50	998.50	1.00						
Al Baraka Bank	10001				990.00								
Arab Bangladesh Bank	10005	10	92.00	92.00	92.00	91.75	0.25						
City Bank	10005	15	175.00	175.00	175.00	170.50	4.50						
Eastern Bank	10020	120.00	114.00	114.00	114.00								
IFC Bank	10005	800	459.75	440.00	451.25	444.75	6.50						
Islamic Bank	10005	145	105.00	104.00	104.00	106.00	(1.50)						
National Bank	10001	38	2,154.00	2,140.00	2,145.00	2,146.00	(2.75)						
Pubali Bank	10020	2,820	70.50	69.00	69.00	70.25	(1.25)						
Rupali Bank	10010	40	73.50	72.75	73.00	70.25	2.75						
UCBL	10005	100	630.00	614.00	627.50	630.00	(2.50)						
United Leasing	10005	55	85.00	80.00	80.25								
Utara Bank	10050	2,600	152.50	150.25	152.00	(0.25)							
Investment													
1st BSRF MF	10050				61.00								
1st ICB MF	10005				1,067.75								
2nd ICB MF	10005	15	350.00	350.00	350.00	340.00	1.00						
3rd ICB MF	10005				60.00								
4th ICB MF	10010				310.00								
5th ICB MF	10010	20	190.00	185.00	187.50	187.00	0.50						
6th ICB MF	10010	20	139.00	138.75	138.75	137.00	1.75						
7th ICB MF	10050				110.75								
8th ICB MF	10050	100	106.00	105.25	105.50	105.25	0.25						
9th ICB MF	10050	5	164.00	164.00	165.00	14.00							
Engineering													
Atlas Automobile	10005	815	203.50	198.00	201.75	203.00	(1.25)						
Arma Catering	10050	400	144.00	143.00	143.25	142.75	0.50						
Atlas Bangladesh	10050				134.40								
Auz Pipe	10005	365	566.00	537.00	543.25	539.00	(5.50)						
BD Ampers	10005	1,400	96.75	94.00	94.25	95.25	(1.00)						
BD Lubants	10005	1,360	700.00	671.00	688.75	689.50	(6.75)						
BEMCO	10010	700	103.00	94.00	96.25	105.00	(6.75)						
Bengal Steel	10010	1,113.70											
Eastern Cables	10005	370	50.50	50.00	50.50	50.00	(0.50)						
East Pipe	10005	300	98.00	97.00	97.50	100.00	(3.00)						
Key & Que	10005	600	138.00	137.00	137.25	136.75	0.50						
Metalex Corp	10005	90	172.00	160.00	162.25	174.75	(11.50)						
Monno Jute	10005	20	290.00	290.00	290.00	285.00	5.00						
Monno Jute	10005	5	802.00	802.00	802.00	766.50	35.50						
National Tubes	10010	240	819.00	800.00	808.25	804.75	3.50						
Olympic Industries	10005	4,495	111.25	109.00	110.75	108.25	2.50						
Quasem Textile	10050	20,980	15.70	15.50	15.50	15.50							
Rangpur Foundry	10050	3,398	15.20	15.00	15.00	14.75	(0.25)						
Ranjana Jute	10005	20,150	122.00	120.00	120.25	119.75	(0.25)						
Seer Bangladesh	10005	805	1,340.00	1,293.00	1,300.00	1,338.75	(68.75)						
Tha. S. S. Co.	10010	20	290.00	290.00	290.00	288.75	1.25						
Wondran Text	10050	2,500	65.00	64.00	64.25	64.25							
Food & Allied													
AB Biscuit	10005				165.00								
Alpha Tobacco	10050	450	56.00	55.25	55.50	56.00	(0.50)						
Anam Sea Food	10005	40	285.00	280.00	282.50	287.25	(4.75)						
AMCI (Phar)	10010	300	290.00	288.00	290.75	295.25	(2.25)						
Apex Food	10005	345	368.75	351.25	358.50	359.25	(3.75)						
Bangas	10005				180.25								
BD Plantation	10005				590.00								
Bengal Biscuit	10020				74.00								
Biscuits Fisheries	10020	100	86.75	86.75	86.75	87.75	(1.00)						
BITC	10005	5	1,017.00	1,017.00	1,017.00	925.00	92.00						
BATIC	10005				116.00								
Chittagong Vegetable	10010	280	85.00	84.50	84.75	85.50	(1.25)						
Dhaka Fisheries	10050	800	159.50	149.75	151.00	152.75	(1.75)						
Dhaka Vegetable	10005	350	55.25	54.25	54.75	55.00	(0.25)						
EL Camelia	10005				1,890.00								
Gachhata	10005	5,600	48.50	47.00	47.25	47.00	0.25						
Ganem Sea Food	10005	10	160.00	154.00	157.00	161.00	(4.00)						
Gulf Foods	10050	1,450	145.00	142.25	143.50	146.00	(2.50)						
Hill Plantation	10005				765.00								
Meghna Shrimp	10020	266,820	104.00	94.25	94.75	95.75	(1.00)						
Meghna Vegetable Oil	10050	3,300	86.75	83.50	84.50	82.50	2.00						
Modern Industries	10005	320	115.00	113.00	114.00	122.25	(8.25)						
Moira Food	10050	4,850	92.25	89.50	89.75	91.00	(1.25)						
NTC	10005				668.50								
Palash Flour	10005				8.10								