

# 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.

Month	Large (>40kg) (R/kg)	Medium (30-40 kg) (R/kg)	Small (<30 kg) (R/kg)	Ewes (R/kg)
Feb-24	42,54	40,83	49,75	38,34
Jan-24	43,44	37,26	46,79	37,52
Feb-23	34,80	44,99	55,07	36,04
∆ m/m	-2,1%	9,6%	6,3%	2,2%
Δ y/y	22,2%	-9,3%	-9,7%	6,4%

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

During the reporting period, February 2024, average local prices for live goats increased (except large goats) from prices recorded in January 2024. When comparing year on year prices, there was an increase (except medium and small goats) in local goat prices in February 2024 compared to February 2023.



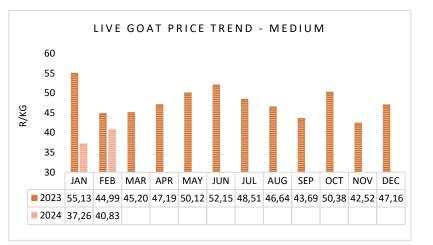
### Large goat price trend

• In February 2024, the average price for a large goat was R42,54 per kg, which is 2,1 % lower than in January 2024.

• Large goat prices increased by 22,2% in February 2024 compared to February 2023.

#### Medium goat price trend

- In February 2024, the average price for a medium goat was R40,83 per kg, which is 9,6% higher than in January 2024.
- Year on year average prices for a medium goat show a decrease of 9,3 % between February 2023 and February 2024.





#### Small goat price trend

 During February 2024, average price for a small goat was R49,75 per kg, which is a 6,3 % price increase from January 2024.

 Year on year small goat prices showed an 9,7 % average price decrease compared to the same period last year.

#### Live goat price trend (Ewes)

- In February 2024, the average price for ewes was R38,34 per kg, which is 2,2 % higher than in January 2024.
- Year on year average prices in February 2024 were 6,4 % higher than the previous year during the same period.



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