BURNING ECONOMIC ISSUES









•Brent crude continued its bullish trend, trading at \$63.72pb

•Internal squabbling in Saudi Arabia could destabilize OPEC (Sunni vs Shiite)



•Soybean price up 0.10% to \$365.8/tonne, down 1.62% YTD



•Soybean in Nigeria – great potential, low output



•Diesel price crashes 17.1 % to N175/ltr

•Naira flat at N363/\$ (parallel), IEFX: N360.46/\$



ECONOMIC NEWS







Good News



- Diesel price down to N175/ltr, expected to go lower
- Oil price now above \$63pb revenue positive (\$3.2bn per month)



Inflation to decline to 15.89% in October



Bad News

Saudi squabble could affect OPEC meeting



• Food inflation still high at 20.10%



COMMODITY IN FOCUS - SOYBEANS



- Planting-harvesting time lag: 2 3 harvests a year
- Total global output: 347.1m tonnes (\$130.8bn)
- Leading producers: U.S, Brazil, Argentina & China (growth -1.4%)
- Top consumers: China (30%), U.S, Brazil, Argentina and EU (growth 4.3%)



Used for: protein for animal feed, vegetable oil, soy milk, soy flour,
biodiesel

SOYBEAN IN NIGERIA - GREAT POTENTIAL, LOW OUTPUT

Produces 550,000 tonnes (0.16% of global output)

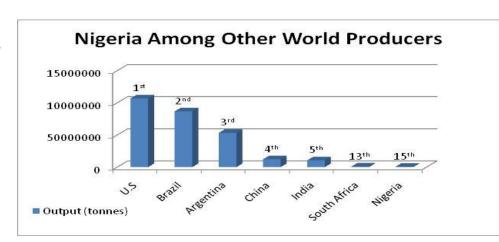
Revenue at \$201.2mn (0.05% of GDP)

Rank (in production): Global: 15th, SSA: 2nd (after South Africa)

Rank (in exports): Global: 33rd, SSA: 4th (after Ethiopia, South Africa and Malawi)

Production Belt: Benue (44%), Kaduna (27%),

Plateau and Niger





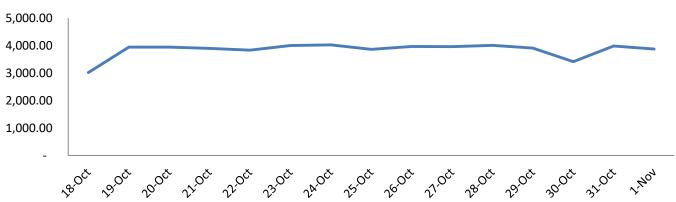
Source: FAOSTAT, FDC

POWER GENERATION ANALYSIS & IMPACT



- •November 01st: Average power output sent was 3,871.92MWh/hour (down 107MWh/h)
- •Gas constraint was 1,305.5MW; frequency management constraint due to loss of DisCo feeders was 1,220.50MW
- Estimated loss: N1.21bn (annualised at N441.65bn /\$1.22bn)







DOMESTIC COMMODITY PRICE MOVEMENT

	CURREN	T PRICES(LA	AGOS)	Lagos	Price
Commodities	CURRENT PRICES	PREVIOUS PRICES	DIRECTIONAL CHANGE	1 year Low	1 year High
Palm Oil (25L)	N13,000	N14,000	1	N6,000	N25,000
Semolina(10kg)	N1,800	N3,200	↓	N2,300	N3,500
New Yam(small tuber)	N650	N650	\iff	N650	N900
Tomatoes (50kg)	N8,000	N8,000	\Leftrightarrow	N8,000	N28,000
Garri (50kg)	N10,500	N10,500	\Leftrightarrow	N8,000	N16,000
Rice (50kg)	N15,000	N15,000	\iff	N13,500	N22,000
Flour (50kg)	N10,000	N11,000	\iff	N8,500	N11,000
Sugar (50kg)	N16,000	N16,000	\Leftrightarrow	N8,000	N20,000
Beans (Oloyin) (100kg)	N28,000	N32,000	↓	N12,000	34,000
Cement (50kg)	N2,700	N2,700	\Leftrightarrow	N1,400	N2,700

Relatively Static



Price Elastic

Price Inelastic

CONSUMER GOODS - CURRENT PRICE LAGOS

GOODS	Street price	Supermarket price	% difference
Pepsi (50cl)	N100	N90	-10%
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 0.22% to 37,013.75pts
- •Consumer goods sub index **\P**0.66% to 909.03pts

	Share Prices (₦)	Daily % Change 06 Nov – 07 Nov	YTD (%)
Nestle	1,290	←→	4 8.1
Honeywell	2.09	0.01	^ 52.3
Flourmill	35.47	\Leftrightarrow	6 2.2
Cadbury	10.35	0.07	• 0.01
NB	144.1	- 0.89	^ 8.70
Dangote Sugar	15.50	1 0.15	1 04.7
Unilever	40.00	\longleftrightarrow	1 25.7



OIL PRICES



• Brent crude • 2.36% to \$63.72pb

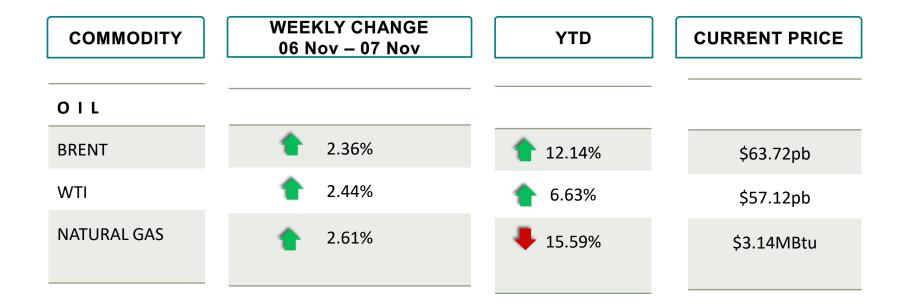
OPEC determined to deepen and extend output cuts

Saudi Arabia driven to keep oil prices high ahead of the Aramco sale

Political uncertainty in Saudi Arabia contributing to the uptick in prices



OIL MARKETS TODAY





AGRIC COMMODITIES

Wheat



Corn



Cocoa



Sugar



- •Wheat futures up 0.70% to \$4.28/bushel
- Expectations of rising demand for US cargoes
- •Corn futures up 0.57% to \$3.50/bushel
- Driven by strong demand from Mexico and South Korea

- •Cocoa prices down 0.10% to \$2,054/mt
- Partly due to the rebound in the Sterling current
- •Sugar prices down 0.35% to \$0.1433 pound
- •Brazil's production forecast expected to increase owing to recent rainfall in the region



OUTLOOK - OIL PRICES



- Slightly higher price levels will likely be sustained in the near term
- On rising global demand amid tighter supply
- Strong macro-economic backdrop and inventory drawdown in the

US



OUTLOOK - AGRIC PRICES

Grains

Prices to remain elevated on increased global demand

SUGAR

 Expectation of substantial global surplus will keep a lid on prices

COCOA

Concerns of crop diseases (brown rot & black pod) in
Ivory Coast could curb production

