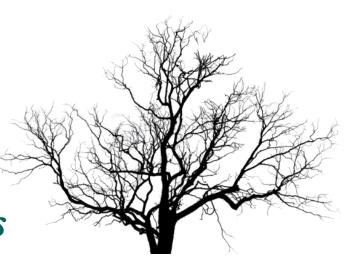
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June 12



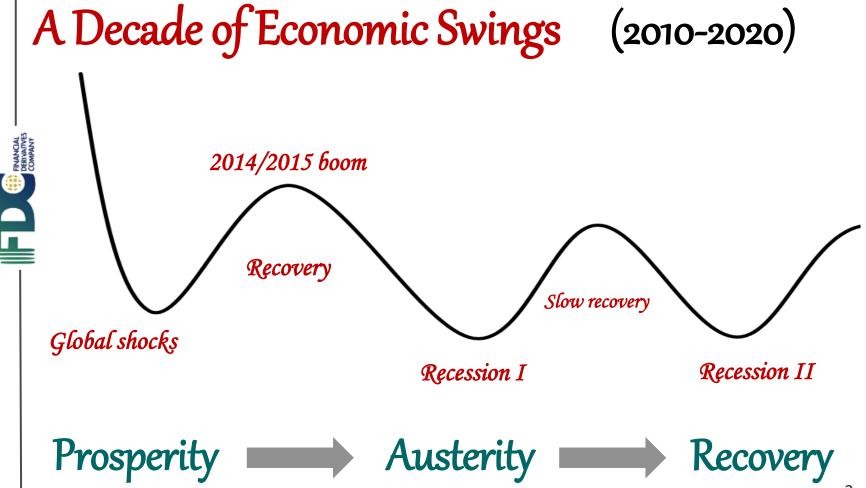
2 Recessions



Prosperity

Austerity





Triumph

External Reserves – External Debt = Buffers









2008/09



Average GDP: 8%

Avg oil price: \$97pb

Exchange rate:

N118/\$

- Huge buffers
- Adjustments were swift to N155/\$
- External reserves:

\$42bn



2015/16

- ✓ Average GDP: -1.56%
- ✓ Avg oil price: \$40.68pb
- Exchange rate:

N200/\$ N360/\$

- Average buffers
- Response slow
- ✓ Situation worsened but

recovered

✓ External reserves: \$26bn



2019/20

- ✓ Average GDP: 2.25%
- ✓ Avg oil price: \$30pb
- Exchange rate:

N360/\$ N450/\$

- Policymakers better prepared but buffers thin
- External reserves:

\$36.48bn

2008/09

- ✓ Global GDP shock
- (-2%)
- ✓ US bankruptcy rate
- (up 40%)
- ✓ Subprime mortgage
- ✓ Stock market crisis
- (-50%)
- ✓ Bank failures (Lehman Brothers, Bear Stearns)

2015/16

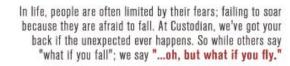
- Global GDP: 2.5%
- ✓ Global GDP limited shock
- ✓ No margin calls

2019/20

- or Global GDP projected to contract by 3% (IMF)
- Covid shock
- A different world
- Oil markets tanked lagain



it's not about falling ...it's about helping you fly.





Downstream Petroleum



2008/09

2015/16

2019/2020







Queues
N97/litre
(\$0.82/litre)

Queues
N87/litre
(\$0.44/litre)

No Queues
N121.5/litre
(\$0.25/litre)

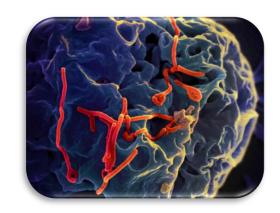
How you fared in the last decade



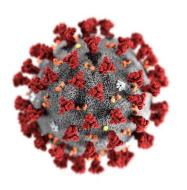
2008



2015



2020



HIV

Ebola

COVID-19

Economic Picture

Source: EIU, NBS, FDCThinkTank

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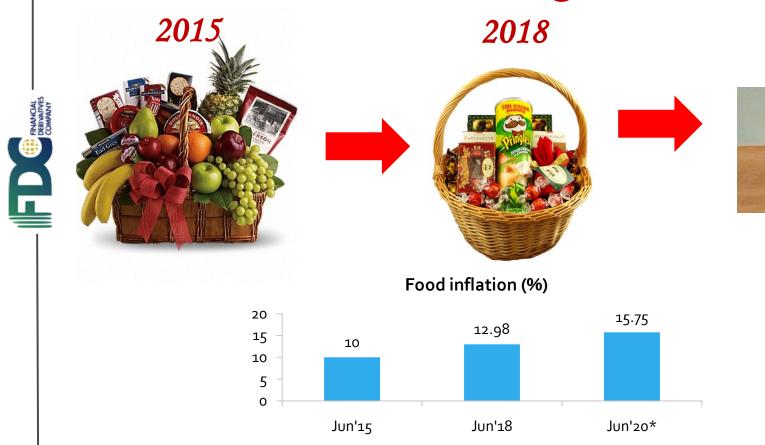
	2010	2015	2020*
GDP size (\$'bn)	369.1	492.4	344.9
GDP growth (%)	7.8	2.7	-3.4
Inflation (%) (avg)	13.7	9.0	16.3
External reserves (\$'bn)	32.35	29.07	36.0
Exchange rate (N/\$) Avg	150.3	193.3	450.0
Balance of trade (\$'bn)	31.5	-6.4	-1.4
Terms of trade	100	31.9	23.5
Minimum wage (N/month)	5,500	18,000	30,000

From Recovery to Downturn - (The COVID)



Consumer Basket is Getting Smaller

2020



Source: NBS, FDCThinkTank

Non-Food Inflation



Transportation cost



Spiking!







Medical bills





No flights now but expected to



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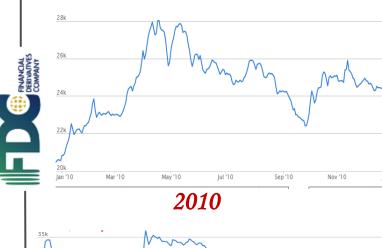


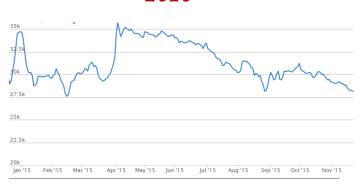




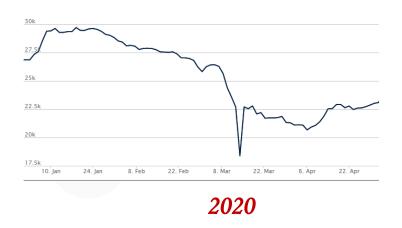
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Stock Market





Investors Lost Their Shirts



Ponzi schemes also failed

No joy from MMM or Swiss gold
- Crash

Slow & Painful **Economic Recovery**

Lessons Learnt....



- ✓ Fiscal and external shocks will always exist for an oil dependent economy
- ✓ Investment is key
- Consumer led strategy has its drawbacks
- ✓ Monetary policy tools is inadequate to solve fiscal problems

Economic Recovery & Growth

- ✓ ERGP I & II
- ✓ Challenges to address:
 - ✓ Recessionary gap now at 11.8%
 - ✓ Sub-optimal investment level
 - √ Vulnerability to exogenous shocks
 - Depleting external buffers

The Inevitable

- ✓ Scrapping multiple exchange rates
- Adopting an efficient exchange rate adjustment mechanism
- ✓ Investment in road and rail transport
- Airport concessioning
- ✓ Blocking leakages
- ✓ Simplify tax administration
- ✓ Cost reflective electricity tariffs



The Maybe's

- ✓ Lease/sale of idle assets
- ✓ Convert power sector loans to equity
- ✓ Shift subsidies from wasteful consumption to critical social infrastructure (health, education)







Different Views of Nigeria (2020)

- Stagflation is expected
- •Naira devaluation will elevate inflation
- Debt servicing costs to jump



The Economist

> Intelligence Unit

- Growth to contract by 3.4% before recovering in 2021
- Unified and flexible exchange rate should be expedited
- Medium term focus should be on macroeconomic stability

Economic Forecast-ElU

		2020	2021	2022
COMPANY	GDP(\$bn)	344.9	384.1	438.5
	Private consumption (\$bn)	278.4	308.2	342.8
	Inflation (year end %)	18.1	13.2	10.5
	M2 growth (%)	10.1	20.3	19.3
	Exchange rate (year end N/\$)	450.0	500.2	500.4
	Oil production (mbpd)	1.54	1.60	1.62
	Share of world investment flows (%)	0.18	0.26	0.29
	Share of world exports (%)	0.24	0.25	0.31

Source: EIU, FDC Think-Tank

Outlook - Recovery - Slow But Solid

✓ The new ERGP will be launched



✓ The economy will fall into a recession with growth of approx -5% in 2020

✓ A U-shaped recovery will commence in Q2'2021

✓ Inflation will spike above 15% before falling on higher output



Outlook - Recovery - Slow But Solid

- ✓ The FGN will further liberalise factor prices (electricity & PMS) to enhance competitiveness
- ✓ The naira will be allowed to trade at its Real Effective Exchange Rate (REER)







