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Executive Summary

Average price for the refilling of a 5kg cylinder for Liquefied Petroleum Gas (Cooking Gas) decreased by -1.56% month-on-month and decreased by -20.40% year-on-year to N2155.97 in February 2018 from N2,190.07 in January 2018.

States with the highest average price for the refilling of a 5kg cylinder for Liquefied Petroleum Gas (Cooking Gas) were Borno (N2500.00), Yobe (N2500.00), and Anambra (N2364.29). States with the lowest average price for the refilling of a 5kg cylinder for Liquefied Petroleum Gas (Cooking Gas) were Abuja (N1,820.00), Ebonyi (N1,860.00) and Ekiti (N1,950.00).

Similarly, average price for the refilling of a 12.5kg cylinder for Liquefied Petroleum Gas (Cooking Gas) increased by 0.12% month-on-month and decreased by -18.94% year-on-year to N4333.27 in February 2018 from N4,327.89 in January 2018.

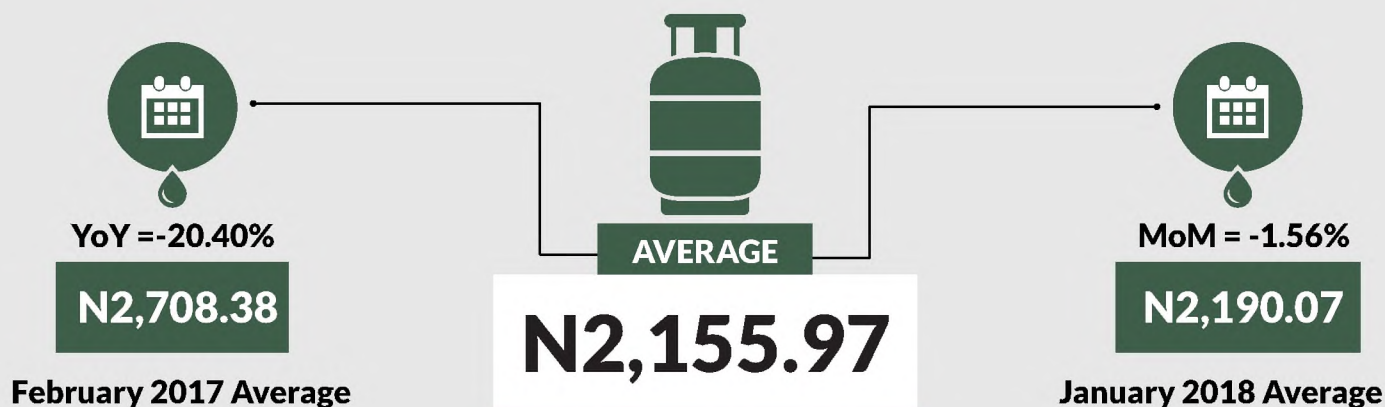
States with the highest average price for the refilling of a 12.5kg cylinder for Liquefied Petroleum Gas (Cooking Gas) were Akwa Ibom (N5,000.00), Benue (N5,000.00) and Kogi (N4,816.67).

States with the lowest average price for the refilling of a 12.5kg cylinder for Liquefied Petroleum Gas (Cooking Gas) were Oyo (N3871.05), Ogun (N3788.89) and Lagos (N3,727.78).

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Average Cooking Gas Prices Across States - 5KG Refilling



STATES WITH THE HIGHEST AVERAGE PRICES IN JANUARY 2018



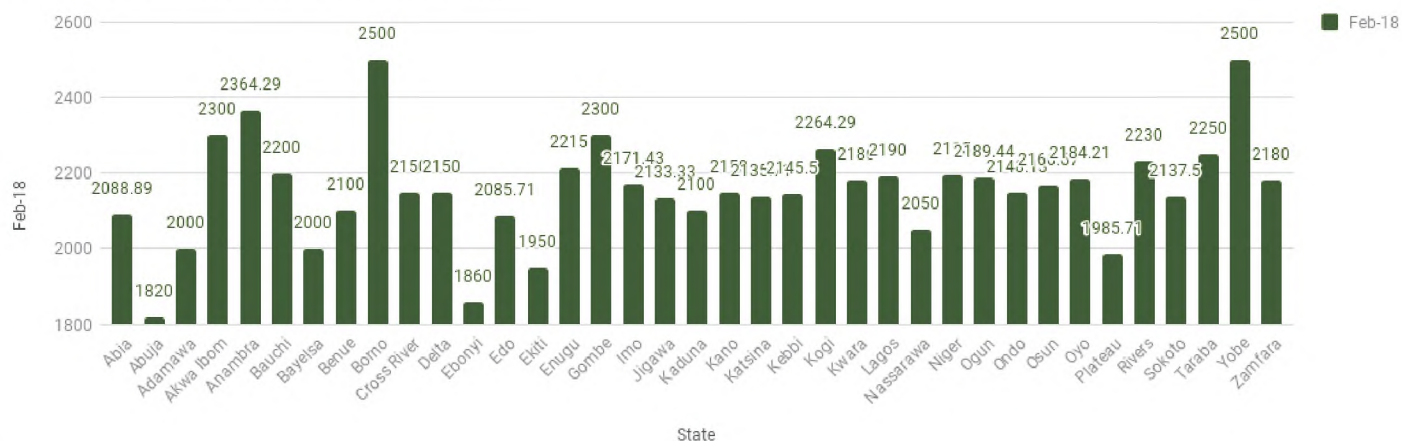
	Feb-18	YoY	MoM
BORNO	2500.00	-11.5	-7.0
YOBE	2500.00	-7.4	-0.5
ANAMBRA	2364.29	-15.6	-3.2

STATES WITH THE LOWEST AVERAGE PRICES IN JANUARY 2018



	Feb-18	YoY	MoM
EKITI	1950.00	-19.3	-5.6
EBONYI	1860.00	-35.4	-16.7
ABUJA	1820.00	-34.5	-11.7

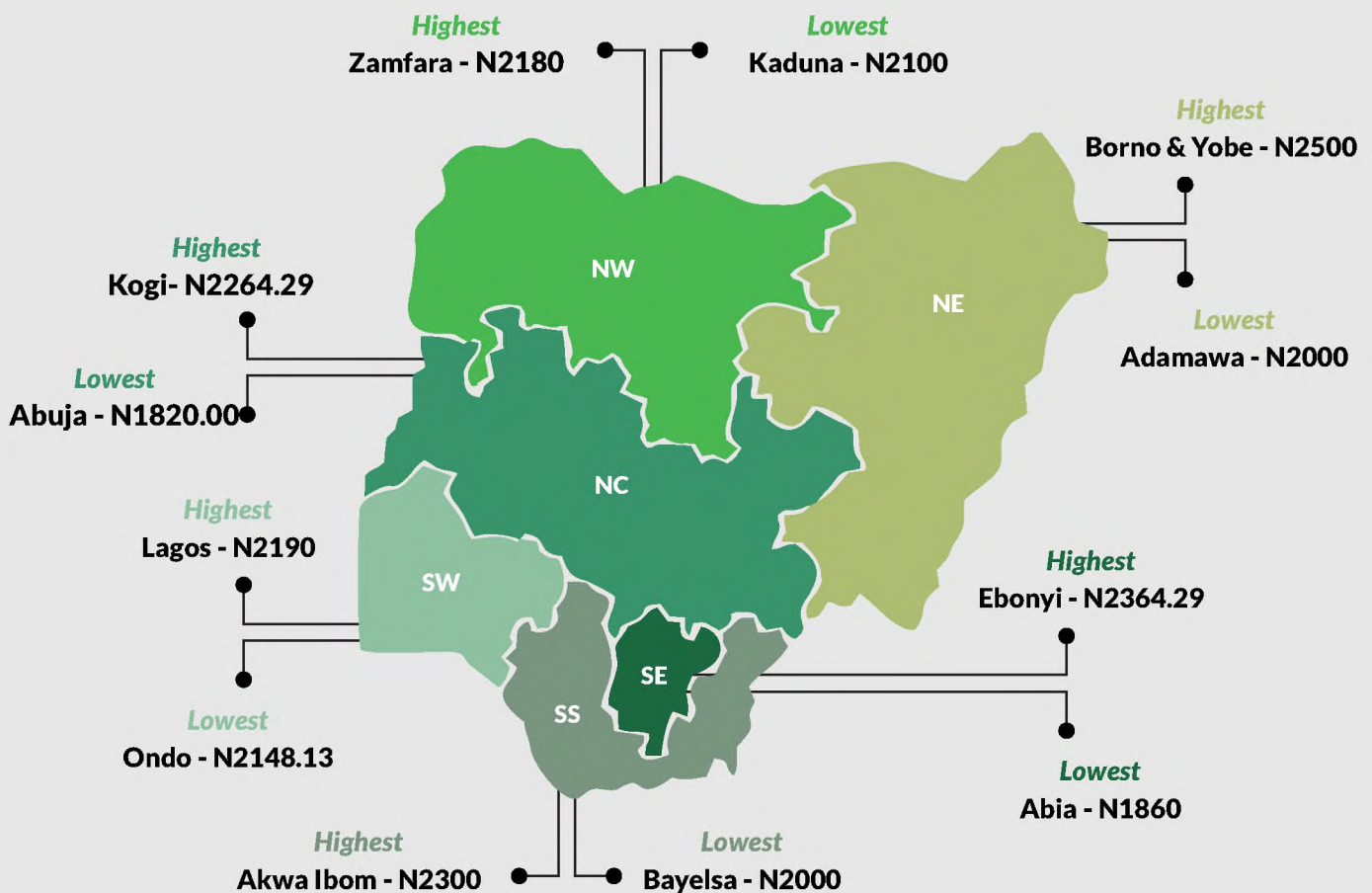
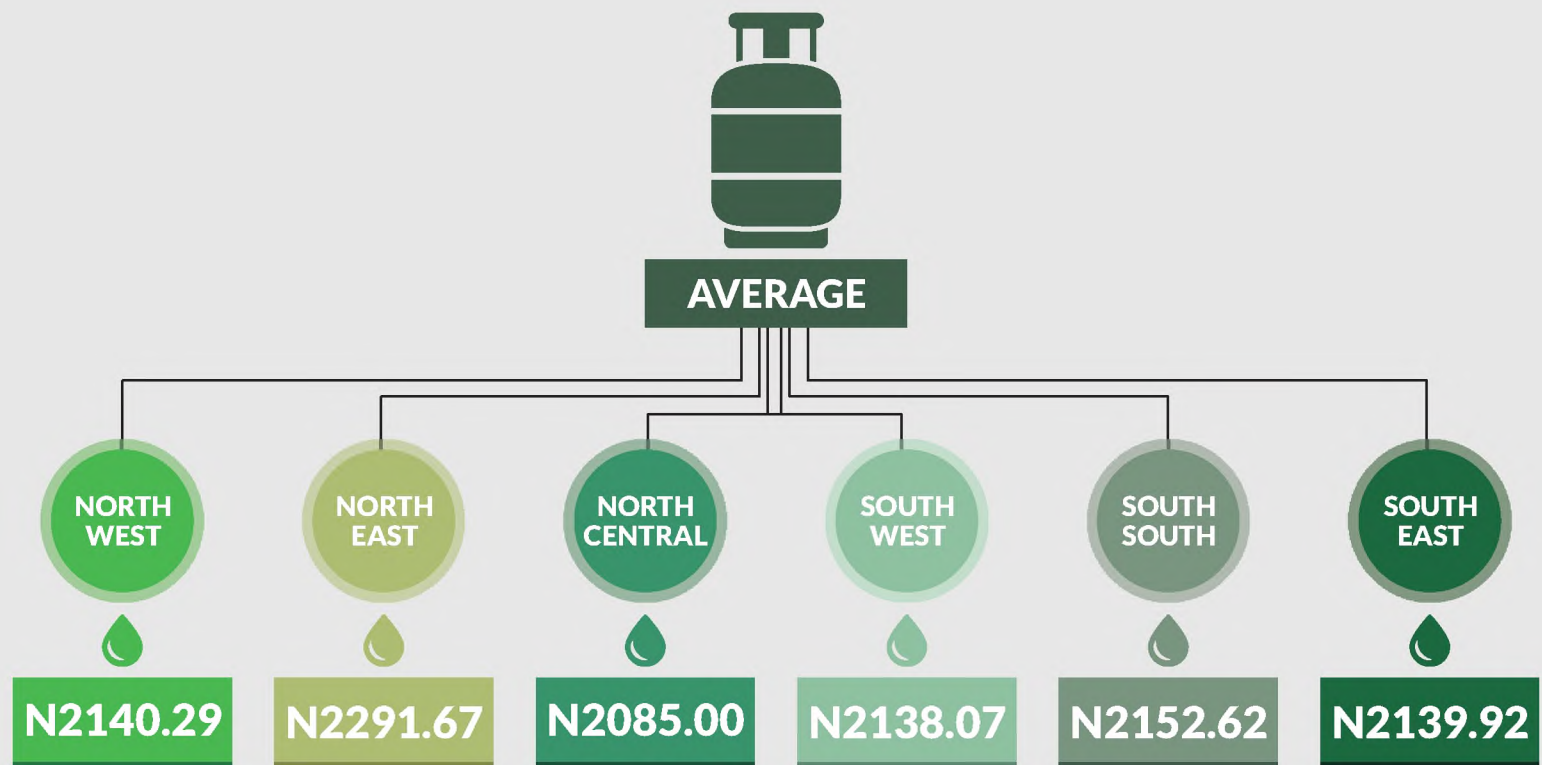
Average LPG Prices Across States - 5KG



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Average Cooking Gas Prices Across Zones – 5KG Refilling



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12 Months Average Prices - 5KG Refilling

March 2017	
Average	2493.59
YoY	35.57
MoM	-7.93

April 2017	
Average	2428.38
YoY	30.35
MoM	-2.61

May 2017	
Average	2446.57
YoY	31.96
MoM	0.75

June 2017	
Average	2215.96
YoY	12.91
MoM	-9.43

February 2017	
Average	2708.38
YoY	45.59
MoM	5.48



July 2017	
Average	2226.21
YoY	7.49
MoM	0.46

January 2018	
Average	2190.07
YoY	-14.70
MoM	-3.82

February 2018	
Average	2155.97
YoY	-20.40
MoM	-1.56

August 2017	
Average	1990.71
YoY	3.25
MoM	-10.58

December 2017	
Average	2276.96
YoY	13.72
MoM	-4.24

November 2017	
Average	2377.81
YoY	21.16
MoM	0.16

October 2017	
Average	2374.07
YoY	14.86
MoM	24.20

September 2017	
Average	1911.44
YoY	-1.40
MoM	-3.98

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Average Cooking Gas Prices Across States - 12.5KG Refilling



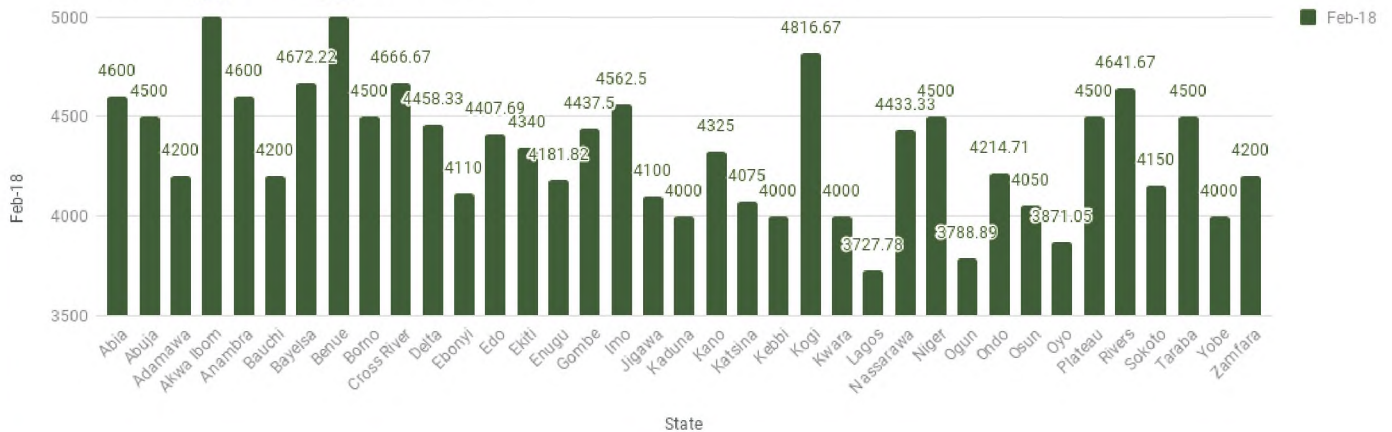
STATES WITH THE HIGHEST AVERAGE PRICES IN FEBRUARY 2018

	Feb-18	YoY	MoM
AKWA IBOM	5000.00	-16.7	4.3
BENUE	5000.00	-9.1	11.1
KOGI	4816.67	-3.7	0.8

STATES WITH THE LOWEST AVERAGE PRICES IN FEBRUARY 2018

	Feb-18	YoY	MoM
OYO	3871.05	-10.4	3.2
OGUN	3788.89	-20.7	-5.3
LAGOS	3727.78	-22.3	2.0

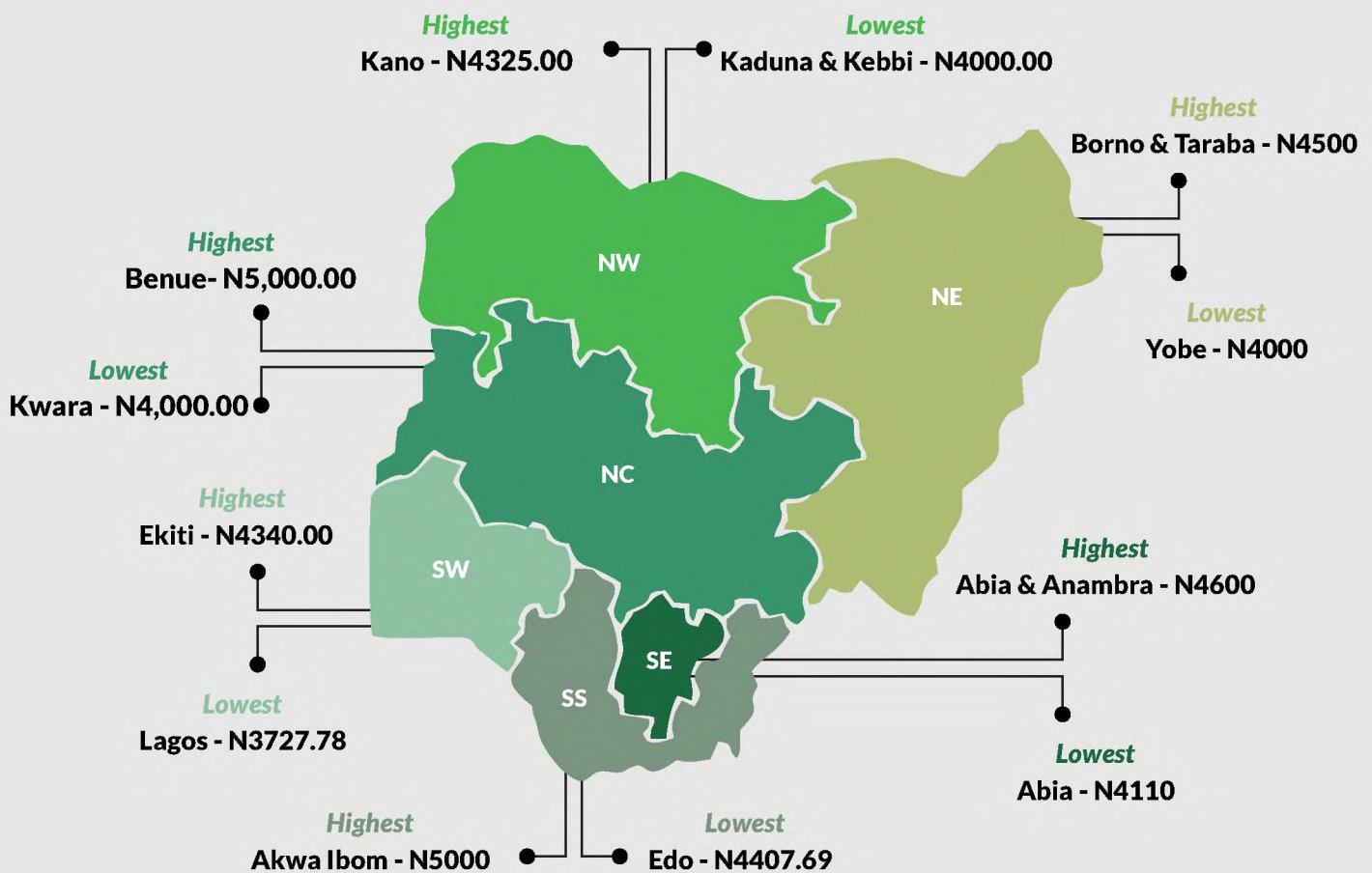
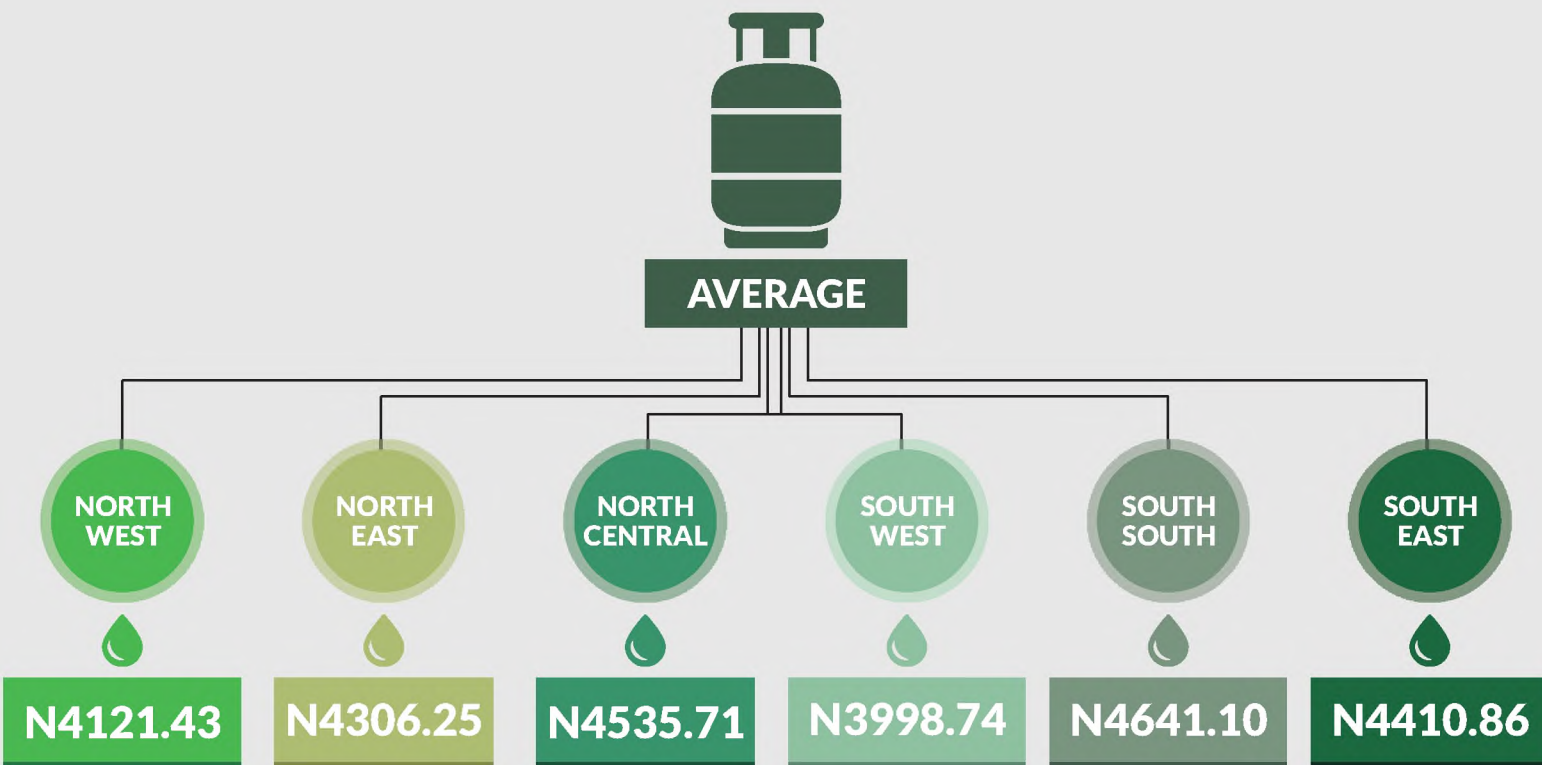
Average LPG Prices Across States - 12.5KG



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Average Cooking Gas Prices Across Zones – 12.5KG Refilling



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12 Months Average Prices - 12.5KG Refilling

March 2017	
Average	4923.47
YoY	33.27
MoM	-7.90

April 2017	
Average	4830.22
YoY	28.93
MoM	-1.89

May 2017	
Average	4957.88
YoY	33.11
MoM	2.64

June 2017	
Average	4474.91
YoY	9.37
MoM	-9.74

February 2017	
Average	5345.87
YoY	45.49
MoM	-2.95



July 2017	
Average	4374.16
YoY	0.36
MoM	-2.25

January 2018	
Average	4327.89
YoY	-21.43
MoM	1.53

February 2018	
Average	4333.27
YoY	-18.94
MoM	0.12

August 2017	
Average	4042.85
YoY	1.63
MoM	-7.57

December 2017	
Average	4262.72
YoY	4.69
MoM	-6.16

November 2017	
Average	4542.30
YoY	13.10
MoM	-0.41

October 2017	
Average	4561.14
YoY	2.84
MoM	15.83

September 2017	
Average	3937.71
YoY	-3.40
MoM	-2.60

Methodology

Field work is done solely by over 700 NBS Staff in all States of the federation supported by supervisors who are monitored by internal and external observers.

Fuel Prices are collected across all the 774 local governments across all States and the FCT from over 10,000 respondents and locations and reflect actual prices households state they actually bought those fuels together with the prices reportedly sold by the fuel suppliers.

The average of all these prices is then reported for each state and the average for the country is the average for the state.

NBS audit team subsequently conducts randomly selected verification of prices recorded.

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