



KENYA WEEKLY MARKET WRAP

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EQUITY MARKET COMMENTARY

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Market activity jumped to USD 27.9m (+39.4% w/w). Safaricom dominated market activity, accounting for 32.2% of the week's turnover. The counter's price function weakened by 2.5% w/w to KES 29.50. Worth noting, the group's first half results for the financial year 2026/2027 were released on 6th November 2026, more below.

Of the top traded banking stocks, Equity Group and KCB Group notched higher by 5.3% w/w and 13.8% w/w to KES 69.75 and KES 70.00, respectively, with both counters touching all-time highs.

Likewise, EABL and KenGen advanced by 5.8% w/w and 2.4% w/w to KES 245.25 and KES 10.50, respectively.

NSE was the week's top gainer, up 27.1% w/w to close at KES 20.65. Conversely, Williamson Tea was the week's leading laggard, down 15.5% w/w to KES 164.75.

Foreign investors were bearish, with net outflows of USD 9.2m. KCB Group led the buying charge, while Safaricom led the selling charge. Foreign investor activity rose to 37.1% from 27.0% in the prior week.

Expected in the week: 14th November 2025 – EPRA Pump Price Review

Weekly Summary Tables

Indices

Equity Index	Index points	% w/w	% w/w preceding	MTD	QTD	YTD
NASI	192.07	2.0%	4.7%	19.9%	8.7%	55.5%
N10	2012.04	5.3%	5.8%	27.4%	12.8%	54.5%
NSE 20	3253.85	4.4%	2.5%	27.2%	9.5%	61.8%
NSE 25	5206.47	4.2%	4.3%	25.9%	12.6%	53.0%

Top 5 Movers

Company	Price	% w/w	% YTD	Turnover (USD k)	Inflows (USD k)	Market-cap (USD m)
Safaricom	29.50	-2.5%	73.0%	8,985.4	-6,465.1	9,145.5
Equity Group	69.75	5.3%	44.4%	5,484.0	-1,222.7	2,036.7
EABL	245.25	5.8%	39.7%	3,239.5	-2,352.9	1,500.6
KCB Group	70.00	13.8%	68.3%	2,937.6	1,195.9	1,740.6
KenGen	10.50	2.4%	188.5%	929.9	-22.3	535.8

Top 5 Gainers

Company	Price	% w/w	% YTD	Turnover (USD k)	Inflows (USD k)	Market-cap (USD m)
Nairobi Securities Exchange	20.65	27.1%	244.2%	251.2	-49.1	41.5
Crown Paints Kenya	60.00	19.4%	82.4%	8.5	0.1	66.1
KCB Group	70.00	13.8%	68.3%	2937.6	1195.9	1740.6
ABSA Bank Kenya	25.85	12.4%	43.2%	329.6	0.3	1086.4
Centum	16.40	12.3%	66.0%	68.9	0.0	84.4

Top 5 Losers

Company	Price	% w/w	% YTD	Turnover (USD k)	Inflows (USD k)	Market-cap (USD m)
Williamson Tea Kenya	164.75	-15.5%	-27.3%	147.1	-2.0	22.3
Kapchorua Tea	210.25	-9.4%	-10.5%	71.6	0.1	12.7
Umeme	7.56	-4.8%	-54.9%	30.7	-5.0	95.0
Olympia Capital Holdings	7.50	-4.1%	167.9%	1.5	0.0	2.3
Nation Media Group	13.00	-3.7%	-9.7%	6.3	0.0	19.1

Top 5 Foreign Net Inflows

Company	Price	% w/w	% YTD	Turnover (USD k)	Inflows (USD k)	Market-cap (USD m)
KCB Group	70.00	13.8%	68.3%	2,937.6	1,195.9	1,740.6
Stanbic	194.75	-0.6%	41.9%	208.8	5.8	595.7
Car & General (K)	58.25	7.4%	156.0%	11.6	1.2	36.2
ABSA Bank Kenya	25.85	12.4%	43.2%	329.6	0.3	1,086.4
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Equity Group	69.75	5.3%	44.4%	5,484.0	-1,222.7	2,036.7
BAT Kenya	450.00	0.1%	19.7%	281.8	-59.0	348.2
Nairobi Securities Exchange	20.65	27.1%	244.2%	251.2	-49.1	41.5

Top 5 Gainers YTD

Company	Price	% w/w	% YTD	Turnover (USD k)	Inflows (USD k)	Market-cap (USD m)
Sameer Africa	14.95	-0.3%	515.2%	41.8	0.0	32.2
Nairobi Securities Exchange	20.65	27.1%	244.2%	251.2	-49.1	41.5
Home Afrika	1.16	2.7%	213.5%	8.9	0.0	3.6
Kenya Power	14.40	5.1%	199.4%	848.7	-48.8	217.4
KenGen	10.50	2.4%	188.5%	929.9	-22.3	535.8

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NBV	1.50	-3.2%	-25.4%	4.7	0.0	15.7
Kapchorua Tea	210.25	-9.4%	-10.5%	71.6	0.1	12.7
Nation Media Group	13.00	-3.7%	-9.7%	6.3	0.0	19.1

Source: NSE, Standard Investment Bank

COMPANY NEWS

KCB announces proposed acquisition of a minority stake in Pesapal

KCB Group Plc has published a public announcement informing shareholders that it has agreed to acquire a minority stake in Pesapal Limited, a licensed payment service provider, on 31st October 2025. The Group's Board notes that the strategic investment aims to foster innovative payment solutions for Kenya's small and micro enterprises, creating value for shareholders. The deal is contingent on standard conditions, including regulatory approval from the Central Bank of Kenya.

Safaricom 1H26: Early Wins Emerge from Ethiopia's High-Stakes Market

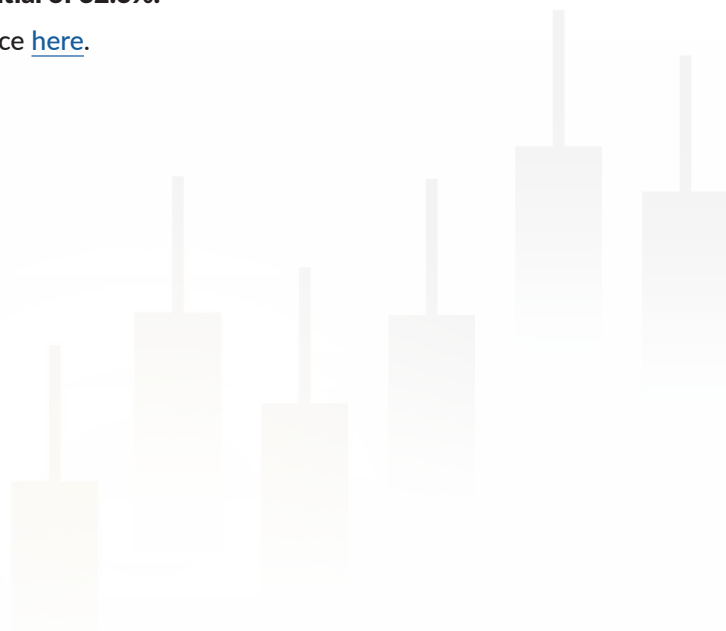
Safaricom Group posted a 52.1% y/y jump in earnings attributable to shareholders to KES 42.8bn in 1H26 from KES 28.1bn in a similar period last year. The rise was on the back of retreating losses from the Ethiopia business (KES 29.0bn in 1H26, down from KES 37.5bn in 1H25) - which eased the dilution impact of the growing earnings of the Kenyan unit at a group level.

The group's topline grew by 8.1% y/y to KES 204.7bn – slower than the 15.1% y/y growth reported in 1H25. Behind the slowdown was the muted growth of group voice revenues (+0.5%y/y in 1H26 vis-à-vis +4.5%y/y in the prior period), a decline in group messaging revenues (-10.9%y/y in 1H26 vis-à-vis +8.0% in 1H25), and mobile data revenues growing slower (+18.2% y/y) compared to 1H25 (+21.5% y/y). On the other hand, group costs (direct and indirect) declined 8.1% y/y to KES 100.9bn, on account of lower FX losses in Ethiopia. The Group (including minority interest in Ethiopia) posted net profits of KES 29.2bn (+191.5% y/y). Having passed KES 13.6bn in losses to minority shareholders, earnings attributable to shareholders grew 52.1%y/y to KES 42.8bn – translating to an EPS of KES 1.07.

No interim dividend was declared, in line with recent trends of declaring dividends in the fourth quarter of operations. We estimate a KES 0.62 interim dividend announcement in February 2026.

We have adjusted our model to reflect the easing risk-free rate (from 4.1% to the current 3.7%) and the lower sovereign risk spread (from 6.4% to 4.3%), which collectively lowers the cost of equity (from 24.8% at the time of modeling to the current 22.3%). These adjustments, coupled with the time value of money (without any adjustments to our assumptions and earnings model), have triggered a revision of the fair value estimate of the business from KES 36.38 (as of 27th May 2025) to KES 40.19. **We thus maintain a BUY recommendation on the counter with an upside potential of 32.6%.**

Find the notice [here](#).



MARKET SUMMARY

	Price KES	Mkt Cap \$mn	YTD %	52 Wk High	52 Wk Low	1m %	3m %	P/B	Div Yield	EPS	P/E	AVG Daily 3m USD*
AGRICULTURAL												
Eaagads	20.15	5.0	67.9	24.1	10.8	-6.9	49.8	0.5	0.0	0.4	54.5	733
Kakuzi	400.3	60.7	4.0	440.0	365.0	-4.0	-8.8	1.5	5.5	-6.7	-59.6	1,699
Kapchorua	210.3	25.5	-10.5	424.3	200.0	-46.3	-33.6	1.6	0.0	23.2	9.1	4,635
Limuru	423.5	7.9	21.0	423.5	295.0	11.4	36.6	5.8	0.2	-6.3	-66.8	320
Sasini	19.0	33.5	26.7	20.4	13.3	0.5	16.6	0.2	0.0	-2.4	-7.9	4,013
Williamson	164.8	44.7	-27.3	350.0	160.0	-49.9	-29.9	0.9128	6.1	-8.8	-18.8	20,093
177.3											-26.7	
COMMERCIAL AND SERVICES												
Longhorn	2.9	6.2	27.0	3.5	2.1	-10.2	11.9	34.0	0.0	-0.9	-3.4	331
NBV	1.5	15.7	-25.4	2.3	1.5	-8.0	-12.3	3.0	0.0	0.0	-464.5	1,759
Nation Media	13.0	19.1	-9.7	15.5	10.1	-5.5	-4.4	0.3	0.0	-1.5	-8.7	1,607
Standard Group	6.0	3.8	19.9	7.1	4.5	6.7	1.0	-0.2	0.0	-12.5	-0.5	193
TPS East Africa	17.0	37.2	14.1	18.7	13.0	6.3	17.2	0.4	2.1	4.5	3.7	1,576
Uchumi	0.4	1.1	129.4	0.4	0.2	2.6	34.5	0.2	0.0	-4.6	-0.1	827
WPP Scangroup	2.8	9.2	11.3	4.0	1.8	-6.8	5.7	0.3	0.0	-1.2	-2.4	4,446
92.4											-79.8	
TELECOMMUNICA-TIONS												
Safaricom	29.5	9,148.1	73.0	31.0	14.1	4.6	11.7	5.3	4.1	1.7	17.4	1,725,015
9,148.1											17.4	
AUTOMOBILES & ACCESSORIES												
CarGen	58.3	36.2	156.0	58.3	19.5	15.3	145.3	0.8		6.5	9.0	3,023
Sameer	15.0	32.2	515.2	17.0	2.1	-0.3	26.7	5.7	0.0	0.9	16.1	10,741
68.4											12.3	
BANKING												
Absa Bank Kenya	25.9	1,086.7	43.2	26.0	14.6	16.4	31.2	1.6	6.8	3.8	6.7	140,449
Diamond Trust	115.3	249.4	67.0	118.0	51.3	10.0	48.2	0.3	6.1	27.3	4.2	95,187
Equity Bank	69.8	2,037.3	44.4	71.0	41.2	19.2	34.1	1.1	6.1	12.3	5.7	758,040
KCB Bank	70.0	1,741.0	75.0	72.5	33.6	23.3	51.5	1.0	4.3	18.7	3.7	1,059,776
HF Group	10.9	158.3	140.6	11.4	3.3	3.8	47.0	1.3	0.0	0.9	12.1	105,698
I&M Holdings	46.0	618.9	26.8	46.0	28.0	7.1	25.0	0.8	6.5	9.3	4.9	106,861
NCBA Bank	85.0	1,083.9	76.3	100.0	40.0	21.4	30.8	1.3	6.5	13.3	6.4	82,815
Stanbic Holdings	194.8	595.9	41.9	202.5	125.0	-2.1	8.2	1.0	10.6	34.7	5.6	108,107
StanChart	311.5	911.0	11.3	347.5	228.0	10.1	-2.4	1.6	14.4	53.1	5.9	223,665
Co-op Bank	22.9	1,039.9	39.2	23.1	13.5	10.6	36.3	0.9	6.6	4.3	5.3	192,035
9,522.3								1.1		5.5		

Source: Bloomberg, Standard Investment Bank, *3m average traded volume

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INSURANCE												
Kenya Re	3.2	139.1	150.8	3.8	1.1	3.5	42.7	0.4	4.7	0.8	4.0	94,651
Britam	8.8	171.9	51.7	9.4	5.4	0.2	15.5	0.8	0.0	2.0	4.4	26,700
CIC Insurance	4.8	106.7	145.1	5.7	1.8	-1.0	41.7	1.3	0.0	0.9	5.1	21,138
Liberty Kenya Holdings	10.5	43.3	66.9	12.1	5.5	-2.8	-1.4	0.5	0.0	2.6	4.0	5,147
Jubilee Holdings	323.8	181.6	86.6	335.5	161.0	-0.5	22.4	0.5	3.6	66.0	4.9	40,746
Sanlam Kenya	8.9	37.3	79.0	11.0	3.9	-1.6	9.1	0.1	0.0	145.7	0.1	2,182
		679.9						0.6			4.3	
INVESTMENT												
Centum	16.4	84.5	66.0	16.8	9.2	5.1	40.2	0.3	2.0	2.1	8.0	8,363
		84.5									8.0	
INVESTMENT SERVICES												
NSE	20.7	41.5	244.2	21.3	5.5	38.1	108.6	2.7	1.5	0.5	45.9	19,690
		41.5									45.9	
MANUFACTURING & ALLIED												
BOC	129.8	19.6	46.2	150.0	76.0	0.6	45.0	1.3	6.7	10.8	12.0	8,476
BAT Kenya	450.0	348.3	19.7	450.8	345.0	5.5	8.5	2.9	11.1	44.8	10.0	65,614
Carbacid	30.7	60.5	46.3	32.2	16.3	10.8	36.5	1.7	5.5	3.9	7.8	7,959
EABL	245.3	1,501.1	39.7	250.0	162.3	13.8	17.1	4.6	4.5	12.0	20.5	272,681
Eveready	1.3	2.1	14.8	1.6	0.8	-7.0	26.9	-3.1	0.0	-0.2	-6.3	1,077
Unga Group	24.5	14.3	63.0	28.3	14.4	-3.2	19.9	0.4	0.0	-5.9	-4.1	1,519
Flame Tree Group	1.8	2.5	81.0	2.3	0.9	15.3	42.5	0.3	0.0	1.1	1.6	1,883
		1,948.4									17.9	
CONSTRUCTION & ALLIED												
Bamburi	60.0	66.1	82.4	62.0	29.0	-1.6	37.3	2.4	0.0	3.8	15.7	800
Crown Berger	60.5	42.1	97.7	64.3	24.5	8.0	27.0	0.3	0.0	11.8	5.1	1,677
		108.3									10.4	
ENERGY & PETROLEUM												
KenGen	10.5	535.9	188.5	10.8	3.3	13.1	41.5	0.2	1.9	1.6	6.6	175,618
Kenya Power	14.4	217.5	199.4	15.8	3.1	1.1	26.3	0.3	0.0	12.5	1.1	170,321
TotalEnergies Kenya	44.9	60.8	124.3	47.0	19.3	31.9	66.7	0.2	4.3	2.4	19.0	10,206
Umeme	7.6	118.4	-54.9	24.8	6.9	-12.3	-20.3	0.1	22.9	2.4	3.1	29,832
		932.6									5.7	
Market ratios								6.62			7.18	

Source: Bloomberg, Standard Investment Bank, *3m average traded volume

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