FIXED INCOME MARKET

Money Markets

Banking system liquidity opened the first day of the week, with a balance of ca \\$35.67 billion lower than Friday's opening of ca \\$316.19 billion. Nonetheless, the Open Buy Back (OBB) and Overnight (ON) rates trended lower to settle at 14.50% and 15.25% from 16.50% and 17.75% respectively, the previous day.

Treasury Bills

The NTB market started the week on a quiet note, albeit with pockets of trades executed on the September 2022 papers and CBN's special bills at c.6.80% and 5.90%, respectively. Overall, average rates remained stable, day-on-day.

Bonds

The FGN bonds secondary market traded on a muted note, with very few trades executed on the 2036s and 2050s at c.12.65% and 12.80%, respectively. Overall, average yields remained unchanged due to weak traded volumes.

Eurobonds

The Eurobonds space saw bearish sentiments at the start of the week, with selloff activity observed across the yield curve. Consequently, average yield rose by ca 10bps, day-on-day.

Macroeconomic Indicators

Indicators	
Inflation % (August 2021)	17.01 (+8.00 ytd)
PMI (December 2020)	49.60
MPR (%)	11.5 (-7%/+1% around mid-point)
CRR (%)	27.5
Brent Crude Price US\$/bbl	74.47 (-1.15% d/d)
External Reserve (US\$'billion)	35.46 (+0.25% ytd)
GDP % (Q2 2021)	+5.01% (Q4 2020: -1.92% y/y)
Source: NBS,CBN, AIICO Capital	

T-Bills and Bond Statistics

Benchmark T-Bills Discount	Rates		
	20-Sep-21	17-Sep-21	Change in Rates
52 days	4.00%	4.00%	→ 0.00%
171 days	5.00%	5.00%	€ 0.00%
353 days	7.69%	7.69%	→ 0.00%
Source: FMDQ DQL for 20 Sep	tember 2021		

	20-Sep-21	17-Sep-21	Change in Yield
5 yrs: 12.75% 27-Apr-2023	8.63%	8.65%	- 0.02%
10 yrs: 13.98% 23-Feb-2028	11.60%	11.60%	→ 0.00%
20 yrs: 16.25% 18-Apr-2037	12.62%	12.76%	- 0.14%
30 yrs: 14.80% 26-Apr-2049	12.85%	12.90%	- 0.05%
30 yrs: 12.98% 27-Mar-2050	12.85%	12.90%	- 0.05%

Benchmark FGN Eurobond Yields				
	20-Sep-21	17-Sep-21	Change in Yield	
3 yrs: NGERIA 6 3/4 01/28/21	1.76%	1.56%	n 0.20%	
5 yrs: NGERIA 6 3/8 07/12/23	2.91%	2.82%	• 0.09%	
10 yrs: NGERIA 6 1/2 11/28/27	5.59%	5.51%	n 0.08%	
20 yrs: NGERIA 7.696 02/23/38	7.67%	7.57%	n 0.10%	
30 yrs: NGERIA 9.248 01/21/49	8.16%	8.07%	n 0.09%	
7.125% ECOTRAN 16/02/26	6.99%	6.96%	• 0.03%	
Source: FMDQ DQL for 20 September 2021				

Benchmark Bond Yields





Equities Market Performance

The domestic bourse closed the first trading day of the week in the red, with selloffs recorded in stocks such as Guaranty Trust Holding Company Plc (-2.50%) and Zenith Bank Plc (-1.26%). The Nigerian Stock Exchange All Share Index (NSE ASI) lost c. 0.10% day-on-day to close at 38,906.42pts, while year-to-date loss expanded to -3.39%.

The NSE Industrial Goods and Oil & Gas indices gained ca 0.13% and 0.08%, while the NSE Banking and Consumer Goods indices fell ca 0.27% and 0.16% day-on-day, respectively.

Ekocorp Plc led the volume chart with ca 40.00 million units while MTN Nigeria Communications Plc led the value chart with ca \pm 752.67 million worth of trades.

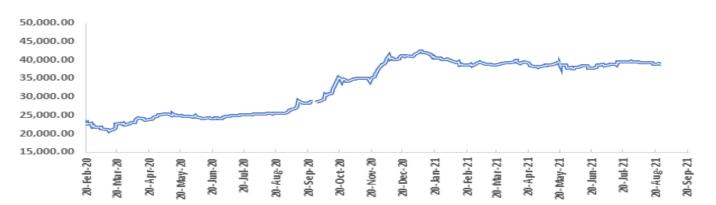
Top 5 Equity Advancers				
Name (Symbol)	Closing Price	Gain(N)	% Change	
CHIPLC	0.57	0.05	9.62%	
CHAMS	0.23	0.02	9.52%	
COURTVILLE	0.31	0.02	6.90%	
WEMABANK	0.79	0.03	3.95%	
NAHCO	3.15	0.11	1.62%	
Source: NGX, AlICO Capital				

AIICO Money Market Fund (AMMF)						
Net Yield (As at current date) 9.34%						
Added Benefit Personal accident insurance cover						
AIICO Capital Guaranteed Income Note (GIN) Rates p.a.						
Amount (NGN) 60 Days 90 Days 180 Days 364 Days						
Amount (NGN)	60 Days	90 Days	180 Days	364 Days		
10,000,001 - 50,000,000	7.00	7.00	7.25	7.50		
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10,000,001 - 50,000,000	7.00	7.00	7.25	7.50		

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NGSEINDX Index	4	-0.10%
NSE Banking Index	4	-0.27%
NSE Industrial Goods Index	Ŷ	0.13%
NSE Consumer Goods Index	4	-0.16%
NSE Oil & Gas Index	Ŷ	0.08%

Top 5 Equity Decliners					
Name (Symbol)	Closing Price	Loss(N)		% Change	
SCOA	0.96	-0.10	4	-9.43%	
VERITASKAP	0.21	-0.02	4	-8.70%	
LINKASSURE	0.57	-0.04	4	-6.56%	
PZ	5.50	-0.35	4	-5.98%	
CORNERST	0.49	-0.03	4	-5.77%	
Source: NGX, AIICO Capital					

NSE All Share Index



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