

Xin Chao Vietnam

Market movements

	16 Dec	1D	1M	3M	YTD
VNIndex (pt, % chg.)	1,263.79	0.1	3.7	0.4	11.8
Turnover (VND bn)	12,792				
VN30 (pt, % chg.)	1,331.82	0.0	4.8	2.2	17.7

Major indicators

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	16 Dec	1D	1W	1M	YTD
1-yr gov't bonds (%, bp chg.)	2.00	0.1	0.0	(0.0)	0.4
3-yr gov't bonds (%, bp chg.)	2.15	0.0	0.1	(0.0)	0.4
VND/USD (% chg.)	25,389	0.0	0.0	(3.0)	(4.4)
VND/JPY (% chg.)	16,468	0.2	(0.5)	6.3	3.9
VND/EUR (% chg.)	26,689	(0.2)	0.3	2.6	0.4
VND/CNY (% chg.)	3,486	0.0	0.6	(0.4)	(2.0)
	Prev. close	1D	1W	1M	YTD
10-yr US Treasury (%, bp chg.)	4.39	(0.0)	(0.0)	0.7	0.5
WTI (USD/bbl, % chg.)	70.60	(0.2)	5.3	(8.0)	(1.5)
Gold (USD/oz, % chg.)	73.91	(8.0)	4.0	1.6	(4.1)

Domestic institutions net buy / sell

Net buy	(VND bn)	Net sell	(VND bn)
VNM	55.8	SIP	(54.6)
TCB	19.4	MBB	(24.2)
VIB	19.0	HAH	(22.5)
E1VFVN30	18.2	GEE	(18.0)
VHM	16.2	PLX	(17.1)

Foreign net buy / sell

Net buy	(VND bn)	Net sell	(VND bn)
SSI	80.0	HPG	(151.5)
HDB	72.6	BID	(61.6)
SIP	66.1	PDR	(57.1)
VIX	38.5	DIG	(35.7)
KDH	27.2	MSN	(34.8)

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Total earning estimate of VN30 components

	OP	NP	EPS growth	PE	РВ	EV/EBITDA	ROE
	(VND bn)	(VND bn)	(% yoy)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(%)
2020	208,048	190,065	3.1	17.0	2.7	17.6	15.8
2021	304,752	254,730	34.9	15.7	2.7	13.8	17.3
2022	311,015	274,033	8.7	10.9	1.8	15.5	16.2
2023	355,937	279,612	12.5	12.0	1.7	14.9	14.4

Source: KIS, Bloomberg

Daily performance by sector

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Top five sectors	% chg.	Bottom five sectors	% chg.
Commercial Services	3.6	Insurance	(1.4)
Transportation	3.1	Health Care	(1.0)
Household Products	1.1	Telecommunication	(1.0)
Diversified Financials	0.9	Media & Entertainment	(0.7)
Utilities	0.6	Materials	(0.5)

Vietnam indicators

	1Q23	2Q23	3Q23	4Q23	1Q24	2Q24	2023
Real GDP Growth (% yoy)	3.3	4.1	5.5	6.7	5.7	6.9	5.0
Trade balance (USD bn)	4.8	7.7	8.7	6.6	8.1	7.8	27.9
CPI (% yoy, avg.)	0.7	(0.1)	2.4	0.4	3.8	4.4	3.3
Credit growth (%)	10.5	9.3	10.0	13.5	11.6	13.5	13.5
VND/USD (avg.)	23,571	23,485	23,925	24,379	24,786	25,458	24,269
US GDP (% yoy)	1.1	2.4	4.9	3.3	1.6	1.9	2.5
China GDP (% yoy)	4.5	7.2	4.9	5.2	4.9	4.7	5.2
Source: KIS, Bloomberg							

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Divergent market

The stock market showed clear signs of divergence as demand momentum weakened and was gradually overwhelmed in the afternoon session. However, bottom-fishing activity unexpectedly re-emerged during the ATC session, helping the index recover and close in green territory after a period of fluctuation.

At the close, the VNIndex rose by 0.10% to 1,263 pts. Furthermore, the VN30Index increased by 0.02% to close at 1,331 pts. Intraday trading volume and value reached 579 million shares/VND14,268bn, down 11%/10%, respectively, compared to the average of the last five sessions.

Foreign were still net selling, with more than VND204bn, focusing on HPG, BID, and PDR with net values of VND151bn, VND61bn, and VND57bn, respectively. In contrast, they focused net buying on SSI, HDB, and SIP with net values of VND80bn, VND72bn, and VND66bn, respectively.

Real Estate saw a positive return, including KBC (+1.80%), VGC (+1.59%), VHM (+0.74%), BCM (+0.44%), and KDH (+0.44%).

Brokerage and Retail tickers closed in the green territory, such as FRT (+2.25%), PNJ (+1.24%), VCI (+1.17%), SSI (+1.16%), MBS (+0.69%), HCM (+0.68%), and FTS (+0.35%).

Additionally, cash also flowed into large-cap stocks, like VNM (+1.25%), POW (+1.22%), BID (+0.75%), STB (+0.29%), FPT (+0.27%), VIB (+0.26%), and HDB (+0.21%).

On the other hand, Banking recored decreases, due to MBB (-0.62%), TPB (-0.31%), SSB (-0.29%), VPB (-0.26%), and TCB (-0.21%).

The market ended the session with a modest gain, though the upward momentum remained limited. While the 1,260-point continues to act as a key support, downside risks are gradually increasing as the index faces ongoing adjustments and liquidity remains subdued. Therefore, investors should observe and await clearer signals from the market.

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Covered warrant

Liquidity cooled down

In 50W24, trading volume and value showed signs of cooling down. Specifically, the trading volume and value recorded 119.9 million CWs/VND128.7bn, down 42.5%/5.7% WoW, respectively. In addition, foreign reversed net selling with VND0.1bn.

With trading value by an underlying asset, the CWs that HPG and STB as the underlying asset attracted the most trading interest, recording 29% of total trading volume. Following them were warrants based on stocks such as MWG, VIB, FPT, TCB, and VPB.

For CWs with a maturity period of over one month, an increase was observed in CMWG2405 (+13.8%), CTCB2403 (+8.1%), and CFPT2314 (+0.7%).

During the past week, the CWs market continued to exhibit negative performance as the number of declining warrants remained dominant. We believe that now is not the optimal time for investors to allocate cash to this market. Therefore, investors should observe and wait for further signals from the market.



Event Calendar

▶ Event calendar

Ex-right date	Exercise day	Ticker	Exchange	Right	Rate	Value (VND bn)
17/12/2024	08/01/2025	HPD	UPCOM	Cash Dividend (VND1000/share)	10.00%	1,000
17/12/2024		TIN	UPCOM	Extraordinary General Meeting		
17/12/2024	30/12/2024	BFC	HOSE	Cash Dividend (VND500/share)	5.00%	500
18/12/2024	24/12/2024	PQN	UPCOM	Record date for ballot		
19/12/2024	15/01/2025	TTP	UPCOM	Extraordinary General Meeting		
19/12/2024	10/01/2025	HAM	UPCOM	Cash Dividend (VND1000/share)	10.00%	1,000
19/12/2024	31/12/2024	GDT	HOSE	Cash Dividend (VND1000/share)	10.00%	1,000
19/12/2024	08/01/2025	S4A	HOSE	Cash Dividend (VND1200/share)	12.00%	1,200
19/12/2024		CYC	UPCOM	Record date for ballot		
19/12/2024	24/01/2025	TIP	HOSE	Cash Dividend (VND1300/share)	13.00%	1,300
19/12/2024	17/01/2025	HLC	HNX	Extraordinary General Meeting		
19/12/2024	10/03/2025	AVC	UPCOM	Cash Dividend (VND500/share)	5.00%	500
19/12/2024	10/01/2025	DRC	HOSE	Cash Dividend (VND500/share)	5.00%	500
19/12/2024	09/01/2025	CX8	HNX	Cash Dividend (VND100/share)	1.00%	100
19/12/2024	03/01/2025	HC3	UPCOM	Cash Dividend (VND1000/share)	10.00%	1,000
19/12/2024	20/01/2025	SIV	UPCOM	Cash Dividend (VND1000/share)	10.00%	1,000
20/12/2024	21/01/2025	THP	UPCOM	Cash Dividend (VND200/share)	2.00%	200
20/12/2024	20/01/2025	LM8	HOSE	Extraordinary General Meeting		



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