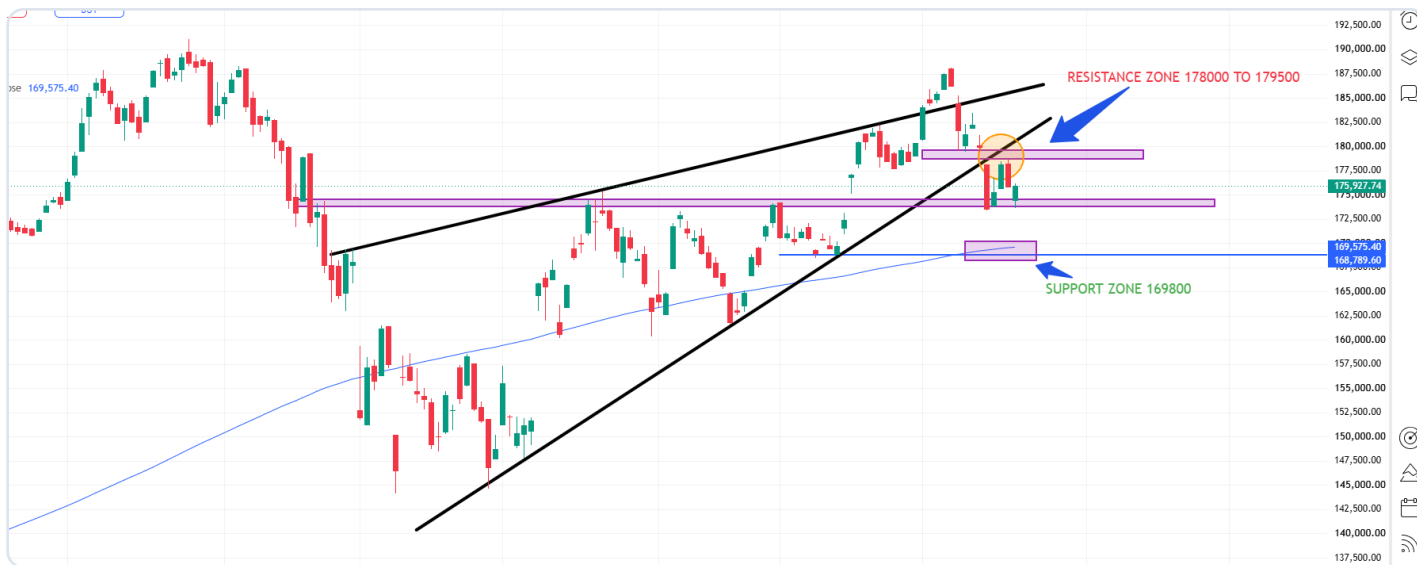


KSE100 KSE 100 Index

PSX · DAILY

Close · Mon 20 Jul 2026: **175927.73** · **+0.07%** vs prior session (2026-07-17) · recovering from the support zone the analyst is watching, with the 178,000–179,500 zone the area in view



THE SETUP

As you have seen with the index before, this is a support-zone read: the analyst notes the index has taken support near **173,500** after the recent pullback, and price is now working from that footing. As long as this zone holds, the analyst's read points toward the **178,000–179,500** resistance zone as the area in view for the recovery. A loss of the 173,500 support would shift attention to the next reference the analyst identifies, the 200-day moving average near **169,800**. The chart poses one question: does the support that has already been tested keep holding, or does price need the next floor down.

LEVELS IN FOCUS

Resistance zone	178,000–179,500
The zone the analyst is watching for the recovery to extend into	
Where price sits now	above the support zone
Holding above the support zone the analyst notes	
Support zone	~173,500
The floor the analyst notes as taken and holding so far	
Next downside support	~169,800
The 200-day moving average the analyst flags if the zone above gives way	

WHAT TECHNICIANS WATCH FROM HERE

- ▶ **Holding above 173,500** over the next sessions keeps the recovery attempt intact and keeps the 178,000–179,500 zone in view.
- ▶ **A break back below 173,500** would shift attention to the 169,800 area near the 200-day moving average, the next reference below.
- ▶ **Follow-through into 178,000–179,500**, not just a first push toward it, is what would extend the move rather than stall the recovery there.

GENERAL CONCEPT · EDUCATION, NOT A VIEW ON THIS STOCK

Support zone retest

A support zone is a price band where buying interest has previously stepped in, causing declines to slow or reverse. When price pulls back into that zone again, the retest is a test of whether that earlier interest is still there. A retest that holds, price stabilizing or reversing back up from the zone, adds confidence the level is meaningful. A retest that fails, price passing through the zone rather than holding it, tells a trader the floor no longer applies, and attention shifts to the next support level below. Because a support zone is a band rather than a single price, disciplined readers watch for the general area to hold over several sessions rather than reacting to a single touch.