

Weekly Market Guide

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Introduction

Hon Minister and Permanent Secretary of Lands, Agriculture, Fisheries, Water and Rural Development scoop best performance awards!

It is with great pride that Zimbabwe Farmers' Union congratulates the Hon Minister and Permanent Secretary of Lands, Agriculture, Fisheries, Water and Rural Development for scooping best performance awards in their respective designations for 2022.

Congratulations, Makorokoto, Amhlope!!!

THE MARKET

Table 1. Agricultural urban market prices as at 17 March 2023

| | Chitima Masvingo | Mutapa Gweru | Jahunda Gwanda | Dombotom bo | Mutare | Gadzema | Chipadze | Average price |
|---------------------|---------------------|--------------------|-------------------|----------------|---------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------|
| Apple | \$1 for 5 | \$20/box | \$20 /box | \$1/4 units | \$18/12kg pocket | \$1/4 units | \$1 for 5 | |
| Banana | | \$1/15 units | R130/ crate | \$1/15 units | \$5/18kg | \$1/kg | \$0.90/kg | |
| Oranges | | | | | | | | |
| Butternut | \$3/10kg pocket | \$5/10kg pocket | R100/10kg | \$6/pocket | \$45/50Kg sack | \$4/pocket | \$22/50kg | |
| Cabbage (Medium) | | 0.30/head | \$1/head | \$0.30/ head | \$0.50/head | \$0.30/head | \$0.50/head | \$0.48/head |
| Carrot | - | \$1.80/kg | R10/bundle | | \$40/60kg bag | \$1/bundle | \$1/bundle | |
| Chicken(Br | \$5/bird | \$6 /bird | \$7/bird | \$6/bird | \$5.50/bird | \$6/bird | \$6/bird | \$5.93/bird |
| Chicken (Lyr) | \$6/bird | \$4 /bird | \$5/bird | \$3.5/bird | \$4/bird | \$4/bird | \$3.50/bird | \$4.28/bird |
| Chicken (RR) | \$8/bird | \$7/bird | - | \$5/bird | \$7/bird | \$4/bird | \$6/bird | \$5.83/bird |

| Chillie (Fresh) | | \$1/kg | - | | \$5/gallon | | \$2.50/5kg | |
|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------|---------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| Cowpea | | \$12/20L bucket | \$25/20L bucket | \$20/20L bucket | \$20/20L Bucket | | | \$19.25/20L bucket |
| Cucumber | \$8/20kg bucket | \$1 for 4 | | \$1 for 6 | \$45/50kg sack | \$1 for 6 | \$1 for 6 | |
| Eggs | | | \$3.50/crate | \$4/crate | \$3.50/crate | \$3.50/crate | \$3.50/crate | \$3.52/crate |
| Garlic | | \$1.50/kg | | \$1/punnet | \$25/bucket | \$2/kg | \$3/kg | |
| Green Beans | | \$2/kg | \$6/pocket | | \$6/bucket | \$1/kg | \$25/50kg bag | |
| Green Pepper | | \$1.50/kg | \$6/15kg | | \$5/bucket | \$1/kg | \$2/kg | |
| G/nut (fresh) | \$7/bucket | \$5/bucket | \$10/bucket | | \$7/bucket | | | |
| G/nut(Shell ed) | \$35/20L bucket | \$30/20L bucket | \$40/bucket | \$25/20L bucket | \$40/20L bucket | \$25/20L bucket | | \$32.50/20L bucket |
| G/nut(Uns helled) | \$6/20L bucket | | \$10/bucket | \$8/20L bucket | \$8/20L bucket | \$6/20L bucket | | \$7.60/20L bucket |
| Honey (Wild) | \$2/500ml | \$2/750ml | \$3/500ml | | \$2/500ml | \$2/500ml | \$3.50/375m | |
| Maize(Grai n) | \$7.50/20L bucket | \$7/20L bucket | \$6/20L bucket | \$6/20L bucket | \$7/20L bucket | \$5/20L bucket | \$3/20L bucket | \$5.93/20L bucket |
| Okra | | \$16/20L bucket | \$15/20kg sack | \$2.5/gallon | \$10/20L bucket | \$3/gallon | \$2/gallon | |
| Green Mealies | \$1 for 5 | \$1 for 10 | R70/dozen | \$1 for 7 | \$1for 7 | \$1 for8 | \$1 for 12 | \$1 for 7 |
| Finger Millet | \$6/20L bucket | \$25/20L bucket | \$10/20L bucket | | \$10/20L bucket | \$24/bucket | \$22/20L Bucket | \$16.16/20L bucket |
| Pearl Millet | \$7/bucket | \$8/20L bucket | \$10/20L bucket | | \$30/20L bucket | \$12/bucket | \$15/20L bucket | \$13.67/20L bucket |
| Onion (Dried) | \$10/10kg pocket | \$9/10 kg | R100/10kg pocket | \$8/10kg pocket | \$30-35/ 50kg | | \$10/10kg pocket | \$8.80/10kg pocket |
| Onion (Shallots) | | \$1/bundle | \$1.50/bundl e | | | \$0.50/bund le | \$1/bundle | |
| Potato (Large) | \$9/15kg pocket | \$10/15kg pocket | R150/10Kg | \$9/15kg pocket | \$9/15kg pocket | \$6/15kg pocket | \$10/15kg pocket | \$8.83/15kg pocket |

| Potato(Me d) Rape/Covo | \$8/15kg pocket \$0.30/bundl | \$7/15kg pocket \$1.50/bundl | R100/10kg pkt R70/ | \$8/15kg pocket \$0.50/bundl | \$8/15kg \$0.25/bundl | \$5/15kg pocket \$1/bundle | \$8/15kg pocket \$1.50/bund | \$7.33/15kg pocket |
|--------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------|
| Kape/Covo | e | e e | bundle | e e | e e | φι/buildic | le | |
| R/nut (fresh) | \$8/20L bucket | \$7/20L bucket | | | | | | |
| R/nut (Shelled) | \$36/20L bucket | \$40/20L bucket | | | \$40/20L bucket | \$30/20L bucket | \$35/20L bucket | \$36.2/20L bucket |
| Sorgh (White) | \$6/20L bucket | \$8/20L bucket | \$10/20kg | \$10/20L bucket | \$10/20L bucket | \$8/20L bucket | \$7.50/20L bucket | \$8.50/20L bucket |
| Sugar Beans | \$15/20L bucket | \$22/20L bucket | \$25/20L bucket | \$26/20L bucket | \$25/20L bucket | \$18/20L bucket | \$25/20L bucket | \$22.28/20L bucket |
| Sweet Potato | | \$6/20L bucket | R150/20L bucket | \$5/bucket | \$6/20L bucket | \$2/gallon | | |
| Tomatoes (Jam) | | \$24/30kg crate | | | \$25/crate | \$24/crate | \$8/30kg crate | |
| Tomatoes (Round) | \$12/20L bucket | \$14/30kg crate | \$14/ crate | \$12/crate | \$15/20L bucket | \$20/crate | \$6.50/crate | \$13.10/30k g crate |
| Mufushwa(cov) | \$8/20L bucket | \$4/20L bucket | \$9/gallon | \$7/20L bucket | \$8/20L bucket | \$8/20L bucket | \$15/20L bucket | \$9.57/20L bucket |
| Mufushwa(nyeve) | | \$25/20L bucket | \$10/gallon | | \$15/bucket | \$8/20L bucket | \$15/20L bucket | \$15.75/20L bucket |
| Mufushwa(nyemba) | \$8/20L bucket | \$6/20L bucket | \$10/gallon | \$7/20L bucket | \$15/bucket | \$8/20L bucket | \$15/20L bucket | \$13/20L bucket |
| Mufushwa (black jack) | | \$20/20L bucket | | | | | | |
| Macimbi | \$35/20L bucket | \$28/20L bucket | \$30/20L bucket | | \$35/bucket | \$40/20L bucket | \$30/20L bucket | \$32.50/20L bucket |
| Matemba | \$50/20L bucket | \$40/20L bucket | \$45/20L bucket | \$40/20L bucket | \$45/bucket | | | \$42.67/20L bucket |

Table 2. Farm produce wanted/ for sale

| Product | Location | Quantity available | Product price | Category |
|---------|----------|-----------------------|---------------|----------|
| Onions | Harare | 2 tons/week | | Wanted |

| Carrots, cucumbers, cabbages, potatoes, tomatoes, pepper, peas, green beans | Harare | 2000kg/week | Wanted |
|---|--------|-------------|--------|
| Beef, chicken, pork, goat, lamb, ducks | Harare | | Wanted |

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