## Quantum ZENITH

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# MONTHLY FACTSHEET

Zenith Money Market Fund March 2019

#### About the Fund:

Investment Objective:

he Fund is a low risk, open ended mutual fund that invests in a broad range of money market securities such as NTBs, Commercial Papers, Bankers Acceptances and Fixed Deposits.

invesiment Objective.	investors' capital by generating income in excess of the prevailing Nigerian Treasury Bill (NTB) rate, while maintaining high liquidity and credit quality.
Fund Manager	Kenneth Brai, Ikechukwu Iheanacho
Fund Launch Date	December 2017
Fund Size	=N= 6.87bn
Base Currency	=N=
Minimum Investment	=N=10,000
NAV per Unit	=N=1.00
Minimum Holding Period	30 days
Early Liquidation Charge	10% on income earned
Income Accrual	Daily
Income Distribution	Quarterly
Annual Management Fee	1%
Asset Allocation	FGN Treasury Bills: 25% - 100%
	Other Money Market: 10% - 75%
	Bank Placements: 10% - 75%
	Cash & Receivables: 0% - 5%
Auditors	KPMG
Trustees	Vetiva Trustees Limited
Custodian	Stanbic IBTC Bank Plc

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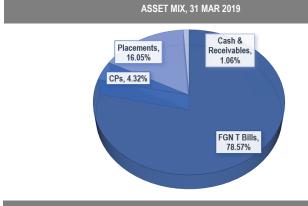
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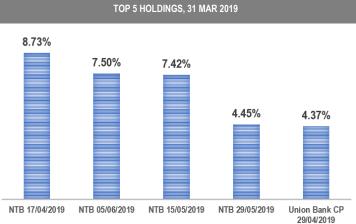
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#### **Review and Outlook**

- Yields on treasury bills inched up by 14bps on average over the month from 12.74% as at 28 February 2019 to 12.88% as at 31 March. The increase was more pronounced in the 1M and 6M yields which rose by 131bps and 101bps respectively. 12M yields dropped by 120bps. 13—165 day Commercial Papers yielded 13.78% on 31 Mar, vs. 12.36% yield on T-Bills with similar maturities on the same day.
- The March 2019 T-bill position represents a reversal after 2 consecutive months of decrease from an average of 15.26% as at 31 Dec 2019. Inflation figures for February 2019 were released during the month, showing a further decline in YoY headline inflation to 11.31% from 11.37% in January, driven by both core and food indices. The MPC cut policy rate by 50bps from 14% to 13.5% after a broad scope of macroeconomic considerations.

PERFORMANCE & INDICATORS, 31 MAR 2019		
Monetary Policy Rate	13.50%	
Headline Inflation	11.31%	
YTD Avg. Yield on 90D NTB	12.01%	
YTD Avg. Yield on Fund	12.25%	
YTD Real Return on Fund	0.24%	







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Zenith Income Fund March 2019

#### About the Fund:

he Fund is a low to medium risk, open ended mutual fund that invests in Federal, State and Corporate bonds that are of investment grade, and a broad range of money market securities. It is authorized and registered in Nigeria as a unit trust scheme.

Investment Objective:	The objective of the Fund is to preserve and grow investors' capital by generating income from high quality long tenured debt securities, while maintaining decent liquidity in short-term debt instruments.
Fund Manager	Kenneth Brai, Ikechukwu Iheanacho
Fund Launch Date	November 2008
Fund Size	=N= 979.44m
Base Currency	=N=
Minimum Investment	=N=25,000
NAV per Unit	=N=21.43
Minimum Holding Period	30 days
Early Liquidation Charge	10% on income earned
Income Accrual	Daily
Income Distribution	Quarterly
Annual Management Fee	1.5%
Asset Allocation	Equities: 0% - 35%
	FGN Bonds: 65% - 100%
	Other Fixed Income: 65% - 100%
	Cash & Receivables: 0% - 5%
Auditors	KPMG
Trustees	GTL Trustees Limited
Custodian	Citibank Nigeria Limited

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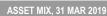
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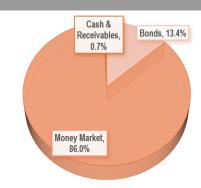
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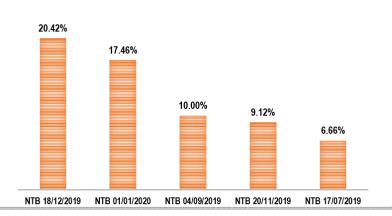
#### PERFORMANCE & INDICATORS, 31 MAR 2019

Monetary Policy Rate	13.50%
Headline Inflation	11.31%
Yield on 3Y Bond	14.00%
Yield on Fund	15.57%
YTD Real Return on Fund	1.57%





#### **TOP 5 HOLDINGS, 31 MAR 2019**



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Zenith Equity Fund March 2019

#### About the Fund:

Investment Objective:

he Fund is a medium to high risk, open ended mutual fund that invests in a diversified selection of companies listed on the Nigerian Stock Exchange. The Fund manages liquidity and market expectations by providing a fair allowance for fixed income.

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Fund Manager	Kenneth Brai, Ikechukwu Iheanacho
Fund Launch Date	November 2008
Fund Size	=N= 2.53bn
Base Currency	=N=
Minimum Investment	=N=25,000
NAV per Unit	=N=11.24
Income Distribution	Yearly
Annual Management Fee	3%
Benchmark	NSE ASI: 60%; 90Day NTB: 40%
Asset Allocation	Equities: 35% - 100%
	Fixed Income: 0% - 65%
	Cash & Receivables: 0% - 5%
Auditors	KPMG
Trustees	GTL Trustees Limited
Custodian	Citibank Nigeria Limited

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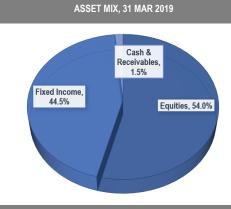
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#### **Review and Outlook**

- The NSE All Share Index (ASI) lost 2.14% in March 2019, closing at 31,041.42 from 31,718.70 at the start of the month. The decrease in the ASI was led by the Insurance and Oil & Gas sectors which declined by 5.47% and 2.71% respectively. The insurance sector decline was driven by NEM Insurance (-11.2%), while Seplat and Oando lost 4.68% and 4.24% respectively.
- The equities market is trending downwards and trading closer to its 2019 floor of 29,336.8. We may see a delayed return of investors to the equities market, as investors look out for signs of market supportive policies in a government regime that is otherwise regarded as pro state ownership. It is also notable that there was significant return of foreign portfolio investments after the presidential elections, but they went into money market instruments

# PERFORMANCE & INDICATORS, 31 MAR 2019 NSE ASI YTD -1.24% Pro-rated YTD Avg. Yield on 90D NTB +2.96% Modified Benchmark +0.02% Fund Return YTD -0.48% Outperformance / (Underperformance) -0.50%







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Zenith Ethical Fund March 2019

#### About the Fund:

Investment Objective:

he Fund is a medium to high risk, open ended mutual fund that invests in a diversified selection of companies listed on the Nigerian Stock Exchange, considering religious and moral reservations. The Fund also makes a fair allowance for fixed income investments.

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	Fund Manager	Kenneth Brai, Ikechukwu Iheanacho
	Fund Launch Date	November 2008
	Fund Size	=N= 673.17m
	Base Currency	=N=
	Minimum Investment	=N=25,000
	NAV per Unit	=N=12.39
	Income Distribution	Yearly
	Annual Management Fee	3%
	Benchmark	NSE ASI: 60%; 90Day NTB: 40%
	Asset Allocation	Equities: 35% - 100%
		Fixed Income: 0% - 65%
		Cash & Receivables: 0% - 5%
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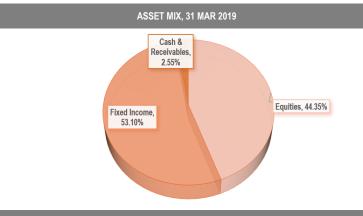
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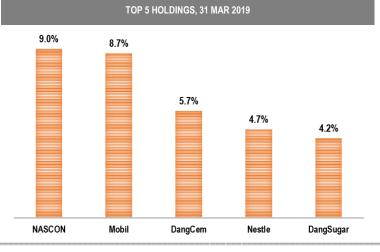
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Pro-rated YTD Avg. Yield on 90D NTB	+2.96%	
Modified Benchmark	+0.02%	
Fund Return YTD	-0.87%	
Outperformance / (Underperformance)	-0.89%	





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