



MARKET ANALYSIS: HORTICULTURE 08 – 12 May 2023

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HORTICULTURE PRICES: FRESH PRODUCE MARKET (Average on the Pretoria and Johannesburg Markets)							
	Unit/ Kg	Current price (08-12 May 2023) Avg. Price/	Previous Week (01 – 05 May 2023) Avg. Price/ Unit	% Change	Average Price/ Kg	Estimate Average Price /ton	Ind
		Unit	VEGETABLES				
Baby marrow	5 Kg	R52,35	R57,15	8.39	R10,47	R10470	↓
Beans	3 Kg	R32,22	R50,49	36.18	R10,74	R10740	→
Beetroot	3 Kg	R19,38	R22,89	15.33	R6,46	R6460	\rightarrow
Butternut	10 Kg	R47,10	R50,00	5.80	R4,71	R4710	\downarrow
Cabbage	10 Kg	R146,50	R43,30	238.33	R14,65	R14650	1
Carrots	10 Kg	R78,80	R87,00	9.42	R7,88	R7880	\
Chillies	5 Kg	R79,55	R74,20	25.87	R15,91	R15910	<u> </u>
Cucumber	10 Kg	R112,00	R124,00	9.67	R11,20	R11200	\
Garlic	5 Kg	R316,00	R29,02	988.00	R63,20	R63200	↑
Green Pepper	5 Kg	R48,65	R59,05	17.61	R9,73	R9730	<u> </u>
Lettuce	1 Kg	R7,35	R10,21	28.01	R7,35	R7350	→
Okra	5 Kg	R77,30	R67,50	14.51	R15,46	R15460	1
Onions	10 Kg	R144,20	R128,50	12.21	R14,42	R14420	1
Potatoes	10 Kg	R62,10	R58,30	6.51	R6,21	R6210	1
Red Pepper	5 Kg	R175,00	R57,15	206.21	R35,00	R35000	1
Spinach	3 Kg	R7,44	R9,48	21.51	R2,48	R2480	↓
Sweet Potato	10 Kg	R28,90	R35,90	19.49	R2,89	R2890	\rightarrow
Tomatoes	10 Kg	R77,20	R97,40	20.73	R7,72	R7720	\rightarrow
Yellow Pepper	5 Kg	R49,10	R68,05	27.84	R9,82	R9820	\downarrow
			FRUIT				
Avocado	10 Kg	R100,40	R106,80	5.99	R10,04	R10040	\downarrow
Bananas	3 Kg	R21,42	R20,70	3.48	R7,14	R7140	\uparrow
Grapes	1 Kg	R33,12	R33,07	0.15	R33,12	R33120	\uparrow
Mango	1 Kg	R27,87	R30,78	9.45	R27,87	R27870	\downarrow
Oranges	10 Kg	R48,40	R50,30	3.77	R4,84	R4840	\rightarrow

Although everything has been done to ensure accuracy of this information, LDARD takes no responsibility for actions or losses that might occur due to the use of the information.

CABBAGE UP

Prices increased by 238,33% to R14650/ton due to a decrease in volumes, however this trend is expected to level out in the short term, supported by sufficient supplies and demand.

CARROTS DOWN

Prices decreased by 9,42% to R7880/ton. Prices are, however, expected to decline until June where larger volumes may stabilise the price.

ONIONS UP

Prices increased by 12,21% to R14420/ton. Low stock level has led to the current onion price which

may likely normalise or level-out as volume increases towards June.

POTATOES UP

Prices increased by 6,51% to R6210/ton. Volumes are expected to level out and then rise, following seasonal trends and supported by lower volumes.

TOMATOES DOWN

Prices decreased by 20,73% to R7720/ton. Prices are expected to increase slightly in the short-term and level-out in the medium term due to lower supplies.