MORNING BRIEF 6[™] JULY, 2023

NEWS HEADLINES

- 🛂 Ban on cryptocurrency still in force Finance Ministry warns: The government has reiterated its ban on the use of cryptocurrency in all transactions, saying that all financial institutions in the country have been directed not to engage in crypto transactions. Minister of State at the Finance Ministry, Dr. Mohammed Amin Adam, made the announcement when he answered questions on the floor of Parliament. He stated that the governments will continue to allow associated technologies, such as blockchain and distributed innovations in a sun box as a development framework is explored. Until such a framework is in place, the government would like to reiterate its directive that all institutions licensed by the Bank of Ghana are prohibited from facilitating cryptocurrency transactions through their platforms or agents' outlets. (Citbusinessnews)
- Power sector faces challenges as IMF conditionalities fail to boost liquidity: In a recent report by the Africa Centre for Energy Policy (ACEP), it has been revealed that the International Monetary Fund (IMF) conditionalities implemented in Ghana's power sector have not yielded the expected results of improving liquidity. The Electricity Company of Ghana, which has recently embarked on a debt recovery campaign to collect around GH\$ 5.7 billion (approximately \$475 million) owed by power consumers, successfully recovered about GHS 3.1 billion (around \$258 million). However, these purported recoveries have not translated into improved liquidity within the sector. The theoretical assumption that raising tariffs would enhance the sector's financial stability has also proven ineffective, despite a significant increase in tariffs of approximately 100% between September 2022 and June 2023, made possible only through the IMF program. (Norvanreports)



EQUITIES MARKET

GSE 2,821.82 (+3.58 points)

+15.46% (YTD)

MARKET CAPITALIZATION

GH¢70,388.74 million 9.12%(YTD)

TREASURY

BILLS,

99.42%

GAINER PRICE (GH¢) TICKER CHANGE MTNGH 1.33 0.76%

GSE FSI

1,691.35 (-3.02 points) -17.60% (YTD)

-83.46%



Volume: 83,122

Value: 110,151.67

TICKER	PRICE (GH¢)	CHANGE
ACCESS	3.70	-2.63%
TOTAL	6.12	-10.00%

DECLINERS

FIXED INCOME MARKET **GE/M OLD GOG NOTES &** BONDS, 0.58%

VOLUMES TRADED

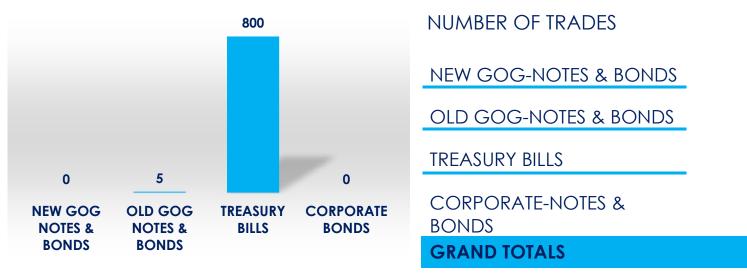
NEW GOG-NOTE & BONDS

OLD GOG-NOE & BOND 1,445,000

248,404,594 TREA SURY BILLS

CORPORATE-NOTES BONDS

GRAND TOTALS 249,849,594



TREASURIES YIELD CURVE



2-Year

3-Year



	CURRENCY MARKET			
	FOREX	BoG MID RATE(GH¢)	Y-t-D CHANGE	
<u>¢</u>	US DOLLAR	11.0004	-22.04%	
\$10 \$10	BRITISH POUND	13.9843	-26.26%	
€	EURO	11.9601	-23.53%	
¥	CHINESE YUAN	1.5178	-18.33%	
R	SA RAND	0.5852	-13.81%	
1	CFA FRANCS	54.8457	30.77%	

KEY MACROECONOMIC DATA

182-Day

364-Day



MONETARY POLICY RATE MAY, 2023: **29.50%**

CONSUMER INFLATION

INFLATION MAY, 2023: **42.2%**

91-Day



GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT

Q1 2023: **4.2%**

UPCOMING EVENTS

5-Year

20-Year

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800

805

- GOIL Final dividend payment of GH¢0.056 Dividend payment date: 07th August, 2023
- EGL Final dividend payment of GH¢0.0744
 Dividend payment date: 15th August, 2023
- TOTAL Final dividend payment of GH¢0.6889 Dividend payment date: 7th July, 2023