

**REDSTAREX, IKEJAHOTEL AND 11 OTHERS GAIN AS NSE ASI APPRECIATES BY 0.35%**

Equities market closed the day's trading session in green zone as the NSE All Share Index and Market Capitalisation appreciated by 0.35% to close at 30,745.05 and ₦11.46 trillion respectively. The Year-to-Date (YtD) and the Quarter-to-Date (QtD) returns stand at -2.18% and -2.18%, while the Month-to-Date (MtD) and Week-to-Date returns stand at 0.61% and 0.35% respectively.

**NSE Sector Indices:** Of all the Industries on the NSE within our coverage, 5 sectors advanced in points while 1 sector declined. The NSE sector indices that advanced in points were NSE CONSUMER GOODS (+1.50%), NSE INSURANCE (+0.70%), NSE 30 (+0.52%), NSE BANKING (+0.19%) and NSE PREMIUM (+0.10%) while the sector that declined in points was NSE OIL & GAS (-1.12%).

The market breadth (gainers/losers) of 0.85x for the day indicates that the number of sellers outpaced the number of buyers in the market today. At the end of the day's trading, 13 stocks advanced as 15 stocks declined; REDSTAREX (+10.00%), IKEJAHOTEL (+10.00%) and MCNICHOLS (+8.33%) led the gainers chart while CHAMPION (-10.00%), UNITYBNK (-8.89%) and ACADEMY (-8.89%) led the losers chart for the day

The day's trading activities by volume was led by FIDELITYBK (36.62million), TRANSCORP (34.27million) and DIAMONDBNK (29.47million) while the activity by value was led by ZENITHBANK (₦0.25billion), GUARANTY (₦0.10billion) and DANGCEM (₦0.08billion).

**Outlook:** REDSTAREX, IKEJAHOTEL and 11 others gained as NSE ASI appreciated by 0.35%. The dominance of sellers in the market reflected on the market breadth of today's activity as it is at 0.85x (vs 2.18x in last trading day).

Going forward, we do not expect the bearish run to dominate the year 2019 as we expect the uncertainty surrounding the Nigerian equity market to end after the general elections. As a result, we advise our clients to start taking position in the companies that have good dividend payment history

**TOP GAINERS**

	Stock	Previous Close	Today's Close	Change (₦)		%Change
1	REDSTAREX	5.00	5.50	0.50	↑	10.00
2	IKEJAHOTEL	1.50	1.65	0.15	↑	10.00
3	MCNICHOLS	0.36	0.39	0.03	↑	8.33
4	CUTIX	1.80	1.90	0.10	↑	5.56
5	NB	74.00	77.90	3.90	↑	5.27
6	UAC-PROP	1.72	1.81	0.09	↑	5.23
7	LINKASSURE	0.61	0.64	0.03	↑	4.92
8	CUSTODIAN	6.50	6.80	0.30	↑	4.62
9	UPL	2.08	2.16	0.08	↑	3.85
10	DANGFLOUR	5.80	6.00	0.20	↑	3.45

**TOP LOSERS**

	Stock	Previous Close	Today's Close	Change (₦)		%Change
1	CHAMPION	1.80	1.62	-0.18	↓	-10.00
2	UNITYBNK	0.90	0.82	-0.08	↓	-8.89
3	ACADEMY	0.45	0.41	-0.04	↓	-8.89
4	FO	29.50	27.00	-2.50	↓	-8.47
5	ROYALEX	0.30	0.28	-0.02	↓	-6.67
6	VERITASKAP	0.22	0.21	-0.01	↓	-4.55
7	LASACO	0.31	0.30	-0.01	↓	-3.23
8	STERLNBANK	2.45	2.39	-0.06	↓	-2.45
9	NASCON	17.90	17.50	-0.40	↓	-2.23
10	UACN	9.20	9.00	-0.20	↓	-2.17

NSE MARKET DAILY STATISTICS				
	Today	Previous		% Change
NSE All Share Index (NSEASI)	30,745.05	30,636.36	↑	0.35%
Market Cap. (₦ 'trn)	11.46	11.42	↑	0.35%
Transaction Volume (million)	183.67	270.94	↓	-32.21%
Market Turnover (₦ 'million)	1,040.49	4,418.32	↓	-76.45%
Number of Deals	2,909	3,144	↓	-7.47%

Source: Nigerian Stock Exchange (NSE) / PAC Research

NSE SECTOR INDICES					
	Today	Previous	% Change		YtD(%)
NSE 30	1,373.75	1,366.69	↑ 0.52%	↓	-3.06%
NSE Banking 10	397.33	396.59	↑ 0.19%	↓	-0.40%
NSE Oil&Gas 5	275.97	279.09	↓ -1.12%	↓	-8.69%
NSE Insurance 10	122.83	121.98	↑ 0.70%	↓	-2.89%
NSE Consumer Goods 10	704.18	693.76	↑ 1.50%	↓	-5.96%
NSE Premium Index	2,144.68	2,142.64	↑ 0.10%	↓	-2.29%

Source: Nigerian Stock Exchange (NSE) / PAC Research

TOP 10 LOSERS YEAR TO DATE			TOP 10 GAINERS YEAR TO DATE		
1	RESORTSAL	-60.00%	1	CILEASING	407.87%
2	CHIPLC	-23.68%	2	REDSTAREX	30.95%
3	UNITYBNK	-23.36%	3	JBERGER	29.35%
4	FLOURMILL	-19.70%	4	ROYALEX	27.27%
5	BERGER	-18.60%	5	STERLNBANK	25.79%
6	CHAMPION	-18.59%	6	ABCTRANS	24.14%
7	AIRSERVICE	-18.35%	7	CUSTODIAN	20.35%
8	ACADEMY	-18.00%	8	FIDELITYBK	17.73%
9	ETRANZACT	-17.72%	9	CUTIX	15.85%
10	NNFM	-17.71%	10	CAVERTON	14.58%

COMPANY	TURNOVER (₦'B)	CURRENT PAT (₦'B)	PREVIOUS PAT (₦'B)	PERIOD
ZENITH BANK PLC	409.174	121.33	117.30	9M 2018
NIGERIAN BREWERIES PLC	254.998	14.79	24.01	9M 2018
DANGOTE CEMENT PLC	685.290	158.28	154.12	9M 2018
ACCESS BANK PLC	230.439	42.47	47.66	9M 2018
UNILEVER NIG PLC	72.305	9.57	4.83	9M 2018

Source: Nigerian Stock Exchange (NSE) / PAC Research

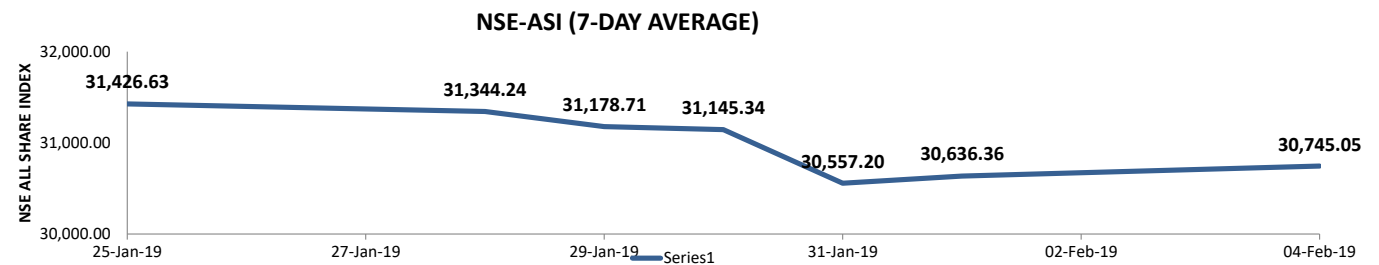
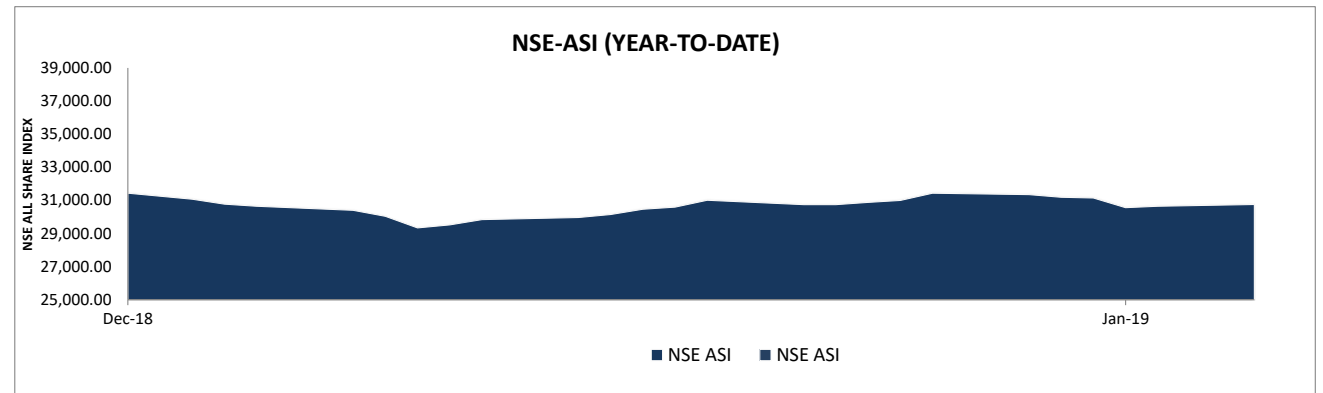
FIVE MOST ACTIVE SECTOR BY VOLUME AND VALUE ('million')



NSE RETURN HISTORY		
Day Change	↑	0.35%
Week-to-Date	↑	0.35%
Month-to-Date	↑	0.61%
Quarter-to-Date	↓	-2.18%
Year-to-Date	↓	-2.18%

TOP TRADED STOCKS BY VOLUME		TOP TRADED STOCKS BY VALUE	
STOCK	VOLUME (UNITS)	STOCK	VALUE (₦)
FIDELITYBK	36,621,738	ZENITHBANK	249,785,744.80
TRANSCORP	34,271,875	GUARANTY	104,848,095.65
DIAMONDBNK	29,467,617	DANGCEM	84,178,937.60
ZENITHBANK	10,910,309	FIDELITYBK	82,399,774.44
UBA	6,968,705	DIAMONDBN	68,068,495.13

Source: Nigerian Stock Exchange (NSE) / PAC Research



## FIXED INCOME REPORT AS AT FEBRUARY 1, 2019

### Treasury Bills Market:

In the treasury bills markets, the average yield decreased by 5bps as it closed at 14.16% today (vs. 14.21% average market yield of last trading session). At the end of the trading session today, the 18-Apr-19, 18-Jul-19 and 12-Dec-19 bills closed at 11.76% (0.00%), 13.78% (-0.01%), and 16.94% (-0.15%) respectively.

### FGN Bond Market:

In the bond market, the average market yield decreased by an average of 19bps as it closed at 15.03% as against 15.21% of the previous session. The result for the 13-Dec-2020, 12-Sep-2021, 14-Mar-2024, 22-Jan-2026, 28-Nov-2028, 18-Jul-2034 and 18-Apr-2037 bonds traded are 15.64% (-0.13%), 15.13% (0.09%), 14.60% (-0.39%), 14.79% (-0.45%), 15.05% (-0.14%), 14.82% (-0.42%) and 15.00% (-0.09%) respectively.

### Foreign Exchange Market:

At the FX Market (CBN Official Window), Naira remains unchanged 0kobo, closing at ₦306.75/\$ today compared to the ₦306.75/\$ it traded in the previous trading session. On Investors and Exporters Window, Naira appreciated by 32 kobo against dollar as it closed at ₦362.71/\$ today (vs. ₦363.03/\$ it closed in the previous trading session).

### Money Market:

In the Money Market today, the REPO rate decreased by an average of 207bps to ease liquidity. At the end of the trading session, the call, 1M, 2M, 3M rate closed at 12.00% (-0.50%), 12.60% (-2.65%), 12.75% (-2.63%) and 13.00% (-2.50%) respectively. However, Open-Buy-Back (OBB) and Overnight (O/N) rate increased by an average of 64 bps, closing at 11.07% and 11.86% respectively.

EXCHANGES				
AFRICA	4-Feb-19	VALUE Δ	1-Feb-19	% CHANGE
NSE	30,745.05	108.69	30,636.36	0.35%
BOTSWANA	1,334.30	4.71	1,329.59	0.35%
GHANA SE	2,426.73	1.60	2,425.12	0.07%
JSE	53,391.83	-538.31	53,930.14	-1.00%
RWANDA SI	131.13	0.01	131.12	0.01%
UGANDA SE	#N/A N/A	0.01	#VALUE!	#VALUE!
GLOBAL		VALUE Δ		% CHANGE
DOW JONES	25002.29	-61.60	25063.89	-0.25%
FTSE 100	7012.15	-8.07	7020.22	-0.11%
DAX	11126.79	-53.87	11180.66	-0.48%
NIKKEI 225	20883.77	95.38	20788.39	0.46%
S&P 500	2704.91	-1.62	2706.53	-0.06%

Source: Bloomberg / PAC Research as at 16.00 GMT

CURRENCY			
MAJOR CURRENCIES			
	CURRENCY/₦		CURRENCY/\$
USD	362.05	CFA FRANC	572.69
EUR	413.55	S.A RAND	13.40
GBP	473.00	GHANA CEDI	4.98
JPY	3.29	KENYAN SHILLING	100.15
AUD	260.88	RWANDA FRANC	887.00
ZAR	27.00	EGYPTIAN POUND	17.69

Source: Bloomberg / PAC Research

ECONOMIC INDICATORS	
	4-Feb-19
MONETARY POLICY RATE (MPR)	14%
LIQUIDITY RATIO(LR)	30.00%
CASH RESERVE RATIO(CRR) Private(Public)	22.50%
INFLATION RATE (December 2018)	11.44%
GDP GROWTH RATE (Q3'18)	1.81%

COMMODITIES			
ENERGY	TODAY'S PRICE	VALUE Δ	PREVIOUS PRICE
BRENT CRUDE	61.76	-1.00	62.76
WTI CRUDE	53.82	-1.45	55.27
GASOLINE	141.37	-2.32	143.69
NATURAL GAS	2.67	-0.06	2.74
METALS		VALUE Δ	
GOLD	1313.84	-4.27	1318.11
SILVER	15.86	-0.06	15.92
PLATINIUM	819.42	-4.99	824.41
PALLADIUM	1364.13	10.05	1354.08
ALUMINIUM	A Real Time	-27.00	#VALUE!
COPPER	A Real Time	-30.00	#VALUE!
AGRICULTURE		VALUE Δ	
CORN	378.00	-0.75	378.75
WHEAT	524.25	-0.50	524.75
SOYBEANS	921.25	2.75	918.50
SUGAR	12.60	-0.03	12.63
COTTON	73.13	-0.50	73.63
COCOA	2215.00	48.00	2167.00

## BALANCED FUND

**Investment takes different forms. In investing you need to consider a few basic things;**

- a) What opportunities exist in the market
- b) How much capital to commit into investment.
- c) Transaction cost
- d) Skill and time to monitor the investment
- e) How to exit the investment

Many people often ask the question why a particular stock made more than 390% last year, and think 'if I had put my money in there my investment would have quadrupled'. While that is true, have you considered investing in some stock that delivers a negative return of about 65%? - That could be catastrophic. You wouldn't know on face value what stock would likely do well at the end of the day. This is why diversification is essential, so that as your portfolio risk is spread out.

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**Redemption:** You can redeem your money within 5 working days after the relevant documents have been submitted to the fund manager, but any redemption within 90 days from the date you subscribed for units will attract a fee in an amount equal to 10% of the positive total return of the units being redeemed on the day of redemption.

**Reinvestment Option:** Investors may either elect to receive dividend payments or, reinvestment of such dividends.

**Dividend Payment:** Dividend as declared, shall be distributed electronically within 7 working days after SEC approval of the funds financial results.

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## EARNINGS UPDATES

**DANGOTE CEMENT PLC (FINAL DIVIDEND)**

**Proposed Dividend:** 10.50 Naira per share  
**Proposed Bonus:** NA  
**Closure Date:** 16th April, 2018  
**Qualification Date:** 13th April, 2018  
**AGM Date:** 20th June, 2018  
**Payment Date:** 21st June, 2018

**GUARANTY TRUST BANK PLC (INTERIM DIVIDEND)**

**Proposed Dividend:** 30 kobo per share  
**Proposed Bonus:** NA  
**Closure Date:** 16 August, 2018  
**Qualification Date:** 15 August, 2018  
**AGM Date:** NA  
**Payment Date:** 30 August, 2018

**ZENITH BANK PLC (FINAL DIVIDEND)**

**Proposed Dividend:** 30 kobo per share  
**Proposed Bonus:** NA  
**Closure Date:** 20 August, 2018  
**Qualification Date:** 17 August, 2018  
**AGM Date:** NA  
**Payment Date:** 29 August, 2018

**UNITED BANK OF AFRICA (UBA) - INTERIM DIVIDEND**

**Proposed Dividend:** 20 kobo per share  
**Proposed Bonus:** NA  
**Closure Date:** 12 September, 2018  
**Qualification Date:** 11 September, 2018  
**AGM Date:** NA  
**Payment Date:** 17 September, 2018

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