

## 16. BEIRUT STOCK EXCHANGE

*Beirut Stock Exchange section studies monthly transactions, value of monthly transactions, market capitalization at the end of period and daily averages.*

Beirut Stock Exchange activity in 2009:

- Total shares volume: 102,588,637 shares.
  - Daily average: 422,175 shares.
- Total shares value: 1,038,106,000 USD.
  - Daily average value: 4,272,038 USD.
- Listed companies and Funds in December 2009: 11 companies.
- Securities in December 2009: 26 securities.
- Trading days: 243 days.
- Number of brokers in December 2009: 15 brokers.
- Number of deals: 36,226 deals.
  - Daily average: 149 deals.
- Listed shares by sector in 2009: 789,841,000 shares:
  - Banks: 74.1% of total.
  - Development and reconstruction: 20.9% of total.
  - Industry: 3.6% of total.
  - Trading: 1.4% of total.
  - Funds: 0.04% of total.

### Monthly transactions

Total exchanged shares in 2009: 102,588,637:

- Top 5 traded shares volume: 96.2% of total volume.
- Peak month: February (52.7% of total shares).

***Table 16.10 – Top 5 companies monthly transactions. Volume in 2009***

Shares	Volume	%
Byblos Bank	58,940,231	57.5
Solidere A	22,420,888	21.9
Solidere B	10,045,877	9.8
Byblos Bank Priority	5,933,613	5.8
Banque BEMO listed shares	1,283,826	1.3
<b>Total of top 5 companies</b>	<b>98,642,435</b>	<b>96.2</b>
<b>Total of all companies</b>	<b>102,588,637</b>	<b>100.0</b>

*Table made by CAS based on Beirut Stock Exchange data (2009)*

## Value of monthly transactions

Total value of exchanged shares in 2009: 1,038,106,000 USD:

- Top 5 traded shares value: 89.6% of total value.
- Peak month: June (16.8% of total value).

**Table 16.11 – Top 5 companies monthly transactions. Value in 2009**

Shares	Traded shares. USD	%
Solidere A	509,026	49.0
Solidere B	215,490	20.8
Byblos Bank	101,575	9.8
Bank Audi	66,803	6.4
Blom Bank GDR	37,611	3.6
<b>Total of top 5 companies</b>	<b>930,505</b>	<b>89.6</b>
<b>Total of all companies</b>	<b>1,038,106</b>	<b>100.0</b>

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## Market capitalization. End of month

Total market capitalization in December 2009: 12,844,000,000 USD:

- Top 5 market capitalization value: 73.8% of total value.

**Table 10.12 – Top 5 companies market capitalization. USD in December 2009**

Shares	Market capitalization. USD	%
Bank Audi	2,855	22.2
Solidere A	2,398	18.7
BLOM Bank Listed Shares	1,806	14.1
Solidere B	1,546	12.0
Bank Audi – GDR	875	6.8
<b>Total of top 5 companies</b>	<b>9,480,000,000</b>	<b>73.8</b>
<b>Total of all companies</b>	<b>12,844,000,000</b>	<b>100.0</b>

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