

FIXED INCOME MARKET

Money Markets

Interbank system liquidity improved to open with a credit balance of ca \$\frac{1}{16.06}\$ billion, higher than yesterday's deficit balance of ca -\frac{1}{2.23}\$ billion. Thus, the Overnight Policy Rate (OPR) remained unchanged at 10.00% while the Overnight (ON) rates trended lower to settle at 10.50% from 11.25%, the previous day.

Treasury Bills

The NTB secondary market ended the week with tepid activity seen across the curve. There was notable interest on the CBN Special bills – February to May 2022 papers, but trades executed remained few and far between. Overall, the average rate stayed relatively flat, day-on-day, at 4.33%.

Bonds

The FGN secondary market was relatively calm, with only a handful of trades executed across board. Trading interest was skewed towards the 2024s, 2037s, and 2050s, respectively. Overall, the average yield dipped by ca 2bps, day-on-day, to 11.86%.

Eurobonds

The Eurobonds space sustained bullish sentiments at the close of the week, albeit with minimal activities observed across board. Overall, the average yield dipped by ca 1bp, day-on-day to 7.20%.

Macroeconomic Indicators

Indicators			
Inflation % (November 2021)	15.40 (-2.22 ytd)		
PMI (December 2020)	49.60		
MPR (%)	11.5 (-7%/+1% around mid-point)		
CRR (%)	27.5		
Brent Crude Price US\$/bbl	78.66 (-1.07% d/d)		
External Reserve (US\$'billion)	40.53 (+14.59% ytd)		
GDP % (Q3 2021)	+4.03% (Q4 2020: -1.92% y/y)		
Source: NBS,CBN, AlICO Capital			

T-Bills and Bond Statistics

Benchmark T-Bills Discount Rates				
	31-Dec-21	30-Dec-21	Change in Rates	
90 days	3.78%	3.78%	→ 0.00%	
160 days	3.67%	3.67%	→ 0.00%	
328 days	5.00%	5.00%	→ 0.00%	
Source: FMDQ DQL for 31 December 2021				

	31-Dec-21	30-Dec-21	Change in Yield
5 yrs: 12.75% 27-Apr-2023	3.89%	3.89%	→ 0.00%
10 yrs: 13.98% 23-Feb-2028	12.43%	7.50%	4.93%
20 yrs: 16.25% 18-Apr-2037	13.00%	12.28%	№ 0.72%
30 yrs: 14.80% 26-Apr-2049	13.05%	13.05%	1 0.00%
30 yrs: 12.98% 27-Mar-2050	13.28%	13.28%	→ 0.00%

Benchmark FGN Eurobond Yields				
	31-Dec-21	30-Dec-21	Change in Yield	
3 yrs: NGERIA 6 3/4 01/28/21	3.39%	3.38%	0.01%	
5 yrs: NGERIA 6 3/8 07/12/23	4.25%	4.26%	- 0.01%	
10 yrs: NGERIA 6 1/2 11/28/27	6.57%	6.60%	- 0.03%	
20 yrs: NGERIA 7.696 02/23/38	8.59%	8.59%	→ 0.00%	
30 yrs: NGERIA 9.248 01/21/49	9.10%	9.10%	→ 0.00%	
7.125% ECOTRAN 16/02/26	7.26%	7.26%	→ 0.00%	
Source: FMDQ DQL for 31 December 2021				

Benchmark Bond Yields





Equities

The domestic bourse ended this year's trading activities with a positive performance. Despite the relatively brief session, the Nigerian Stock Exchange All Share Index (NGX ASI) gained 2.16% day-on-day to close at 42,716.44pts, while year-to-date returns extended to +6.07%. This performance was attributed to buy interest in bellwethers like Nestle Nigeria Plc (+10.00%), MTN Nigeria Communications Plc (+8.24%), and Access Bank Plc (+2.20%), respectively.

The NSE Consumer Goods, Banking, Oil & Gas, Industrial Goods Indices gained ca 6.69%, 0.66%, 0.21% and 0.07% day-on-day, respectively.

First Bank of Nigeria Holdings Plc led the volume chart with ca 77.93 million units while Nestle Nigeria Plc topped the value charts with ca \mathbb{\text{\text{\text{\text{N4}}}}4.81 billion worth of trades.

Top 5 Equity Advancers						
Name (Symbol)	Closing Price	Gain(N)	% Change			
NESTLE	1556.50	141.50	1 0.00%			
ROYALEX	0.88	0.08	10.00%			
UPDCREIT	4.45	0.40	9.88%			
SKYAVN	5.30	0.42	% 8.61%			
REGALINS	0.51	0.04	1 8.51%			
Source: NGX, AllCO Capital						

AIICO Money Market Fund (AMMF)						
Net Yield (As at current dat	e)	10.18%				
Added Benefit		Personal accident insurance cover		Personal accident insurance cover		
AlICO Capital Guaranteed Income Note (GIN) Rates p.a.						
Amount (NGN)		60 Days	90 Days	180 Days	364 Days	
10,000,001 - 50,000,000		7.00	7.00	7.25	7.50	
50,000,001 - 100,000,000		7.25	7.50	7.75	8.00	
100,000,001 - 400,000,000		7.75	8.00	8.25	8.50	
>500,000,000		9.00	9.00	9.00	9.00	

Index	D-o-D
NSE ASI	1 2.16%
NSE Banking Index	1 0.66%
NSE Industrial Goods Index	1 0.07%
NSE Consumer Goods Index	6.69%
NSE Oil & Gas Index	1 0.21%

Top 5 Equity Decliners					
Name (Symbol)	Closing Price	Loss(N)		% Change	
NEM	4.50	-0.50	4	-10.00%	
WEMABANK	0.72	-0.07	•	-8.86%	
JAIZBANK	0.56	-0.03	4	-5.08%	
CHAMPION	2.35	-0.10	4	-4.08%	
TRANSCORP	0.96	-0.03	4	-3.03%	
Source: NGX, AlICO Capital					

NSE All Share Index



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