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MARKET INFORMATION SUMMARY: VEGETABLES

PERIOD UNDER REVIEW: NOVEMBER 2017 TO NOVEMBER 2018



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Monthly vegetable market report



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**Trend analysis relating to Vegetable Sales on the Cape Town Fresh Produce Market:
in terms of Volumes (tons sold) and Prices (Rand per ton)**



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Agricultural Marketing Information Systems (AMIS)

What is AMIS ?

- The Agricultural Marketing Information Systems (AMIS) is a database interface offered by the Department of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries (DAFF).
- The main purpose of the Agricultural Marketing Information System (AMIS) is to provide reliable & updated information to farmers. In order to assist farmers to plan activities relating to production and marketing in a much informed manner.
- Agricultural market information is provided for horticulture, field crops, livestock and industrial products, and includes the following categories:
 - marketing prices,
 - grading and standard information,
 - annual price trends, and
 - marketing news (pertaining to the application procedures for import and export permits).

How to access AMIS?

- To access the [DAFF AMIS](http://webapps.daff.gov.za/amis) website address go to <http://webapps.daff.gov.za/amis> (no subscription fee payable to access system), or alternatively send a sms to *120*4040# (sms charges apply)
- Note: Prices are updated on a daily basis, after 12h00 am.

SUMMARISED MARKET INFORMATION REPORT: VEGETABLES

Produce Name	Average tons Traded for November 2018 (tons) A-Z	Percentage Change (m/m)	Percentage Change (y/y)	Average Price Obtained for November 2018 (Rand/ton)	Percentage Change (m/m)	Percentage Change (y/y)
1.1 Potatoes	9152	-2.7%	-6.7%	4406.6	9.8%	31.7%
1.2 Onions	2881.8	-6.1%	-4.6%	3860.5	-6.2%	-2.2%
1.3 Tomatoes	2786.3	9.2%	7.7%	8191.9	-25.3%	11.5%
1.4 Carrots	615.4	-16.2%	-29.9%	3140.8	-13%	28.1%
1.5 Butternut	588.5	-37.4%	-11.4%	5924.9	20.9%	10.9%
1.6 Cabbage	569.6	1%	7.2%	1729.4	-8.3%	-9.9%
1.7 Peppers	490.2	2.1%	-25.2%	16023.8	-19.9%	42.8%

SUMMARISED MARKET INFORMATION REPORT: VEGETABLES (Cont.)

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1.8 Sweet potatoes	307.2	100%	-44.1%	4078.2	100%	37.1%
1.9 Pumpkin	226.7	-52.3%	0.3%	4200.3	37.5%	-7.6%
1.10 Gem squash	212.2	43.3%	11.8%	3634.2	-32.4%	-28.2%
1.11 Cauliflower	161.4	-35.3%	1.9%	7181.4	49.6%	17.2%
1.12 Beetroot	130.7	18.2%	26.4%	3052.4	-29.3%	-5.5%

SUMMARISED MARKET INFORMATION REPORT: VEGETABLES (Cont.)

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1.13 Lettuce	116.2	100%	9399.5	100%
1.14 Green beans	67.2	100%	11525.7	100%
1.15 Baby marrow	55.9	-30.25	9656.1	-15.8%
1.16 Broccoli	55.2	100%	18536	100%
1.17 Brinjas	52.7	25.2%	12496.6	-40.7%
1.18 Sweetcorn	50.6	53.3%	15519.3	-22.7%
1.19 Spinach	39.9	-16.1%	7256.5	-0.7%
1.20 Spring onion	21.1	-5.8%	8536.6	-2.9%

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1.21 Leeks	17.1	13.2%	6265.5	-14.5%
1.22 Patty pans	5.2	23.8%	17608	-26.3%
1.23 Mushrooms	4.8	100%	53091	100%
1. 24 Radish	2.3	100S%	10465.9	100%
1.25 Marrow	0.7	100%	2911.5	100%
1.26 Hubbard	0.5	100%	500	95.8%
1.27 Spring onion	0.4	-5.8%	8536.6	-2.9%

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