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For nearly 15 years the Palestine Exchange (PEX) has maintained its presence under challenging political and economic conditions. The PEX has been able to position itself as a robust exchange among its emerging markets peers.



Trading Summary

AL-Quds index	0.93%	Listed companies	46
Trading value (USD)	38,317,246	Traded companies	39
Trading volume (shares)	15,362,088	Gainers	17
No. of transactions	3,723	Decliners	17
Index close (points)	486.71	Unchanged	5



Al-Quds Index



Indices

	Daily closing of AL- Quds index during March 2012					
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488 -	487.75 487.89 487.79					
487 -	486.78					
486 -	486.71 485.60 486.41 485.94					
485	484.52 485.15					
484 -	484.03 483.97					
483 -	482.77					
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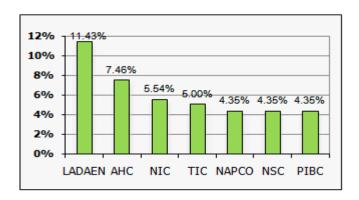
Index	Points	Change
		(%)
Al-Quds	486.71	0.93%
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General	257.65	0.87%
Banking & Financial	98.13	0.93%
Services		
Industry	63.63	-0.58%
Incurance	49.05	1.26%
Insurance	49.05	1.26%
Investment	21.98	0.14%
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Services	51.35	1.18%



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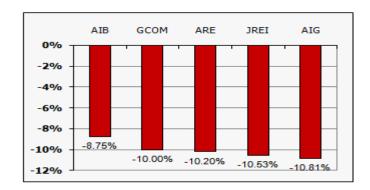


Top 5 gainers



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Top 5 decliners

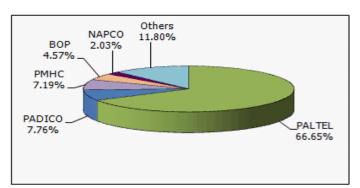


Company	Symbol	Currency	Closing price	Change (%)
Palestine Plastic Industrial	LADAEN	JOD	0.39	11.43
Arab Hotels	AHC	JOD	0.72	7.46
National Insurance	NIC	USD	4.38	5.54
Al-Takaful Palestinian Insurance	TIC	USD	1.05	5.00
National Aluminum & profile	NAPCO	JOD	0.96	4.35
Nablus Surgical Center	NSC	JOD	1.20	4.35
Palestine Investment Bank	PIBC	USD	0.96	4.35

Company	Symbol	Currency	Closing price	Change (%)
Ahliea Insurance Group	AIG	USD	0.33	-10.81
Jerusalem Real Estate Investment	JREI	USD	0.85	-10.53
The Arab Real Estate Establishment	ARE	JOD	0.44	-10.20
GLOBALCOM Telecommunicati ons	GCOM	USD	0.45	-10.00
Arab Islamic Bank	AIB	USD	0.73	-8.75



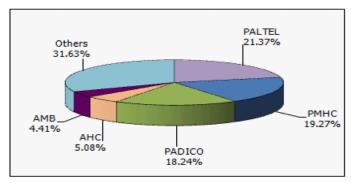
Top 5 stocks by value



Company	Symbol	Value traded (US\$)	% of total	
Palestine Telecommunications	PALTEL	25,538,810	66.65	
Palestine Development & Investment	PADICO	2,971,958	7.76	
Palestine mortgage & Housing Corporation	PMHC	2,753,671	7.19	
Bank of Palestine	BOP	1,752,854	4.57	
National Aluminum & profile	NAPCO	779,351	2.03	



Top 5 stocks by volume



Company	Symbol	Volume traded	% of total
Palestine Telecommunications	PALTEL	3,282,608	21.37
Palestine mortgage & Housing Corporation	PMHC	2,960,937	19.27
Palestine Development & Investment	PADICO	2,802,043	18.24
Arab Hotels	AHC	779,665	5.08
Alrafah Microfinance Bank	AMB	677,140	4.41



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Top 5 by turnover ratio



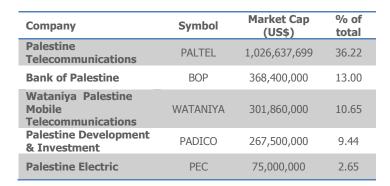
Top 5 by daily average turnover

Company	Symbol	Turnover ratio
Palestine mortgage & Housing Corporation	РМНС	14.80
National Aluminum & profile	NAPCO	9.29
GLOBALCOM Telecommunications	GCOM	6.47
Jerusalem Real Estate Investment	JREI	3.47
Arab Hotels	AHC	3.12

Company	Symbol	Daily average turnover value(US\$)
Palestine Telecommunications	PALTEL	1,276,941
Palestine Development & Investment	PADICO	148,598
Palestine mortgage & Housing Corporation	PMHC	137,684
Bank of Palestine	BOP	87,643
National Aluminum & profile	NAPCO	38,968



Top 5 by market Cap





Top 5 by free float

Company	Symbol	% of free float
Alshark Electrode	ELECTRODE	85.49
Palestine Development & Investment	PADICO	84.35
Al-Aqariya Trading Investment	AQARIYA	80.59
The Arab Real Estate Establishment	ARE	73.75
The Ramallah Summer Resorts	RSR	70.59



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Comparisons

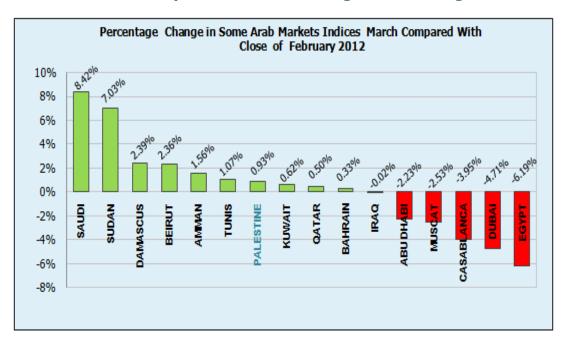
Item	February 2012	March 2012	Change (%)
Trading volume (#)	13,897,427	15,362,088	10.54
Trading value (US\$)	25,944,039	38,317,246	47.69
Number of transactions	4,244	3,723	-12.28
Number of trading sessions	21	20	-4.76
Daily average trading value (US\$)	1,235,430	1,915,862	55.08
Market Cap (US\$)	2,809,886,028	2,834,242,311	0.87

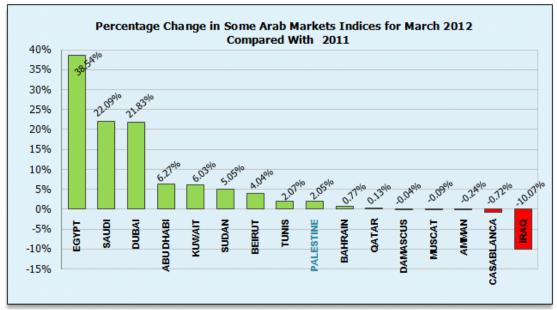
Month		rading Va ISD millio			ading Vol illion sha		Market Cap (US\$ millions)			
	2011	2012	Change (%)	2011	2012	Change (%)	2011	2012	Change (%)	
January	28.15	31.48	11.83	17.63	18.10	2.67	2,765.73	2,779.40	0.49	
February	27.84	25.94	-6.82	15.10	13.90	-7.95	2,731.78	2,809.89	2.86	
March	30.61	38.32	25.19	16.55	15.36	-7.19	2,814.96	2,834.24	0.68	

	Trading Value									
Quarterly (US\$ millions)	2011				2012				Change (%) (Q1/2012-Q4/2011)	
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	1.46 %	
	86.60	136.39	48.28	94,37	95.75				1.40 %	
					Trading Volume					
Quarterly (million shares)	2011				2012				change (%) (Q1/2012-Q4/2011)	
(mmon snares)	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	21.70 %	
	49.28	71.64	24.73	38,89	47.33				21.70 %	



PEX in comparison with other regional exchanges







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News

- ⇒ **Some listed companies held their general assembly meetings** and approved the following:
 - AL-Wataniah Towers (ABRAJ): 10% stock dividend
 - Arab Paints Products (APC): 20% cash dividend.
 - Global United Insurance (GUI): 10% stock dividend
 - National Insurance (NIC): 15% cash dividend and 20% stock dividend