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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) increased by 2.17% month-on-month and 3.19% year-on-year to N2,054.14 in August 2018 from N2,010.45 in July 2018.

States with the highest average price for the refilling of a 5kg cylinder for Liquefied Petroleum Gas (Cooking Gas) were Bauchi (N2,490.00), Borno (N2,400.00) and Gombe (N2,354.55).

States with the lowest average price for the refilling of a 5kg cylinder for Liquefied Petroleum Gas (Cooking Gas) were Kaduna (N1,825.00), Kano (N1,800.00) and Enugu (N1,791.11).

Similarly, average price for the refilling of a 12.5kg cylinder for Liquefied Petroleum Gas (Cooking Gas) increased by 2.88% month-on-month and 8.00% year-on-year to N4,366.48 in August 2018 from N4,244.35 in July 2018.

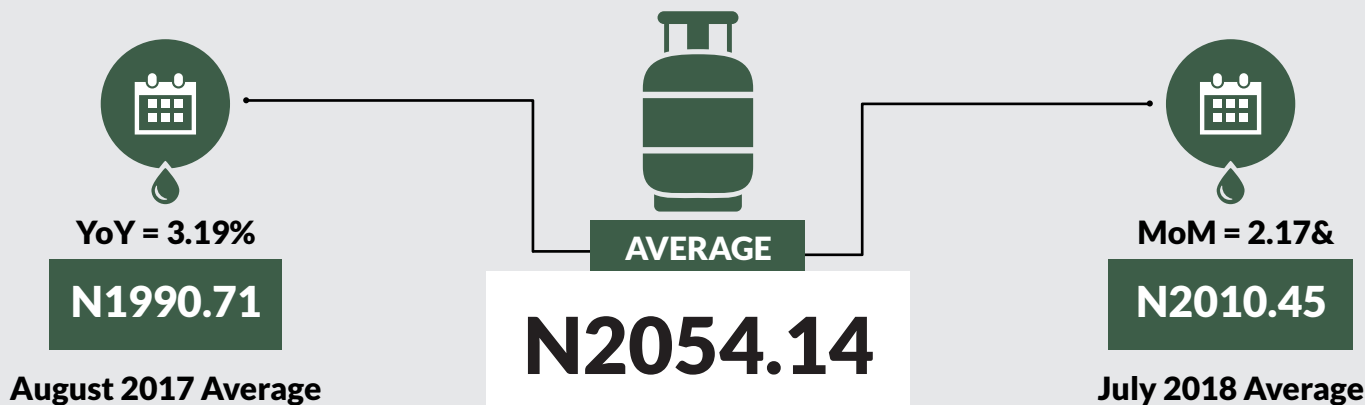
States with the highest average price for the refilling of a 12.5kg cylinder for Liquefied Petroleum Gas (Cooking Gas) were Benue (N5,100.00), Akwa Ibom (N4,750.25) and Cross River (N4,733.33).

States with the lowest average price for the refilling of a 12.5kg cylinder for Liquefied Petroleum Gas (Cooking Gas) were Katsina & Kebbi (N4,000.00), Lagos (N3,952.38) and Oyo (N3,948.13).

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Average Cooking Gas Prices Across States – 5KG Refilling



STATES WITH THE HIGHEST AVERAGE PRICES IN AUGUST 2018

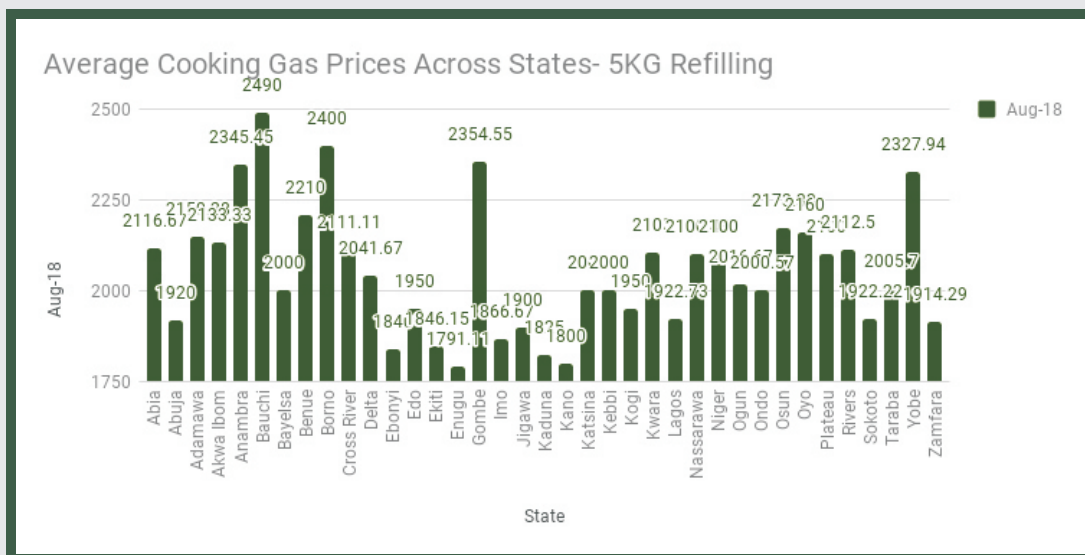


	Aug-18	YoY	MoM
BAUCHI	2490.00	24.5	-0.4
BORNO	2400.00	11.3	-0.1
GOMBE	2354.55	14.9	1.7

STATES WITH THE LOWEST AVERAGE PRICES IN AUGUST 2018



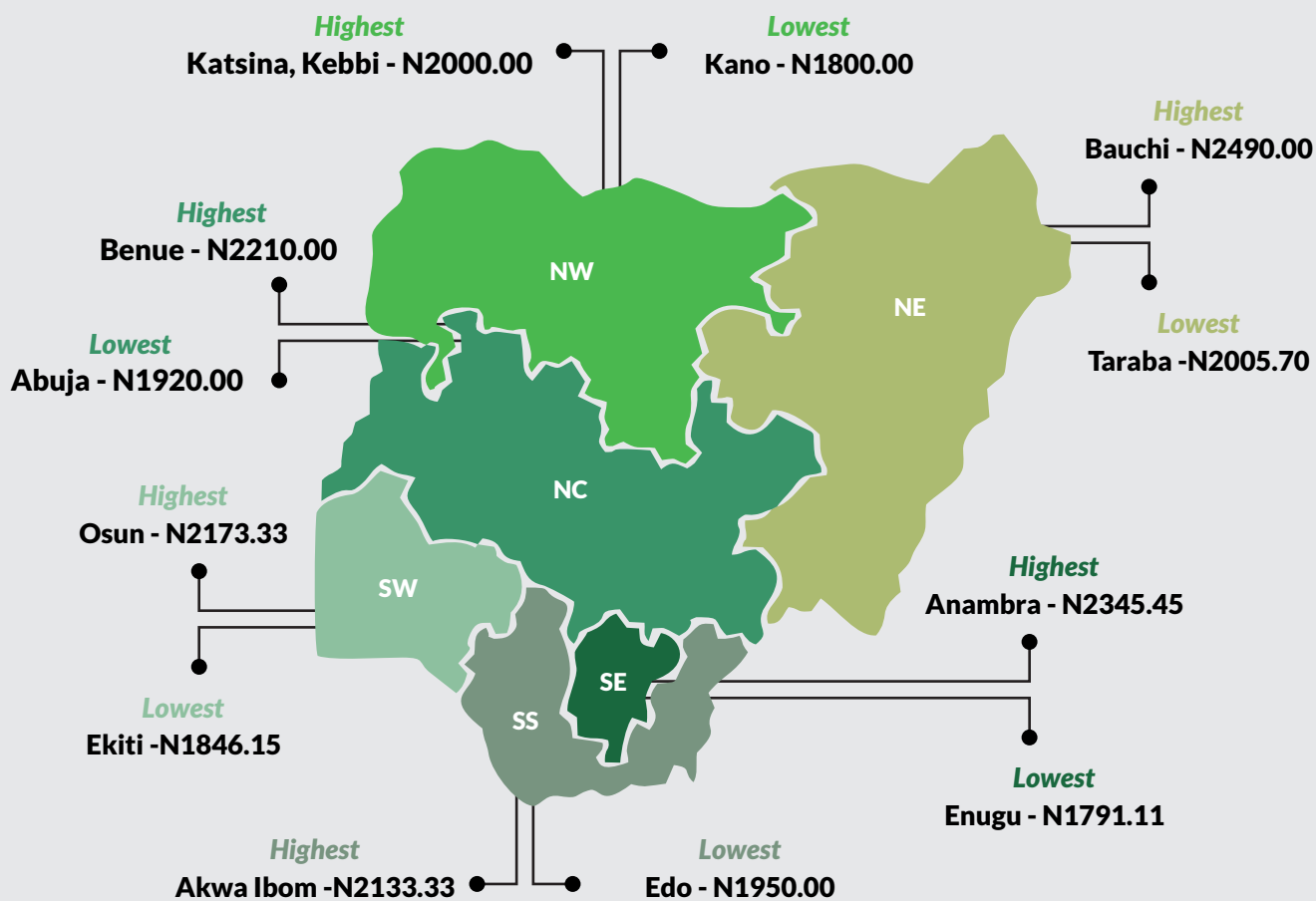
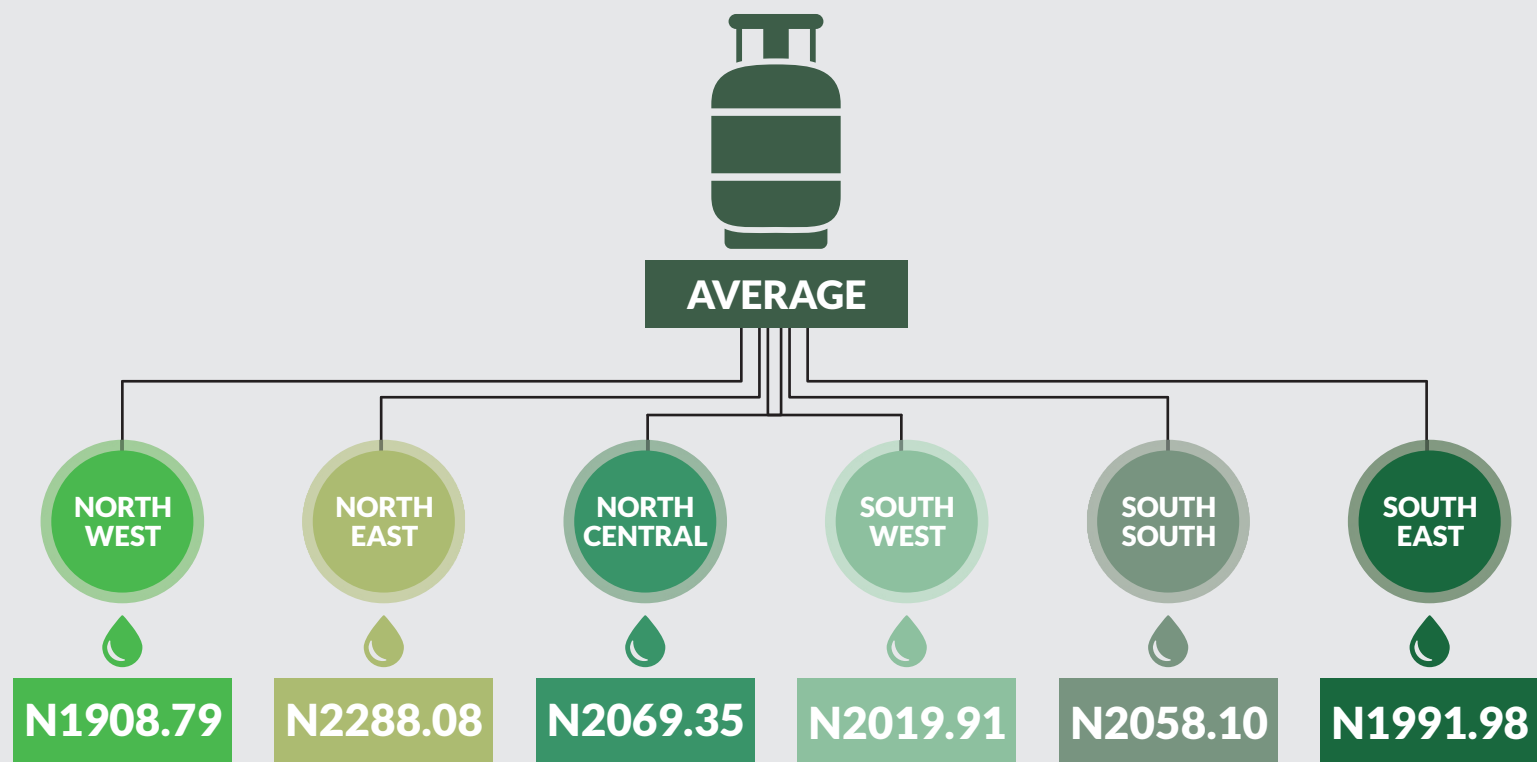
	Aug-18	YoY	MoM
KADUNA	1825.00	-16.1	3.7
KANO	1800.00	0.0	-0.6
ENUGU	1791.11	-7.4	-3.7



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Average Cooking Gas Prices Across Zones – 5KG Refilling



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12 Months Average Prices- 5KG Refilling

October 17	
Average	2374.07
YoY	14.86
MoM	24.20

November 17	
Average	2377.81
YoY	21.16
MoM	0.16

December 17	
Average	2276.96
YoY	13.72
MoM	-4.24

January 18	
Average	2190.07
YoY	-14.70
MoM	-3.82

September 17	
Average	1911.44
YoY	-1.40
MoM	-3.98



February 18	
Average	2155.97
YoY	-20.40
MoM	-1.56

August 18	
Average	2054.14
YoY	2.17
MoM	3.19

March 18	
Average	2090.64
YoY	-16.16
MoM	-3.03

July 18	
Average	2010.45
YoY	-9.69
MoM	-1.20

June 18	
Average	2034.93
YoY	-8.17
MoM	-1.80

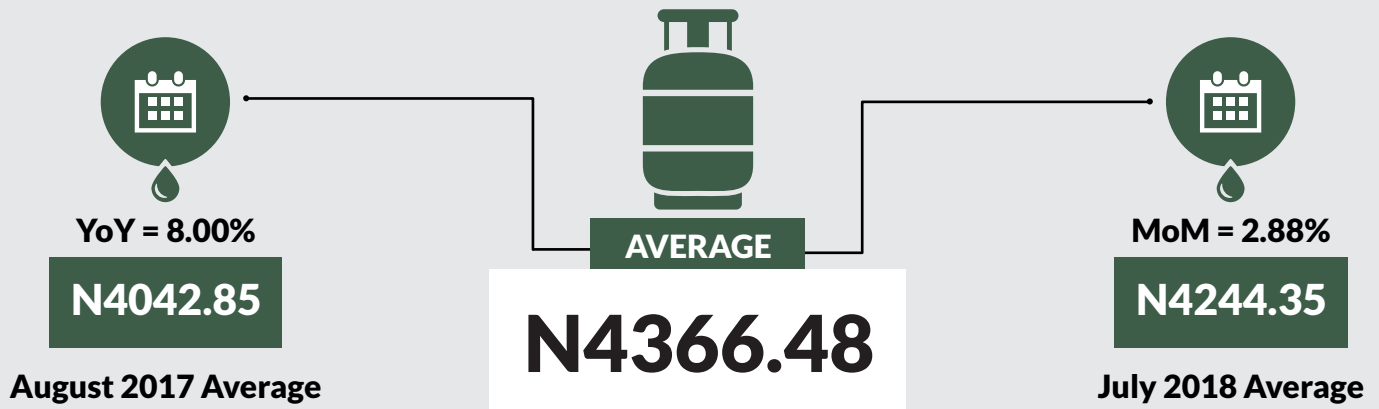
May 18	
Average	2072.24
YoY	-15.30
MoM	0.68

April 18	
Average	2058.19
YoY	-15.24
MoM	-1.55

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Average Cooking Gas Prices Across States – 12.5KG Refilling



STATES WITH THE HIGHEST AVERAGE PRICES IN AUGUST 2018

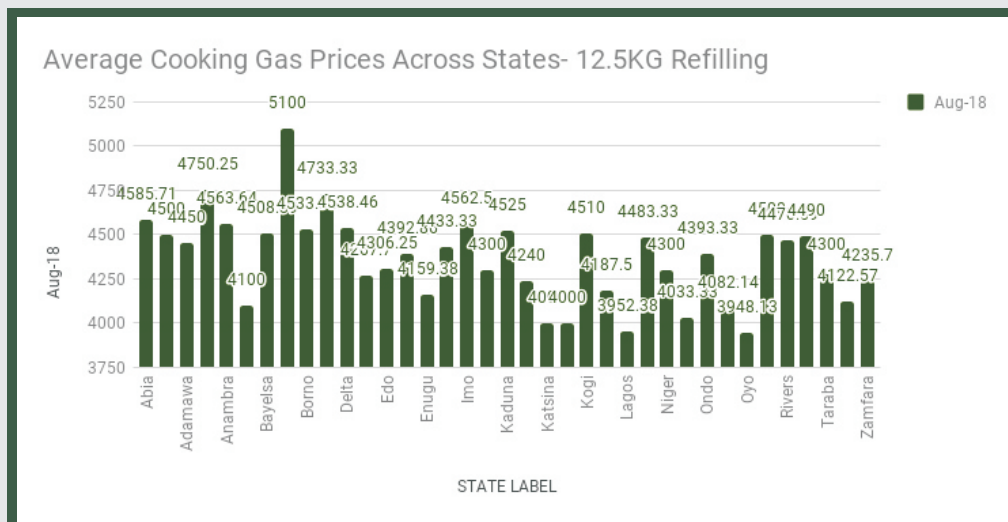


	Aug-18	YoY	MoM
BENUÉ	5100.00	24.4	6.8
AKWA IBOM	4750.25	15.9	1.9
CROSS RIVER	4733.33	11.4	3.9

STATES WITH THE LOWEST AVERAGE PRICES IN AUGUST 2018



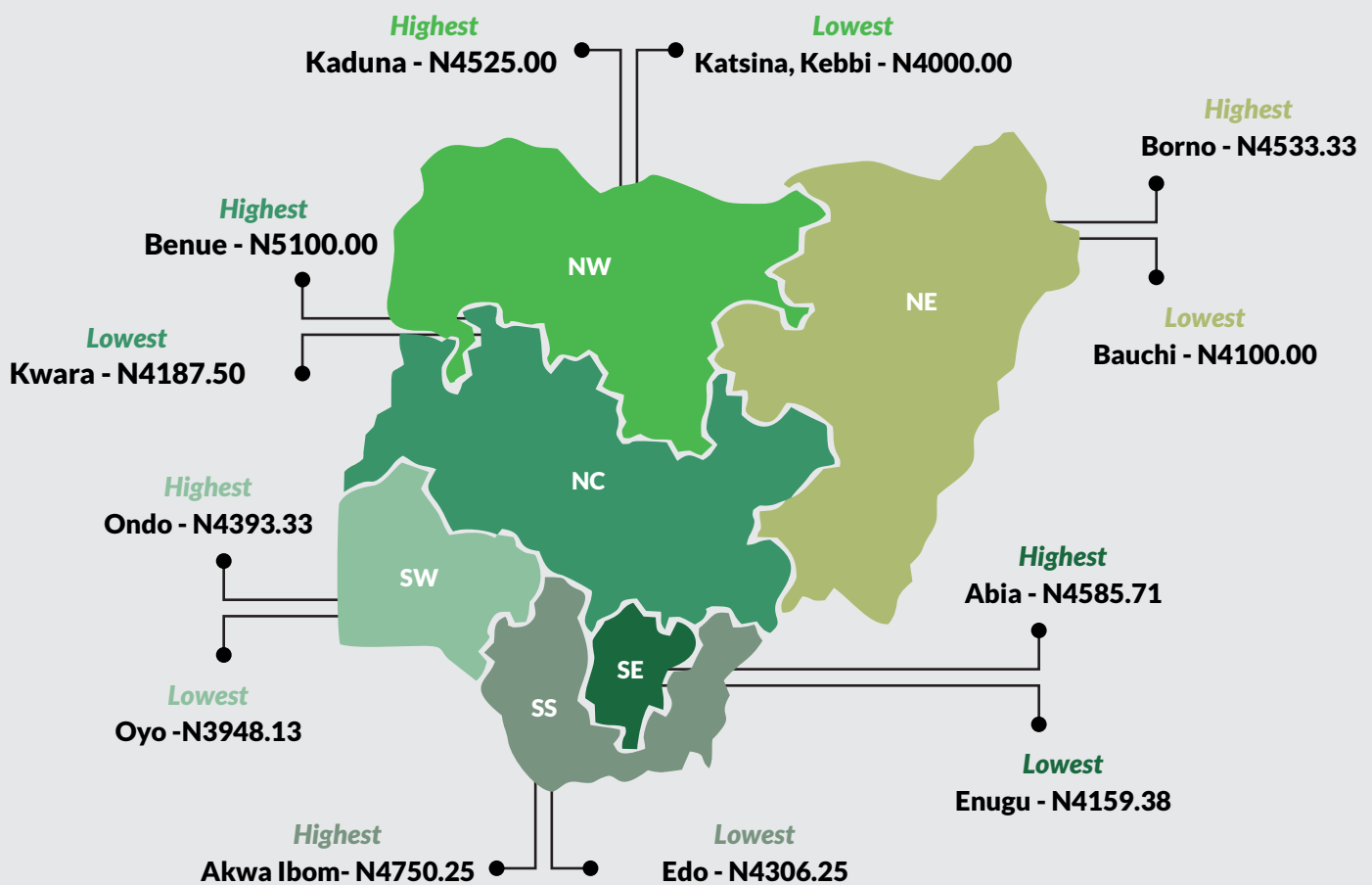
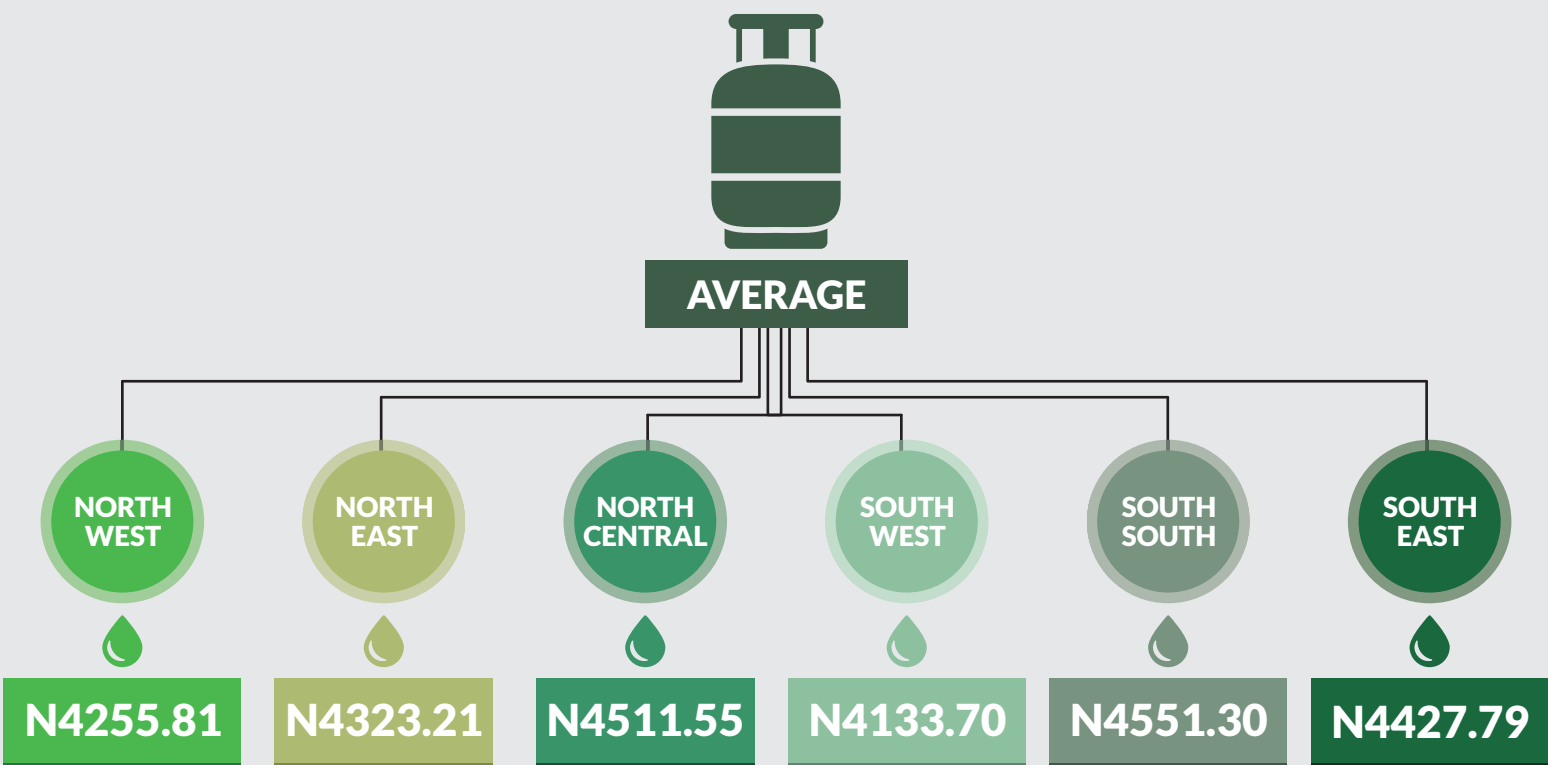
	Aug-18	YoY	MoM
KEBBI	4000.00	-5.9	0.0
LAGOS	3952.38	10.4	9.3
OYO	3948.13	14.0	2.4



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Average Cooking Gas Prices Across Zones – 12.5KG Refilling



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12 Months Average Prices- 12.5KG Refilling

October 17	
Average	4561.14
YoY	2.84
MoM	15.83

November 17	
Average	4542.30
YoY	13.10
MoM	-0.41

December 17	
Average	4262.72
YoY	4.69
MoM	-6.16

January 18	
Average	4327.89
YoY	-21.43
MoM	1.53

September 17	
Average	3937.71
YoY	-3.40
MoM	-2.60



February 18	
Average	4333.27
YoY	-18.94
MoM	0.12

August 18	
Average	4366.48
YoY	8.00
MoM	2.88

March 18	
Average	4253.73
YoY	-13.60
MoM	-1.84

July 18	
Average	4244.35
YoY	-2.97
MoM	-0.81

June 18	
Average	4278.95
YoY	-4.38
MoM	-0.46

May 18	
Average	4298.72
YoY	-13.30
MoM	0.70

April 18	
Average	4268.95
YoY	-11.62
MoM	0.36

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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