



AGRICULTURAL MARKETING AUTHORITY

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GRAINS AND OILSEEDS

Table 1: Grain Producer Prices

Product	Buyer	Purchase Price (RTG\$/t)	Contact Details	Payment
Maize	GMB	4,000	0242-701885-99	14 days transfer
Sorghum	GMB (White)	4,000	0242-701885-99	14 days Transfer
	Delta (Red)	US\$260 (converted at prevailing interbank rate)	0712614152/ 0712639336	Transfer
Rapoko	GMB	4,000	0242-704538	14 days transfer
Millet	GMB	4,000	0242-701885-99	14 days transfer
Sugar beans	PHI	18,000	0779157398	7 days transfer
	Tafllo	15,375	0775386077	Transfer
	Tabacha	5,024	0777439874	Transfer
	GMB	4,800	0242-701885-99	14 days transfer
Wheat	GMB	8,612.08	0242-701885-99	14 days
	PHI	4,000	0773381825	7 days transfer

OILSEEDS**Table 2: Oilseed Producer Prices**

Product	Buyer	Purchase Price (RTG\$/t)	Contact Details	Payment
Groundnuts	GMB (unshelled)	1,000 – 2,000 (depending on grade)	0242-701885-99	Transfer
	Taflo(shelled)	7,526	0775386077	Transfer
	Taflo(unshelled)	3,140	0775386077	Transfer
	Tabacha (shelled)	12,000	0777439874	Transfer
	Tabacha (unshelled)	7,500	0777439874	Transfer
Soya beans	GMB	4,000	0242-701885-99	14 days transfer
	PHI	5,200	0773381825 or 0779157398	Transfer
	Staywell	11,000	0772235 558/ 0773502 799	7 days transfer
	Hyperfeeds	6,000	0778 828 849	Transfer
	Taflo	4,200	0775386077	Transfer
	United Refineries	9 500	0774932 740	Transfer

BUTTERNUTS FOR SALE

A farmer is selling butternuts. Kindly call 0778 649 492 for more details.

ROLLER MEAL PRICES

Table 3: Roller Meal Prices

PRODUCT	RTGS\$/10kg		
	Mbare	Down-Town	Supermarkets
Silo Roller Meal	75 - 80	80	-
Red Seal Roller Meal	55 - 70	-	49.50
Impilo Roller Meal	70 - 85	85	-
Continental Roller Meal	55 - 60	-	49.99
Parrogate Roller Meal	60	-	-
Chibataura Roller Meal	-	68 - 70	49.50

HORTICULTURE

Table 4: Horticultural Produce Retail Prices as at 17 January 2020 at Mbare Musika and Bulawayo CBD Market.

Commodity	Mbare Musika (RTGS\$/kg)			Bulawayo CBD Market (RTGS\$/KG)		
	3 Jan 20	10 Jan 20	17 Jan 20	3 Jan 20	10 Jan 20	17 Jan 20
Potatoes (medium) (RTGS\$/kg)	12.00	13.00	13.00	11.00	10.00	12.00
Potatoes (large) (RTGS\$/kg)	13.00	14.00	16.00	13.00	13.00	13.00
Tomatoes (RTGS\$/kg)	10.00	12.00	14.00	16.50	16.00	16.00
Onions (dried) (RTGS\$/kg)	13.00	13.00	12.00	13.00	14.00	14.00
Onions (green) (RTGS\$/kg)	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Butternuts (RTGS\$/kg)	15.00	15.00	15.00	16.00	16.00	16.00
Cabbages (per head)	10.00	10.00	13.00	10.00	15.00	12.00
Rape/Covo (RTGS\$/kg)	10.00	13.00	12.00	9.00	12.00	12.00
Sugar beans (RTGS\$/kg)	19.00	20.00	20.00	20.00	20.00	20.00
Groundnuts(unshelled) (\$/kg)	23.00	23.00	20.00	ns	ns	ns
Groundnuts (shelled)	ns	ns	ns	20.00	20.00	25.00
Roundnuts (unshelled) (\$/kg)	19.00	19.00	19.00	ns	ns	ns
Roundnuts (shelled) (RTGS\$/kg)	ns	ns	ns	19.50	19.00	19.00
Rice (local) (RTGS\$/kg)	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Millet (RTGS\$/kg)	ns	ns	ns	6.00	5.00	5.00
Sorghum (RTGS\$/kg)	6.00	6.00	6.00	ns	ns	ns
Sweet Potatoes (RTGS\$/kg)	10.00	12.00	15.00	ns	ns	ns
Yams (RTGS\$/kg)	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Carrots (RTGS\$/kg)	14.00	14.00	15.00	12.00	15.00	15.00
Cucumbers (RTGS\$/kg)	8.00	8.00	10.00	11.00	15.00	10.00
Maize (dried) (RTGS\$/kg)	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00
Green mealies (dozen)	36.00	36.00	36.00	30.00	40.00	45.00
Apples (local) (RTGS\$/kg)	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Apples (Imported) (RTGS\$/kg)	25.00	25.00	25.00	35.00	ns	ns
Bananas (RTGS\$/kg)	10.50	10.00	10.00	8.50	9.50	9.50
Naartjies (RTGS\$/kg)	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Oranges (RTGS\$/kg)	ns	ns	ns	8.50	ns	ns
Garlic (RTGS\$/kg)	40.00	40.00	40.00	60.00	65.00	60.00
Green Pepper (RTGS\$/kg)	20.00	20.00	22.00	20.00	24.00	24.00

ns - No supply

- ✚ At Mbare Musika, the price of large potatoes, tomatoes, cabbages, carrots, cucumbers, green pepper and sweet potatoes increased while the price of onions, covo and unshelled groundnuts decreased. The price of other commodities remained stable.
- ✚ At the Bulawayo Market, the average price of medium potatoes, shelled groundnuts and green mealies increased while the prices of cabbages, cucumbers and garlic decreased. The price of other commodities remained stable.

Table 5: Agricultural Produce Prices at Bindura Chipadze, Bulawayo Renkini and Mutare Sakubva Markets as at 17 January 2020

Commodity	Measure	Bindura Chipanze Market (RTGS\$)	Bulawayo Renkini Market (RTGS\$)	Dombotom bo Marondera (RTGS\$)	Mutare Sakubva Market (RTGS\$)
		17 Jan 20	17 Jan 20	17 Jan 20	17 Jan 20
Cowpeas	20l tin (20 kg)	300.00	300.00	400.00	360.00
Groundnuts Shelled	20l tin (20 kg)	ns	410.00	425.00	450.00
Groundnuts	20l tin (20 kg)	360.00	ns	100.00	200.00
Groundnuts Fresh	20l tin (20 kg)	ns	ns	-	Ns
Maize (grain)	20l tin (20 kg)	80.00	80.00	-	120.00
Sweet potatoes	Pocket (10 kg)	ns	ns	-	80.00
Roundnuts	20l tin (20 kg)	380.00	340.00	350.00	380.00
Sugar beans	20l tin (20 kg)	430.00	400.00	420.00	430.00
Wheat	20l tin (20 kg)	250.00	200.00	-	400.00
Butternuts	Each	ns	ns	2.00	5.00
Cabbages	Head	15.00	15.00	8.00	20.00
Carrots	Bundle	15.00	12.00	5.00	10.00
Cucumber	Each	ns	ns	1.50	3.00
Irish Potatoes	Pocket (15 kg)	120.00	130.00	160.00	170.00
Onion dried	Pocket (15 kg)	120.00	125.00	-	130.00
Rape/ Covo	Bundle	20.00	20.00	30.00	15.00
Tomatoes	Small box	280.00	320.00	100.00	180.00
Apples	Per kg	ns	ns	14.00	10.00
Avocado pears	Each	ns	ns	-	3.00
Bananas	Crate(20kg)	90.00	80.00	-	75.00
Oranges	Pocket	ns	ns	-	ns
Eggs	Crate (30 eggs)	65.00	65.00	-	50.00
Chicken	Bird (broiler)	100.00	100.00	80.00	100.00
Goats	Each	ns	600.00	-	600.00
Cattle	Beast	ns	ns	-	ns
Sheep	Each	ns	ns	-	ns
Sorghum	20 liter tin	90.00	80.00	120.00	100.00
Matemba	20 litre tin	600.00	450.00	560.00	680.00

LIVESTOCK & MEAT

Table 6: Koala and Surrey Meats beef wholesale prices as at 17 January 2020

PRODUCT	Price (RTGS\$/kg)			
	MANUFACTURING		ECONOMY	
	Surrey Meats	Koala	Surrey Meats	Koala
Forequarter	43.00	-	59.00	65.00
Hindquarter	43.00	-	70.00	85.00
Side	64.50	50.00	-	-
Ration	-	-	-	-

PRODUCT	Price (RTGS\$/kg)					
	COMMERCIAL		CHOICE		SUPER	
	Surrey Meats	Koala	Surrey Meats	Koala	Surrey Meats	Koala
Forequarter	64.00	-	65.00	-	74.00	70.00
Hindquarter	86.00	-	-	-	104.00	104.00
Side	-	72.00	96.00	-	-	-
Ration	-	-	-	-	-	-

OFFALS	Price (RTGS\$/kg)	
	Koala	Surrey Meats
Casings	10.00	22.00
Rough	15.00	27.00
Liver	45.00	60.00
Oxtail	95.00	75.00
Ox tongue	60.00	60.00
Lungs	28.00	25.00
Cowheels	20.00	40.00
Ox head without tongue	80.00	75.00
Ox head with tongue	-	-
Bybles	35.00	18.00
Kidney	68.00	60.00
Tripe	40.00	-

CATTLE SALES

Table 7: CC Sales Mount Hampden 17 January 2020

GRADE	Average Price (RTGS\$/kg)				
	6 Dec 19	13 Dec 19	18 Dec 19	8 Jan 20	17 Jan 20
SUPER	36.05	-	-	-	29.02
CHOICE	-	30.12	30.12	-	31.86
COMMERCIAL	24.66	25.25	25.25	32.58	18.06
ECONOMY	23.43	23.71	23.71	30.04	24.95
MANUFACTURING	-	15.50	15.50	-	17.71
WEANER HEIFERS	42.05	45.77	45.77	60.39	37.53
BULLING HEIFERS	30.90	30.33	30.33	34.41	32.71
COWS & CALVES	-	27.05	27.05	31.02	23.78
WEANER STEERS	32.47	27.81	27.81	35.93	34.66
LONG WEANER HEIFERS	-	35.09	35.09	54.12	37.90
LONG WEANER STEERS	36.99	26.16	26.16	33.76	31.45
FEEDER STEERS	27.57	28.73	28.73	35.01	34.03
COMMUNAL WEANER STEERS	-	-	-	-	27.39
COMMUNAL WEANER HEIFERS	-	-	-	-	24.85
BULLS	-	-	-	-	-

- ✚ The average price per kilogram of commercial, economy, weaner heifers, bulling heifers, cows & calves, weaner steers, long weaner heifers, long weaner steers and feeder steers decreased.

INTERNATIONAL COMMODITY PRICES

Table 8: International Commodity Prices as at 16 January 2020

Commodity	Safex (R/mt) Futures Prices as at 16 Jan 20	Safex ¹ (US\$/mt) Futures Prices as at 16 Jan 20	US GULF (US\$/mt) Spot Price as at 16 Jan 20	CBOT (US\$/mt) Futures Prices as at 16 Jan 20	Cot look A Index (USc/Pound) as at 16 Jan 20
White Maize	2 900	201.53	-	-	-
Yellow Maize	2816	195.69	172.18	152.51	-
Wheat (HRW)	-	-	229.28	-	-
Wheat (SRW)	4 545	315.84	250.13	210.61	-
Soya beans	4 918	341.77	359.99	341.20	-
Sorghum	3 215	223.41	-	-	-
Cotton	-	-	-	-	80.20

- The price of white maize increased on the SAFEX market from **US\$200.42/mt** last week to **US\$201.53/mt** this week.
- The price of yellow maize increased on the SAFEX, US GULF and CBOT markets from **US\$191.64/mt**, **US\$169.91/mt** and **US\$151.25/mt** last week to **US\$195.69/mt**, **US\$172.18/mt** and **US\$152.51/mt** this week respectively.
- The price of wheat increased on the SAFEX, US GULF and CBOT markets from **US\$313.67/mt**, **US\$242.60/mt** and **US\$203.04/mt**, last week to **US\$315.84/mt**, **US\$250.13/mt**, and **US\$210.61/mt** this week respectively.
- The price of soya beans decreased on the SAFEX, US GULF and CBOT markets from **US\$352.90/mt**, **US\$366.60/mt** and **US\$344.72/mt** last week to **US\$341.77/mt**, **US\$359.99/mt** and **US\$341.20/mt** this week respectively.
- The price of sorghum decreased on SAFEX market from **US\$227.90/mt** last week to **US\$223.41/mt** this week.
- Cotlook 'A' Index increased from **USc78.50/Pound** last week to **USc80.20/Pound** this week.

¹ US\$/Rand exchange rate is US\$1=14.39