

MUTTON MONTHLY REPORT



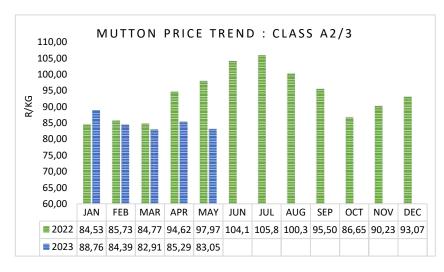
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This report provides price trends in the South African livestock market. It provides average monthly producer prices (R/kg) of mutton and feeder lambs excluding value added tax.

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

Month	A2/3 (R/kg)	B2/3 (R/kg)	C2/3 (R/kg)	Storage Lamb (R/kg)
May-23	83,05	58,78	55,04	41,64
Apr-23	85,29	62,59	58,05	41,08
May-22	97,97	76,66	71,50	48,28
Δ m/m	-2,6%	-6,1%	-5,2%	1,4%
Δ y/y	-15,2%	-23,3%	-23,0%	-13,7%

During the reporting period, May 2023, average local prices for mutton (except for lamb) have decreased from prices recorded in April 2023. When comparing year on year prices, there is a decrease in local prices for mutton in May 2023 compared to the same period last year.



Class A2/3 Price trend

- o In May 2023, the average price for Class A Mutton was R83, 05 per kg which is 2, 6% lower than in April 2023.
- Year on year average prices for Class A decreased by 15, 2 % in May 2023 compared to May 2022.

Class B2/3 Price trend

- In May 2023, the average price for mutton Class B was recorded to be R58, 78 per kg, which is 6, 1% lower than in April 2023.
- Year on year average prices for Class B are showing a decrease of 23, 3% between May 2022 and May 2023.



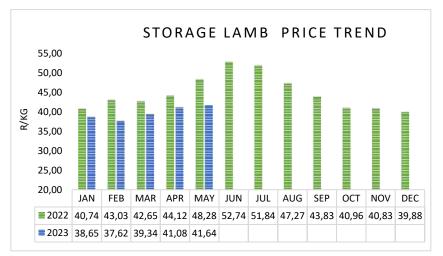


Class C2 /3 Price trend

- o During May 2023, average price for Class C was R55, 04 per kg, which is a 5, 2 % price decrease when compared to April 2023.
- Year on year Class C prices showed a 23 % average price decrease compared to same period last year.

Storage Lamb Price trend

- In May 2023, average price for Storage Lamb was R41, 64 per kg, which is 1, 4 % higher than in April 2023.
- Year on year average prices in May 2023 were 13, 7% lower than last year during the same period.



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