BURNING ECONOMIC ISSUES









NSE loses 1% to 40,429pts on Lafarge woes

• ∑-2.6% in April



- Brent oil up 0.57% to \$69.04pb.
- Power output down 3.8% to 3,998 MWh/h
- Starch and glucose now on forex restricted list



- Flour price up 5.3% (N10k)
 - 52kg bag discontinued (disguised discount)



ECONOMIC NEWS







Good News



- Brent up 0.57% to \$69.04pb
 - March average: \$66.5pb



Wholesale diesel price now at N190/\$

Bad News



- Stock market has shed N160bn in April (so far)
- Average power output slips below 4,000 MWh/h
- Cocoa price falls 6% to \$2,488/mt



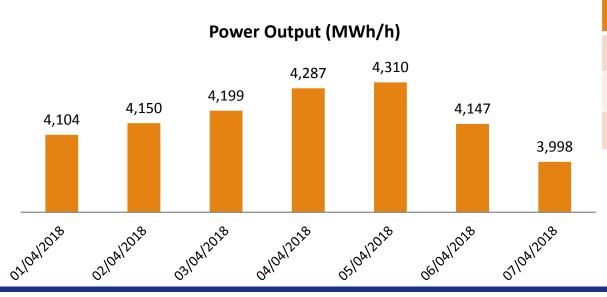
POWER GENERATION ANALYSIS & IMPACT



April 07th, Average power output was 3,998MWh/hour (down 149MWh/h)

•Total gas constraint was 1,483MWh/h; Grid constraint was 779MWh/h; Water constraint was 190MW

•Naira equivalent of power loss: N1.18bn (annualised at N430.7bn)



State	Temperature
Kano	39° C (+3°C)
Lagos	31° C (-1°C)
Abuja	35° C (-1°C)



DOMESTIC COMMODITY PRICE MOVEMENT

	CURRENT PRICES(LAGOS		AGOS)	Lagos Price	
Commodities	CURRENT PRICES	PREVIOUS PRICES	DIRECTIONAL CHANGE	1 year Low	1 year High
Palm Oil (25L)	N14,000	N14,000	\iff	N6,000	N25,000
Semolina(10kg)	N3,000	N3,000	\iff	N1,800	N3,500
Old Yam(large tuber)	N1,300	N1,300	\Leftrightarrow	N400	N900
Tomatoes (50kg)	N8,500	N8,500	\Leftrightarrow	N8,000	N28,000
Garri (50kg) (Yellow	N7,000	N7,000	\Leftrightarrow	N7,000	N16,000
Rice (50kg)	N15,000	N15,000	\iff	N13,000	N22,000
Flour (50kg)	N10,000	N9,500		N8,500	N11,000
Sugar (50kg)	N16,000	N16,000	\iff	N8,000	N20,000
Beans (Oloyin) (50kg)	N30,000	N30,000	\iff	N12,000	N34,000
Cement (50kg)	N2,550	N2,550	\Leftrightarrow	N1,400	N2,700



Price Elasti

Price Inelastic

CONSUMER GOODS - CURRENT PRICE LAGOS

GOODS	Street price	Supermarket price	% difference
Pepsi (50cl)	N120	N100	20%
Beer (60cl)	N250	N280	-10.71%
Bread Loaf	N350	N400	-12.5%
Indomie (1 carton)	N1,900	N2,100	-15.5%
Gala (big size)	N100	N100	0%

Domestic prices remain flat



STOCK MARKET

- NSE ASI 1.01% to 40,429.18pts on April 09th
- •Consumer goods sub index **₹**0.85% to 959.38pts

	Share Prices (₦)	Daily % Change (Apr 06 — Apr 09)	YTD (%)
Nestle	1,385.00	←	— 11.31
Honeywell	2.44	1 .24	1 9.19
Flourmill	36.50	←→	1 8.62
Cadbury	14.50	←	9 .32
NB	128.90	0.08	3.63
Dangote Sugar	21.90	-	1 6.75
Unilever	55.00	- 8.03	1 28.29



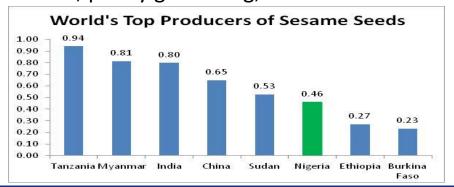




COMMODITY IN FOCUS - SESAME SEEDS



- •Total global production (2016): 6.11mn tonnes (\$9.78bn)
- •Global production declined by 10.3% compared to 2015
- •World's top producers: Tanzania, Myanmar, India
- •World's top consumers: China, EU, India, Japan
- •Uses: sesame oil, pastry garnishing, salad



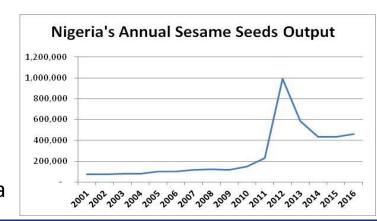


Source: FAOSTAT FDC Think Tank



SESAME SEEDS PRODUCTION IN NIGERIA

- •Total production (2016): 461,000 tonnes (7.5% of total global output), valued at (\$737.6mn)
- •Rank: Global- 6th, SSA- 2nd, West Africa- 1st
- •Nigeria's production increased by 6.5% from 2015, outperformed global growth by 16.8%
- Potential output: Approximately 1mn tonnes
- Nigeria's most exported non-oil commodity
- •Accounts for 35.3% of Nigeria's agricultural exports
- •Mainly exported to China, Turkey and Japan
- •Major producing states: Jigawa, Nassarawa, Benue, Taraba





OIL PRICES

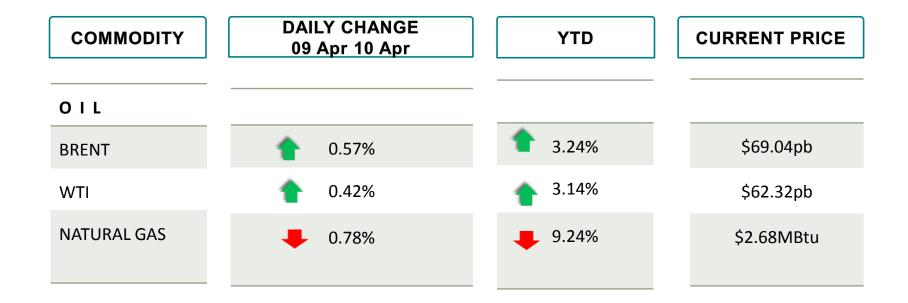
Brent crude 0.57% to \$69.04pb



• Recovery in US equity market

Technical rebound following sharp losses last week

OIL MARKETS TODAY





AGRIC COMMODITIES

Wheat



Corn



Cocoa



Sugar



- •Wheat futures up 1.27% to \$4.78/bushel
- •As cold weather in US plains threaten red winter wheat yield
- •Corn futures gained 0.5% to \$3.99/bushel
- •Supported by freezing temperatures

- •Cocoa prices lost 0.4% to \$2,488/mt
- •On improving crop outlook in Ivory Coast

- •Sugar dipped 0.08% to \$0.1234/pound
- As market struggles to absorb excess supply



OUTLOOK - OIL PRICES

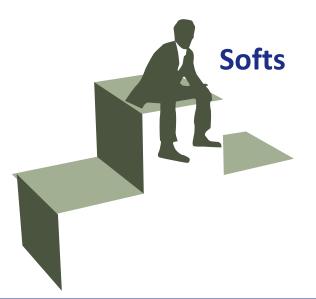


- Looming political tensions to continue to affect market supply expectations
- Trade war deadlock between China and US could have a negative impact on Asian demand
- OPEC to release production reports this week
- Analysts anticipate yet another monthly decline in global production

OUTLOOK - AGRIC PRICES

Grains

Longer than expected winter will affect crop quality, and price



SUGAR

 Lower consumption growth demand and higher sugar mill productivity will continue to weigh on prices

COCOA

Favourable weather conditions in West African producers

