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MARKET INFORMATION SUMMARY: VEGETABLES

PERIOD UNDER REVIEW: February 2020 To February 2021



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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 February 2021 (tons) A-Z	Percentage Change (m/m)	Percentage Change (y/y)	Average Price Obtained for February 2021 (Rand/ton)	Percentage Change (m/m)	Percentage Change (y/y)
1,1 Potatoes	7 180,8	8,0%	1,0%	3 951,8	8,7%	8,2%
1,2 Tomatoes	2 455,5	-12,7%	-8,3%	8 781,7	73,8%	10,2%
1,3 Onions	1 942,9	-22,8%	-18,8%	3 954,5	5,8%	3,5%
1,4 Butternut	798,2	-6,2%	6,8%	2 340,5	-3,5%	-23,6%
1,5 Peppers	759,9	12,8%	-5,7%	8 182,0	14,7%	7,9%
1,6 Pumpkin	565,1	-3,4%	34,7%	2 137,9	-25,4%	-18,3%
1.7 Carrots	563,1	-4,7%	6,9%	3 746,7	17,1%	21,6%

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1,8 Cabbage	363,4	15,0%	33,8%	2 581,9	20,7%	-34,2%
1,9 English cucumber	305,7	-18,9%	7,8%	9 250,2	48,6%	-28,8%
1,10 Gem squash	290,4	6,0%	7,8%	4 138,0	60,2%	-8,8%
1,11 Lettuce	121,5	0,8%	-57,2%	17 550,9	50,5%	35,1%
1,12 Sweet potato	117,3	-7,0%	-43,9%	10 267,0	4,8%	83,5%

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1,14 Beetroot	112,9	10,5%	3 140,2	-20,1%
1,15 Green beans	49,1	-40,3%	17 147,8	97,8%
1,16 Cauliflower	47,1	-35,4%	22 451,6	81,9%
1,17 Brinjals	45,3	-13,7%	7 141,5	21,9%
1,18 Broccoli	36,4	-1,3%	27 716,4	18,8%
1,19 Spring onion	22,1	9,0%	9 990,9	36,3%
1,20 Baby marrow	17,5	-1,9%	15 971,1	47,3%

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1.21 Hubbard squash	17,1	-23,9%	1 446,4	-37,0%
1,22 Leeks	12,0	13,3%	5 714,3	-3,5%
1.23 Spinach	10,8	13,6%	15 966,2	14,9%
1.24 Mushrooms	5,9	15,7%	46 752,5	4,3%
1,25 Radish	2,0	0,0%	12 861,5	36,1%
1, 26 Patty pans	1,9	-30,5%	20 158,8	76,3%
1,27 Marrow	1,5	-70,2%	3 876,2	272,6%

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