## **BURNING ECONOMIC ISSUES**









Naira depreciates 0.27% to N363/\$ - parallel market

Nigeria's trade surplus increases 35% y-o-y to \$5.56bn in Q1 - NBS



Exports jumped 56% to \$13.01bn in Q1 (annualised at \$52.04bn)



Agricultural exports up 24% to \$203.16mn in Q1 – (1.5% of total exports)



CBN clears \$600mn backlog of international airlines

Brent oil down 0.56% to \$76.89pb



## **ECONOMIC NEWS**







### **Good News**



• 56% export increase boosts trade balance and the naira



Oil is 32% (\$25) above budget benchmark of \$51pb

#### **Bad News**

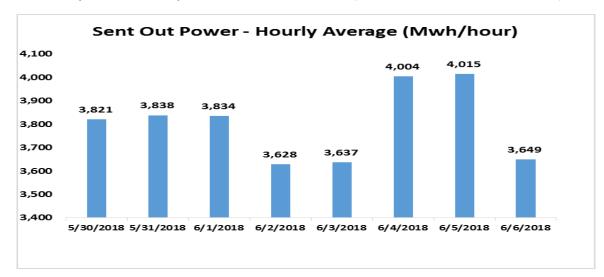


- High frequency and gas constraints continue to limit power output
- Diesel price at N233-235/litre undermines price stability

## POWER GENERATION ANALYSIS & IMPACT



- •June 06th: Average power output at 3,649MWh/hour (down 365.90MWh/h)
- •Total gas constraint was 1,949MWh/h; Grid constraint was 430.1MWh/h; Water constraint was 365MW
- •Naira equivalent of power loss: N1.32bn (annualised at N481.8bn)



State	Temperature
Kano	39° <b>C</b> ( +4C )
Lagos	32° <b>C</b> (0°C)
Abuja	34° <b>C</b> (+3C)



## DOMESTIC COMMODITY PRICE MOVEMENT

	CURRENT PRICES(LAGOS)		Lagos Price		
Commodities	CURRENT PRICES	PREVIOUS PRICES	DIRECTIONAL CHANGE	1 year Low	1 year High
Palm Oil (25L)	N10,000	N10,000	$\Leftrightarrow$	N6,000	N25,000
Semolina(10kg)	N3,000	N3,000	$\iff$	N1,800	N3,500
Old Yam(large tuber)	N1,900	N1,900	$\Leftrightarrow$	N400	N1,900
Tomatoes (50kg)	N15,000	N15,000	$\Leftrightarrow$	N8,000	N28,000
Garri (50kg) (Yellow	N7,000	N7,000	$\Leftrightarrow$	N7,000	N16,000
Rice (50kg)	N16,500	N16,500	$\Leftrightarrow$	N13,000	N22,000
Flour (50kg)	N10,700	N10,700	$\Leftrightarrow$	N8,500	N11,000
Sugar (50kg)	N14,900	N14,900	$\Leftrightarrow$	N8,000	N20,000
Beans (Oloyin) (50kg)	N27,000	N27,000	$\Leftrightarrow$	N12,000	N34,000
Cement (50kg)	N2,550	N2,550	$\Leftrightarrow$	N1,400	N2,700

Domestic commodity prices remain flat



## COMMODITY IN FOCUS - PAPAYA FRUIT (PAWPAW)



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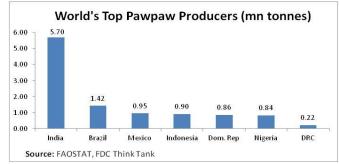
Planting and maturity lag: 2-6years

Total global production (2016): 13.2mn tonnes (\$13bn)



•World's top producers: India, Brazil, Mexico

•World's top consumers: India, Brazil, Nigeria



•Uses: eaten on its own, fruit salads, pharmaceuticals, traditional medicine,

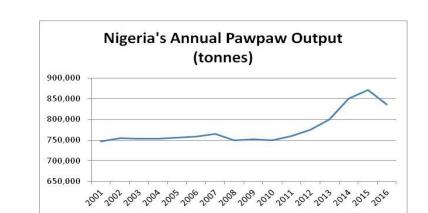
rich in vitamin A





# PAPAYA FRUIT PRODUCTION IN NIGERIA

- •Papaya output: 837,000tonnes (6.34% of global production)
- •Rank: Global 6<sup>th</sup>, Africa -1<sup>st</sup>
- Virtually grown in all states of the country
- No export potential
- •Harvest season is November April
- •A papaya fruit costs roughly N350 in Nigeria. One metric tonne costs \$500-\$1,000
- •Risks: perishable, pests & diseases



## CONSUMER GOODS - CURRENT PRICE LAGOS

GOODS	Street price	Supermarket price	% difference
Pepsi (50cl)	N120	N100	20%
Beer (60cl)	N260	N300	-15.30%
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







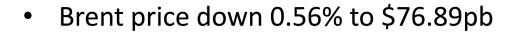
## STOCK MARKET

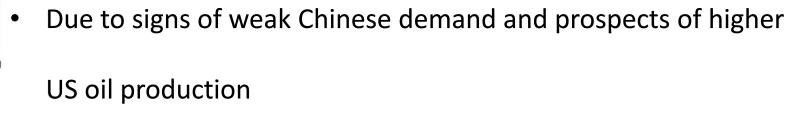
- NSE ASI 1.58% to 39,042.11pts on June 07<sup>th</sup>.
- •Consumer goods sub index 1.03% to 913.88pts

	Share Prices (₦)	Daily % Change ( June 06 – June 07)	YTD (%)
Nestle	1,430.00	<b>←</b>	2.83
Honeywell	2.30	0.43	<b>1</b> 21.05
Flour Mills	32.95	0.18	<b>1</b> 3.72
Cadbury	12.05	4.78	9.80
NB	118.00	1.03	5.41
Dangote Sugar	19.60	2.08	<b>4</b> 6.36
Unilever	53.00	<b>←→</b>	<b>1</b> 21.95



## OIL PRICES

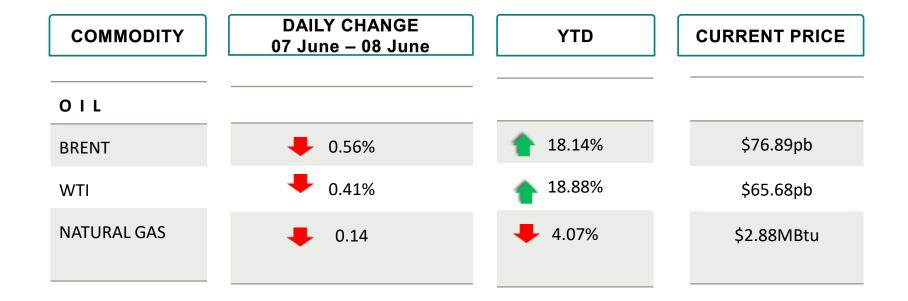




However, supply disruptions in Venezuela supported the market



## **OIL MARKETS TODAY**





## **AGRIC COMMODITIES**

#### Wheat



- •Wheat futures down 0.25% to \$5.37/bushel
- •On the back of a stronger US dollar

#### Corn



#### Cocoa



### Sugar



- •Corn futures up 0.24% to \$4.12/bushel
- •On indications of lower production from Brazil
- •Cocoa prices gain 1.12% to \$2,371/mt
- Heavy rainfall in West Africa has raised concerns about potential crop damage

- •Sugar jumped 1.65% to \$0.1202/pound
- •Due to stronger demand in Europe



## **OUTLOOK - OIL PRICES**



- Prices are likely to hover around \$76pb for the rest of the week
- OPEC set to meet on June 22 to determine extension of production cut deal
- This will determine oil prices in H2'18



## OUTLOOK - AGRIC PRICES

Increasing global stockpiles likely to put pressure on prices

### **Grains**

## **SUGAR**

Short term outlook is bullish due to higher demand

### **COCOA**

Prices are expected to trade higher in the near term as unfavourable weather threatens output

