

MORNING BRIEF 9TH AUGUST, 2023

NEWS HEADLINES

- GRA starts 10% tax deduction on lottery wins; targets GH¢1.2 billion in first year: The Ghana Revenue Authority (GRA) will on August 15 this year start withholding 10 percent tax on the gross winnings of all betting, gaming, lotto and other games of chance across the board. This decision, the Authority says, follows passage of the Income Tax (Amendment – No 2, Act 2023 (Act 1094) which sets out to impose tax deductions on all sport betting and gaming. Equally, all operators of the lottery are expected to pay a 20 percent tax on gross gaming revenue (GGR) during filing of returns each month. (Business & Financial Times)
- COCOBOD extends deadline for debt exchange to August 18: The Ghana Cocoa Board (COCOBOD) has once again revised the deadline for its debt exchange programme to Friday August 18 from the initial announcement of August 3, 2023. In a statement issued on Monday August 7, the Ministry of Finance impressed on all person who intend to participate in the Exchange Programme to submit their application by 4pm of the stipulated date. Government is seeking to exchange approximately US\$809 million.(Citibusiness)
- Government approves "Minerals of the Future" policy for exploitation of lithium, other green minerals: Government has given the nod to a pioneering policy poised to redefine the nation's role in the global minerals arena. Underlining its commitment to a sustainable future, the policy revolves around the exploitation, management, and regulation of "green minerals," a cohort that includes lithium, cobalt, copper, and others. The approved "Minerals of the Future" policy stands testament to Ghana's proactive stance in positioning itself as a key player in the transition to cleaner energy sources. (Norvanreports)



EQUITIES MARKET

GSE CI

3,103.08 (-12.17 points) +26.97% (YTD)

GSE FSI

1,723.78 (0.00 points) -16.02% (YTD)



MARKET CAPITALIZATION

Volume: 39,512

-12.86%



GH¢73,448.97 million 13.86%(YTD)

Value: 65,927.18 2.18%



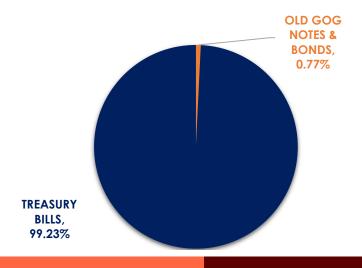
GAINER PRICE (GH¢)

PRICE (GH¢) CHANGE(%) TICKER **MTNGH** 1.53 -0.65%

DECLINER



FIXED INCOME MARKET



VOLUMES TRADED

NEW GOG-NOTES & BONDS

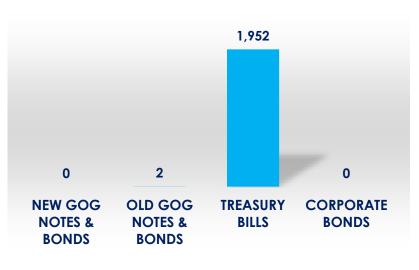
OLD GOG-NOTES & BONDS 1,256,000

TREA SURY BILLS 162,124,242

CORPORATE-NOTES BONDS

GRAND TOTALS

163,380,242



NUMBER OF TRADES

NEW GOG-NOTES & BONDS -

OLD GOG-NOTES & BONDS

TREASURY BILLS 1,952

CORPORATE-NOTES & BONDS

GRAND TOTALS 1,954

TREASURIES YIELD CURVE





91-Day

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	CURRENCY MARKET		
	FOREX	BoG MID RATE(GH¢)	Y-t-D CHANGE
<u>¢</u>	US DOLLAR	11.0022	-22.05%
210 200	BRITISH POUND	13.9998	-26.34%
€	EURO	12.0475	-24.09%
¥	CHINESE YUAN	1.5245	-18.68%
R	SA RAND	0.5803	-13.08%
1	CFA FRANCS	54.4478	31.73%

2-Year

3-Year

KEY MACROECONOMIC DATA

182-Day

364-Day



MONETARY POLICY RATE JULY, 2023: **30.00%**



CONSUMER INFLATION

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JUNE, 2023: **42.5%**



GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT

Q1 2023: **4.2%**

UPCOMING EVENTS

5-Year

20-Year

- **EGL** Final dividend payment of **GH¢0.0744** Dividend payment date: 15th August, 2023
- MTNGH Interim dividend payment of GH¢0.05 Qualifying date: 18th August, 2023