

"Turnover records a near 3 week high"

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ASPI observed a downward trend during morning hours but saw a resurgence towards midday with the index picking up, finally ending at a 11 point increase to 10,623. Counters in the Tiles industry saw an increased interest today; notably, RCL. The main positive contributors to the index were CTHR, HAYL & VPEL whilst the largest negative contributors were JKH, LIOC & NTB, VPEL saw a large buying interest following its interim dividend announcement of LKR 1.75 per share. Turnover was recorded at LKR 2.5Bn, 66% higher than the average monthly turnover of LKR 1.5Bn. High net worth clients contributed to the majority of the market turnover, with multiple off-board transactions observed to have taken place during today's session: notably 17 of such transactions taking place on LFIN with the total value amounting to LKR 625.6Mn. Foreign investors turned net buyers today, with a large appetite on DIAL.



300

Estimated Value (LKR 'MN)

400