Daily Report



Major Economic News

- Saudi Arabia will allow citizens to leave the Kingdom starting from May 17, 2021 at 1:00 am. Travel restrictions will be lifted on citizens who received two doses of the COVID-19 vaccine, or those who received one shot, provided that they are vaccinated 14 days ago. Citizens recovered from the COVID-19 (still in the first six months after being infected) and citizens below 18 years will also be allowed to travel. (Source: Argaam)
- The point-of-sale transactions in KSA grew by 65% Y/Y to SAR 40.8bn in March 2021. A total of 395.9mn transactions were processed in March. (Source: Argaam)

Major Corporate News

- BATIC Investment and Logistics Co. signed an agreement with Smart Parking Holding Co. for the acquisition of a 35.8% stake in Smart Cities Solutions Company for Telecom and Information Technology for an estimated price of SAR 107.9mn. (Source: Argaam)
- Amana Cooperative Insurance Co. signed a binding MoU with Saudi Enaya Cooperative Insurance Co., under which Saudi Enaya will be merged into Amana. (Source: Argaam)

Market Analysis

• The Saudi Stock Exchange decreased 0.5% to 10,365.5 on Sunday. The value traded stood at SAR 8.3bn (down 15.6% over previous day), while the advance-decline ratio stood at 105/85. The parallel market index decreased 2.2% to 23,675.0 points. The value traded stood at SAR 11.0mn (up 7.0% over previous day). Most sectors in the main market ended in the green. Consumer Services and Real Estate (up 3.7% and 2.3%, respectively) advanced the most; Software & Services and Banks (down 1.6% and 1.2%, respectively) led the laggards.

Earnings update (Net Profit) (SAR mn)							
Company	Q1-21	Q1-20	Y/Y %	Q4-20	Q/Q %		
Tabuk Cement Co.	7.1	28.9	-75.6	12.7	-44.3		
SPPC	-13.6	-14.9	NM	-9.0	NM		
Extra	81.2	34.7	134.1	101.6	-20.1		
Walaa	-23.9	-11.7	NM	29.8	NM		
Arabian Shield	15.3	8.8	75.0	10.2	49.8		
Bupa Arabia	175.4	125.7	39.6	84.9	106.7		
Nama Chemicals Co.	10.0	-7.3	NM	-24.7	NM		
Middle East Paper Co.	17.7	4.1	329.7	4.2	319.1		

Top Gainers		
Company	Price	Change%
SEERA	21.48	7.7
SAIC	38.00	5.4
MALATH INSURANCE	25.30	5.0
SAUDI GERMAN HOSP.	39.20	4.5
MCDC	67.80	4.5

Top Losers		
Company	Price	Change%
ALUJAIN	54.10	-4.9
ABO MOATI	48.55	-3.7
SACO	67.30	-3.6
ALOMRAN	97.90	-3.5
BAAZEEM	91.40	-3.4

Saudi Stock Exchange						
Index	Closing	High	Low	Daily Change%	YTD %	
TASI	10,366	10,416	10,331	(0.5)	19.3	
NomuC	23,675	24,261	23,656	(2.2)	(9.8)	



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Index	Close	Daily Change%	YTD %	PE (TTM)
Energy	5,545	0.2	2.9	39.2
Materials	7,063	(1.1)	22.9	High
Capital Goods	7,965	(0.4)	21.8	Neg
Commercial Service	4,208	2.1	3.7	Neg
Transportation	5,892	(0.2)	21.7	Neg
Consumer Durables	6,716	(0.2)	17.4	Neg
Consumer Services	4,614	3.7	8.1	Neg
Media	11,839	1.5	15.9	43.9
Retailing	10,018	(0.7)	17.1	Neg
Food & Staples	11,492	2.2	9.1	30.4
Food & Beverages	5,634	(0.2)	3.1	30.5
Healthcare	7,197	0.8	27.3	43.2
Pharma & Bio Tech	5,910	0.1	14.3	49.1
Banks	9,733	(1.2)	28.3	26.6
Diversified Financials	6,260	2.0	36.2	Neg
Insurance	6,169	1.0	2.4	26.9
Telecom	7,996	(0.7)	15.9	23.9
Utilities	5,612	(0.1)	21.7	34.7
REITs	4,633	0.8	8.1	High
Real Estate	3,347	2.3	10.8	Neg
Software & Services	17,351	(1.6)	23.1	46.7

Average Index Value						
Average 5 days	Average 10 days	Average 20 days	Average value traded for the month (bn)			
10,363	10,240	10,097	8.86			

*Neg: Negative

Market Statistics					
	Value Traded (SAR bn)	Volumes (mn shares)	No. of Trades ('000)		
Current Week	8.3	321.0	341.7		
Previous week	48.0	1,757.9	1,672.8		

Top Weighted Companies					
Company	Price	Change%			
Al Rajhi	98.90	0.0			
Saudi Aramco	35.45	0.1			
NCB	55.60	-2.1			
SABIC	122.20	-1.5			
STC	125.80	-0.9			

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Regional and International Markets

- Among other regional markets, Dubai and Abu Dhabi increased 0.7% and 0.5%, respectively. Kuwait and Oman rose 1.1% and 0.7%, respectively; while Qatar remained flat. Meanwhile, Egypt and Bahrain remained closed.
- China's Caixin manufacturing PMI rose to 51.9 in April from 50.6 in March, driven by improved market conditions and greater customer demand. Total new orders grew for the eleventh consecutive month in April. (Source: RTT News)
- Eurozone GDP contracted 0.6% Q/Q in Q1-21 (consensus: a contraction of 0.8%) compared to a decline of 0.7% in Q4-20. On a yearly basis, GDP fell 1.8% in Q1-21 compared to a decrease of 4.9% in Q4-20. (Source: RTT News)
- Eurozone CPI rose 1.6% Y/Y in April (in line with consensus) compared to an increase of 1.3% in March. On a monthly basis, CPI gained 0.6% in April. Core inflation rose 0.8% (consensus: 1.0% increase) compared to 0.9% increase in March. (Source: RTT News)
- Japan's unemployment stood at a seasonally adjusted 2.6% in March (consensus: 2.9%) versus 2.9% in February. The job-to-applicant ratio was 1.10 (consensus:1.09). (Source: RTT News)

Forex / Currency				
Currency	Close	Daily Change%	MTD %	YTD %
Dollar Index	91.3	0.0	-2.1	1.5
Euro	1.20	0.0	2.5	-1.6
Japanese Yen	109.3	0.0	-1.3	5.8
Sterling Pound	1.38	0.0	0.3	1.0
Chinese Yuan	6.47	0.0	-1.2	-0.8
Indian Rupee	74.1	0.0	1.2	1.4
UAE Dirham	3.67	0.0	0.0	0.0
Qatari Rial	3.64	0.0	0.0	0.0
Kuwaiti Dinar	0.30	0.1	-0.4	-0.9
Omani Rial	0.38	-0.1	-0.1	0.0
Bahraini Dinar	0.38	-0.1	-0.1	0.0
Egyptian Pound	15.61	0.0	-0.4	-0.5

Corporate Calendar					
Date	Company	Event			
03 rd May	SABIC	Cash Dividend Distribution			
05 th May	SULAIMAN ALHABIB	Cash Dividend Distribution			
05 th May	Petrochem	Cash Dividend Distribution			
07 th May	Baazeem	Cash Dividend Distribution			
09 th May	EIC	Cash Dividend Distribution			
09 th May	MOUWASAT	Cash Dividend Distribution			

*EGM: Extra Ordinary Meeting

*OGM: Ordinary General Meeting

Regional Markets					
Market	Close	Daily Change%	MTD %	YTD %	P/E
Dubai (DFM)	2,624	0.7	0.7	5.3	20.2
Abu Dhabi (ADX)	6,077	0.5	0.5	20.4	17.2
Kuwait (KSE)	5,185	1.1	1.1	13.9	NA
Qatar (QE)	10,906	0.0	0.0	4.5	18.2
Oman (MSM)	3,788	0.7	0.7	3.5	9.8
Bahrain (BSE)	1,485	0.0	0.0	-0.3	9.1
Egypt (EGX30)	10,475	0.0	0.0	-3.4	8.7

International Markets							
Index	Close	Daily Change%	MTD %	YTD %	P/E		
Dow Jones	33,875	0.0	2.7	10.7	22.4		
Nasdaq	13,963	0.0	5.4	8.3	33.2		
S&P 500	4,181	0.0	5.2	11.3	28.2		
FTSE 100	6,970	0.0	3.8	7.9	18.9		
Germany DAX 30	15,136	0.0	8.0	10.3	20.8		
France CAC 40	6,269	0.0	3.3	12.9	49.5		
Japan Nikkei 225	28,813	0.0	-2.0	5.0	23.5		
Russia MICEX	3,544	0.0	0.1	7.8	13.8		
Hong Kong Hang Seng	28,725	0.0	1.2	5.5	14.2		
South Korea KOSPI	3,148	0.0	2.8	9.5	19.9		
China Shanghai Composite	3,447	0.0	0.1	-0.8	12.5		
Australia ASX 200	7,026	0.0	3.5	6.7	22.9		
India Sensex	48,782	0.0	-1.5	2.2	28.4		
MSCI EM	1,348	0.0	2.4	4.4	21.1		
MSCI World	2,939	0.0	4.5	9.2	31.7		

Commodity Markets				
Commodity	Price	Daily Change%	MTD %	YTD %
Arab Light Crude (\$/bbl)	66.1	0.0	4.2	32.3
Brent Crude (\$/bbl)	67.3	0.0	5.8	29.8
Texas crude (\$/bbl)	63.6	0.0	7.5	31.0
Natural Gas (\$/mmbtu)	2.93	0.0	12.4	15.4
Gold (\$/oz)	1,769	0.0	3.6	-6.8
Silver (\$/oz)	25.9	0.0	6.2	-1.7
Steel (\$/ton)	1,505	0.0	11.6	49.8
Iron Ore (CNY/MT)	1,235	0.0	5.2	14.5
Wheat (\$/bu)	743	0.0	20.1	15.9
Corn (\$/bu)	740	0.0	31.1	52.9
Sugar (\$/lb)	17.4	0.0	18.1	12.6
SMP* (EUR/MT)	2,570	0.0	4.2	15.5

*SMP: Skimmed Milk Powder

Interbank Rates				
Region	Rate*	Daily Change(bps)	MTD (bps)	YTD (bps)
USD LIBOR	0.176	0.0	-1.9	-6.3
Saudi Arabia(SAIBOR)	0.794	-0.1	-0.1	-2.3
UAE (EIBOR)	0.386	3.0	3.0	-12.7
Qatar (QIBOR)	1.095	0.5	0.5	-2.5
Bahrain (BHIBOR)	1.325	0.0	0.0	-92.5

Data Sources: Tadawul, Bloomberg, Reuters

*Three-month Interbank rate **NA: Not Available

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