

PORK MONTHLY REPORT



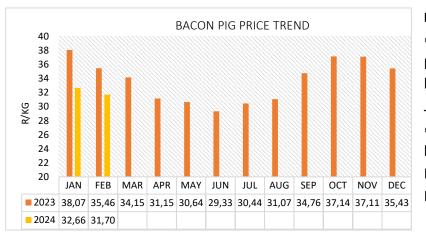
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This report provides price trends in the South African livestock market. It provides average monthly producer selling prices (R/kg) of pork carcasses excluding value added tax.

Month	Bacon pigs	Pork pigs	Sausage pigs
Feb-24	31,70	32,32	23,98
Jan-24	32,66	33,09	24,40
Feb-23	35,46	35,10	28,16
Δm/m	-2,9%	-2,3%	-1,7%
Δ y/y	-10,6%	-7,9%	-14,8%

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

During the reporting period, February 2024, average local prices for pork decreased from prices recorded in January 2024. When comparing year on year prices, local pork prices decreased in February 2024 compared to the same period last year.



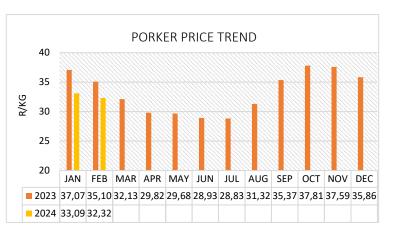
Bacon price trend

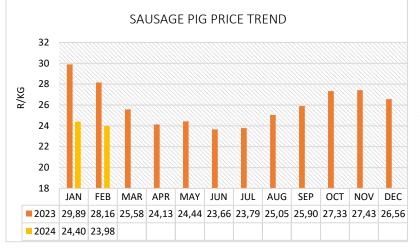
In February 2024, the average price for bacon pigs was R31,70 per kg, which is 2,9 % lower than in January 2024.

 Year on year average prices for bacon pigs decreased by 10,6 % in February 2024 compared to February 2023.

Porker price trend

- In February 2024, the average price for porkers was R32,32 per kg, which is 2,3 % lower than in January 2024.
- Year on year average prices for porkers are showing a decrease of 7,9 % between February 2023 and February 2024.





Sausage price trend

 In February 2024, average price for sausage pig was R23,98 per kg, which is an 1,7 % price decrease from January 2024.

 Year on year average prices for sausage pig show a 14,8 % decrease compared to the same period last year.

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