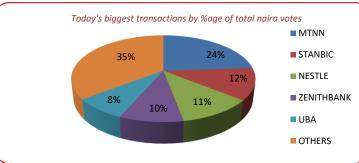


MPR: 18.75% Jul'23 Inflation Rate: 24.08% Q1 2023 Real GDP: 2.31%

NGX-ASI Closes Slightly Higher by 0.01%; NIBOR, NITTY Move in Mixed Directions...

At the close of Wednesday's trading session, the Nigerian stock market struggled for direction as gains in consumer and insurance stocks offset losses in banking and energy shares. Consequently, the local bourse All-Share index rose marginally by 0.01% to close at 65,492.81 points, even as the year-to-date gain of the local bourse increased to 27.79%. This tussle was reflected in the number of gainers and losers on the exchange, with 22 stocks recording gains while 26 stocks posted losses. Notably, investors took positions in tickers such as TRANSCORP (+7.14%), DANGSUGAR (+6.95%), and WAPIC (+3.28%). Select investors opted to capitalize on their holdings, leading to profit-taking in stocks like CONOIL (-10.00%), ETERNA (-8.24%), FIDELITYBK (-2.10%), GTCO (-1.78%), FBNH (-1.64%), ZENITHBANK (-1.18%), and ACCESSCORP (-0.30%). Sectorial performance was mixed, with the NGX Insurance and NGX Consumer Goods indices experiencing gains of 0.39% and 0.40%, respectively, while the NGX Banking and NGX Oil/Gas registered declines of 0.68% and 1.66%, respectively. The NGX Industrial Index remained unchanged. Meanwhile, market activity improved, with total deals and volume increasing by 5.80% and 18.69%, respectively, amounting to 6,237 trades and 348.32 million units. In terms of volume, TRANSCORP emerged as the most actively traded stock, with 144.71 million shares worth N682.61 million changing hands in 895 deals.





MARKET STATISTICS	CLOSE	PREVIOUS	TODAY'S%	YTD %
All Share Index (ASI)	65,492.81	65,488.67	0.01	27.788
Deals	6,237	5,895	5.80	
Volume (millions)	348.32	293.46	18.69	
Value (N' Millions)	4,047.92	4,122.24	(1.80)	
Market Cap (\(\frac{\Psi}{2}\)' billions)	35,844.68	35,842.41	0.01	28.406

SECTORED INDICES	CLOSE	PREVIOUS	TODAY'S % Δ
NGX BANKING	654.70	659.19	(0.68)
NGX INSURANCE	271.40	270.35	0.39
NGX CONSUMER GOODS	982.50	978.61	0.40
NGX OIL/GAS	891.18	906.25	(1.66)
NGX IND	2,852.46	2,852.46	0.00

TENOR	NIBOR as @ 23/08/2023	NIBOR as @ 22/08/2023	PPT
Overnight	24.0000	24.5100	(0.51)
1 Month	12.6900	12.6300	0.06
3 Months	13.5500	13.5000	0.05
6 Months	14.0000	14.0100	(0.01)

Source:	

TENOR	NITTY as @ 23/08/2023	NITTY as @ 22/08/2023	PPT
1Month	3.4100	3.1900	0.22
3 Months	5.0600	5.1500	(0.09)
6 Months	7.5800	7.6200	(0.04)
12 Months	11.6500	11.4300	0.22

Source: FMDQ

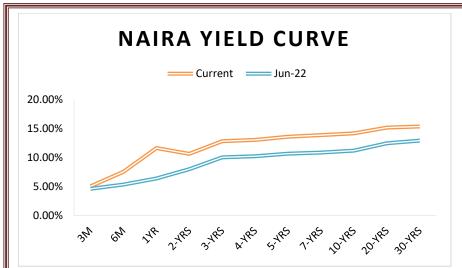
Bond Name	Maturity (Years)	Bid Price	Daily Δ	Offeryield	Yield YTI PPT Δ
16.29% FGN MAR 2027	10	108.96	0.00	13.06%	-0.009
12.50% FGN MAR 2035	15	87.81	0.00	14.72%	0.012
16.25% FGN APR 2037	20	105.98	0.00	15.19%	0.006
12.98% FGN MAR 2050	30	84.72	(0.37)	15.37%	0.014

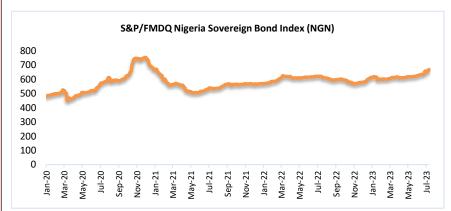
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EurobondName	Maturity (Years)	Bid Price	Daily Δ	Offer Yield	Yield YTD PPT Δ
6.50 NOV 28, 2027	10	85.70	0.00	10.77%	0.017
7.69% FEB 23, 2038	20	73.10	0.00	11.56%	-0.009
7.62% NOV 28, 2047	30	68.98	0.00	11.42%	-0.009

VIPORTANT DISCLOSURES







USD/NGN Exchange Rate	23/08/2023	Previous	Daily %
I&E FX	₩773.43	₩770.72	0.35%
Parallel	N 900	₦900	0.00%

Major Currencies & Commodities	23/08/2023	Daily %	Yearly %
EURUSD	1.0848	0.04%	8.88%
GBPUSD	1.268	-0.36%.	7.51%
USDZAR	18.4958	-1.54%.	9.31%
USDEGP	30.9004	0.16%	61.18%
Crude Oil, \$/bbl	78.878	-0.96%.	-16.91%.
Brent, \$/bbl	83.167	-1.03%.	-16.64%.
Natural Gas, \$/MMBtu	2.511	-1.91%.	-73.00%.
Coal, \$/T	150	0.50%	-64.08%.
Gold, \$/t.oz	1915.03	0.93%	9.44%
Wheat, \$/Bu	606.89	0.85%	-26.12%.
Palm Oil, MYR/T	3830	-0.93%.	-11.10%.
Cocoa, \$/T	3315	-0.42%.	38.22%

Money Market

The Nigeria Inter-Bank Offered Rate (NIBOR) moved in mixed directions. Notably, the three-month NIBOR rate rose by 5 basis points to 13.55%. Key money market rates, such as the open repo rate (OPR), increased to 24.06% (from 23.80%), while the overnight lending rate (OVN) stayed steady at 24.75%.

The Nigeria Interbank Treasury Bills True Yield (NITTY) displayed varied movements despite higher stop rates at the Primary Market Auction (PMA). The 91-day, 182-day, and 364-day T-bill stop rates rose to 5.19% (from 5.00%), 8.00% (from 6.00%), and 13.97% (from 9.80%), respectively. Demand for T-bills dwindled, as evidenced by the lower bid-to-cover ratio of 5.09x (last: 5.43x). Nonetheless, the average secondary market yield on T-bills was unchanged at 8.28%.

Bond Market

In the OTC bond market, the values of FGN bonds were largely flat for most maturities tracked. Nevertheless, profit-taking across the short and long ends, particularly in the 23 FEB 2028 bond, led to a slight expansion in the average secondary market yield to 13.64% (from 13.62%). Notably, the 10-year borrowing cost yielded around 14.19% (from 14.22%), while the 30-year note saw a yield of 15.37% (from 15.30%). The 20-year debt remained steady at 15.19%.

Elsewhere, FGN Eurobonds saw appreciation across all tracked maturities, driving the average secondary market yield lower to 11.07%.

Foreign Exchange Market

In FX, the Naira weakened against the US dollar at the Investors and Exporters (I&E) windows, trading at N773.43 (from N770.72). Conversely, the parallel remained unchanged, with the Naira closing at N900.

Global Commodity Market

At 3:30 p.m. GMT+1, Brent crude fell 1.03% to \$83.17 per barrel, while WTI crude lost 0.96% to \$78.88 per barrel.

Oil futures were lower, fueled by disappointing PMI data as the S&P flash Global Composite PMI contracted to 50.4 (from 52), while the US Manufacturing PMI dropped to 47 (from 49).

Elsewhere, gold was trading near \$1,915 per ounce (+0.93%), supported by improved demand for bullion amid lackluster PMI data, which pushed US treasury yields downwards.

Source: FMDQ, Trading Economics, OilPrice.com, S&P Dow Jones, Cowry Research



Corporate Bond Issuer	Description	Issue Date	Maturity Date	Coupon (%)	Yield (%)	Daily Δ
STERLING INV. MGT. PLC	16.50 STERLING INV. 3-AUG-2023	03-Aug-16	03-Aug-23	16.50	7.61	0.00
MIXTA REAL ESTATE PLC	16.50 MIXTA IIA 12-OCT-2023	12-Oct-18	12-Oct-23	16.50	13.31	0.00
MIXTA REAL ESTATE PLC	17.75 MIXTA IIB 12-OCT-2023	12-Oct-18	12-Oct-23	17.75	8.02	0.00
FLOUR MILLS OF NIGERIA PLC	16.00 FLOURMILLS II 30-OCT-2023	01-Nov-18	30-Oct-23	16.00	8.26	0.00
STANBIC IBTC	15.75 STANBIC I 5-DEC-2023	17-Dec-18	05-Dec-23	15.75	8.66	0.00
FCMB LIMITED	17.25 FCMB III 8-DEC-2023	09-Dec-16	08-Dec-23	17.25	10.75	-0.01
DANGOTE CEMENT PLC	11.25 DANGCEM IA 30-MAY-2024	26-May-21	30-May-24	11.25	14.83	-0.01
FLOUR MILLS OF NIGERIA PLC	11.10 FLOURMILLS IIIB 27-FEB-2025	27-Feb-20	27-Feb-25	11.10	12.15	-0.01
LAPO MFB SPV PLC	13.00 LAPO MFB II 30-MAR-2025	30-Mar-20	30-Mar-25	13.00	13.92	-0.01
DANGOTE CEMENT PLC	12.50 DANGCEM I 30-APR-2025	24-Apr-20	30-Apr-25	12.50	13.81	0.00
UNITED CAPITAL PLC	12.50 UNICAP I 28-MAY-2025	28-May-20	28-May-25	12.50	13.71	0.00
PARTHIAN PARTNERS FUNDING SPV PLC	13.50 PAPF SPV I 27-Jul-2025	27-Jul-22	27-Jul-25	13.50	13.23	0.00
UNION BANK OF NIGERIA PLC	15.75 UNION II 3-SEP-2025	07-Sep-18	03-Sep-25	15.75	15.74	0.00
STERLING INV. MGT. PLC	16.25 STERLING INV. II 6-OCT-2025	05-Oct-18	06-Oct-25	16.25	15.83	0.00
WEMA FUNDING SPV PLC	16.50 WEMA FUNDING SPV II 12-OCT- 2025	12-Oct-18	12-Oct-25	16.50	14.75	0.00
CORONATION MB FUNDING SPV PLC	6.25 CORO MB SPV I 30-NOV-2025	30-Nov-20	30-Nov-25	6.25	13.44	0.00
FLOUR MILLS OF NIGERIA PLC	5.50 FLOURMILLS IV A 15-DEC-2025	14-Dec-20	15-Dec-25	5.50	11.77	0.00
CARDINALSTONE FINANCING SPV PLC	7.00 CARDINAL SPV I 30-DEC-2025	30-Dec-20	30-Dec-25	7.00	13.82	-0.01
FSDH FUNDING SPV PLC	8.50 FSDH SPV PLC IA 16-FEB-2026	16-Feb-21	16-Feb-26	8.50	13.82	-0.01
FSDH FUNDING SPV PLC	8.00 FSDH SPV PLC IB 16-FEB-2026	16-Feb-21	16-Feb-26	8.00	13.68	0.00
MECURE INDUSTRIES FUNDING SPV PLC	13.00 MECURE SPV PLC I 31-MAR-2026	31-Mar-21	31-Mar-26	13.00	13.22	0.00
DANGOTE CEMENT PLC	12.50 DANGCEM IB 30-MAY-2026	26-May-21	30-May-26	12.50	13.91	0.00
ACCESS BANK PLC	15.50 ACCESS BANK 23-JUL-2026	23-Jul-19	23-Jul-26	15.50	15.06	0.00
MTN NIGERIA COMMUNICATIONS PLC	13.50 MTNN IA 30-SEP-2026	30-Sep-22	30-Sep-26	13.50	13.97	0.00
SUNDRY FOODS FUNDING SPV PLC	13.50 SUNDRY SPV PLC I 15-DEC-2026	15-Dec-21	15-Dec-26	13.50	12.90	0.00
EAT & GO FINANCE SPV PLC	14.25 EAT & GO FINANCE SPV 17-DEC- 2026	17-Dec-19	17-Dec-26	14.25	14.10	0.00
DANGOTE CEMENT PLC	11.85 DANGCEM IIA 30-APR-2027	27-Apr-22	30-Apr-27	11.85	14.18	0.07
AXXELA FUNDING 1 PLC	14.30 AXXELA I 20-MAY-2027	20-May-20	20-May-27	14.30	14.89	0.00
ACCELEREX SPV PLC	14.00 ACSP I 15-JUN-2027	15-Jun-22	15-Jun-27	14.00	16.23	0.00
NOVAMBL INVESTMENTS SPV PLC	12.00 NOVAMBL SPV I 23-JUL-2027	23-Jul-20	23-Jul-27	12.00	17.27	0.16
UNICAP	15.00 UNICAP II 14-SEP-2027	14-Sep-22	14-Sep-27	15.00	15.35	0.21
*NMRC	7.20 NMRC III 2-NOV-2027	02-Nov-20	02-Nov-27	7.20	15.66	0.00
VIATHAN FUNDING PLC	16.00 VIATHAN (GTD) 14-DEC-2027	15-Dec-17	14-Dec-27	16.00	13.87	0.00

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FLOUR MILLS OF NIGERIA PLC	6.25 FLOURMILLS IV B 14-DEC-2027	14-Dec-20	14-Dec-27	6.25	15.16	0.32
BUA CEMENT PLC	7.50 BUACEM I 30-DEC-2027	30-Dec-20	30-Dec-27	7.50	13.88	0.00
MTN NIGERIA COMMUNICATIONS PLC	13.00 MTN COM PLC I 5-MAY-2028	05-May-21	05-May-28	13.00	14.00	0.00
NIGER DELTA EXPLORATION & PRODUCTION PLC	17.00 NDEP I 13-JAN-2028	13-Jan-23	13-Jan-28	17.00	14.45	0.29
DANGOTE CEMENT PLC	13.50 DANGCEM IC 30-MAY-2028	26-May-21	30-May-28	13.50	14.67	0.30
C&I LEASING PLC	15.50 C&I LEASING II 3-JUN-2028	03-Jun-21	03-Jun-28	15.50	15.56	0.00
CERPAC RECEIVABLES FUNDING SPV PLC	14.50 CERPAC-SPV III 15-JUL-2028	10-Sep-21	15-Jul-28	14.50	16.31	0.00
ARDOVA PLC	13.30 ARDOVA PLC IA 12-NOV-2028	12-Nov-21	12-Nov-28	13.30	14.41	0.00
EAT & GO FINANCE SPV PLC	13.25 EAT & GO FINANCE SPV 8-MAR-2029	08-Mar-22	08-Mar-29	13.25	16.21	0.02
PRESCO PLC	12.85 PRESCO PLC 5-APR-2029	05-Apr-22	05-Apr-29	12.85	15.17	0.14
DANGOTE CEMENT PLC	12.35 DANGCEM IIB 30-APR-2029	27-Apr-22	30-Apr-29	12.35	15.01	-0.02
UNION BANK OF NIGERIA PLC	16.20 UNION III 27-JUN-2029	27-Jun-19	27-Jun-29	16.20	17.28	-0.04
DANGOTE INDUSTRIES FUNDING PLC	12.75 DANGIFP IA 19-JUL-2029	19-Jul-22	19-Jul-29	12.75	15.79	-0.04
GEREGU POWER PLC	14.50 GERP 28-JUL-2029	28-Jul-22	28-Jul-29	14.50	16.06	0.07
*NMRC	14.90 NMRC I 29-JUL-2030	29-Jul-15	29-Jul-30	14.90	14.38	0.24
TSL SPV PLC	10.00 TSL SPV I (GTD) 6-OCT-2030	06-Oct-20	06-Oct-30	10.00	15.82	0.09
FBNQ MB FUNDING SPV PLC	6.25 FBNQ MB SPV II 16-DEC-2030	16-Dec-20	16-Dec-30	6.25	15.28	-0.03
FIDELITY BANK PLC	8.50 FIDELITY I 7-JAN-2031	07-Jan-21	07-Jan-31	8.50	15.30	-0.03
PRIMERO BRT SECURITISATION SPV PLC	17.00 PRIMERO BRT-SPV 27-OCT-2031	24-May-19	27-Oct-31	17.00	17.24	-0.01
MTN NIGERIA COMMUNICATIONS PLC	12.75 MTN COM PLC II 4-NOV-2031	04-Nov-21	04-Nov-31	12.75	15.28	-0.03
ARDOVA PLC	13.65 ARDOVA PLC IB 12-NOV-2031	12-Nov-21	12-Nov-31	13.65	15.17	0.28
GPC-SPV COMPANY PLC	13.00 GPC SPV PLC (GTD) 23-NOV-2031	23-Nov-21	23-Nov-31	13.00	14.76	0.14
PAT DIGITAL INFRA FUND SPV PLC	13.25 PAT SPV PLC (GTD) 2-FEB-2032	02-Feb-22	02-Feb-32	13.25	15.09	0.06
DANGOTE CEMENT PLC	13.00 DANGCEM IIC 30-APR-2032	27-Apr-22	30-Apr-32	13.00	16.11	0.00
DANGOTE CEMENT PLC	13.00 DANGCEM IIC 30-APR-2032	19-Jul-22	19-Jul-32	13.50	16.33	0.00
MTN NIGERIA COMMUNICATIONS PLC	14.50 MTNN IB 30-SEP-2032	30-Sep-22	30-Sep-32	14.50	15.63	0.00
DANGOTE INDUSTRIES FUNDING PLC	13.50 DANGIFP IB 19-JUL-2032	19-Jul-22	19-Jul-32	16.75	16.63	0.00
*NMRC	13.80 NMRC II 15-MAR-2033	21-May-18	15-Mar-33	13.80	14.96	-0.05
GEL UTILITY FUNDING SPV PLC	15.15 GEL UTILITY-SPV (GTD) 28-AUG-2034	28-Aug-19	28-Aug-34	15.15	15.86	-0.03
LFZC FUNDING SPV PLC	13.25 LFZC II 16-MAR-2042	10-May-22	16-Mar-42	13.25	16.13	0.00
FCMB GROUP PLC	16.00 FCMB I (PERP)	16-Feb-23	-	16.00	15.68	0.31
LFZC FUNDING SPV PLC	15.25 LFZC III 29-MAR-2043	29-Mar-23	29-Mar-43	19.76	16.15	0.00

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