

**EQUITY MARKET HIGHLIGHTS: GSE-CI up by 2.27 pts to close at 2,752.42; returns 41.76% (YTD).**

The Accra bourse closed trading on a high as the benchmark GSE Composite Index (GSE-CI) went up by 2.27 points to close at 2,752.42 representing a 41.76% YTD return. **Unilever Ghana PLC. (UNIL)** was the sole gainer as it gained 9.79% to close at GH¢4.26. The stock continues to impress as it has returned 113% over the past month.

The GSE Financial Stock Index (GSE-FSI) remained unchanged at 1,909.91, also representing a YTD return of 7.13%. Market Capitalization has climbed up to GH¢62.76 billion, a growth of 15.42% since the year began.

A total of 731,267 shares valued at GH¢1,572,555.31 was traded compared to 53,207 shares valued at GH¢109,312.50 that was traded on Wednesday.

At close of market, ten (10) equities changed hands with **Standard Chartered Bank PLC. (SCB)** recording the most trades as it accounted for 42.27% of the total value traded.

GSE EQUITY MARKET PERFORMANCE

Indicator	Current	Previous	Change
GSE-Composite Index	2,752.42	2,750.15	2.27 pts
YTD (GSE-CI)	41.76%	41.64%	0.08%
GSE-Finance Stock Index	1,909.91	1,909.91	0.0 pts
YTD (GSE-FSI)	7.13%	7.13%	0.00%
Market Cap. (GH¢ MN)	62,760.89	62,737.14	23.75
Volume Traded	731,267	53,207	1,274.38%
Value Traded (GH¢)	1,572,555.31	109,312.50	1,338.59%

TOP TRADED EQUITIES

Ticker	Volume	Value (GH¢)
MTNGH	506,774	638,525.24
CAL	105,697	73,987.90
SOEGH	46,090	43,785.50
SCB	35,939	664,871.50
UNIL	33,460	142,499.60

**42.3%** of value traded**GAINERS & DECLINERS**

Ticker	Close Price (GH¢)	Open Price (GH¢)	Change	Y-t-D Change
UNIL	4.26	3.88	9.79%	-48.61%

EQUITY UNDER REVIEW: SCANCOM PLC (MTNGH)

Share Price	GH¢1.26
Price Change (YtD)	96.88%
Market Cap. (GH¢)	15,486.00
Dividend Yield	6.349%
Earnings Per Share	GH¢0.1413
Avg. Daily Trade Volumes	1,894,938
Value Traded (YtD)	GH¢260,856,110.00

KEY ECONOMIC INDICATORS

Indicator		
Monetary Policy Rate	June 2021	13.50%
Real GDP Growth	Q1 2021	3.1%
Inflation	June 2021	7.8%
Reference rate	August 2021	13.51%

Source: GSS, BOG, GBA

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