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Liquefied Petroleum Gas (Cooking Gas) Price Watch

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Executive Summary

Average price for the refilling of a 5kg cylinder for Liquefied Petroleum Gas (Cooking Gas) decreased by -1.20% month-on-month and -9.69% year-on-year to N2,010.45 in July 2018 from N2,034.93 in June 2018.

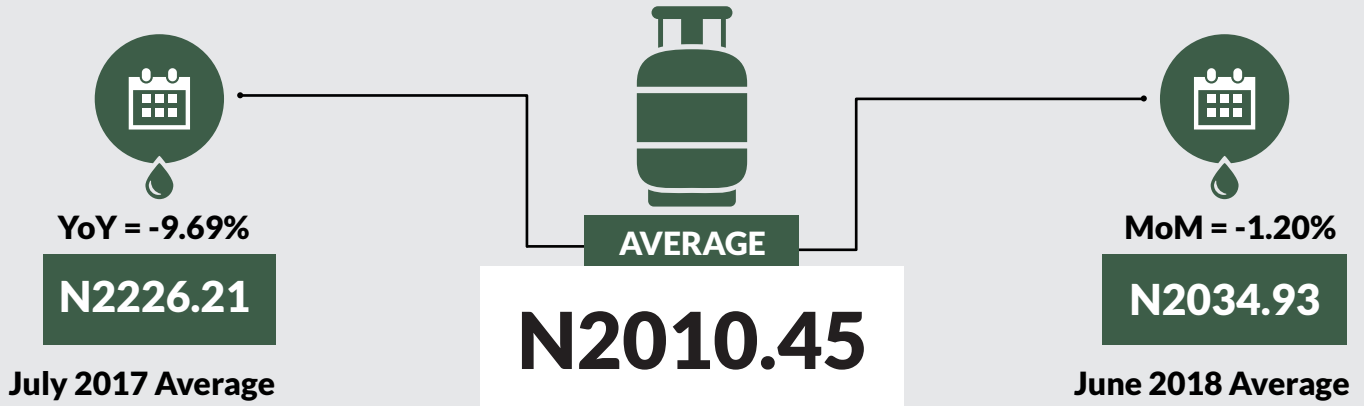
States with the highest average price for the refilling of a 5kg cylinder for Liquefied Petroleum Gas (Cooking Gas) were Bauchi (N2,500.00), Borno (N2,401.43) and Gombe (N2,314.29). States with the lowest average price for the refilling of a 5kg cylinder for Liquefied Petroleum Gas (Cooking Gas) were Edo (N1,731.25), Abuja (N1,730.00) and Ebonyi (N1,700.00).

Similarly, average price for the refilling of a 12.5kg cylinder for Liquefied Petroleum Gas (Cooking Gas) decreased by -0.81% month-on-month and -2.97% year-on-year to N4,244.35 in July 2018 from N4,278.95 in June 2018.

States with the highest average price for the refilling of a 12.5kg cylinder for Liquefied Petroleum Gas (Cooking Gas) were Benue (N4,775.00), Kaduna (N4,716.67) and Akwa Ibom (N4,660.00). States with the lowest average price for the refilling of a 12.5kg cylinder for Liquefied Petroleum Gas (Cooking Gas) were Oyo (N3,855.63), Ogun (N3,849.09) and Lagos (N3,615.38).



Average Cooking Gas Prices Across States - 5KG Refilling



STATES WITH THE HIGHEST AVERAGE PRICES IN JULY 2018

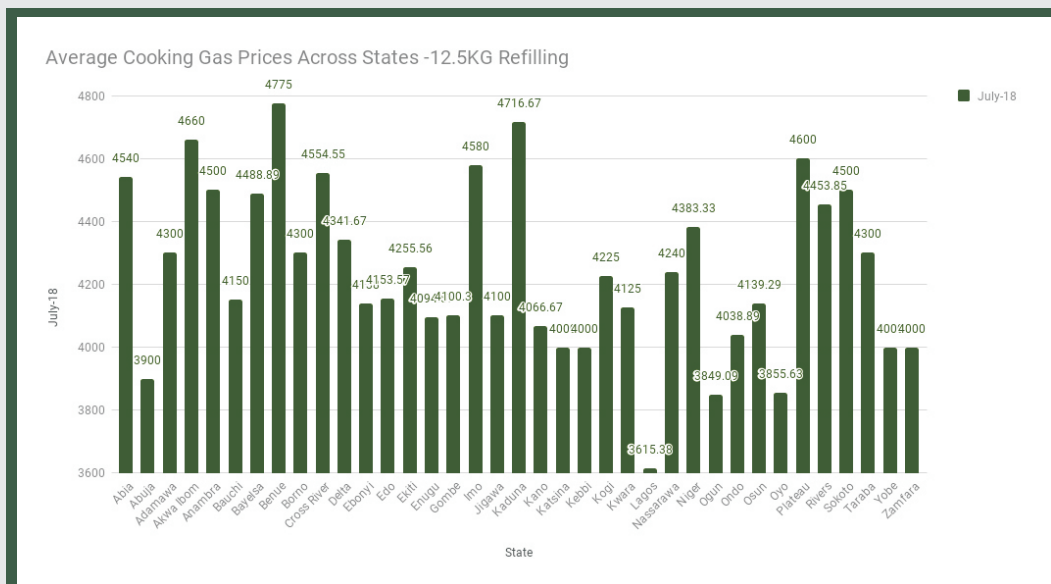


	Jul-18	YoY	MoM
BAUCHI	2500.00	4.2	0.0
BORNO	2401.43	8.5	-2.6
GOMBE	2314.29	0.6	-2.0

STATES WITH THE LOWEST AVERAGE PRICES IN JULY 2018



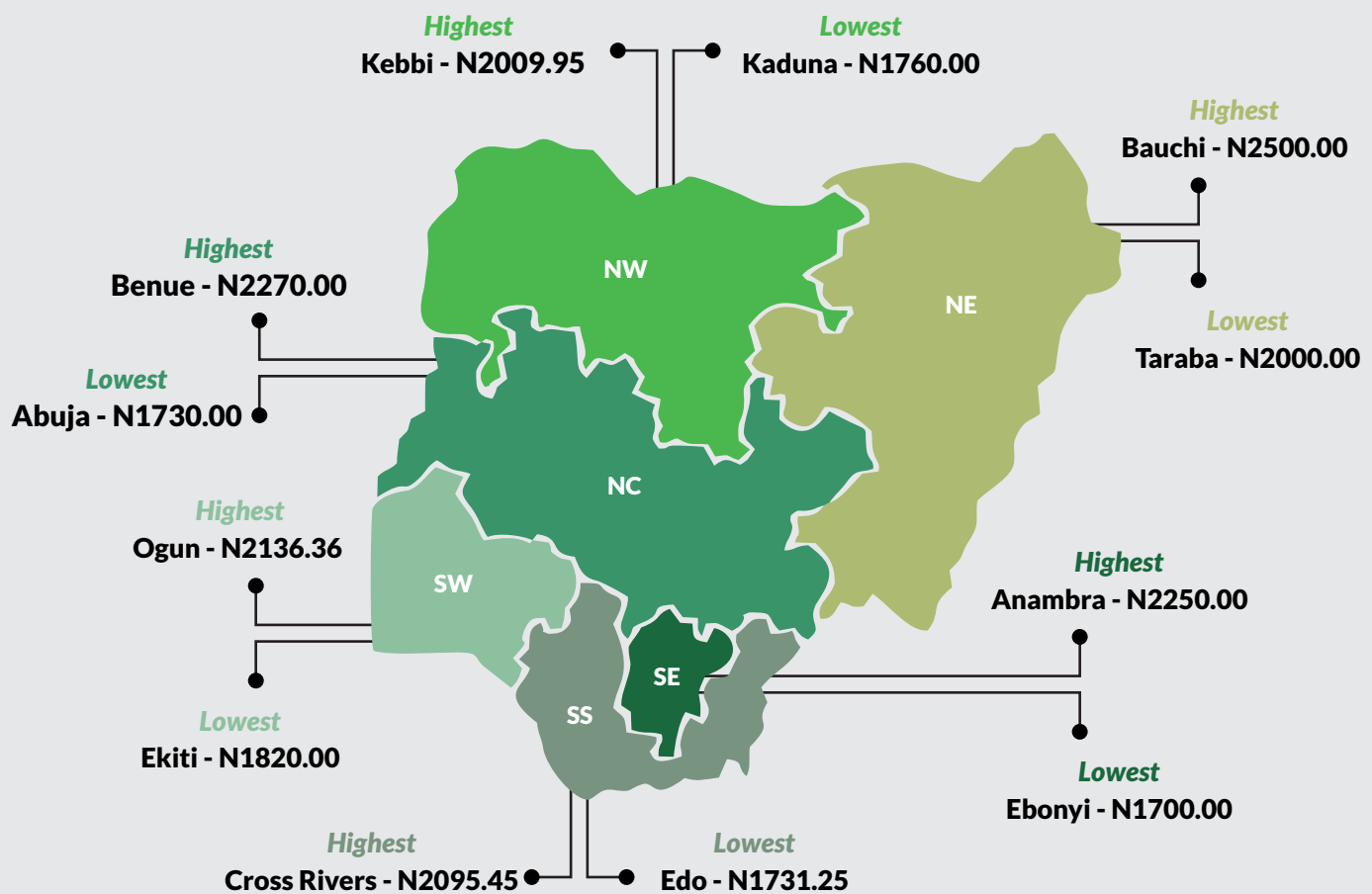
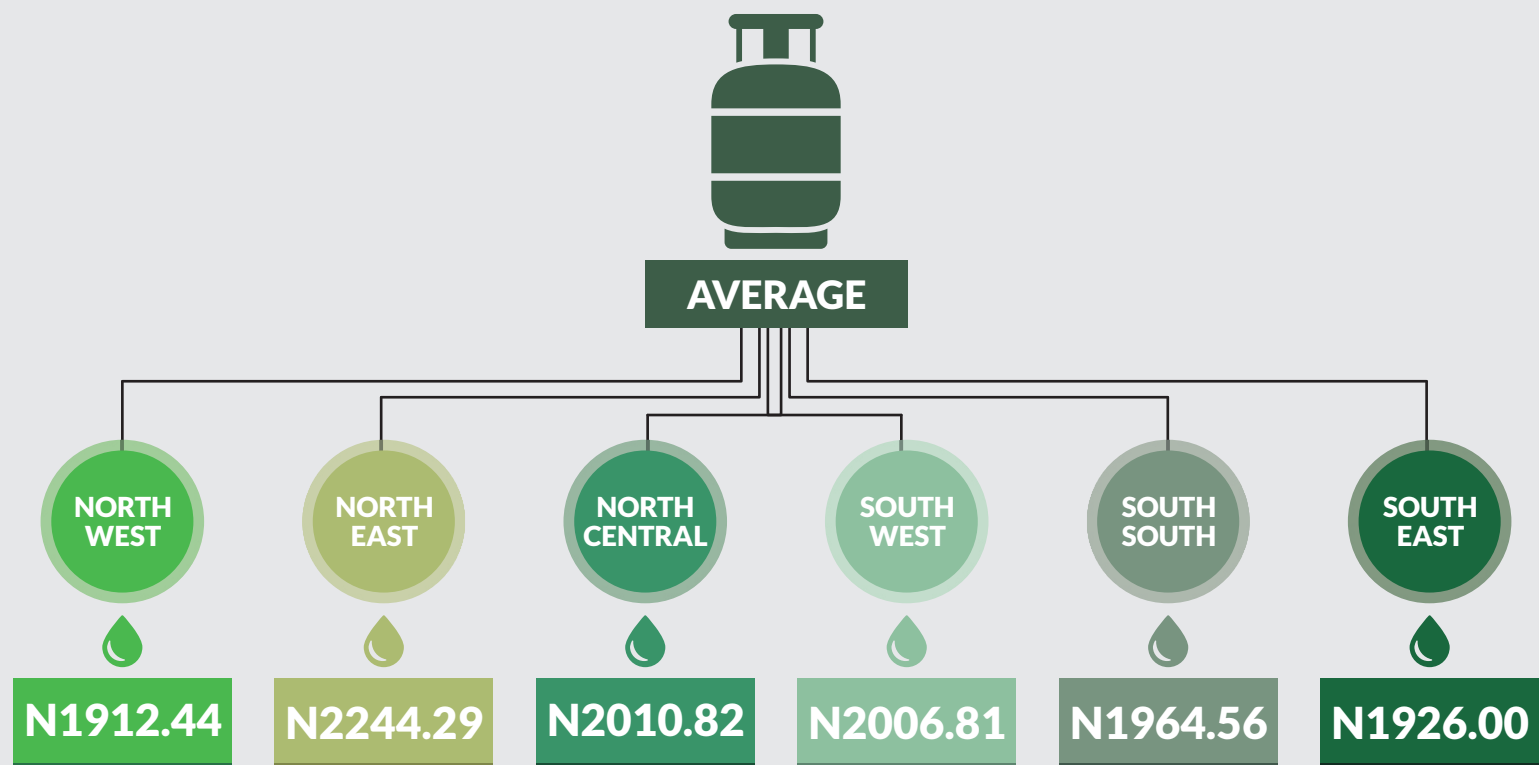
	Jul-18	YoY	MoM
EDO	1731.25	-23.5	-3.5
ABUJA	1730.00	-19.5	-3.4
EBONYI	1700.00	-23.6	0.0



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Average Cooking Gas Prices Across Zones – 5KG Refilling



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12 Months Average Prices- 5KG Refilling

August 17	
Average	1990.71
YoY	3.25
MoM	-10.58

September 17	
Average	1911.44
YoY	-1.40
MoM	-3.98

October 17	
Average	2374.07
YoY	14.86
MoM	24.20

November 17	
Average	2377.81
YoY	21.16
MoM	0.16

July 17	
Average	2226.21
YoY	7.49
MoM	0.46



December 17	
Average	2276.96
YoY	13.72
MoM	-4.24

June 18	
Average	2034.93
YoY	-8.17
MoM	-1.80

July 18	
Average	2010.45
YoY	-9.69
MoM	-1.20

January 18	
Average	2190.07
YoY	-14.70
MoM	-3.82

May 18	
Average	2072.24
YoY	-15.30
MoM	0.68

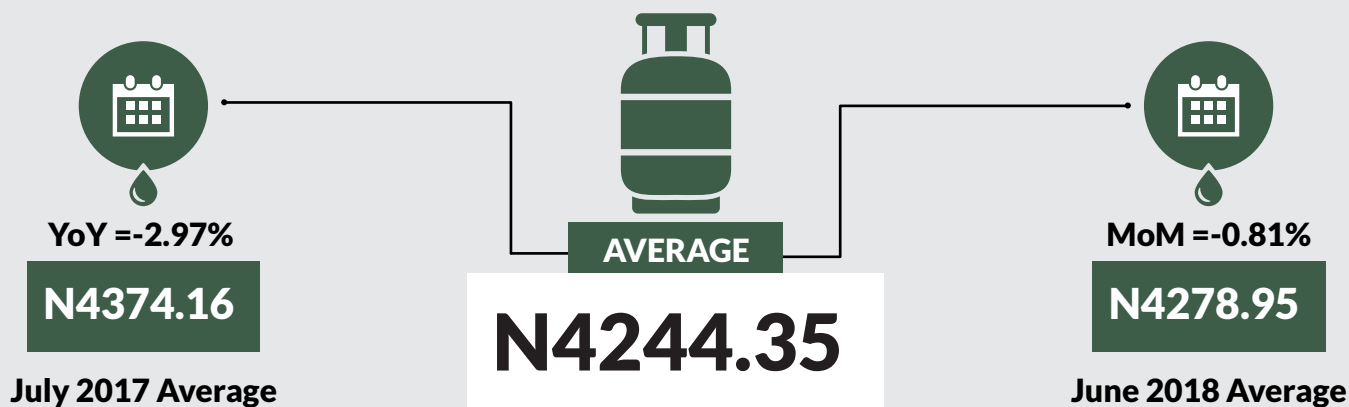
April 18	
Average	2058.19
YoY	-15.24
MoM	-1.55

March 18	
Average	2090.64
YoY	-16.16
MoM	-3.03

February 18	
Average	2155.97
YoY	-20.40
MoM	-1.56



Average Cooking Gas Prices Across States - 12.5KG Refilling



STATES WITH THE HIGHEST AVERAGE PRICES IN JULY 2018

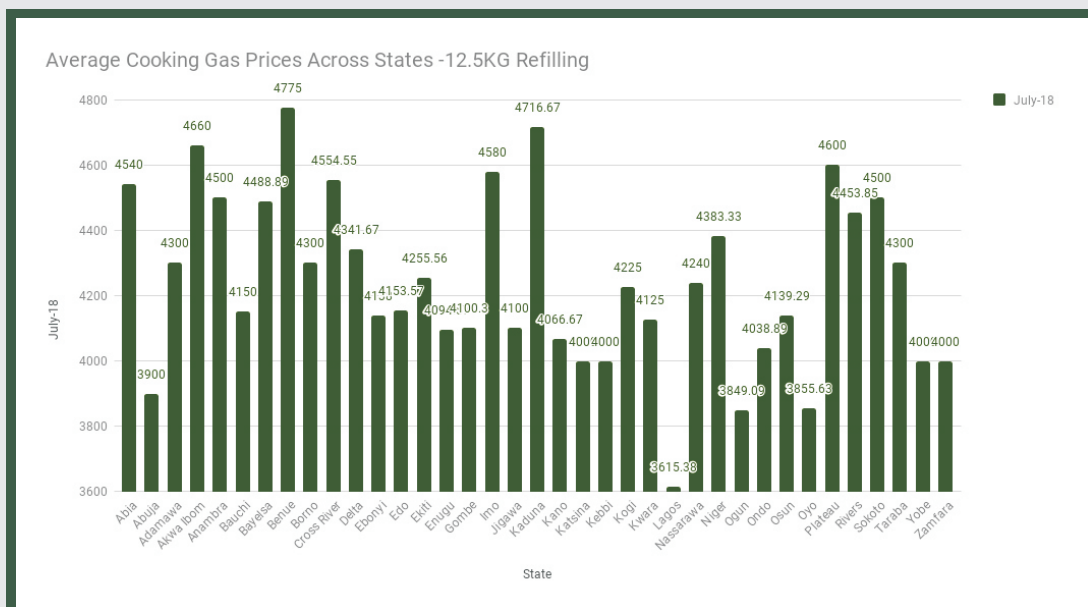


	Jul-18	YoY	MoM
BENUE	4775.00	0.5	-2.6
KADUNA	4716.67	9.3	-0.7
AKWA IBOM	4660.00	-3.6	1.3

STATES WITH THE LOWEST AVERAGE PRICES IN JULY 2018



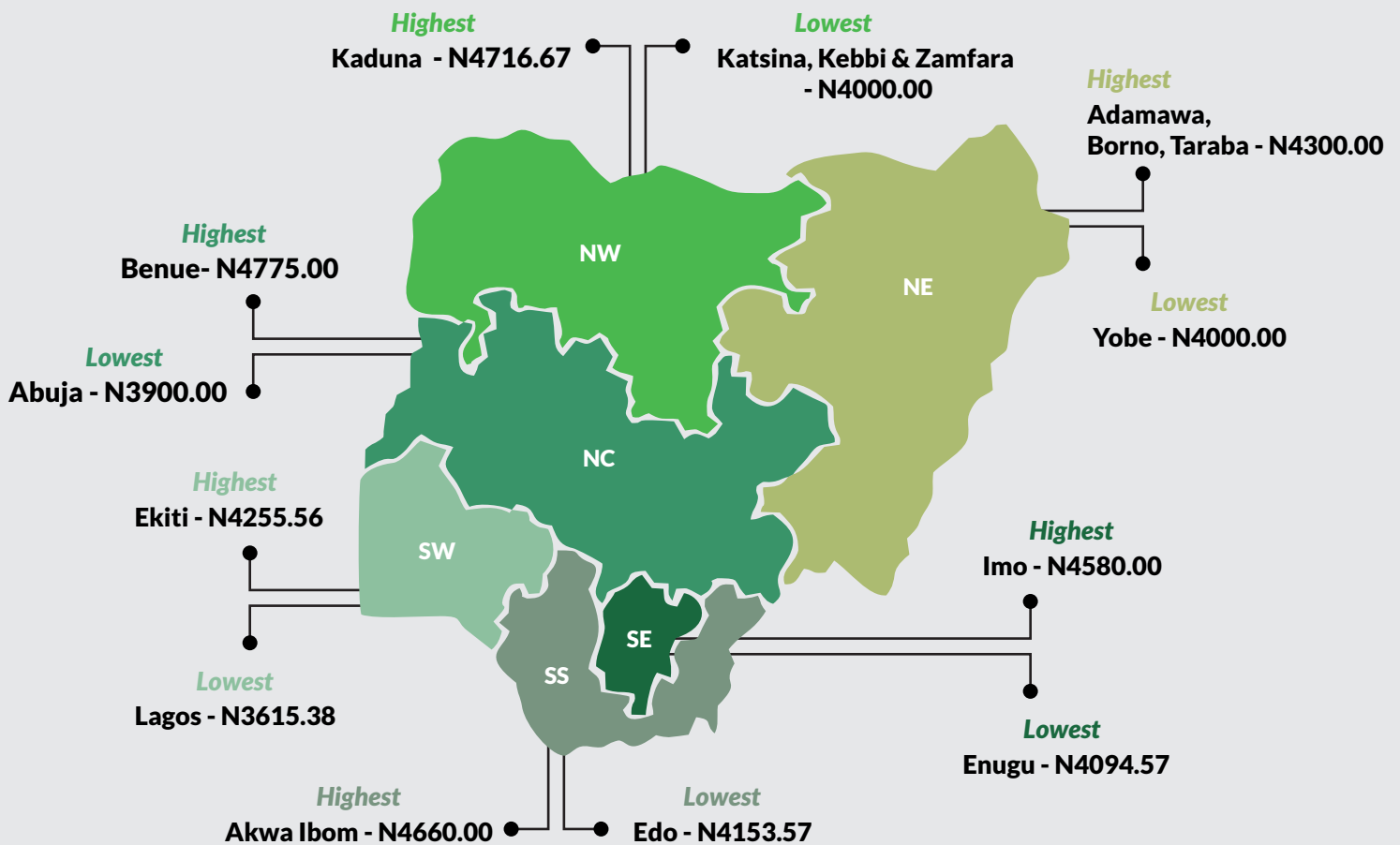
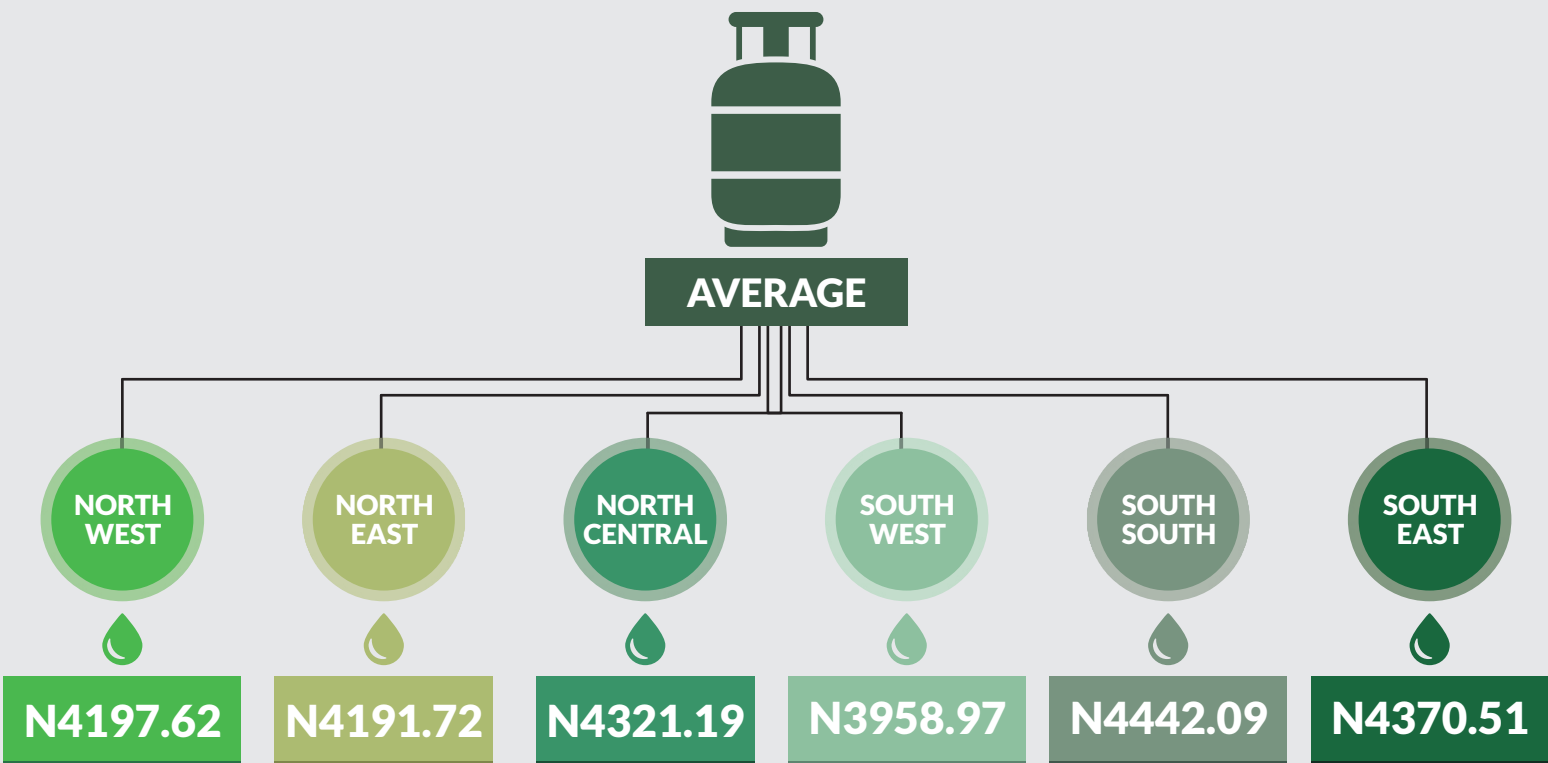
	Jul-18	YoY	MoM
OYO	3855.63	-1.5	0.6
OGUN	3849.09	-3.3	1.1
LAGOS	3615.38	-7.2	0.1



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Average Cooking Gas Prices Across Zones - 12.5KG Refilling



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12 Months Average Prices- 12.5KG Refilling

August 17	
Average	4042.85
YoY	1.63
MoM	-7.57

September 17	
Average	3937.71
YoY	-3.40
MoM	-2.60

October 17	
Average	4561.14
YoY	2.84
MoM	15.83

November 17	
Average	4542.30
YoY	13.10
MoM	-0.41

July 17	
Average	4374.16
YoY	0.36
MoM	-2.25



December 17	
Average	4262.72
YoY	4.69
MoM	-6.16

June 18	
Average	4278.95
YoY	-4.38
MoM	-0.46

July 18	
Average	4244.35
YoY	-2.97
MoM	-0.81

January 18	
Average	4327.89
YoY	-21.43
MoM	1.53

May 18	
Average	4298.72
YoY	-13.30
MoM	0.70

April 18	
Average	4268.95
YoY	-11.62
MoM	0.36

March 18	
Average	4253.73
YoY	-13.60
MoM	-1.84

February 18	
Average	4333.27
YoY	-18.94
MoM	0.12

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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