

# GOAT MONTHLY REPORT



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This report provides price trends in the South African livestock market. It provides average monthly producer selling prices (R/kg) of live goats excluding value added tax.

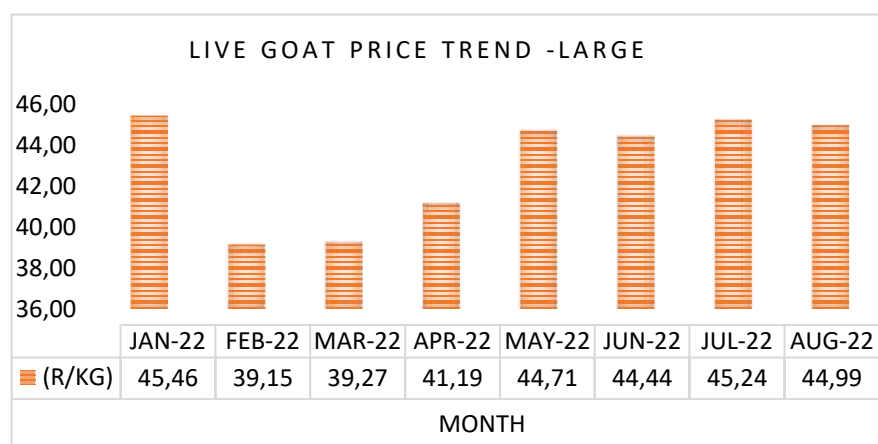
Table 1: Live goat- Average monthly producer selling prices (excluding VAT) in R/kg

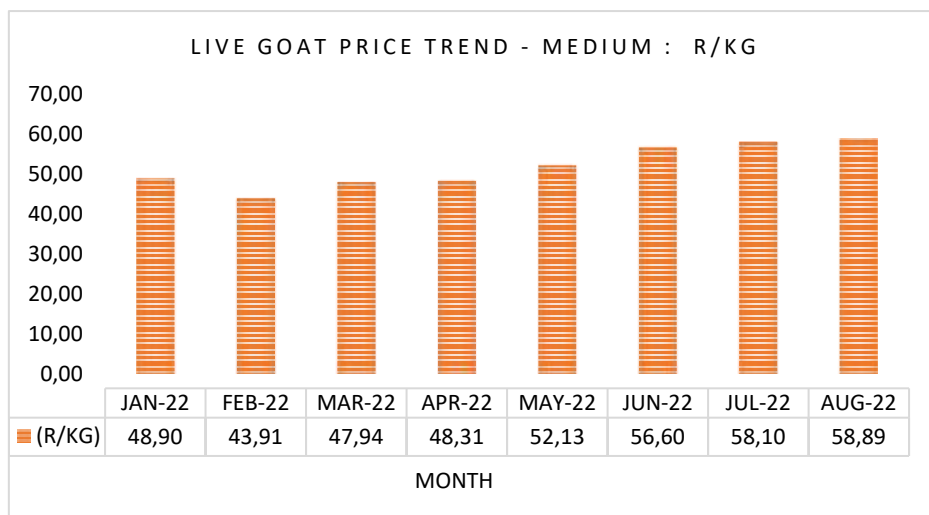
Month	Large (>40kg) (R/kg)	Medium (30-40 kg) (R/kg)	Small (<30 kg) (R/kg)	Ewes (R/kg)
Aug-22	44,99	58,89	71,55	55,45
Jul-22	45,24	58,10	72,95	53,08
Aug-21	72,25	56,52	40,85	46,41
Δ m/m	-0,6%	1,3%	-1,9%	4,4%
Δ y/y	-37,7%	4,2%	75,1%	19,5%

During the reporting period, August 2022, average local prices for live goats (except for small and large) increased from prices recorded in July 2022. When comparing year on year prices, there was an increase in local goat prices (except for large goats) in August 2022 compared to August 2021.

### Large goat price trend

- In August 2022, the average price for a large goat was R44, 99 per kg, which is 0, 6 % lower than in July 2022.
- Year on year average prices for a large goat decreased by 37, 7 % in August 2022 compared to August 2021.



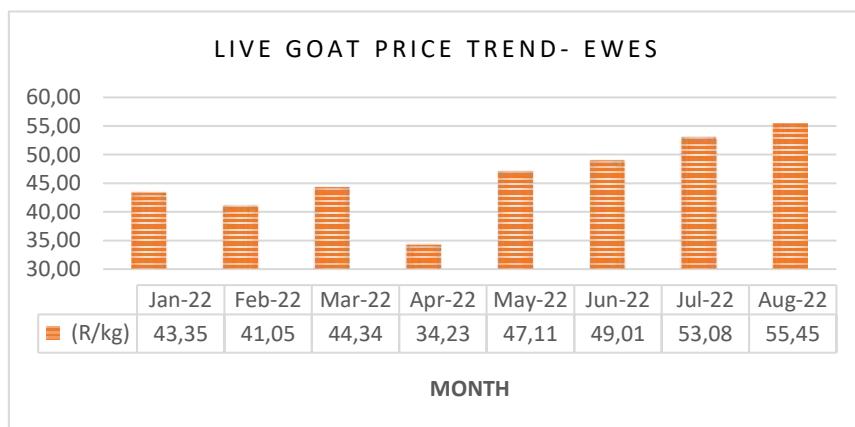
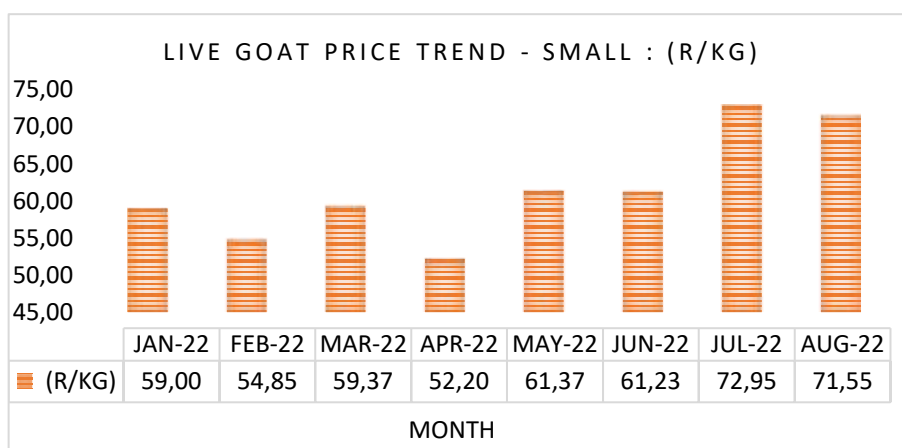


### Medium goat price trend

- In August 2022, the average price for a medium goat was R58, 89 per kg, which is 1,3 % higher than in July 2022.
- Year on year average prices for a medium goat show an increase of 4,2 % between August 2021 and August 2022.

### Small goat price trend

- During August 2022, average price for a small goat was R71, 55 per kg, which is 1, 9 % price decrease from July 2022.
- Year on year small goat showed a 75, 1% average price increase compared to same period last year.



### Live goat price trend (Ewes)

- In August 2022, the average price for ewes was R55, 45 per kg, which is 4, 4 % higher than in July 2022.
- Year on year average prices in August 2022 were 19, 5% higher than last year during the same period.

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