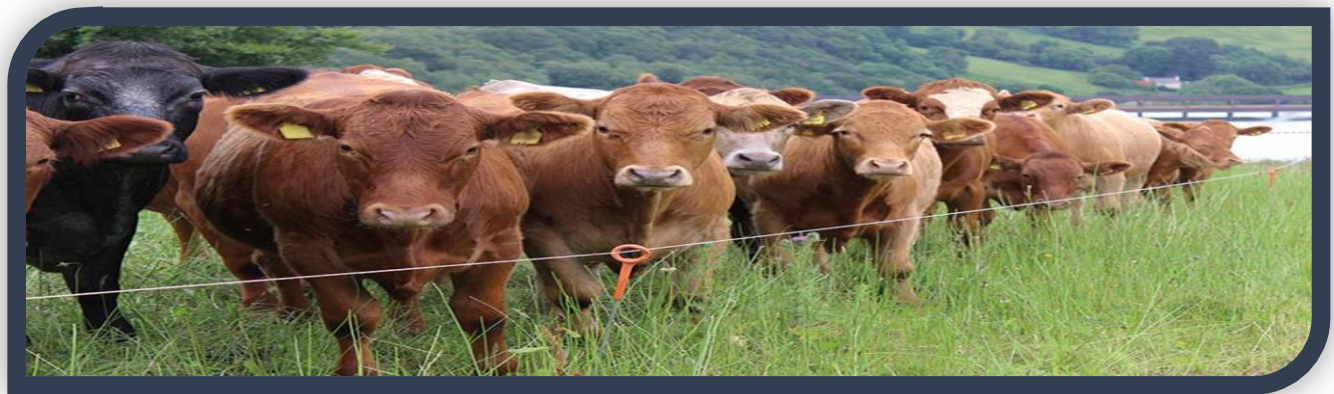


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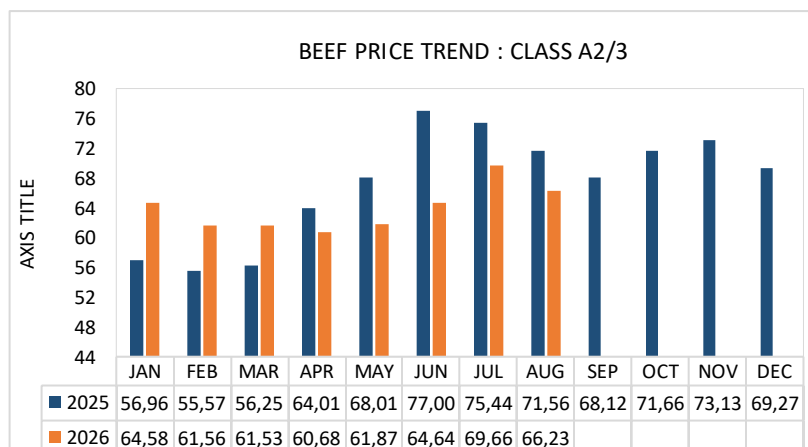
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This report provides price trends in the South African livestock market. It provides average monthly producer selling prices (R/kg) of beef and weaner calves excluding value added tax.

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

Month	A2/3 (R/kg)	B2/3 (R/kg)	C2/3 (R/kg)	Weaner prices (R/kg)
Aug-26	66,23	59,59	57,42	48,12
Jul-26	69,66	61,28	59,53	47,24
Aug-25	71,56	59,99	58,58	37,60
Δ m/m	-4,9%	-2,8%	-3,5%	1,9%
Δ y/y	-7,5%	-0,7%	-2,0%	28,0%

In August 2026, average local beef prices were lower (except for weaner prices) than prices recorded in the previous month. August 2026 local beef prices show a decrease (except for weaner prices) compared to the same period last year.

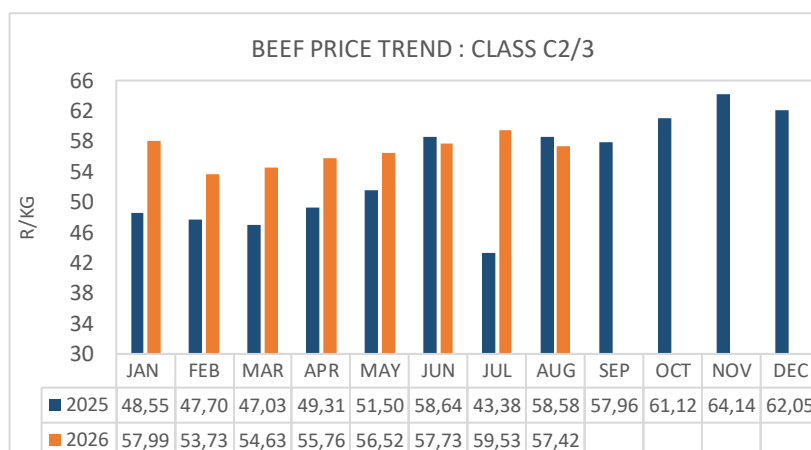
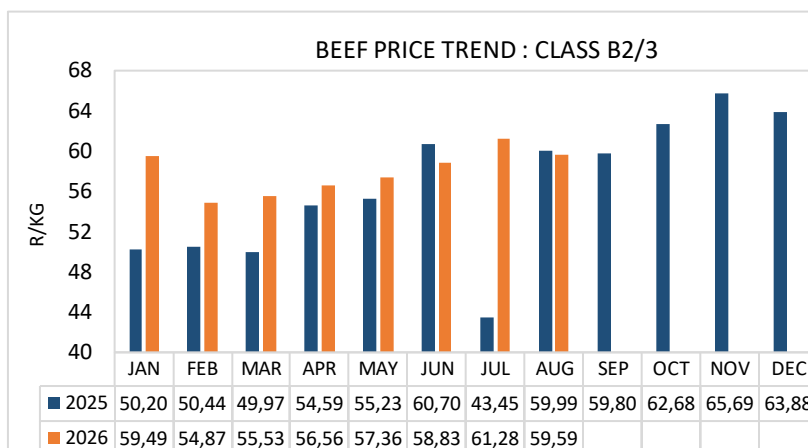


Beef Price trend: Class A2/3

- In August 2026, the average price for Class A beef was R66,23 per kg, which is 4,9% lower than in July 2026.
- Year on year average prices for Class A decreased by 7,5% in August 2026 compared to August 2025.

Beef Price trend: Class B2/3

- In August 2026, the average price for Class B was R59,59 per kg, which is 2,8% lower than in July 2026.
- Year on year average prices for Class B show a decrease of 0,7% between August 2026 and August 2025.

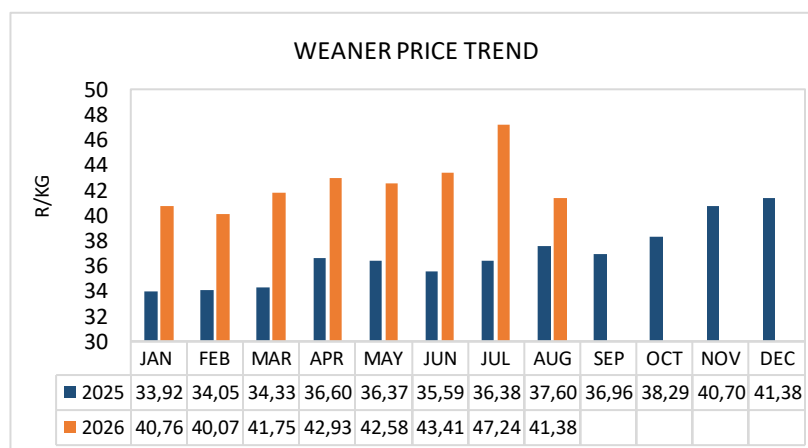


Beef Price trend: Class C2/3

- During August 2026, the average price for class C beef was R57,42 per kg, which is 3,5% lower than the previous month.
- Class C beef shows 2% year on year average price decrease compared to the same period last year.

Weaner Price trend

- In August 2026, the average price for weaner calves was R48,12 per kg, which is 1,9% higher than in July 2026.
- Year on year average prices in August 2026 were 28% higher than last year during the same period.



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