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# **MARKET INFORMATION SUMMARY: VEGETABLES**

PERIOD UNDER REVIEW: October 2019 To October 2020



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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 October 2020 (tons) A-Z	Percentage Change (m/m)	Percentage Change (y/y)	Average Price Obtained for October 2020 (Rand/ton)	Percentage Change (m/m)	Percentage Change (y/y)
<b>1,1 Potatoes</b>	6 753,8	3,7%	-29,9%	7 931,7	9,4%	65,1%
<b>1,2 Onions</b>	2 562,9	33,6%	-5,5%	4 769,7	-6,4%	10,6%
<b>1,3 Tomatoes</b>	2 356,3	-5,7%	-13,8%	11 621,1	13,5%	49,7%
<b>1,4 Carrots</b>	657,6	-4,8%	-9,8%	3 661,3	-2,3%	1,0%
<b>1,5 Cabbage</b>	605,8	22,8%	17,0%	3 032,6	-31,4%	36,5%
<b>1,6 Peppers</b>	490,6	16,3%	-7,1%	18 831,3	7,8%	14,5%
<b>1,7 Butternut</b>	440,1	-20,6%	-39,1%	11 621,1	43,1%	83,4%

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<b>1,8 English cucumber</b>	357,3	84,5%	-9,2%	8 472,7	-50,2%	6,8%
<b>1,9 Sweet potato</b>	202,3	-38,1%	-56,4%	9 162,0	98,3%	215,0%
<b>1,10 Lettuce</b>	164,8	52,7%	-58,1%	9 416,8	-44,7%	18,7%
<b>1,11 Pumpkin</b>	154,6	-39,8%	-56,7%	9 360,7	42,0%	160,1%
<b>1,12 Cauliflower</b>	129,6	13,4%	-67,1%	13 166,5	-11,9%	65,9%
<b>1,13 Gem squash</b>	122,0	37,2%	-33,6%	9 969,7	-42,0%	115,6%
<b>1,14 Beetroot</b>	93,4	27,7%	-16,7%	4 971,5	-31,4%	46,8%

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1,15 Green beans	89,8	-3,2%	12 595,8	-16,5%
1,16 Broccoli	88,0	25,6%	13 400,7	-3,2%
1,17 Baby marrow	66,5	28,8%	13 361,1	10,8%
1,18 Sweetcorn	48,3	47,4%	19 411,5	-13,3%
1,19 Brinjas	43,9	18,6%	13 116,2	-13,5%
1,20 Spinach	33,2	22,6%	10 852,0	-16,7%
1,21 Spring onion	28,9	29,9%	9 165,3	-28,2%

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1,22 Leeks	14,0	-35,3%	2 997,6	-31,8%
1,23 Patty pans	6,0	150,8%	19 098,7	-13,2%
1, 24Mushrooms	5,0	6,7%	48 835,4	-6,2%
1,25 Radish	2,2	2,9%	11 707,8	-13,7%
1,26 Marrow	0	0	0	0
1,27 Hubbard	0	0	0	0

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