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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 -0.63% month-on-month and -6.86% year-on-year to N2,039.82 in January 2019 from N2,052.79 in December 2018.

States with the highest average price for the refilling of a 5kg cylinder for Liquefied Petroleum Gas (Cooking Gas) were Bauchi (N2,540.00), Adamawa & Cross River (N2,350.00) and Borno (N2,325.00).

States with the lowest average price for the refilling of a 5kg cylinder for Liquefied Petroleum Gas (Cooking Gas) were Osun (N1,703.57), Ogun (N1,700.00) and Enugu (N1,672.22).

Similarly, average price for the refilling of a 12.5kg cylinder for Liquefied Petroleum Gas (Cooking Gas) decreased by -1.25% month-on-month and -1.16% year-on-year to N4,277.86 in January 2019 from N4,332.06 in December 2018.

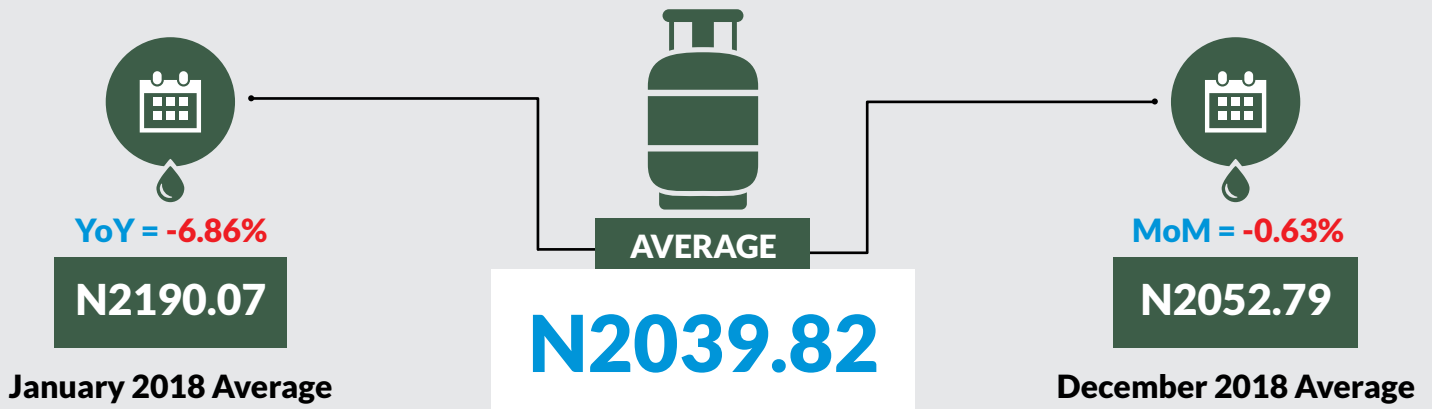
States with the highest average price for the refilling of a 12.5kg cylinder for Liquefied Petroleum Gas (Cooking Gas) were Akwa Ibom (N4,850.00), Abia (N4,761.54) and Delta (N4,757.14).

States with the lowest average price for the refilling of a 12.5kg cylinder for Liquefied Petroleum Gas (Cooking Gas) were Oyo (N3,945.00), Lagos (N3,876.00) and Kano (N3,866.67)

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Average Cooking Gas Prices Across States – 5KG Refilling



STATES WITH THE HIGHEST AVERAGE PRICES IN JANUARY 2019



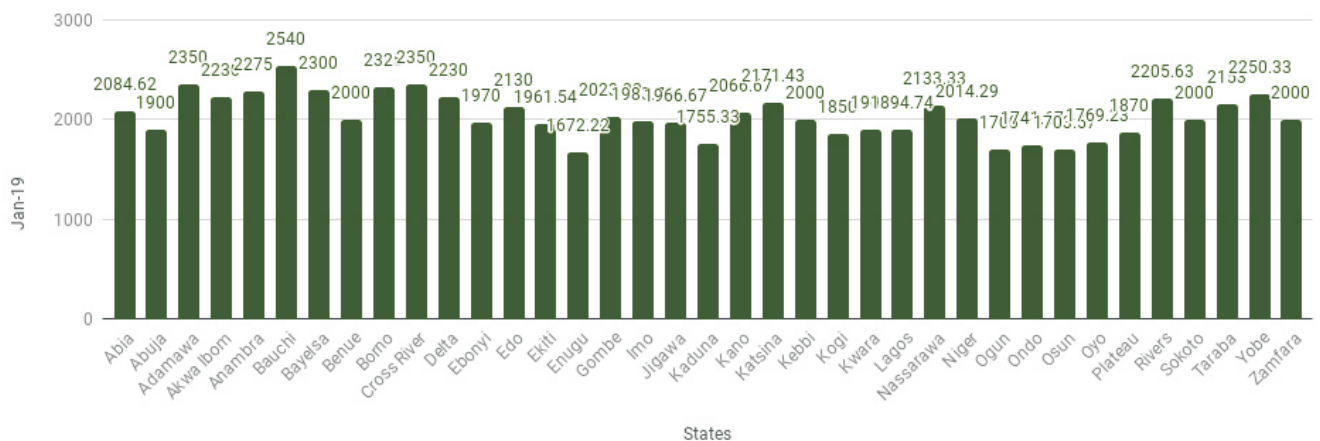
	Jan-18	YoY	MoM
BAUCHI	2540.00	12.9	1.6
ADAMAWA	2350.00	17.5	3.3
CROSS RIVER	2350.00	9.6	2.2

STATES WITH THE LOWEST AVERAGE PRICES IN JANUARY 2019



	Jan-18	YoY	MoM
ENUGU	1672.22	-21.0	-4.4
OGUN	1700.00	-20.9	-3.9
OSUN	1703.57	-22.6	-5.5

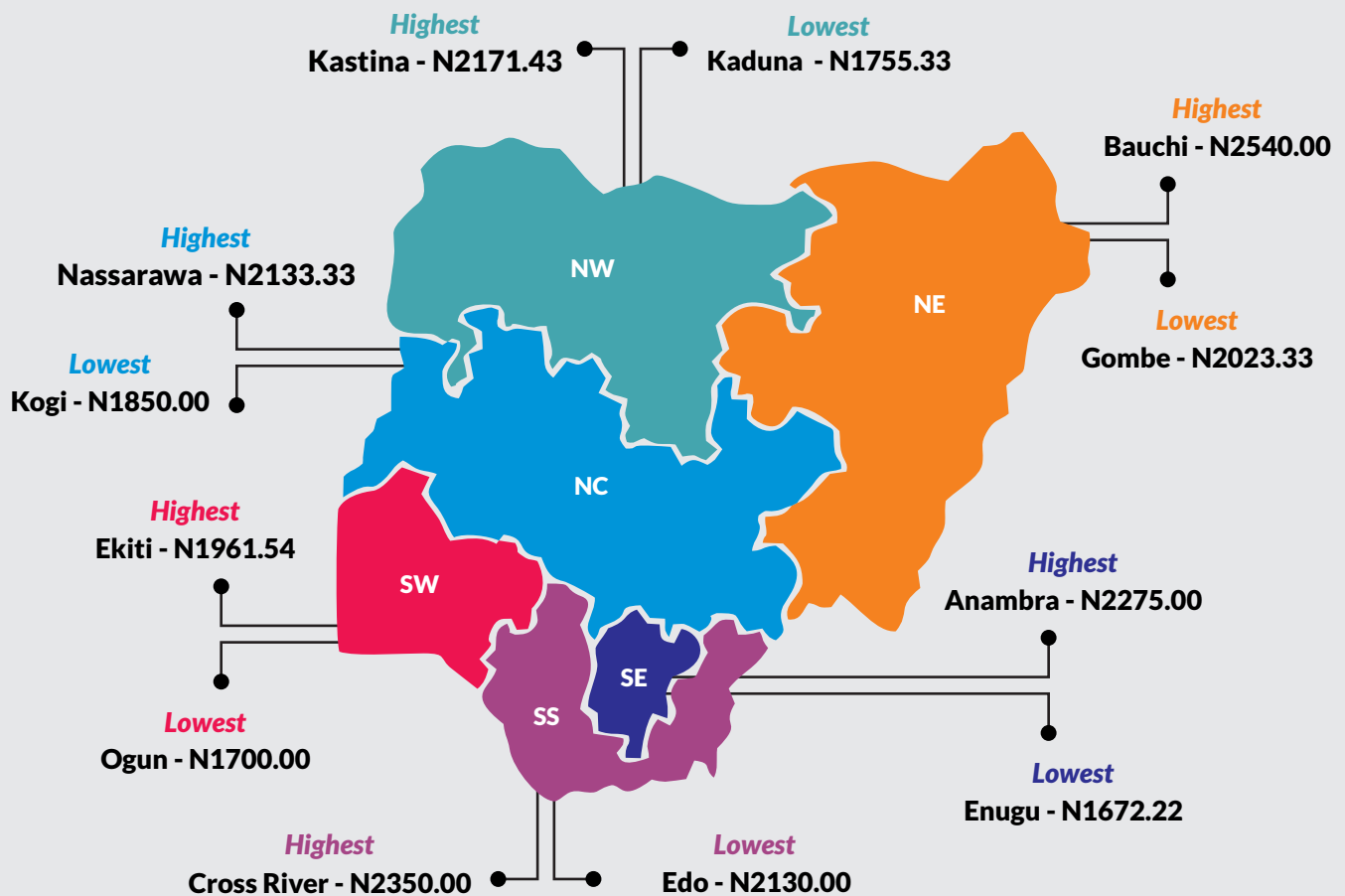
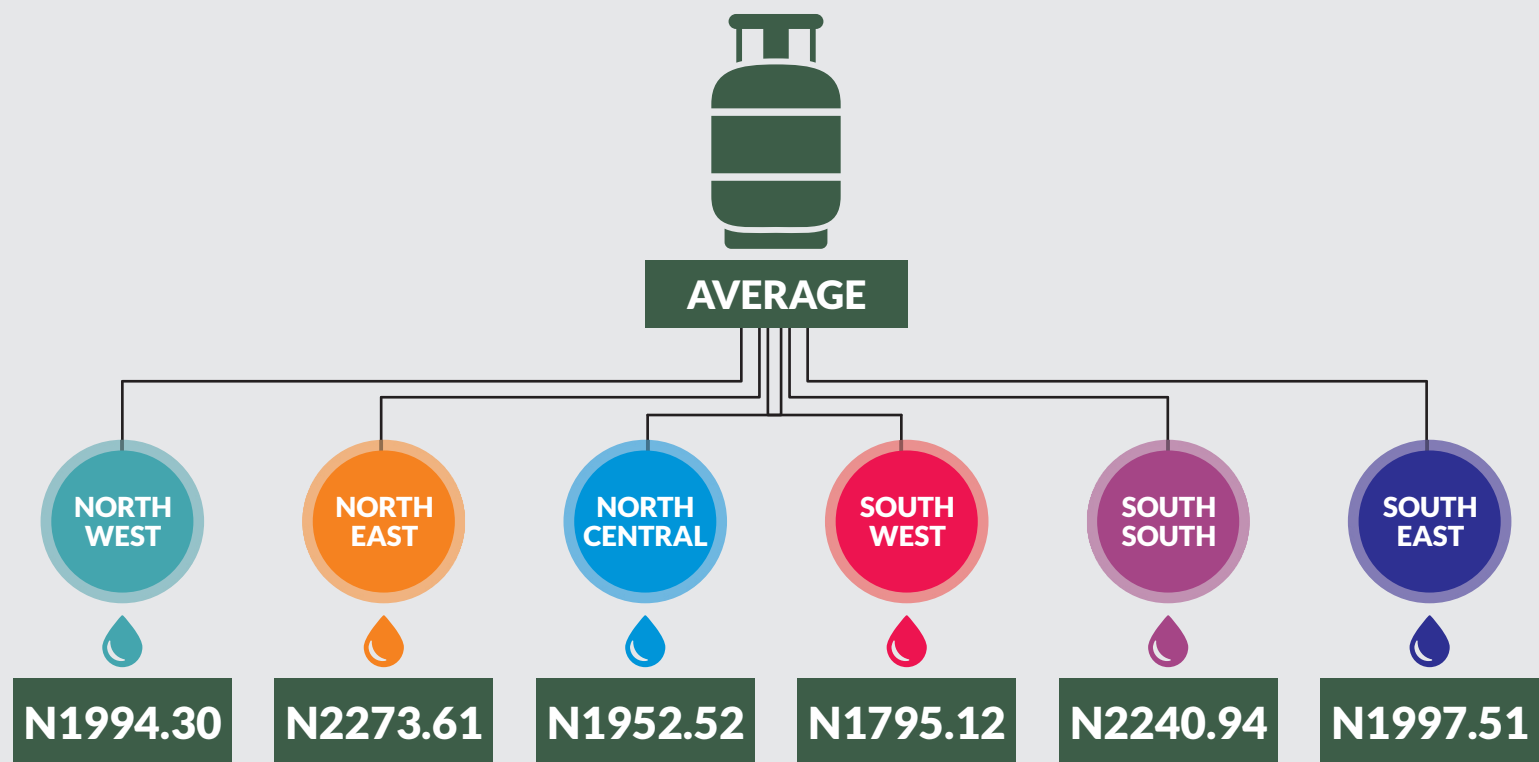
Average Cooking Gas Prices Across States – 5KG Refilling



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Average Cooking Gas Prices Across Zones – 5KG Refilling



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12 Months Average Prices- 5KG Refilling

February 2018	
Average	2155.97
YoY	-20.40
MoM	-1.56

March 2018	
Average	2090.64
YoY	-16.16
MoM	-3.03

April 2018	
Average	2058.19
YoY	-15.24
MoM	-1.55

May 2018	
Average	2072.24
YoY	-15.30
MoM	0.68

January 2018	
Average	2190.07
YoY	-14.70
MoM	-3.82



June 2018	
Average	2034.93
YoY	-8.17
MoM	-1.80

December 2018	
Average	2052.79
YoY	-9.84
MoM	-1.53

January 2019	
Average	2039.82
YoY	-6.86
MoM	-0.63

July 2018	
Average	2010.45
YoY	-9.69
MoM	-1.20

November 2018	
Average	2084.74
YoY	-12.33
MoM	-2.82

October 2018	
Average	2145.30
YoY	-9.64
MoM	1.79

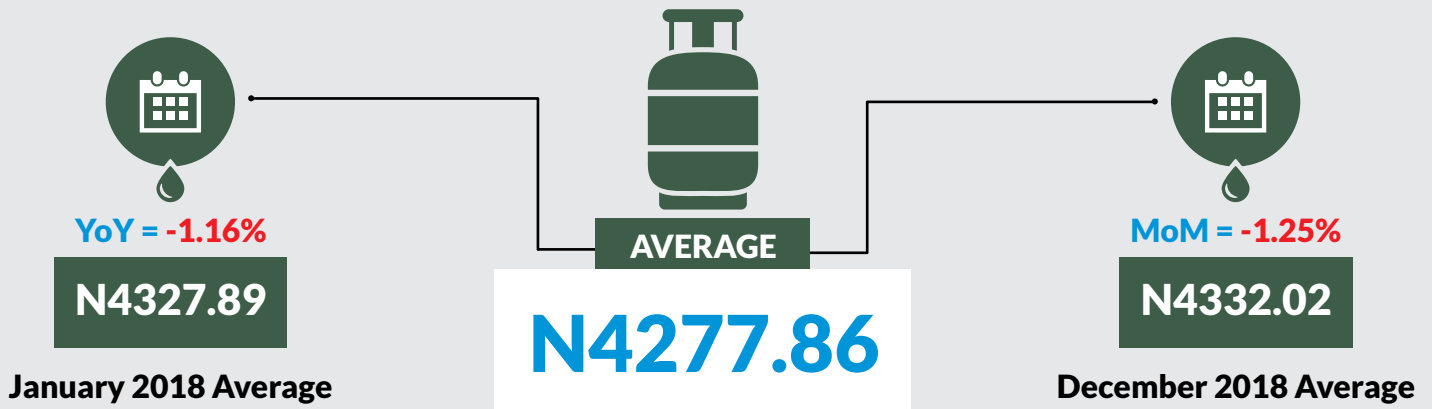
September 2018	
Average	2107.48
YoY	10.26
MoM	2.60

August 2018	
Average	2054.14
YoY	3.19
MoM	2.17

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Average Cooking Gas Prices Across States – 12.5KG Refilling



STATES WITH THE HIGHEST AVERAGE PRICES IN JANUARY 2019

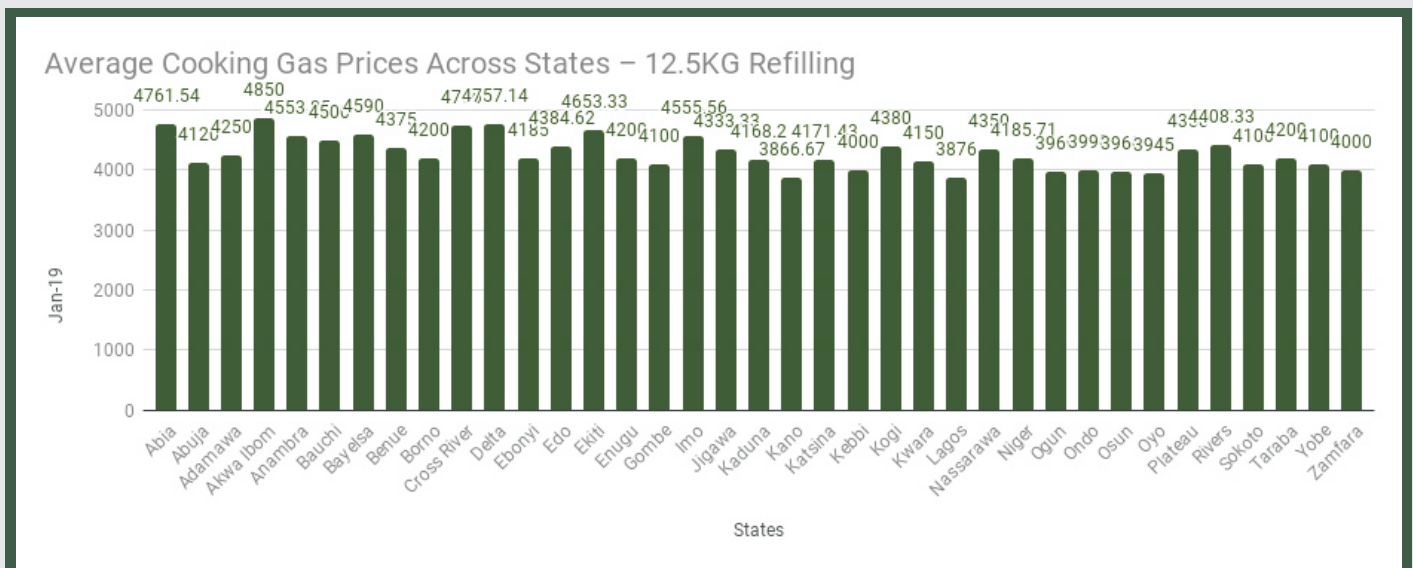


	Jan-18	YoY	MoM
AKWA IBOM	4850.00	1.2	1.7
ABIA	4761.54	9.2	0.4
DELTA	4757.14	7.8	-0.2

STATES WITH THE LOWEST AVERAGE PRICES IN JANUARY 2019



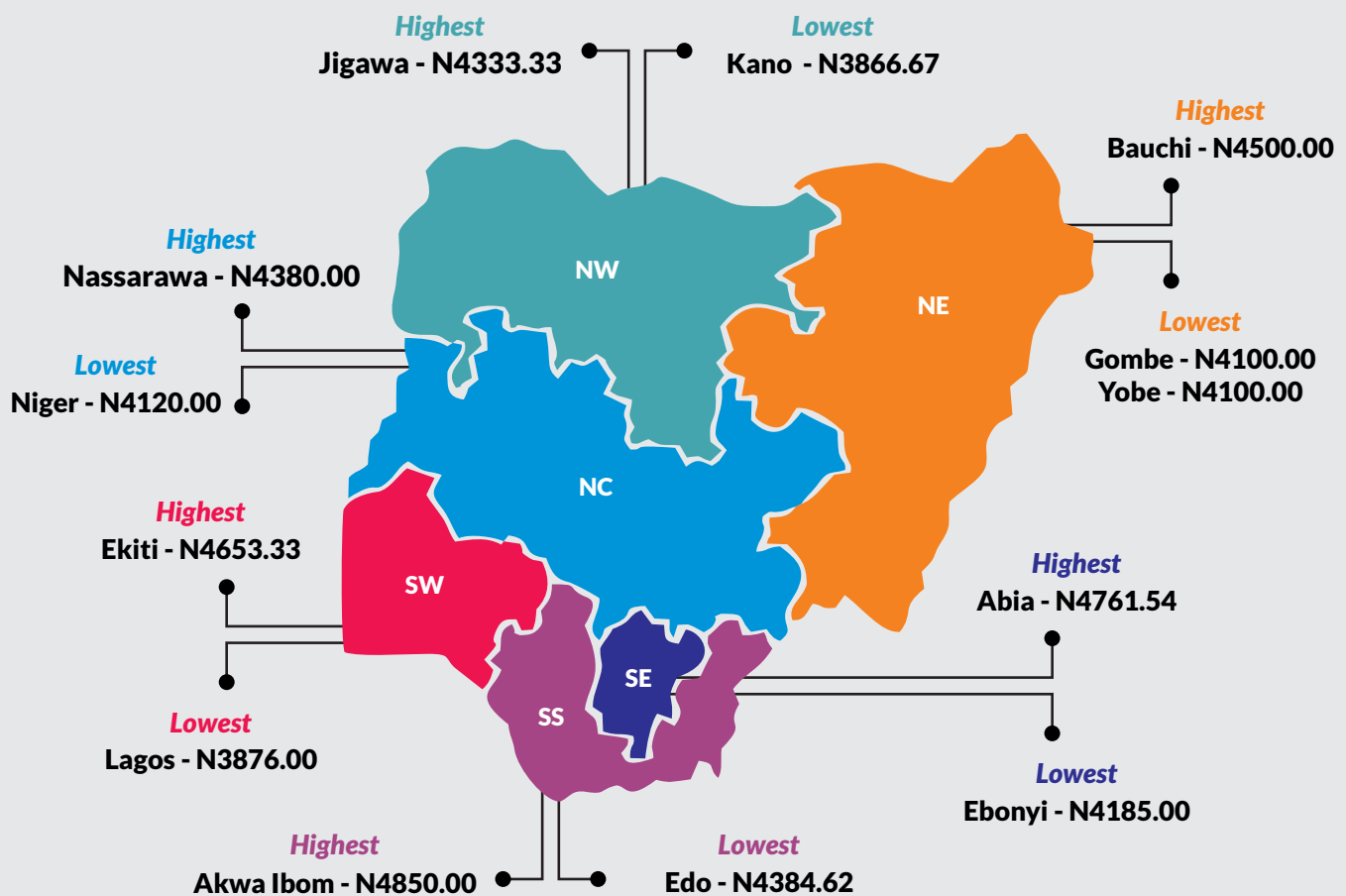
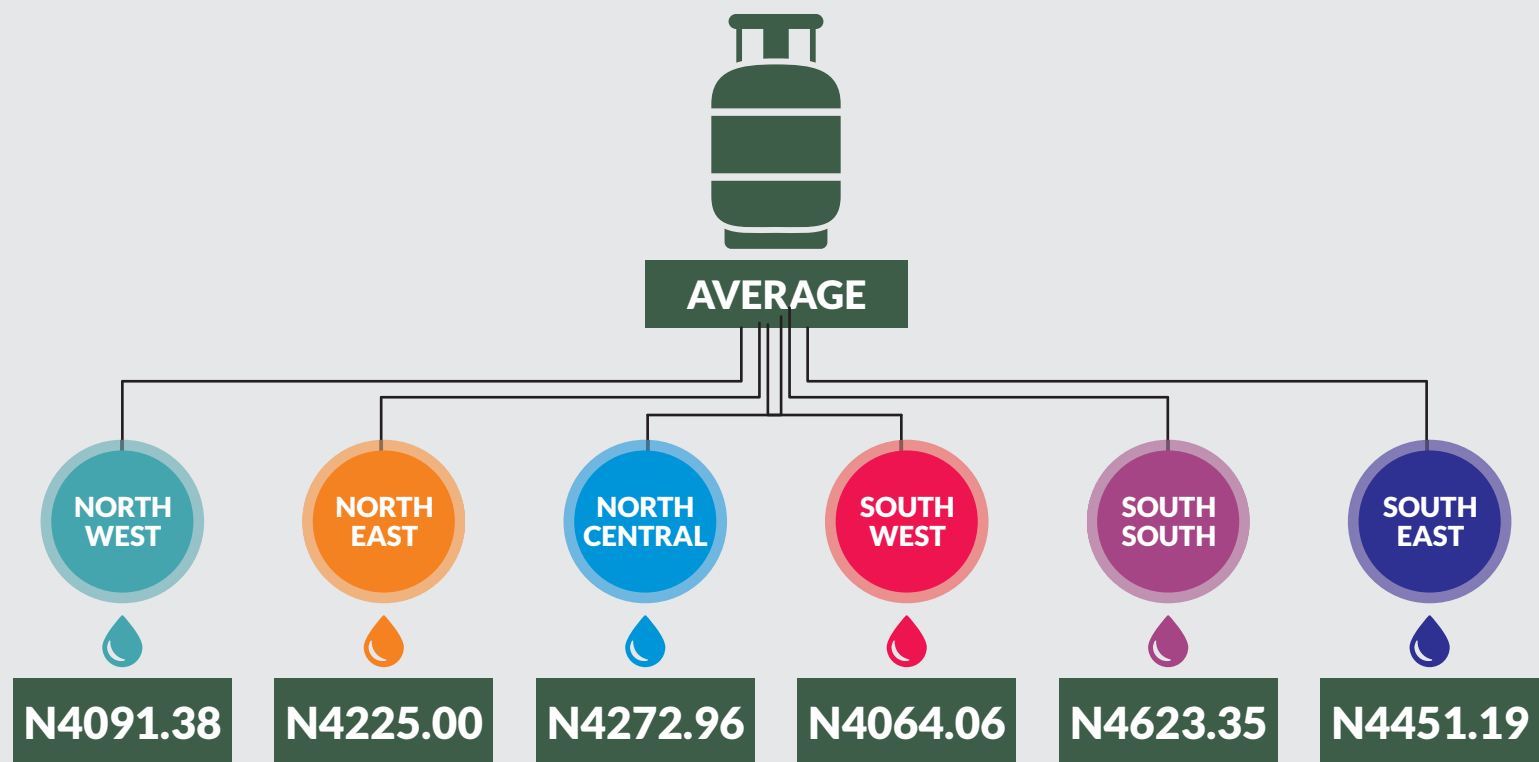
	Jan-18	YoY	MoM
KANO	3866.67	-12.1	-11.5
LAGOS	3876.00	6.1	-1.2
OYO	3945.00	5.2	1.2



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Average Cooking Gas Prices Across Zones - 12.5KG Refilling



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12 Months Average Prices- 12.5KG Refilling

February 2018	
Average	4333.27
YoY	-18.94
MoM	0.12

March 2018	
Average	4253.73
YoY	-1.84
MoM	-13.60

April 2018	
Average	4268.95
YoY	-11.62
MoM	0.36

May 2018	
Average	4298.72
YoY	-13.30
MoM	0.70

January 2018	
Average	4327.89
YoY	-21.43
MoM	1.53



June 2018	
Average	4278.95
YoY	-4.38
MoM	-0.46

December 2018	
Average	4332.02
YoY	1.63
MoM	2.12

January 2019	
Average	4277.86
YoY	-1.16
MoM	-1.25

July 2018	
Average	4244.35
YoY	-2.97
MoM	-0.81

November 2018	
Average	4242.26
YoY	-6.61
MoM	-4.59

October 2018	
Average	4446.19
YoY	-2.52
MoM	1.60

September 2018	
Average	4376.19
YoY	11.14
MoM	0.22

August 2018	
Average	4366.48
YoY	8.00
MoM	2.88

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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