

PROFILE

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LISTED SECURITIES

Category	Number Listed	Market Capitalization (NGN) As of Mar 31, 2015	Market Capitalization (USD) [*] As of Mar 31, 2015
Equities - Main Board	185	10,717,529,112,553	53,813,662,947
Equities – AseM	11	8,584,168,275	43,101,869
Exchange Traded Products	4	4,198,654,260	21,081,815
FGN Bonds	15	4,780,112,923,285	24,001,370,372
Corporate Bonds	17	188,391,500,000	945,930,408
State and Municipal Bonds	19	540,993,942,400	2,716,378,502
Supranational Bonds	1	12,000,000,000	60,253,063
Total	252	16,251,810,300,773	81,601,778,976

^{*} Exchange rate \$1=N199.16 - spot value (offer) of the NIFEX on Mar 31, 2015



FACTS AND FIGURES

The Exchange's trading hours are from 9:30am to 2:30pm (West Central Africa time). Equities are listed under 12 industry sectors including (i) Agriculture; (ii) Conglomerates; (iii) Construction/Real Estate; (iv) Consumer Goods; (v) Financial Services; (vi) Healthcare; (vii) ICT; (viii) Industrial Goods; (ix) Natural Resources; (x) Oil and Gas; (xi) Services; and (xii) Utilities. The NSE has 10 indices that track market and sector performance; they consist of the *NSE All Share Index* (ASI), the *NSE 30 Index*, the *NSE 50 Index*, the *NSE Banking Index*, the *NSE Consumer Goods Index*, the *NSE Industrial Index*, the *NSE Insurance Index*, the *NSE Oil and Gas Index*, the *NSE Lotus Islamic Index* and the *NSE ASEM Index*. The main index is the *NSE 30 Index*.

The average daily volume traded across all products for Q1 2015 is 418.37 million units, and the average daily value traded, N4.50 billion (\$22.61 million). The average PE ratio of the Exchange's listed equities for the same period is 15.9x, and the equity turnover velocity as of March 2015 is 10.40%.

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TABLE 1: MARKET FLOWS

Period	2013	2014	Jan - Mar 2015
Domestic (%)	49.1%	42.5%	39.9%
Foreign (%)	50.9%	57.5%	60.1%
Total Foreign Transactions	N972.4 bn \$6.08 bn⁺	N1,538.9 bn \$8.27 bn [‡]	N335.62bn \$1.69 bn [§]

⁺ Exchange rate \$1=N159.79 - spot value (offer) of the NIFEX on Dec 31, 2013

[‡] Exchange rate \$1=N186.10 - spot value (offer) of the NIFEX on Dec 31, 2014

[§] Exchange rate \$1=N199.16 - spot value (offer) of the NIFEX on Mar 31, 2015



TABLE 2: MARKET SNAPSHOT

	Q1 2015	52-Week Change
	(Mar-2015)	(Apr-2014 to Mar-2015)
Total Market Capitalization**	N16.25 tn \$81.60 bn	-2.81%
Equities Market Capitalization ^{††}	N10.73 tn \$53.88 bn	-13.82%
Bonds Market Capitalization	N5.52 tn \$27.72 bn	29.27%
NSE 30 Index	1,451.05	-16.31%
NSE All Share Index	31,744.82	-18.07%
NSE Lotus Islamic Index	2,072.21	- 24. 93%
NSE Banking Index	364.16	-2.46%
NSE Consumer Goods Index	804.55	-16.80%
NSE Insurance Index	144.57	6.59%
NSE Oil/Gas Index	380.06	31.87%
NSE Industrial Index	1,929.46	-25.42%
NSE ASeM Index	1,214.94	27.57%
Total Volume (Q1)	25.94bn	-8.40%
Total Value Traded (Q1)	N279.21 bn \$1.40 bn	1.87%
Avg. Daily Volume (Q1)	418.37 mn	-8.39%
Avg. Daily Value Traded (Q1)	N4.50 bn \$22.61 mn ^{‡‡}	1.81%
Avg. Daily Transactions (Q1)	4,217	-17.96%
Turnover Velocity (Q3) - Equities (%)§§	10.40	
Avg. PE Ratio (Weighted) - Equities	15.9	
No. of Listed Companies	188	
No. of Preference Shares	3	
No. of Listed Investment Funds***	5	
No. of Listed Equities	196	
No. of Listed Bonds	52	
No. of Listed ETPs	4	
No. of Listed Securities	253	
No. of Trading Days	62	
Exchange Rate (Naira:USD)	199.16	

The dividend yield for the 52-week period ending Mar 31, 2015 is 5.12%. The dividend yield expresses dividends paid by listed companies as a percentage of their current share price.

^{**} Figure includes equities, ETFs and bonds.

⁺⁺ Figure includes shares listed on ASeM.

^{‡‡} Based on NIFIX exchange rate at the end of month of the quarter

 $^{^{\$\$}}$ Total Equity value traded (turnover) divided by Equities market capitalization (WFE).

^{***} Investment funds include unit trusts, closed-end funds, investment trusts and all collective investment funds.

By Industry Sector ^{†††}	Q1 2015 (Mar-2015)	
Agriculture	N62.19 bn \$312.26 mn	-29.34%
Conglomerates	N193.21 bn \$0.97 bn	-25.75%
Construction/Real Estate	N118.51 bn \$595.05 mn	-45.40%
Consumer Goods	N2.77 tn \$13.92 bn	-15.74%
Financial Services	N3.33 tn \$16.71 bn	-1.81%
Healthcare	N57.06 bn \$286.50 mn	-30.27%
ІСТ	N76.11 bn \$382.16 mn	-5.72%
Industrial Goods	N3.21 tn \$16.11 bn	-29.48%
Natural Resources	N7.34 bn \$36.85 mn	-7.90%
Oil & Gas	N753.06 bn \$3.78 bn	80.14%
Services	N140.61 bn \$706.02 mn	171.50%

TABLE 3: PERFORMANCE BY SECTOR AND CAPITALIZATION

By Capitalization***	Q1 2015 (Mar-2015)	52-Week Change (Apr-2014 to Mar-2015)
Large Cap (>\$1 billion)	N7.60 tn	-11.32%
	\$ 38.14 bn	-11.32/6
Mid Cap (\$150 million - \$1 billion)	N2.42 tn	-13.26%
Wild Cap (\$150 million - \$1 billion)	\$12.14 bn	-13.20%
Small Cap (< \$150 million)	N0.70 tn	30.60%
Small Cap (< \$150 million)	\$3.52 bn	-30.69%

⁺⁺⁺ Exchange rate \$1=N199.16 - spot value (offer) of the NIFEX on Mar 31, 2015