

### RESEARCH - MARKET COMMENT

## Market Comment 31.03.2020

<u>Index</u>	Previous	Today	Move pts	Change %
Industrial	1502.32	1512.46	10.14	0.67
Mining	679.45	720.47	41.02	6.04
ZSE 10	371.97	370.74	1.23	0.33
ZSE ALL SHARE	452.69	456.21	3.52	0.78

#### **SOURCE: ZSE**

# Market scratches gains in quarter-end session...

The quarter end session closed in the black with the mainstream All-Share Index scratching 0.78% gains to see it settling 456.21pts. The Industrial Index added 0.67% to 1512pts, spurred by gains in mid-tier and penny counters. The Top 10 Index dropped a further 0.33% to 370.74pts, dragged by losses seen in Delta and Innscor. The resources Index ticked up 6.04% to settle at 720.47pts, as Bindura continues to firm up. Activity aggregates reflected a mixed outcome as reflected in the turnover which dropped 4.70% from prior session whilst, the volume outturn added 13.91% to 1.5m shares. Econet and Cassava anchored the volume traded accounting for a combined 45.85%. Delta, Innscor and Econet propelled the value totals with a 30.09% and 18.53% contribution. A capital flight was registered as foreign purchases were a mere \$0.011m against disposals of \$2.35m.

Topping the risers for the day was nickel miner Bindura which surged 20% to close at \$30 while, heavy cap National foods advanced 19.82% to \$26.6000. Masimba put on 19.21% to \$0.3600 with conglomerate Meikles ticking up 18.56% to \$8.10. Seedco Limited rebounded 10.74% to \$3.8759 as it completed the top five winners. Other notable gains were recorded in PPC, Cassava and Old Mutual. Edgars and Getbucks led the losers of the day on an identical 20% loss to settle at \$0.2000 and \$0.1200 respectively. Mash holdings slumped 19.93% to \$0.1740 as Dairibord followed on a 13.52% slide to \$0.5400. Hippo dropped 10.31% to \$5.3812, where demand could be established. Twenty-seven counters were active in the session, as twelve gained against ten fallers, to register a positive market breadth.

Market Snapshot	Today	Previous	Change
Market Cap US\$	58,612,101,784	58,173,472,852	0.75
Turnover US\$	5,532,166.45	5,805,305.40	4.70
Foreign buys US\$	11,404.25	4,698.00	142.75
Foreign sales US\$	2,347,828.50	22,920.00	10143.58
No. of trades	102	70	45.71
Volume	1,516,498.00	1,331,280.00	13.91
Today's Gainers			%Change

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Bindura Nickel Corporation Limited	30.00	5.00	20.00	
National Foods Holdings Limited	2,660.00	440.00	19.82	
Masimba Holdings Limited	36.00	5.80	19.21	
Meikles Limited	810.14	126.81	18.56	
Seed Co Limited	387.59	37.59	10.74	

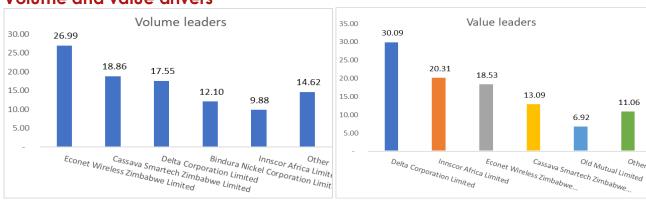
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Today's Losers	Price	Change	/ochange	
Edgars Stores Limited	20.00	5.00	20.00	
Getbucks Microfinance Bank Limited	12.00	3.00	20.00	
Mashonaland Holdings Limited	17.40	4.33	19.93	
Dairibord Holdings Limited	54.00	8.44	13.52	
Hippo Valley Estates Limited	538.12	61.88	10.31	



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#### Volume and value drivers



## **OLD MUTUAL ZIMBABWE**

Counter	PRICE(VWAP)	% CHANGE	LAST TRADED	VOL TRADED	HIGH (YTD)	LOW (YTD)	
OMZIL	22.00	-	22.00	-	-	-	\$170,174,021.90

#### **Dividend Monitor**

<u>Counter</u>	<u>LDR</u>	<u>Rate</u>	Payment Date
Meikles	27.03.2020	\$0.1000	08.04.2020
Old Mutual Limited	03.04.2020	R0.75	04.05.2020

### **Upcoming Events**

	<u>Company</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Venue</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Date</u>
Ī	Willdale	AGM	Mt Hampden, Harare	1100hrs	19.03.2020
	ZBFH	Finals and Analysts Briefing	ТВА	1400hrs	24.03.2020
	MASH	AGM	19th Floor, ZB Life Towers, Harare	1100hrs	25.03.2020
	Nampak	AGM	Birmingham Road, Southerton	0900hrs	26.03.2020
	Ariston	AGM	Huswa Room, Cresta Lodge	1430hrs	31.03.2020

#### **Cautionaries**

ZHL	21.08.19	The company is engaged in negotiations that involve a potential transaction that may have a material impact on the price of the company's shares.
Succumbed Meikles	21.08.19	The discussions to sell certain hospitality assets are on-going and the company will seek approval from shareholders for the proposed disposal.
Padenga	09.04.19	The company is considering a proposed transaction to diversify its business through investment into an alternative export-oriented business.
Getbucks	29.04.19	The company is contemplating a capital raising transaction which if successful will have a material effect on the share price.
Fidelity	19.07.19	The company is engaged in negotiations that involves restructuring the company's capital structure through the issue of shares and this might have a material impact on the value of shares.
Bindura	03.09.19	The company is engaged in a transaction that may have a material effect on the price of the company's shares.

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