# **Daily Report**

### **Major Economic News**

Saudi Arabia's non-oil exports grew 1% Y/Y to SAR 23.9bn in January 2024. However, when compared to December 2023 the non-oil exports declined by 10%. Non-oil exports accounted for about 25.2% of the Kingdom's total exports in January 2024, amounting to SAR 94.9bn. (Source: Argaam)

## **Major Corporate News**

- Al Arabia's WOS Faden Media won a project to establish, operate, and maintain advertising billboards on the buildings' facades in various sites of Riyadh. This marks the third contract to be offered by Remat Al-Riyadh. The 10-year project entails a preparation period extending up to six months. It is valued at SAR 501.5mn, with the business model of the project being based on annual lease payments. (Source: Argaam)
- Sure Global Tech was awarded a project worth SAR 94.2mn with an institutional entity. The scope of work entails building and developing a digital platform including three years of operations. (Source: Argaam)
- SNB's CEO resigned on March, 27 due to personal reasons. The board of directors of SNB resolved to appoint Tareq Al Sadhan to replace Al Khereiji as the new CEO, starting May, 01. (Source: Argaam)

Earnings update (Net Profit) (SAR mn)						
Company	Q423-	Q422-	Y/Y %	Q323-	Q/Q %	
ALMAWARID*	21.2	25.3	-16.1	22.9	-7.4	
ALBAHA*	1.8	-3.1	NM	1.4	31.5	
ANAAM*	11.0	-38.0	NM	1.0	998.60	
SRMG	8.1	121.0	-93.3	249.0	-96.8	
RED SEA*	56.9	-74.0	NM	-15.6	NM	

\*NM indicates Not Meaningful

# **Market Analysis**

The **Saudi Stock Exchange** increased 0.2% at 12,608.0. The value traded stood at SAR 7.4bn (down 26.0% over the previous day), while the advance-decline ratio stood at 15562/. The parallel market index increased 1.3% to 27,008.6 points. The value traded stood at SAR 150.3mn (down 77.1% over the previous day). Most sectors in the main market ended in the green. Media and Capital Goods (up 3.7% and 3.6%, respectively) advanced the most, while Consumer Services and Real Estate (down 1.3% each) led the laggards.

Top Gainers		
Company	Price	Change%
MODERN MILLS	62.40	30.0
SAIC	41.55	9.9
SAUDI CABLE	101.00	9.9
SISCO HOLDING	37.80	9.9
RED SEA	27.90	8.6
Top Losers		
Top Losers Company	Price	Change%
-	Price 31.85	Change%
Company		
Company ALKHALEEJ TRNG	31.85	-9.9
Company ALKHALEEJ TRNG ALBAHA	31.85 0.14	-9.9 -6.7
Company ALKHALEEJ TRNG ALBAHA FIRST MILLS	31.85 0.14 83.40	-9.9 -6.7 -5.1



Saudi Stock Exchange Daily Index Closing High YTD % Low Change% 12,608 0.2 TASI 12,636 12,552 5 NomuC 27,009 27,009 26 605 13 10



20,005	1.0	10
TASI Ratio	s	
P/E* (x)		28.7
Price-to-B	ook (x)	2.5
Dividend Y	′ield (%)	2.5
Return on	Equity (%)	19.6
*Source: Argaa	am (Excluding Ar	amco)

Index	Close	Daily Change%	YTD %	PE (TTM)
Energy	5,822	-0.1	-6.4	16.1
Materials	6,202	0.8	-2.4	High
Capital Goods	12,446	3.6	25.3	42.3
Commercial Service	5,827	0.8	4.8	37.2
Transportation	7,593	2.0	19.8	45.7
Consumer Durables	5,858	0.5	16.6	neg
Consumer Services	5,483	-1.3	11.0	39.5
Media	38,420	3.7	56.7	High
Consumer Discretionary Ret	8,611	0.8	1.0	28.3
Consumer Staples Ret	10,548	0.2	9.0	28.3
Food & Beverages	6,591	0.4	17.5	35.1
Healthcare	13,920	0.0	15.7	High
Pharma & Bio Tech	5,265	-0.9	8.4	High
Banks	12,405	-0.3	1.7	14.6
Financial Services	8,549	3.3	28.5	37.8
Insurance	10,876	1.8	28.4	29.1
Telecom	7,860	0.1	1.8	14.7
Utilities	12,596	0.1	26.7	24.6
REITs	3,570	0.1	-2.7	High
Real Estate	3,816	-1.3	25.2	High
Software & Services	80,775	0.8	17.8	High

Average Index	Value		
Average days 5	Average days 10	Average days 20	Average value traded for February (bn)
12,696	12,729	12,652	9.34
Market Statistic	s		
	Value Traded (SAR bn)	Volumes (mn shares)	No. of Trades ('000)
Current Week	32.1	1,318.70	2,058.80
Previous week	47.2	2,232.80	2,882.50
Top Weighted (	Companies		
Company	Price		Change%
Saudi Aramco	30.80		-0.2
Al Rajhi	84.30		-0.2
SNB	38.90		0.0
SABIC	77.00		0.0
STC	39.75		0.0



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### **International Market News**

- According to EIA, oil inventories in the US increased 3.2mn barrels (prior: down 2.0mn) to 448.2mn in the week ended March 22. Gasoline inventories increased 1.3mn barrels (prior: down 3.3mn) to 232.1mn, while distillate inventories declined 1.2mn barrels (prior: up 0.6mn) to 117.3mn. (Source: EIA, Econoday)
- US mortgage applications are down week-over-week, signaling that mortgage loan demand is declining despite slightly lower mortgage rates. Mortgage application volume decreased by 0.7% for the week ended March 22. (Source: Reuters)
- Eurozone economic sentiment rose to a 3-month high in March driven by improvement across all sectors except construction. The index climbed to 96.3 in March, as expected, from 95.5 in February. Whereas the industrial confidence index rose to -8.8 in March from -9.4 in February. Further the services confidence index improved to 6.3 from 6.0, as managers' demand expectations picked up. (Source: RTT News)
- China's industrial profits increased notably in the first two months of the year driven by the improvement in the manufacturing sector. Industrial profits grew 10.2% Y/Y in the January to February period. (Source: Reuters)
- Oil prices increased 0.4% as bets on tighter supplies, especially amid lower Russian production.
- Gold prices increased 0.1% buoyed by expectations of a Fed rate cut.

## Forex / Currency

Currency / USD	Close	Daily Change%	MTD %	YTD %
Dollar Index	104.35	0.0	0.2	3.0
Euro	1.08	0.0	0.2	-1.9
Japanese Yen	151.33	-0.2	0.9	7.3
Sterling Pound	1.26	0.1	0.1	-0.7
Chinese Yuan	7.25	0.1	0.6	1.8
Indian Rupee	83.38	0.1	0.6	0.2
UAE Dirham	3.67	0.0	0.0	0.0
Qatari Rial	3.65	0.0	0.0	0.1
Kuwaiti Dinar	0.31	0.0	0.0	0.1
Omani Rial	0.39	0.0	0.0	0.0
Bahraini Dinar	0.38	0.0	0.0	0.0
Egyptian Pound	47.28	-1.0	53.1	53.0

### **Corporate Calendar**

Date Company		Event				
28-Mar	SAUDI ARAMCO	Cash Dividend Distribution				
28-Mar	ADVANCED	EGM				
28-Mar	ENWA ALRAWABI	Cash Dividend Distribution				
28-Mar	LUBEREF	Eligibility of Cash dividend				
31-Mar	Taqat Mineral Trading	listing date				
31-Mar	NORTHERN CEMENT	Eligibility of Cash dividend				
EGM: Extra Ord	EGM: Extra Ordinary Meeting*					

OGM: Ordinary General Meeting\*



#### **Commodity Markets**

MSCI EM

MSCI World

Commodity	Price	Daily Change%	MTD %	YTD %
Arab Light Crude (\$/bbl)	86.25	-1.3	4.6	7.2
Brent Crude (\$/bbl)	86.09	-0.2	3.0	11.7
Texas crude (\$/bbl)	81.35	-0.3	3.9	13.5
Natural Gas (\$/mmbtu)	1.72	-3.9	-14.4	-27.4
Gold (\$/oz)	2,194.79	0.7	7.4	6.4
Silver (\$/oz)	24.65	0.8	8.7	3.6
Steel (\$/ton)	865.00	9.6	8.8	-23.8
Iron Ore (CNY/MT)	830.00	-3.2	-13.9	-20.4
Wheat (\$/bu)	547.50	0.7	-5.0	-14.4
Corn (\$/bu)	426.75	-1.3	-0.6	-11.8
Sugar (\$/lb)	22.19	- <mark>0</mark> .9	2.3	8.7
SMP* (EUR/MT)	2,403.00	-0.4	-3.9	-6.8

72,996

1.037

3,437

0.7

-0.3

0.7

0.7

15

3.0

1.0

1.3

8.5

23.2

15.0

21.4

\*SMP: Skimmed Milk Powder

Rate*	Daily Change(bps)	MTD (bps)	YTD (bps)
5.82	2.3	-6.7	-9.3
6.24	4.3	1.0	0.7
6.06	-4.2	-2.1	-1.8
5.92	-0.4	-1.1	-7.1
5.30	-0.8	-3.2	-2.9
5.10	-12.1	-19.2	-23.2
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Data Sources: Tadawul, Bloomberg, Reuters Closes as of March 27, 2024

# **Daily Technical Outlook**



Technical observation	S
Index	TAS
Ticker	SASEIDX Inde
Last Close	12,608
Short-term view	Profit Booking
52 weeks high/low	12,883 – 9,933
Market data	
Exchange Market Cap. (SA	AR bn) 10,968.
Value (SAR mn)	7,355.
Volume (mn)	294.

TASI	market	commentary
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 TASI experienced a rise on Wednesday; primarily driven by the performance of the Materials sector (up 0.76%) and the Telecommunication services sector (up 0.13%). At close, the Saudi market ended the day with a change of 0.18% at 12,608. In terms of activity, total volumes and value traded were ~294mn and ~SAR 7.4bn, respectively. The advance-decline ratio came in at 155/62.

### **Technical outlook**

546,772

155 : <mark>62</mark>

0.18%

-0 18%

5.35%

2.49%

D/Y (%)

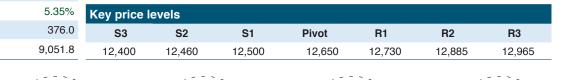
• TASI closed the last session near 12,608, marking a gain of 22 points. The index experienced a coiled session, exhibiting a pause within the prevailing profit booking attitude. TASI formed a Harami candlestick which may be followed by a temporary positive rebound to retest its 20-day SMA around 12,650. Moreover, the RSI indicator is testing its 50 level after breaking a rising trendline which represented a negative sign. TASI has an immediate resistance level of around 12,650. If successfully surpassed, the subsequent resistance levels to watch for would be around 12,730 – 12,885. On the other hand, an immediate support level is observed at around 12,500. If breached, the subsequent support levels would be around 12,460 – 12,400. Traders should consider the opportunity for a short-term rebound towards 12,650 points; however, it is important to be aware that the index still trading below the 20-day SMA after exhibiting a Three Black Crows candlestick pattern in the previous sessions. This still could lead to a further profit booking sentiment and drive the index towards the 10-week SMA zone around 12,460 points.

19.6%

ROE

28.64x

TTM P/E





Number of Transactions

Market Breadth

**Key statistics** 

1D return %

QTD return

YTD return

ADT vol. 3M\* (mn)

ADT val. 3M (SARmn)

MTD return %

# **TASI daily chart**



2.53x

P/B

Source: Tradingview, Aljazira Capital





## **SAUDI MARKET - TOP PICKS FOR THE DAY**

Code	Company	Close*	Buy range	Sell range	Stop loss
4263	SAL	266.80	266.20 - 266.80	269.20 - 272.20	263.80
4003	Extra	96.10	95.80 - 96.10	97.00 - 98.00	95.10
4014	Equipment House	57.50	57.30 - 57.50	58.10 - 58.70	56.90
1210	BCI	34.05	33.96 - 34.05	34.40 - 34.75	33.65
2200	Arabian Pipes Company	162.40	162.00 - 162.40	164.00 - 165.60	160.60
1140	Bank Albilad	48.75	48.60 - 48.75	49.20 - 49.70	48.20

\*As of 27th Mar 2024

\* Note - Stop loss is based on an intraday basis

# **CHARTS OF THE DAY**

# **Technical observations**

SAL started to bounce off the level of the prior trough as well as the 50-day SMA, forming a Bullish Engulfing candlestick pattern. Moreover, all the technical indicators show bullish structure.



### **Technical observations**

Extra formed a Bullish Engulfing candlestick pattern at around the level of the prior peaks. Moreover, all the technical indicators show bullish structure.

### **United Electronics Co. (Extra)**



Source: Tradingview, Aljazira Capital





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Candlestick: A candlestick (candle) is a type of price chart used to display the high, low, opening, and closing prices of a security for the period under consideration.

Support: This is the price level at which demand is strong enough to avoid any further price decline.

**Resistance:** This is the price level at which supply is strong enough to stop any further price increase.

Pattern/formation: This is a plot of a security's price activity over a certain period that can be used to identify potential trends, reversal of trends, price targets, entry and exit points, etc. There are various formations - such as head & shoulders, triangles, flags, etc.

Simple moving average: A simple moving average is formed by computing the average price of a security over a specific number of periods. Moving averages are based on closing prices.

Relative strength index (RSI): RSI is a momentum indicator that compares a security's price gains to its losses for a predetermined number of periods (generally, 14 periods are used). The RSI attempts to point out how security, in relative terms, is in the overbought/overs old zone.

Moving average convergence/divergence (MACD): MACD is a trading indicator that shows changes in the strength, direction, momentum, and duration of a trend in a stock's price through a collection of three- time series calculated from historical closing prices.

Fibonacci retracements: These are horizontal lines that indicate the expected areas of support/resistance for a security based on a predetermined price movement. These are usually indicated by Fibonacci ratios of 23.6%, 38.2%, 50.0%, 61.8%, and 100% from that movement.

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