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Nigeria Capital Importation

(Q2 2025)

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METHODOLOGY

Data is provided by the Central Bank of Nigeria and reported by the National Bureau of Statistics (NBS)

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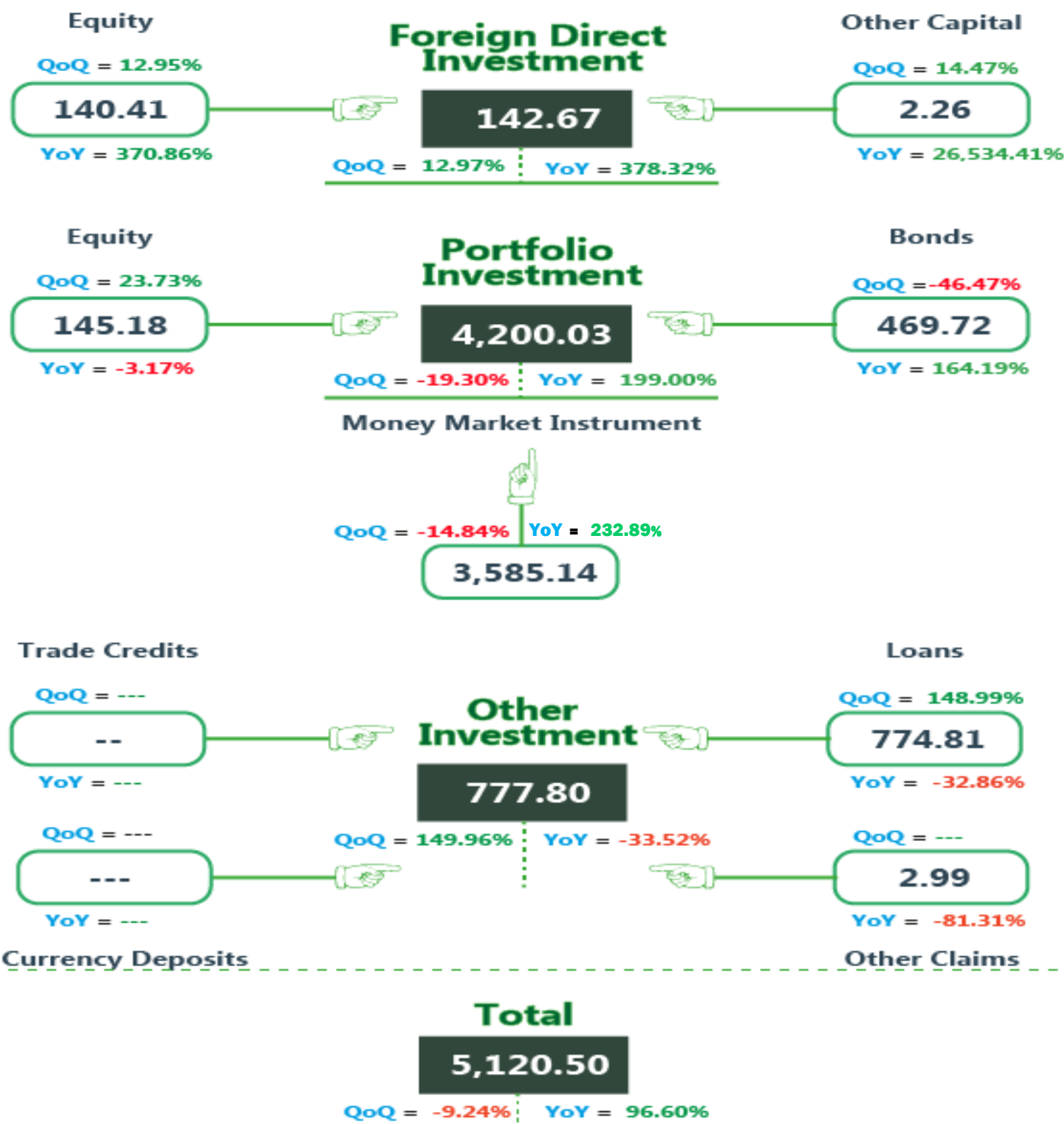
CBN captures fresh capital coming into the economy reported by commercial banks (does not include other components of FDI such as reinvested earnings)

KEY HIGHLIGHTS

- In Q2 2025, total capital importation into Nigeria stood at US\$5,120.50 million, higher than US\$2,604.50 million recorded in Q2 2024, indicating an increase of 96.60%. In comparison to the preceding quarter, capital importation decreased by 9.24% from US\$5,642.07 million in Q1 2025.
- Portfolio Investment ranked top with US\$4,200.03 million, accounting for 82.02%, followed by Other Investment with US\$777.80 million, accounting for 15.19%. Foreign Direct Investment recorded the least with US\$142.67 million (2.79%) of total capital importation in Q2 2025.
- The Banking sector recorded the highest inflow with US\$3,407.97 million, representing 66.56% of total capital imported in Q2 2025, followed by the Financing sector, valued at US\$873.32 million (17.06%), and Electrical sector with US\$456.37 million (8.91%).
- Capital Importation during the reference period originated largely from the United Kingdom with US\$1,860.03 million, representing 36.33% of the total capital imported. This was followed by the Republic of South Africa with US\$1,013.71 million (19.80%) and the United States with US\$909.84 million (17.77%).
- Standard Chartered Bank Nigeria Limited received the highest capital importation into Nigeria in Q2 2025 with US\$1,759.08 million, followed by Stanbic IBTC Bank Plc with US\$1,604.92 million (31.34%), followed by Rand Merchant Bank with US\$482.18 million (9.42%)

NIGERIAN CAPITAL IMPORTATION – Q2 2025

By Type of Investment (US\$ million)



NIGERIAN CAPITAL IMPORTATION – Q2 2025

By Selected Sector (US\$ million)



66.56%

3407.97

Banking



17.06

873.32

Financing



8.91%

456.37

Electrical



2.02%

103.63

Telecomms



1.41%

72.25

Production/
Manufacturing



1.31%

67.24

Agriculture



1.13%

58.00

Transport



0.65%

33.47

Shares



0.29%

15.00

Trading



0.28%

14.5

Brewering



0.19%

9.50

Oil & Gas



0.09%

4.60

IT Services



0.03%

1.52

Construction



0.02%

1.25

Insurance



0.02%

1.03

Others



0.01%

0.76

Consultancy



0.001%

0.07

Metal & Metal
Products



0.0004%

0.02

Health & Social
Work



100.00%

5120.50

Total

NIGERIAN CAPITAL IMPORTATION – Q2 2025

By Selected Banks (US\$ million)



34.35%

1759.08

Standard Chartered
Bank Nigeria Ltd



Stanbic IBTC Bank

31.34%

1604.92

Stanbic IBTC
Bank Plc



9.42%

482.18

Rand
Merchant Bank



The Pan African Bank

8.91%

456.11

Ecobank
Nigeria Plc



access

8.49%

434.90

Access
Bank Plc



4.92%

252.06

CitiBank
Nigeria Limited



0.92%

47.05

First City
Monument Bank Plc



ZENITH

0.65%

33.04

Zenith
Bank Plc



0.35%

17.97

Fidelity
Bank Plc.



0.26%

13.22

FSDH Merchant
Bank Limited



Guaranty Trust Bank

0.21%

10.69

Guaranty Trust
Bank Plc



0.05%

2.49

Nova Merchant
Bank Ltd



0.04%

2.09

First Bank of
Nigeria Plc



unionbank

0.04%

1.94

Union Bank of
Nigeria Plc



United Bank for Africa

0.02%

0.95

United Bank
for Africa Plc



CORONATION
MERCHANT BANK

0.01%

0.70

Coronation
Merchant Bank



0.01%

0.50

FBN Merchant
Bank Ltd



PROVIDUSBANK

0.01%

0.39

Providus
Bank Plc



Sterling

0.003%

0.14

Sterling
Bank Plc



0.002%

0.10

Keystone
Bank Ltd

NIGERIAN CAPITAL IMPORTATION – Q2 2025

By Country of Origin (US\$ million)



Top Five Country of Origin



1860.03

United Kingdom



1013.71

South Africa



285.25

Netherlands



909.84

United States



620.47

Mauritius

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