

MATERIAL MARKET UPDATE

The prime bourse extended its red zone session and ended by losing 71 points (1.13%) due to dismal corporate earnings and unfavorable macro-outlooks. Imposing the floor price hit the deck to mitigate the unavoidable selling pressure even though fresh capital injection becomes obsolete in this scenario from the large scale foreign & national investors' perception. The High Court had instructed the authorities to impose a floor price on the SME board as well. Even though the regulator has no intention of lifting the floor price in the main board, the mechanism has been relaxed in case of block market transactions allowing shares to be traded up to 10% lower than the floor price. Bangladesh Security Exchange Commission (BSEC) has issued a directive regarding the issuance of bonus dividends for companies from the SME platform, OTC, and ATB. Firms that fail to pay 10% cash dividends for 2 years consecutively and plan to issue stock dividends in the first three years following their listing have to take permission from the regulators. In addition, the regulatory board is blueprinting the exit strategy from the burden of negative equity of the nearly 27,000 BO accounts by 2023, with the matter on a case-to-case basis through discussions with brokerage firms. Recently as per instructions, banks will have time till 2023 August to adjust the excess stock market investments to protect the investors' interests by avoiding the freefall of the index. As debt financing is becoming pricier, dozens of firms are intending to go for equity financing through IPO worth BDT 7,000 million to minimize the doldrums of shivering profit margins along with stirring both vertical & horizontal business accumulation.

The path of 'soft landing' of the overheated economy has further narrowed as the lower unemployment rate of 3.7% coupled with wages growth of 5.1% during November poured a "cold November rain" on the US economy. After a series of four aggressive 75 bps rate hikes, Jerome Powell thought the Fed would increase the target rate by 50bps in the upcoming December Jackson hole symposium as the inflation seems to cool down. Though October US inflation edged down to 7.7%, ticking down workforce participation in addition to net zero carbon policy, geopolitical rivalries, and structural supply deficits in key commodities will keep the inflation elevated for a longer period than expected. Hence, without absorbing a deeper economic shock, the central bank may not tame down the inflation to the target level of 2%. The ramifications of global economic ongoing turmoil are strengthening the USD against the emerging market currencies which is putting pressure on the balance of payments. Bangladesh' forex reserve tumbled to USD 33.79 bn which is depleting faster due to heavy import payments, and multiple currency exchange rates. In the meantime, the single month export earnings of USD 5.09 during November was an all-time high in terms of monthly collections due to picking up orders of RMG goods. Despite record export earnings and incremental remittance inflow of USD 1.5 bn during November, current account deficit aggravated to USD 4.5 bn as the import payments during the period of July-Oct period surged to USD 25.51 bn which is continuously weakening the local currency. Moreover, sales of USD 6.5 bn to the commercial banks, rising of NPL, and money market liquidity crisis with 'call money rate of 5.83%' are looming an unprecedented liquidity crisis in the banking sector. The interest cap of 9% is penting up the private credit loan demand but the stressed liquidity in the banking sector and higher yields in G-sec dragged down the private sector credit growth in October to 13.91%. The major headwind of our economy is a potential liquidity crunch. To avoid the crisis and keep afloat the financial system of our country, the central bank should inject liquidity even though the price level & expected inflation dominate the liquidity effects.

KEY NEWS UPDATE

MACROECONOMY

- Remittance ticks up in November: https://rb.gy/j0gto9
- Bangladesh's export earnings top \$5b in Nov: https://rb.gy/fbv0wh
- BB dollar sales to govt banks rising to meet growing import costs: https://rb.gy/eqi7oc
- Rising external debt poses risks to forex reserves: https://rb.gy/tmehif
- NPL much higher than reported: https://rb.gy/zzlwde
- Reserves fall below \$34b: https://rb.gy/aabxbs
- LC settlements surge by \$4.5b in Jul-Nov: https://rb.gy/bv0toe
- Current account deficit widens further: https://rb.gy/y9e3zv
- Bangladesh's foreign debt more than triples in 10 years: https://rb.gy/va6fh5
- Bangladesh's raising export earning gives hope of easing forex crisis: https://rb.gy/ptvn1e

CAPITAL MARKET

- BSEC plans case-to-case dealings to get rid of negative equity by 2023: https://rb.gy/hzdg8p
- Dozen companies plan to raise Tk700cr from stock market for expansion: https://rb.gy/auhtnf
- Floor price relaxed for just block market trading: https://rb.gy/69qlqm
- Bond market not gaining momentum due to low demand: https://rb.gy/gd13ft
- Default loans in NBFIs rise over Tk1,000cr in 3 months: https://rb.gy/9rs1ai

INTERNATIONAL

- U.S retail sales surged by 1.3% in October: https://rb.gy/tmpjvz
- British retail sales rise in October but stay below pre-Covid levels: https://rb.gy/takjxs
- Fed and ECB in focus: https://rb.gy/qxfrh1



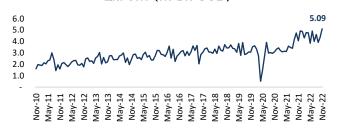
MACRO UPDATE

	FY 2022-23	FY 2021-22	% CHANGE
EXPORT (MN \$) (JUL-NOV)	21,946	19,791	10.9%
IMPORT (MN \$) (JUL-OCT)	27,560	25,831	6.7%
REMITTANCES (MN \$) (JUL-NOV)	8,787	8,608	2.1%
TAX REVENUE (NBR) (MN \$) (JUL-SEP)	7,060	6,881	2.6%
TOTAL DOMESTIC CREDIT (MN \$) (SEP)	182,430	156,011	16.9%
CREDIT TO THE PRIVATE SECTOR (MN \$) (OCT)	146,226	128,372	13.9%
BROAD MONEY M2 (MN \$) (OCT)	181,765	167,838	8.3%
LC OPENING OF INDUSTRIAL RAW MATERIAL (MN \$) (JUL-SEP.)	6,387	7,476	-14.6%
LC OPENING OF CAPITAL MACHINERY (MN \$) (JUL-SEP.)	607	1,771	-65.7%
CURRENT ACCOUNT BALANCE (MN \$) (JUL-OCT.)	(4,501)	(3,834)	N/A
NET SALES OF NATIONAL SAVINGS CERTIFICATES (MN \$) (JUL-SEP)	(61)	900	-106.8%
	This Month	LAST MONTH	% CHANGE
FOREIGN EXCHANGE RESERVE (MN \$)	33,790	35,809	-5.6%
CALL RATE (WEIGHTED AVERAGE RATE)	5.83	5.80	0.5%
TAKA-DOLLAR EXCHANGE RATE (AVG)	103.27	103.17	0.1%
	Oct'22	SEP'22	% CHANGE
US RETAIL SALES (MN \$)	694,518	685,794	1.3%
UK RETAIL SALES (MN \$)	10,090	10,027	0.6%

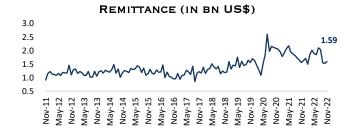
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EXPORT EARNINGS INCREASED RECORD OF \$5.09 DURING NOV'22 DUE TO HIGHER ORDERS FROM THE FOREIGN MARKETS.

EXPORT (IN BN USD)



NOVEMBER INWARD REMITTANCES INCHED UP BY 2.64% AS HIGHER HUMAN CAPITAL MIGRATED IN RECENT MONTHS

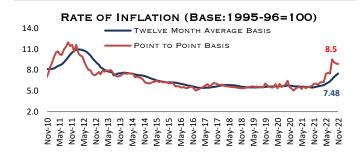


CLASSIFIED LOANS INCREASED TO 9.36% AT THE END OF SEPTEMBER 2022 DUE TO POLICY REFORMULATION REGARDING DEFAULTERS.

% SHARE OF CLASSIFIED LOAN TO TOTAL OUTSTANDING

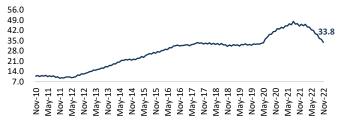


Inflation reduced to 8.5% in November as the food inflation cooled down to 8.14%



FOREX RESERVE DECREASED SIGNIFICANTLY IN NOVEMBER FROM THE PREVIOUS MONTH DUE TO HIGH IMPORT PAYMENTS.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE RESERVE (IN BN USD)



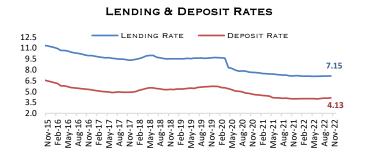
CALL MONEY RATE INCREASED IN NOVEMBER SIGNIFICANTLY DUE TO THE LIQUIDITY CRISIS IN THE MONEY MARKET.

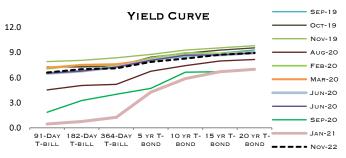




THE SPREAD REDUCED AS THE COSTS OF DEPOSITS INCREASED DUE TO INFLATION LINKED TO DEPOSIT COST.

YIELDS OF GOVERNMENT SECURITIES ARE INCREASING AS PUBLIC FINANCE SURGED IN RECENT MONTHS.





SOURCE: BANGLADESH BANK, THE FINANCIAL EXPRESS

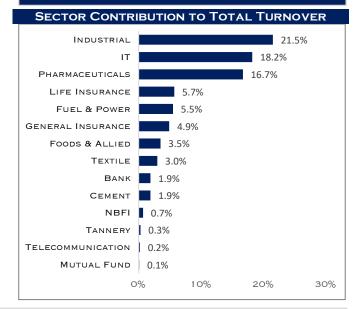
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THE BROAD INDEX DWINDLED BY 71 POINTS OR 1.13% AS DOLDRUMS IN THE PRIME BOURSE EXTENDED. BLEAK CORPORATE EARNINGS WEREN'T JUSTIFIED ENOUGH TO REJUVENATE THE CONFIDENCE OF THE AGITATED INVESTORS. BESIDES, MACROECONOMIC UNCERTAINTIES FURTHER INFUSED THE BEARISH TREND RESULTING NOSEDIVE OF THE PRIME BOURSE.

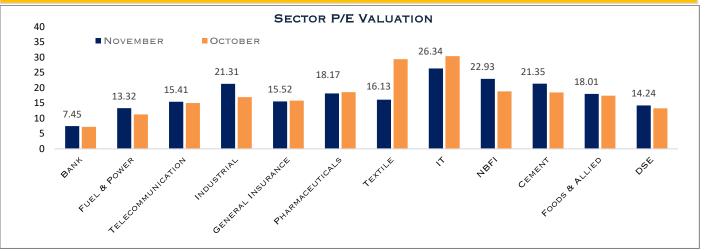
LIFE INSURANCE COMPANIES REPORTED GROWTH IN LIFE REVENUE ACCOUNT WHICH MIGHT HAVE EXERTED THE BUYING PRESSURE.



INDUSTRIAL SECTOR CONTRIBUTED THE MOST IN THE OVERALL MARKET TURNOVER AMID THE BEARISH MOVEMENT OF THE PRIME INDEX.



THE P/E RATIO OF MAJORITY SECTORS INCREASED SLIGHTLY WITH THE OVERALL MARKET. STOCKS STILL CONTINUE TO TRADE AT ATTRACTIVE PRICES.





DUE TO THE FLOOR PRICE MECHANISM, RISK - AVERSE INVESTORS ARE REMAINING ON THE SIDELINES. HENCE, LIQUIDATION OPPORTUNITIES ARE QUITE STAGNANT FOR APPROXIMATELY 80% OF THE TRADED SCRIPS SINCE INVESTORS ARE QUITE HESITANT TO INJECT FRESH CAPITAL RATHER LOOKING FOR SHORTING OPTION.

MARKET LIQUIDITY								
	This Month	LAST MONTH	CHANGE					
TOTAL TURNOVER (BDT MN)	163,270.26	210,917.29	-22.59%					
AVG. DAILY TURNOVER (BDT MN)	7,421.38	10,545.86	-29.63%					

SCRIPS WHICH POSTED POSITIVE EARNINGS GROWTH WERE AMONG THE MOST HEAVILY TRADED STOCKS AMONG INVESTORS.

TURNOVER LEADERS TURNOVER TICKER (BDT MN) **GENEXIL** 12,454.56 ORIONPHARM 9.232.93 BPML 7.588.42 NAVANAPHAR 6.304.29 BEXIMCO 5,910.29 EHL. 5,904.13 BSC 4,139.06 SEAPEARL 3,635.45 INTRACO 3,366.29 JHRML 2,921.15

MARKET DEBUTANT CLICL EXTENDED ITS GAINING STREAK FROM LAST MONTH WITHOUT POSTING FUNDAMENTAL PSI.

Top Ten Gainers						
TICKER	% CHANGE					
CLICL	462.81%					
PRAGATILIF	72.05%					
AAMRANET	47.38%					
JUTESPINN	39.76%					
APEXFOODS	32.20%					
BDWELDING	30.42%					
BGIC	24.11%					
GENEXIL	22.25%					
ADVENT	21.24%					
EGEN	17.59%					

MAJORITY OF THE TOP LOSERS LOST THE VALUE MOST DESPITE POSTING EARNINGS GROWTH.

TOP TEN LOS	ERS
TICKER	% CHANGE
ORIONINFU	-49.98%
EHL	-26.21%
SINOBANGLA	-23.71%
ORIONPHARM	-23.05%
JHRML	-22.92%
ADNTEL	-22.60%
ANWARGALV	-20.11%
SONALIPAPR	-18.56%
KDSALTD	-17.56%
MONOSPOOL	-16.92%

NOTABLE EARNINGS ANNOUNCEMENTS DURING THE MONTH

SQURPHARMA'S EARNINGS INCREASED BY 9.93% YOY FOR Q1 OF 2023 DRIVEN BY 8.02% GROWTH IN TURNOVER EVEN THOUGH THE COMPANY REPORTED 18.52% HIKE IN OPERATING EXPENSES. OLYMPIC REPORTED DOUBLE-DIGIT EARNINGS GROWTH FOR Q1 OF 2023 COMPARED TO LAST YEAR AS COMPANY'S REVENUE GROWTH SURGED BY 38.37% YOY EVEN THOUGH CURRENCY DEVALUATION & HIKE IN RAW MATERIALS DRAGGED THE GROSS PROFIT MARGIN BY 198 BASIS POINTS

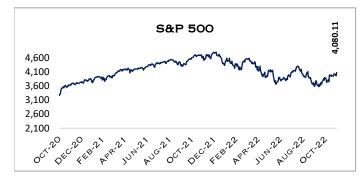
TICKER	COMPANY NAME	SECTOR	EPS 2022 (JUL - SEP)	EPS 2021 (JUL - SEP)	CHANGE
SQURPHARMA	SQUARE PHARMACEUTICALS LTD.	PHARMACEUTICALS & CHEMICALS	6.20	5.64	9.93%
OLYMPIC	OLYMPIC INDUSTRIES LTD.	FOOD & ALLIED	2.33	2.06	13.11%

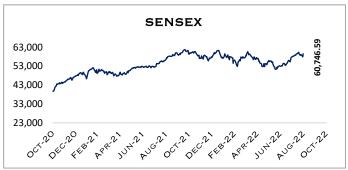
TICKER	COMPANY NAME	SECTOR	EPS 2022 (JUL-JUN)	EPS 2021 (JUL-JUN)	CHANGE	DIVIDEND
BSC	BANGLADESH SHIPPING CORPORATION	INDUSTRIAL	14.80	4.72	213.56%	20% cash dividend

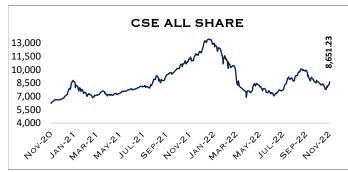
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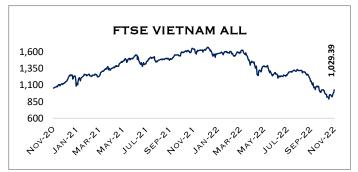


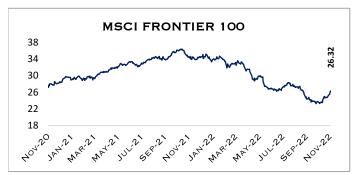
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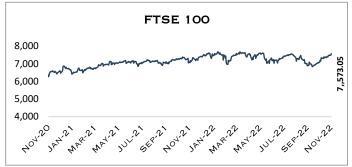












INDICES, COMMODITIES & CURRENCIES

Indices	1-YEAR	6-Month	3-Монтн	1-Month	1-WEEK
S&P500	-15.92%	-6.29%	-4.92%	7.99%	1.08%
SENSEX	2.43%	6.46%	5.52%	5.78%	2.02%
CSE ALL	-15.36%	12.83%	11.27%	-13.38%	-0.01%
FTSE VTNM	-34.95%	-29.64%	-17.56%	-11.47%	-0.09%
MSCI FRONTIER 100	-34.88%	-25.32%	-13.42%	-3.33%	-0.55%
FTSE 100	-1.98%	-5.96%	-4.43%	2.91%	0.55%
DSEX	-10.69%	-5.23%	-2.32%	-3.19%	-0.58%

*Note: Returns have been calculated on the basis of trading days as several exchanges across the globe remained closed for varying periods due to lockdowns.

COMMODITIES RETURN	1-YEAR	6-Month	3-Монтн	1-Month	1-WEEK
GOLD	-0.93%	-4.79%	4.66%	7.27%	0.26%
COPPER	-12.62%	-12.99%	9.39%	10.76%	2.71%
CRUDE OIL	21.73%	-29.75%	-0.82%	-6.90%	3.35%
SUGAR	5.54%	1.19%	6.45%	9.24%	1.55%
WHEAT	2.81%	-26.85%	-13.04%	-9.83%	0.39%

CURRENCIES RETURN*	EXCHANGE RATE	1-YEAR	6-Month	3-Month	1-Month	1-WEEK
Euro	0.96	8.9%	3.1%	-5.7%	-5.0%	0.0%
INR	81.36	7.9%	4.8%	-0.9%	-0.5%	-0.4%
YEN	138.03	22.0%	7.3%	-4.4%	-7.2%	-0.4%
CNY	7.09	11.3%	6.3%	-0.4%	-1.9%	-1.1%
VND	24,630.00	7.0%	6.2%	3.4%	-0.8%	-0.8%
BDT	101.50	18.5%	14.2%	6.9%	0.7%	-0.2%

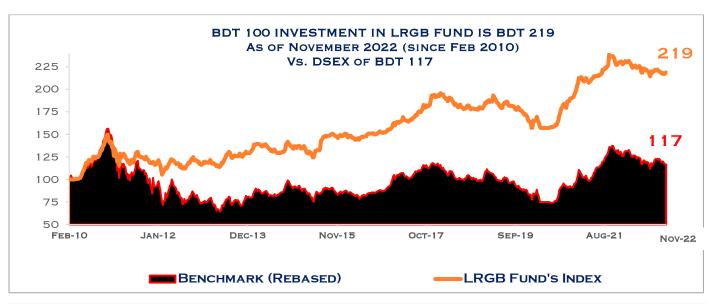
*CALCULATED AGAINST USD, POSITIVE RETURN DENOTES DEPRECIATION AGAINST USD



LR GLOBAL PORTFOLIO PERFORMANCE

CONSISTENTLY OUTPERFORMED THE BENCHMARK INDEX ACROSS ALL FUNDS SINCE INCEPTION DUE TO OUR SECURITY SELECTION, ASSET ALLOCATION, MARKET TIMING, AND RISK MANAGEMENT PROCESS.

*Note: DSE remained closed from 26th March to 28th May 2020 due to lockdown.



LR GLOBAL MANAGED FUNDS HAVE CONSISTENTLY BEAT THE MARKET WITH OVER 58% CASH DIVIDENDS ON AVERAGE. DESPITE A FLAT MARKET SINCE 2010, LR GLOBAL MANAGED FUNDS HAVE MATERIALLY OUTPERFORMED THE BENCHMARK INDEX.

VALUE ADDITION HISTORY	SINCE INCEPTION	10-YR	9-YR	8-YR	7-YR	6-YR	5-YR	4-YR	3-YR	2-YR	1-YR
CUMULATIVE RETURN LR GLOBAL	118.71%	79.74%	72.71%	60.47%	49.93%	42.99%	13.29%	21.83%	28.68%	14.28%	-5.09%
CUMULATIVE RETURN (DSEX)	16.68%	44.40%	56.53%	26.54%	40.84%	30.33%	-1.24%	17.53%	33.49%	25.35%	-10.10%
LR GLOBAL VALUE ADDITION	102.03%	35.33%	16.18%	33.94%	9.09%	12.66%	14.53%	4.31%	-4.82%	-11.07%	5.01%
MA	TERIAL V	ALUE A	DDITIO	N IN AN	UP & D	OWNM	ARKET	S (ANN	UALIZI	ED)	
LR GLOBAL RETURN	6.37%	6.04%	6.26%	6.09%	5.96%	6.14%	2.53%	5.06%	8.77%	6.90%	-5.09%
DSEX RETURN	1.22%	3.74%	5.10%	2.99%	5.01%	4.51%	-0.25%	4.12%	10.11%	11.96%	-10.10%
LR GLOBAL VALUE ADDITION	5.14%	2.30%	1.16%	3.10%	0.94%	1.63%	2.78%	0.94%	-1.34%	-5.06%	5.01%
ACTIVE	MANAGE	MENT H	HISTORY	(LOW	BETA &	GENEF	RATED	CONSIS	TENT .	ALPHA	.)
BETA (LR GLOBAL VS DSEX)	0.32	0.40	0.44	0.45	0.45	0.45	0.44	0.45	0.46	0.42	0.40
JENSEN'S ALPHA	1.17%	0.28%	0.04%	0.84%	-0.20%	0.21%	-1.31%	-0.70%	0.29%	-2.22%	-5.34%
		CUI	MULATI	VE CAS	H DIVID	END HI	STORY				
	2022 - SINCE INCEPTION	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012
DIVIDEND (BDT MN)	5,238.14	4,849.14	3,687.71	3,609.04	3,108.61	2,469.41	1,833.27	1,263.90	766.79	727.04	378.00
DIVIDEND % OF PAR	58.88%	54.51%	41.45%	40.57%	34.94%	27.76 %	20.61%	14.21%	8.62%	8.17%	8.04%



LR GLOBAL INDIVIDUAL PORTFOLIO DIVIDEND HISTORY

CONSISTENT PERFORMANCE ACROSS ALL FUNDS INCLUDING CASH DIVIDEND HISTORY DESPITE BEAR MARKETS OVER LAST 10 YEARS RETURNED OVER 58% CASH OF INITIAL INVESTMENT TO UNIT HOLDERS.

DIVIDEND HISTORY	DBHISTMF	GREENDELMF	AIBL1STIMF	MBLISTMF	LRGLOBMF1	NCCBLMF1
FUND INCEPTION DATE	4-Feb-10	23-Sep-10	6-Jan-11	3-Feb-11	15-Sep-11	24-May-12
INITIAL FUND SIZE (BDT MN)	1,200	1,500	1,000	1,000	3,111	1,085
TL CASH DIVIDEND (BDT MN)	895.20	757.50	637.50	585.00	1,720.06	642.88
% TOTAL DIVIDEND TO PAR	75%	51%	64%	59%	55%	59%

ALL INDIVIDUAL FUNDS MATERIALLY OUTPERFOMED THE BENCHMARK (DSEX) AND RETURNED OVER 58% CASH DIVIDEND ON AVERAGE.

CUMULATIVE DIVIDEND YIELD	DBH 1 STMF	GREENDELMF	AIBLÍSTIMF	MBL1STMF	LRGLOBMF1	NCCBLMF1
5 YEAR	42.74%	44.23%	48.05%	49.80%	45.70%	47.58%
4 YEAR	37.63%	38.90%	37.89%	40.18%	35.61%	34.61%
3 YEAR	26.90%	27.08%	27.18%	28.85%	27.52%	25.78%
2 YEAR	16.01%	15.85%	25.98%	27.77%	21.14%	24.41%
1 YEAR	16.50%	16.60%	12.33%	13.56%	22.80%	16.08%

CUMULATIVE DIV. YIELD (ANNUALIZED)	DBH1STMF	GREENDELMF	AIBL1STIMF	MBL1STMF	LRGLOBMF1	NCCBLMF1
5 YEAR	8.55%	8.85%	9.61%	9.96%	9.14%	9.52%
4 YEAR	9.41%	9.72%	9.47%	10.04%	8.90%	8.65%
3 YEAR	8.97%	9.03%	9.06%	9.62%	9.17%	8.59%
2 YEAR	8.01%	7.93%	12.99%	13.88%	10.57%	12.20%
1 YEAR	16.50%	16.60%	12.33%	13.56%	22.80%	16.08%

NOTE: THE DIVIDEND DATA USED FOR AIBLISTMF AND MBLISTMF IS FOR 2022 WHILE THE REST ARE FOR 2021.

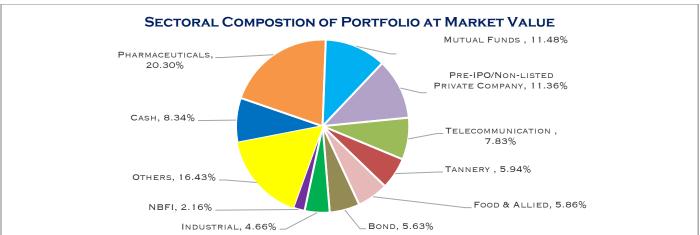
MONTHLY MARKET PERFORMANCE					
	November'22	October'22	Change		
DSEX	6,235.95	6,307.34	-1.13%		
DBH1STMF	10.18	10.09	0.89%		
GREENDELMF	9.96	9.88	0.81%		
AIBL1STIMF	10.05	9.97	0.80%		
MBL1STMF	10.44	10.33	1.06%		
LRGLOBMF1	10.94	10.82	1.11%		
NCCBLMF1	11.29	11.18	0.98%		



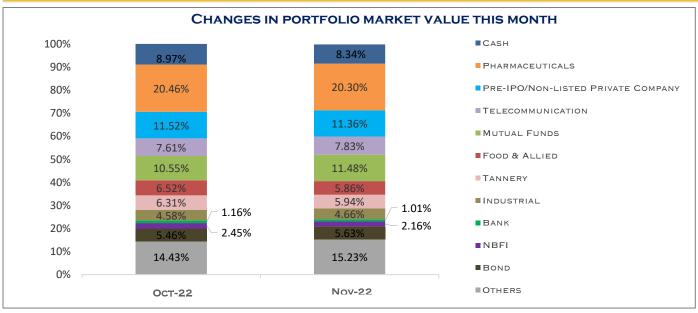
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LR GLOBAL'S PORTFOLIO IS UNDERWEIGHT IN ALL SECTORS COMPARED TO THE BENCHMARK INDEX, EXCEPT THE PHARMACEUTICALS, MUTUAL FUNDS, AND TANNERY SECTOR. MOREOVER, WE ARE ALSO WELL POSITIONED TO BUY UNDERVALUED SECURITIES WHEN APPROPRIATE.





WE ARE TAKING SELECTIVE POSITIONS IN WELL CAPITALIZED AND FOCUSED COMPANIES AND ALSO EVALUATING DISCOUNTED AND TRANSPARENT MUTUAL FUNDS TO GAIN EXPOSURE. WE PRIMARILY BOOKED PROFITS FROM FEW STOCKS AND ARE BUYING BACK THE SAME AT MORE ATTRACTIVE PRICES.



SOURCE: LR GLOBAL



DBH1STMF MATERIALLY OUTPERFORMED THE BENCHMARK INDEX BY 75.3% AND DISBURSED 74.6% CASH DIVIDEND SINCE INCEPTION.



GREENDELMF MATERIALLY OUTPERFORMED THE BENCHMARK INDEX BY 60.3% AND DISBURSED 50.5% CASH DIVIDEND SINCE INCEPTION.



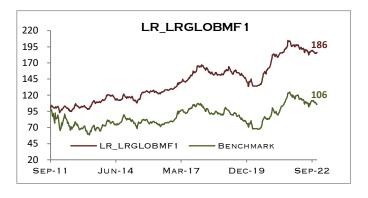
AIBL1STIMF MATERIALLY OUTPERFORMED THE BENCHMARK INDEX BY 96.9% AND DISBURSED 63.8% CASH DIVIDEND SINCE INCEPTION.



MBL1STMF MATERIALLY OUTPERFORMED THE BENCHMARK INDEX BY 88.3% AND DISBURSED 58.5% CASH DIVIDEND SINCE INCEPTION.



LRGLOBMF1 MATERIALLY OUTPERFORMED THE BENCHMARK INDEX BY 80.2% AND DISBURSED 55.3% CASH DIVIDEND SINCE INCEPTION.



NCCBLMF1 MATERIALLY OUTPERFORMED THE BENCHMARK INDEX BY 65.8% AND DISBURSED 59.3% OF CASH DIVIDEND SINCE INCEPTION.

