

# **GOAT MONTHLY REPORT**



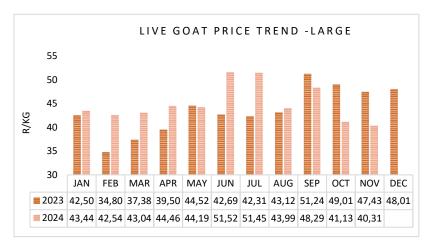
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This report provides price trends in the South African livestock market. It provides average monthly producer selling prices (R/kg) of live goats excluding value added tax.

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)
Nov-24	40,31	52,41	65,25	50,50
Oct-24	41,13	54,37	67,72	53,22
Nov-23	47,43	42,52	51,64	39,71
Δ m/m	-2,0%	-3,6%	-3,6%	-5,1%
Δ y/y	-15,0%	23,2%	26,4%	27,2%

During the reporting period, November 2024, average local prices for live goats decreased from prices recorded in October 2024. When comparing year on year prices, there was an increase in local goat prices (except for large goats) in November 2024 compared to November 2023.



## Large goat price trend

o In November 2024, the average price for a large goat was R40,31 per kg, which is 2% lower than in October 2024.

o Large goat prices decreased by 15% in November 2024 compared to November 2023.

#### Medium goat price trend

- o In November 2024, the average price for a medium goat was R54,41 per kg, which is 3,6% lower than in October 2024.
- Year on year average prices for a medium goat show an increase of 23,2% between November 2023 and November 2024.



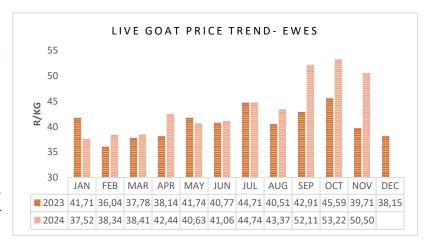


### Small goat price trend

- o During November 2024, average price for a small goat was R65,25 per kg, which is a 3,6% price decrease from October 2024.
- Year on year small goat prices showed a 26,4% average price increase compared to the same period last year.

#### Live goat price trend (Ewes)

- o In November 2024, the average price for ewes was R50,50 per kg, which is 5,1% lower than in October 2024.
- Year on year average prices in November 2024 were 27,2% higher than the previous year during the same period.



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