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#### What Moved the Markets this Week?

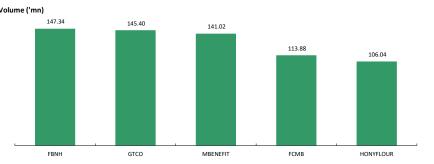
The Nigerian equities market reversed its bearish run from previous week as the All-Share Index closed up 0.25% WoW to end at 43,308.29pts. Thus, Year-to-Date return improved to +7.54%. On a sectoral basis, performance was mixed across the various indices as NGXOILGAS (-0.87% WoW), NGXBNK (-0.29% WoW), (NGXINDUSTR: -0.03% WoW), (NGXCNSMRGDS: -2.00% WoW), all closed in the red, while NGXINS (+3.55% WoW) closed in the green. UPL (+27.83% WoW) topped the gainers' chart for the week, while AIICO emerged as the week's top loser, shedding 44.44% WoW. On the activity chart, FBNH topped the list as the most traded stock by volume while GTCO topped the list as the most traded stock by value.

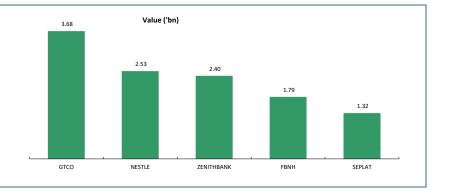
During the week, the Monetary Policy Committee (MPC) held its last meeting for the year and unanimously voted to hold all parameters constant. The Committee's decision supported by the recent expansion witnessed in the economy and the sustained moderation in inflation. On the corporate scene, Flour Mills of Nigeria (FLOURMILL) announced its acquisition of 71.69% majority shareholding in Honeywell Flour Mills Plc (HONYFLOUR). Additionally, FLOURMILL entered into an agreement with FBN Holdings Group (FBNH) to acquire its 5.06% equity stake in HONYFLOUR.

At primary market treasury bills auction held during the week, the Federal Government successfully raised NGN215.73bn. Stop rates on the 91-day and 182-day instruments remained constant at 2.50% and 3.50% respectively, while rates on the 364-day instrument further declined to 5.89% from 6.50% at the previous auction. In the fixed income secondary market, the sentiment was mixed as average bonds yields increased to 10.82% from 10.77% last week, while average treasury bills yield declined to 4.55% from 4.76% the previous week.

Market Outliers Top Gainers ABCTRANS 10.009 ROYALEX 12.24% HONYFLOUF 16.81% IKEJAHOTEL 17.39% -44.44% UPL 27.83%

weekly Trading Activity





Weekly Currency Watch Money Market Rates %Δ This us Week I & E (per USD) OBB 415.07 414.40 -0.16% 15.00% OVN 15.67% Average 15.34% Bond Yields Treasury Bills Yields %Δ This Wee This Wee revious We 5.74% 1YR 6.56% -0.82% 1MTH 3.10% змтн 3YR 9.25% 9.00% 0.25% 3.50% 11.73% 5YR 11.40% 0.34% 6МТН 4.53% 7YR 12.44% 9MTH 12.60% 0.16% 5.57% 10YR 12.29% 0.13% 12MTH 6.04% 12.169 30YR 13.32% 13.08% 0.24% Average 4.55%

#### In Other Markets Nigeria Egypt outh Afri Ghan Frontie Emergir evelop Kenya Today 0.46% 0.00% 1.62% 2.78% -0.15% 0.12% 0.43% 0.69% 0.25% -2.04% WtD 0.00% -2.17% -2.54% -0.25% -1.14% -1.68% 47.48% 5.40% YtD 15.46% 7.54% 8.32% 3.58% -2.83% 7.36% P/E 10.59x 6.03x 8.55x 12.25x 11.41x 16.40x 14.18× 17.26×

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| This Week | Previous Week                       | %Δ  |
|-----------|-------------------------------------|---|
| 43,308.29 | 43,199.27                           | 0.25%   |
| 1.45      | 1.18                                | 22.40%  |
| 18.83     | 24.44                               | -22.96%   |
| 22.60     | 22.54                               | 0.24%   |
| 0.73x     | 0.30x                               |   |
|           | 43,308.29<br>1.45<br>18.83<br>22.60 | 43,308.29 43,199.27   1.45 1.18   18.83 24.44   22.60 22.54 |

| Sectoral Indices | WtD    | MtD    | YtD    |
|------------------|--------|--------|--------|
| NGXBNK           | -0.29% | -4.85% | -0.65% |
| NGXCNSMRGDS      | -2.00% | -3.49% | -4.14% |
| NGXOILGAS        | -0.87% | -6.67% | 61.29% |
| NGXINS           | 3.56%  | 1.76%  | -3.39% |
| NGXINDUSTR       | -0.03% | 0.75%  | 6.89%  |
| NGX-ASI          | 0.25%  | 3.02%  | 7.54%  |

#### Fixed Income Monitor

14.50%

15.25%

14.88%

Previous

3.02%

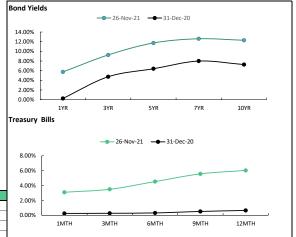
3.61%

4.63%

5.88%

6.66%

4.76%



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