# **Earnings Flash**



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## STANBIC Plc. HY'2021 - Profit after tax declined by 50% to N22.54 billion

Stanbic Plc HY'2021 showed a decline in bottom-line result as profit for the period dropped by 50.13%. Interest income declined by 19.77% from N55.13 bn in HY'2020 to N44.23 bn in the current period. Net interest income went down by 12.44% from N37.55 bn in HY'2020 to N32.88 bn in HY'2021. Profit before tax declined by 52.85% from N52.41 bn in HY'2020 to N24.71 bn in the current period. The decrease in profit before tax is attributable to an 84% fall in trading income, and supported by rises in key expenditure line items, such as; the fees and commission expense and operating expense, which both went up by 110% and 14.07%, respectively. Profit after tax went down by 50.13% from N45.20 bn in HY'2020 to N22.54bn in the current period, despite a 69.95% decline in income tax expense. Consequently, Stanbic recorded a 54.18% decrease in earnings per share from N4.19 in HY'2020 to N1.92 in HY'2021. The company proposed an interim dividend of N1.00. Stanbic currently trades at N39.75.

#### Financial Highlights

Financials	HY-2021 (N' million)	HY-2020 (N' million)	% Change
Interest Income	44,229	55,130	-19.77%
Interest expense	-11,350	-17,581	-35.44%
Net interest Income	32,879	37,549	-12.44%
Fees and Commission Income	44,794	36,697	22.06%
Fees and Commission Expenses	-3,454	-1,644	110.10%
Trading Income	5,473	34,260	-84.03%
Other revenue	-904	483	-287.16%
Net impairment reversal	1,284	-6,404	120.05%
Operating expenses	-55,365	-48,535	14.07%
Profit Before Tax	24,707	52,406	-52.85%
Tax	-2,164	-7,202	-69.95%
Profit After Tax	22,543	45,204	-50.13%
Basic EPS	1.92	4.19	-54.18%

## Key Multiples/Ratios

☐ Book Value Per Share-	N26.74
☐ Net Profit Margin-	24.09%
☐ Return on Equity -	6.51%
☐ Return on Asset-	0.93%
☐ Price to earnings ratio-	10.35x
☐ Price to book value-	1.49x
☐ Total Loan to Total Deposit-	56.84%
<ul><li>Current Shares Outstanding-</li></ul>	12.96 billion

### **Corporate Action**

Proposed Interim Dividend N1.00

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