# BURNING ECONOMIC ISSUES









•Oil price rises 0.64% to \$47.18pb on mounting US rig count



Nigeria and Libya invited to oil producers meeting - July 24



•NIBOR rises to an average of 26% p.a from 5% p.a last week



•Government approves National Gas Policy (NGP) to improve gas production



•Naira depreciates to N367/\$ (parallel), appreciates in NIFEX to N361.86/\$

•Diesel prices flat at N165/ltr



# ECONOMIC NEWS







#### **Good News**



- Lower average temperatures (76-78°F) reduces air-conditioning use
- NGP to build on Nigeria's gas reserves



#### **Bad News**





- Negative impact on exchange rate and fiscal revenues
- Forex intervention drains naira liquidity





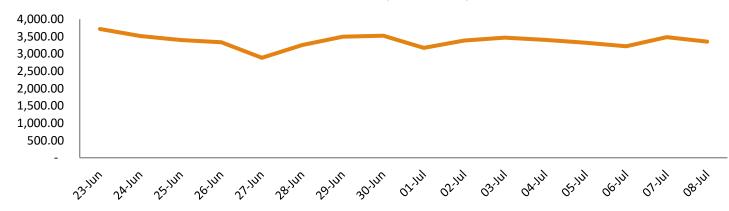
### **POWER GENERATION ANALYSIS & IMPACT**





- July 8th: Average power output was 3,351MWh/hour (down 128MWh/h)
- •Total generation of 2653MW was lost due to constraints in gas, line and high frequency
- Estimated loss: N1.27bn (annualised at N457.2bn /\$1.14m)
- •High frequency due to loss of DisCo feeders remains a significant constraint to generation
- Increased line constraints at Ibom

#### Power Generated (on Grid) MW/h





## DOMESTIC COMMODITY PRICE MOVEMENT

	CURRENT PRICES(LAGOS)			Lagos Price	
Commodities	CURRENT PRICES	PREVIOUS PRICES	% CHANGE	1 year Low	1 year High
Palm Oil (25L)	N12,500	N12,500	$\Leftrightarrow$	N6,000	N25,000
Semolina(10kg)	N3,500	N3,500	$\iff$	N2,300	N3,500
Yam (large tuber)	N1,500	N1,100	$\iff$	N600	N1,500
Tomatoes (50kg)	N28,000	N28,000	$\Leftrightarrow$	N8,000	N25,000
Garri (50kg)	N32,000	N32,000	$\Leftrightarrow$	N8,000	N32,000
Rice (50kg)	N18,500	N16,000	$\iff$	N13,500	N22,000
Flour (50kg)	N10,500	N10,500	$\iff$	N8,500	N11,000
Sugar (50kg)	N19,500	N18,500	$\iff$	N8,000	N20,000
Beans (50kg)	N24,000	N26,000	$\Leftrightarrow$	N9,000	N26,000
Cement (50kg)	N2,700	N2,700	$\iff$	N1,400	N2,700



## CONSUMER GOODS - CURRENT PRICE LAGOS

GOODS	Lagos price	Jumia price	% difference
Coke (50cl)	N150	N150	0%
Beer (60cl)	N250	N235	6%
Bread Loaf	N350	N400	12.5%
Semovita (10kg)	N3,700	N3,650	1.35%
Indomie (1 carton)	N1,900	N2,500	-24%
Gala (75g)	N50	N50	0%

Prices remain sticky downwards



### STOCK MARKET

- NSE ASI 0.48% to 32,614.60pts Flour mills positive results
- •Consumer goods sub index **U** 0.08% to 762.70pts

	Share Prices (₦)	Daily Change ( July 6– July 10)	YTD (%)
Nestle	910.00	-	<b>1</b> 1.2%
Honeywell	1.90	4.52%	<b>4</b> 6.1%
Flourmill	25	<b>1</b> 3.64%	<b>1</b> 35.2%
Cadbury	11.99	5.14%	<b>1</b> 6.52%
NB	154	0.65%	4.06%
Dangote Sugar	8.70	4.07%	22.3%
Unilever	34	2.94%	2.87%







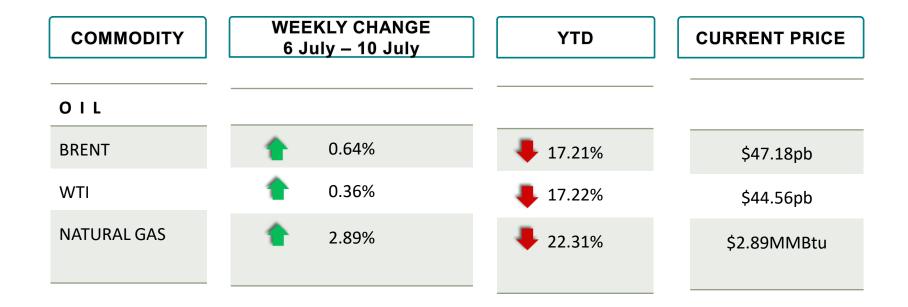
# OIL PRICES



- Brent crude 0.64% to \$47.18pb
- US oil rigs climbed by 7 to 763 Baker Hughes
- Combined with weekly rise in US oil production to 9.338mbpd
- World inventories currently above 5-year average
- Offsetting the effects from the OPEC production cuts



## OIL MARKETS TODAY





# **AGRIC COMMODITIES**

#### Wheat



#### Corn



#### Cocoa



#### Sugar



- •Wheat futures up 1.62% to \$5.48/bushel
- Dry weather conditions in Dakotas and Montana push prices up
- •Corn futures up 2.18% to \$3.99/bushel
- Drought in the US affecting yields negatively

- •Cocoa prices down 2.08% to \$1887/mt
- •Due to concerns over a cocoa glut along with sluggish growth in demand

- •Sugar prices up 2.51% to \$0.1427/pound
- •Robust demand from soft-drink and ice-cream makers drives bullish trend



# OUTLOOK - OIL PRICES



US shale producers remain a threat to stable oil prices



## OUTLOOK - AGRIC PRICES

### Grains

Price movement is expected to be driven by weather conditions



Expectation of import duty hike in India likely to increase prices further

#### **COCOA**

• ICCO raised forecast for the 2016/17 season by 18.1% to a record high of 4.69million tons

