

The broader market experienced a mixed sentiment today as investors adopted wait and see approach ahead of the possible debt restructuring confirmation scheduled for 26th Jun-24. ASPI commenced the week on a positive note, reaching its intraday high of 12,323 during the first trading hour. However, the banking sector counters exerted selling pressure on the index, resulting in a modest gain as the index closed at 12,272, gaining 22 points. Several blue-chip companies and manufacturing sector stocks gained momentum throughout the day further demonstrating a buying interest towards different sectors. Meanwhile the turnover stood at LKR 1.4Bn while reaching to a two-week low a 8.7% down from the monthly average standing at LKR 1.5Bn where Capital Goods sector led the turnover at 29.9%, followed by Banking and Food and Beverage sectors jointly contributing 36.4% to the overall turnover. Foreign investors remained net buyers with a net inflow of LKR 139.9Mn.

