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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Dividend is the most familiar and easily understood corporate action. It is also the most common type of corporate action. A dividend is a distribution of cash to shareholders in proportion to their equity holding. Typically, a company will pay an interim dividend and a final dividend. An interim dividend is a dividend payment that is announced during the release of a company's half year announcement of the profits while a final dividend is announced during the full year announcement of the profits. The importance of dividends naturally varies from one company to another and there are also cultural differences in attitudes to dividends from one country to another.

The main aim of the study was to examine the interim dividend payout among the different listed companies in BSE. The main objective of the study was impact of dividend announcement on shareholders wealth and compares the performance of the stocks during pre and post dividend announcement period among different industries. To meet the objectives of the study, I have been selected two industries and thereafter 466 companies have been selected. This study takes into historical interim dividend payout of during one year from 1 January 2016 to 31 December 2016. Tools used in study is AAR, CAAR, T test, Descriptive statistics, Correlation, Paired comparison t test, One Way ANOVA, Wilcoxon signed rank test. It can be concluded that interim dividend has no significant impact on the behaviour of stock prices movements.