

Daily Market Report



Tuesday, August 26, 2025

The bulls are back in the market.....as the ASI is appreciated by 23bps today

The local bourse (NGX) closed the day on a bullish note as ASI advanced by **23bps** driven by price appreciation and increase buying interest in all sectoral tickers except **NGXINS**. As a result, the benchmark All Share Index (ASI) closed positively to settle at **141,761.36**.

Market Capitalization closed positively at **N89.68trillion**, as investors gained **N207.48billion**, and Year-to-date (YtD) gain increased to **37.73%**

What shaped today's market direction

The gains in today's market can majorly be attributed to price appreciation and increase buying interest in **GTCO (2.03%)**, **FCMB (2.75%)**, **ZENITHBANK (0.86%)** and **ACCESSCORP (0.18%)** offsetting losses in **WAPCO (-0.41%)**, **TRANSCORP (-0.31%)**, **ETI (-6.89%)** and **AIICO (-0.89%)** which kept the ASI in a positive terrain. Gains were recorded in large-cap, mid-cap, and small-cap stocks in **NGX30**, **NGXBNK**, **NGXCG**, **NGXINDUSTR**, **NGXOILGAS**. The market breadth measured by advancers/ decliners was negative closing at 0.81x, indicating more laggards than advancers. The top gainers include **NCR (10%)**, **SFSREIT (9.99%)**, **BERGER (9.06%)**, **BETAGLAS (8.16%)** and **CADBURY (8.04%)**

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At the close of today's trade **LEGENDINT (-10%)**, **NSLTECH (-9.26%)**, **CUTIX (-8.97%)**, **UACN (-8.69%)** and **DEAPCAP (-8.29%)** were among the **33** market laggards as **127** stocks traded today.

Market activity, measured by aggregate volume, increased by **2.60%**, with aggregate value appreciating by **14.88%**. Investors traded a total of **604.99mn** units of shares valued at **N12.89bn** in **28,694** deals.

The most active stocks by volume were **FCMB**, which traded **89.29mn** units, followed by **VERITASKAP** with **68.49mn** units, **AIICO** with **36.15mn** units, **NSLTECH** with **27.29mn**, and **MBENEFIT** with **23.51mn** units.

The most active stocks by value were **WAPCO**, which traded **N1.62bn** units, followed by **MTNN** with **N1.45bn**, **GTCO** with **N1.18bn**, **FCMB** with **N980.79mn**, and **ZENITHBANK** with **N608.95mn**.

SECTORAL PERFORMANCE

INDEX	CHANGE PRICE	CHANGE PERCENT %
NGX30	13.26	0.26
NGXBNK	11.45	0.73
NGXCG	27.49	0.67
NGXINDUSTR	4.26	0.09
NGXINS	-2.41	-0.18
NGXOILGAS	11.40	0.48

NGX Market Indices

All Share Index	141,761.36
Previous ASI	141,433.41
% Day Change	0.23%
% Weekly Change	0.54%
No. of Deals	28,694
Volume	604,997,211
Value	12,893,580,947.60
Market Cap	89,687,935,691,834.60
1 Month High	146,570.71
1 Month Low	140,332.44

NGX Top Gainers

Symbols	Daily	Price (₦)
NCR	1.05	11.55
SFSREIT	27.40	301.55
BERGER	2.90	34.90
BETAGLAS	36.65	486.00
CADBURY	4.65	62.50

NGX Top Losers

Symbols	Daily ▼	Price (₦)
LEGENDINT	-0.60	5.40
NSLTECH	-0.10	0.98
CUTIX	-0.35	3.55
UACN	-6.95	73.00
DEAPCAP	-0.15	1.66

NGX Top Volume

Symbols	Price (₦)	Volumes
FCMB	11.20	89,297,586
VERITASKAP	2.20	68,493,443
AIICO	4.43	36,152,907
NSLTECH	0.98	27,298,344
MBENEFIT	4.49	23,510,576

NGX Top Value

Symbols	Price (₦)	Values (₦)
WAPCO	134.00	1,629,499,228.05
MTNN	435.00	1,455,403,515.50
GTCO	98.00	1,180,164,022.80
FCMB	11.20	980,796,411.40
ZENITHBANK	70.60	608,955,155.70

CORPORATE ACTION

COMPANY	DIVIDEND/SHARE	QUALIFICATION DATE	PAYMENT DATE
Custodian Investment Plc	0.25	August 15, 2025	September 9, 2025,
PRESCO	20.00	November 7, 2025	November 21, 2025
SEPLAT	\$0.046	August 13, 2025	August 28, 2025
Ikeja Hotel	0.03	August 8, 2025	September 5, 2025
Africa Prudential PLC	0.10	August 8, 2025	August 18, 2025
Transcorp Power PLC	1.50	August 8, 2025	August 18, 2025
United Capital PLC	0.30	August 8, 2025	August 18, 2025
Unilever Nigeria PLC	0.50	August 8, 2025	August 22, 2025
Transcorp Hotels PLC	0.10	August 7, 2025	August 15, 2025
Okomu Oil	30.00	August 8, 2025	August 22, 2025

NASD Market

The NASD market closed positively after today's trading activities, as the Unlisted Securities Index (NSI) closed at **3,649.10**. Furthermore, Market Capitalization closed positively at **N 2,183.34 trillion**. Market activity measured by aggregate volume decreased to **4,554,360units** with values decreasing to **12,074,007.04** in **49** deals.

GLOBAL MARKET INDICES

MARKET	PREVIOUS CLOSE	TODAY'S CLOSE	%CHANGE
DJIA	45,418.88	45,268.94	0.33%
S&P 500	6,456.38	6,432.80	0.37%
FTSE 100 INDEX	9,321.40	9,266.38	0.59%
GERMAN DAX	24,247.97	24,209.42	0.16%
FRENCH CAC	9,230.34	9,043.73	2.02%
NIKKEI 225	42,807.82	42,394.40	0.97%
NGX (ASI)	141,433.41	141,761.36	0.23%

MACRO ECONOMIC INDICATORS

PARAMETER	CURRENT	PREVIOUS
GDP (%)	3.13	3.49
INFLATION (%)	21.88	22.22
UNEMPLOYMENT (%)	4.30	5.30
MPR (%)	27.50	27.50
BRENT CRUDE (US \$)	66.46	65.93

WORDS	MEANING
NASD	National Association of Securities Dealers
Bearish	Decline in prices, negative sentiments, downward trend
Bullish	Surge in prices, positive sentiments, upward trend
Y-o-Y	Year-on-Year
M-o-M	Month-on-Month
Y-t-d	Year-to-date
W-o-W	Week-on-week
BPS	Basis Points

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