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## **Daily Market Recap**

Wednesday, 17 January 2024

#### STOCK MARKET HIGHLIGHTS **NGX Statistics** 16-Jan-24 17-Jan-24 Change % YTD (%) 87,971.10 90,063.25 NGX All-Share Index 2.38 20.45 Market Capitalization (Natro) 48.14 49.28 2.38 20.45 52.92 54.79 Market Cap. (\$'Bn) -3.41 Total Value Traded (N Bn) 16.05 16.38 2.08 Total Value Traded (\$'Mn) 18.26 17.59 -3.69 1,088.67 1,298.22 Total Volume Traded (Mn) 19.25 Number of Deals 14,835 17,471 17.77 Market Breadth 1.34x

Sectors	16-Jan-24	17-Jan-24	Change%	YTD (%)
Banks	1,099.45	1,063.63	-3.26	18.55%
Insurance	448.08	464.35	3.63	44.36%
Consumer Goods	1,344.61	1,370.44	1.92	22.22%
Oil and Gas	1,058.98	1,063.74	0.45	1.98%
Industrial Goods	3,372.58	3,667.87	8.76	35.23%

Top Gainers	Open (₦)	Close (₦)	Gain (¥)	Gain (%)
AIICO	1.40	1.54	0.14	10.00%
GUINNESS	65.00	71.50	6.50	10.00%
WEMABANK	10.60	11.66	1.06	10.00%
HONYFLOUR	4.40	4.84	0.44	10.00%
SUNUASSUR	1.60	1.76	0.16	10.00%

Top Losers	Open (₦)	Close (₦)	Loss (₦)	Loss (%)
RTBRISCOE	0.90	0.81	-0.09	-10.00%
DANGSUGAR	81.40	73.30	-8.10	-9.95%
NGXGROUP	25.40	22.90	-2.50	-9.84%
REDSTAREX	4.54	4.11	-0.43	-9.47%
STERLINGNG	7.59	6.90	-0.69	-9.09%

Source: NGX, SCM Capital Research

NASD OTC Snapshot				
Statistics	16-Jan-24	17-Jan-24	Change $\%$	YTD (%)
NSI	951.58	966.53	1.57	4.21
Market Capitalization (#Bn)	1,289.93	1,310.18	1.57	4.21
Value Traded (₦'000)	20,052.06	105,160.39	424.44	
Volume Traded	28,046,465	26,956,976	-3.88	
Deals	15	18	20.00	

Source: NASD, SCM Capital Research

# **Equities**

#### Bargain hunting continues:

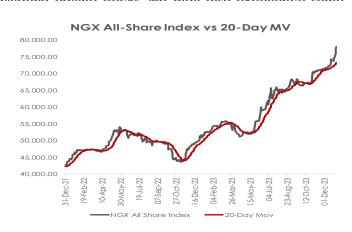
The local bourse closed on a positive note in today's trading session as the All-Share Index gained 2.38% to 90,063.25 points due to price appreciation in bellwether counters - BUACEMENT (+9.99%), DANGCEM (+9.86%) and BUAFOODS (+5.49%). Consequently, YTD return rose to 20.45% and market capitalization increased by  $\clubsuit1.14$ tn to  $\clubsuit49.28$ tn.

Market activities showed trade turnover strengthened relative to the previous session, with the volume and value of transactions up by 19.25% and 2.08% respectively. A total of 1.30bn units of shares valued at \(\mathbb{H}\)16.38bn were exchanged in 17,471 deals. STERLINGNG (-9.09%) led volume chart with 106.14m units traded while NB (+1.82%) led the value chart with 48.01m units traded in deals worth \(\mathbb{H}\)2.02bn. Investors' sentiment as measured by market breadth (advance/decline ratio) waned from 7.70x to 1.34x, reflective of 47 gainers against the 35 decliners.

On a sectoral level, performance was mainly bullish as the Industrial Goods and Insurance indices led the pack up by 8.76% and 3.63% respectively, owing to price appreciation in DANGCEM (+9.86%) and AIICO (+10.00%). Similarly, the Consumer Goods and Oil & Gas sectors closed higher by 1.92% and 0.45% respectively, as GUINNESS (+10.00%) and ETERNA (+9.83%) drove the indices northwards. On the flipside, the Banking index declined by 3.26%, due to profit-taking activities in STERLINGNG (-9.09%) and ZENITHBANK (-1.42%).

#### **OUTLOOK**

As bargain hunting continues, we expect bullish sentiment to propel the market. The local stock exchange is expected to be bullish this week ahead of the FY-2023 earnings season. Investors are expected to continue cherry-picking stocks with solid fundamentals and dividend proving stocks. We may also experience some





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### **Money Market**

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Fixed income market summary	17-Jan-24	16-Jan-24	
T-bills	Current	Previous	Change(bp)
3m	2.07	2.07	→ 0.00
6m	3.27	3.27	→ 0.00
12m	5.33	5.64	<b>4</b> 0.31

FGN Bonds	Current	Previous	Change(bp)
3yrs	12.72	12.72	→ 0.00
5yrs	14.15	14.15	→ 0.00
7yrs	13.81	13.48	0.33
10yrs	14.00	13.50	<b>0.50</b>

FGN EuroBonds	Current	Previous	Change(bp)
3yrs	9.72	9.50	<b>1</b> 0.22
5yrs	9.99	9.75	<b>1</b> 0.24
10yrs	10.28	10.08	0.20
25yrs	10.79	10.62	<b>1</b> 0.17

FX	Current	Previous	Change(₦)
Parallel	1340.00	1315.00	<b>4</b> 25.00
Official	853.77	853.77	→ 0.00
NAFEM	931.23	878.57	<b>52.66</b>

Source: FMDQ, SCM Capital

#### **Money Market**

At the secondary NTB market, yield narrowed by 10bps to an average of 3.55%, owing to price appreciation in the 12m bill. Systems liquidity was stringent as the O/N rate widened by 217bps to close at 19.42%.

#### **Fixed Income**

At the secondary Bond market, average yield increased by 21bps to close at 13.67%, due to sell pressures in the 7yrs and 10yrs bonds.

#### Currency

The performance of the Naira was largely bearish across the various market segments in the currency market. At the Parallel market and NAFEM, the Naira weakened by 1.90% and 5.99% to close at \(\mathbf{1}\),340/USD and \(\mathbf{1}\),33/USD respectively; while the Naira at the Official market closed flat at \(\mathbf{1}\).853.77/USD.

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