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GRAINS AND OILSEEDS

Table 1: Grain Producer Prices

Product	Buyer	Purchase Price (ZWL\$/t)	Contact Details	Payment
Maize	GMB	21 000.00	0242-701885-99	7 days Transfer
Sorghum	GMB (White)	21913.00	0242-701885-99	7 days Transfer
	Delta (Red)	23400.00	0712614152/ 0712639336	Transfer
Rapoko	GMB	21 913.00	0242-704538	7 days Transfer
Millet	GMB	21 913.00	0242-701885-99	7 days Transfer
Sugar beans	PHI	120 000.00	0776 688301	7 days Transfer
	Taflo	US\$1000	0775386077	Transfer
	Tabacha	US\$800/ZWL\$ at interbank	0777439874	Transfer
	GMB	46 000.00	0242-701885-99	14 days Transfer
Sesame	Open Sesame Pvt Ltd	US\$1000.00	0772870105	
Wheat	GMB- (Grade A)	52 534,61	0242-701885-99	7 days Transfer
	GMB- (Other Grades)	43 778,84	0242-701885-99	7 days Transfer
	PHI	-	0773381825	7 days Transfer

OILSEEDS**Table 2: Oilseed Producer Prices**

Product	Buyer	Purchase Price (ZWL\$/t)	Contact Details	Payment
Groundnuts	GMB (unshelled)	30 000.00	0242-701885-99	Transfer
	Taflo(shelled)	US\$1150/ZWL\$ at interbank	0775386077	Transfer
	Taflo(unshelled)	US\$550/ZWL\$ at interbank	0775386077	Transfer
	Tabacha (shelled)	US\$1200/ ZWL\$ at interbank	0777439874	Transfer
	Tabacha (unshelled)	US\$600/ZWL\$ at interbank	0777439874	Transfer
Soya beans	GMB	17211.74	0242-701885-99	Transfer
	PHI	-	0773381825 or 0776688301	Transfer
	Staywell	42 000.00	0772235 558/ 0773502 799	Transfer
	Hyperfeeds	-	0778 828 849	Transfer
	Taflo	US\$400	0775386077	Transfer
	United Refineries	USD\$460/ZWL\$ at interbank	0774932 740	Transfer

A buyer is looking for sunflower seed. Please contact 0774 769 192

HORTICULTURE

Table 3: Horticultural Produce Wholesale Prices as of 9 October 2020 at Mbare Musika and Bulawayo CBD Market.

Commodity	Mbare Musika (ZWL\$)		Bulawayo CBD Market (ZWL\$)	
	2 Oct 20	9 Oct 20	2 Oct 20	9 Oct 20
Potatoes (medium) (ZWL\$/kg)	36.00	40.00	36.00	36.00
Potatoes (large) (ZWL\$/kg)	45.00	45.00	48.00	48.00
Tomatoes (ZWL\$/kg)	54.00	65.00	-	-
Onions (dried) (ZWL\$/kg)	45.00	45.00	72.00	72.00
Onions (green) (ZWL\$/Bunch)	90.00	90.00	90.00	90.00
Butternuts (ZWL\$/kg)	72.00	75.00	-	-
Broccoli	90.00	90.00	-	-
Lettuce (per head)	45.00	-	-	-
Cauliflower	90.00	90.00	80.00	80.00
Cabbages (per head)	20.00	20.00	50.00	50.00
Covo (ZWL\$/kg)	25.00	25.00	50.00	50.00
Sugar beans (ZWL\$/kg)	-	70.00	125.00	125.00
Groundnuts(unshelled) (\$/kg)	200.00	200.00	-	-
Groundnuts (shelled)	100.00	100.00	125.00	125.00
Roundnuts (unshelled) (\$/kg)	-	-	-	-
Roundnuts (shelled)	120.00	120.00	-	-
Rice (local) (ZWL\$/kg)	90.00	90.00	-	-
Millet (ZWL\$/kg)	50.00	50.00	-	-
Sorghum (ZWL\$/kg)	24.00	24.00	-	-
Sweet Potatoes (ZWL\$/20l tin)	540.00	540.00	-	-
Yams (ZWL\$/kg)	-	-	-	-
Carrots (ZWL\$/kg)	45.00	45.00	90.00	90.00
Cucumbers (ZWL\$/kg)	40.00	40.00	70.00	70.00
Maize (dried) (ZWL\$/20l tin)	450.00	450.00	540.00	540.00
Green mealies (dozen)	180.00	ns	-	-
Apples (local) (ZWL\$/kg)	90.00	90.00	108.00	108.00
Apples (Imported) (ZWL\$/kg)	-	105.00	-	-
Bananas (ZWL\$/kg)	30.00	30.00	72.00	72.00
Watermelon (ZWL\$/kg)	90.00	90.00	-	-
Oranges (ZWL\$/10kg)	-	75.00	360.00	360.00
Garlic (ZWL\$/kg)	720.00	720.00	-	-
Green Pepper (ZWL\$/kg)	50.00	50.00	-	-

Produce Available For Sale

Farmers are looking for a garlic market for their produce. Contact Mr J. Chipindura on 0778 166 274 , Mr Makombe on 0772 997 054 & Silalathani irrigation scheme on 0712 577 522 and for tomatoes Dr Gata on 0785774254. For Sugar Beans contact Mr Mupfumira on 0772 241 377.

Table 4: Agricultural Produce Prices at Bindura Chipadze, Bulawayo Renkini and Mutare Sakubva Markets as at 9 October 2020.

Commodity	Measure	Bulawayo Renkini Market (ZWL\$)	Dombotombo Marondera (ZWL\$)	Mutare Sakubva Market (ZWL\$)
		9 October 20	9 October 20	9 October 20
Cowpeas	20l tin (20 kg)	1350.00	1800.00	900.00
Groundnuts Shelled	20l tin (20 kg)	2250.00	1800.00	1980.00
Groundnuts Unshelled	20l tin (20 kg)	630.00	540.00	-
Groundnuts Fresh	20l tin (20 kg)	ns	Ns	-
Maize(grain)	20l tin (20 kg)	540.00	360.00	450.00
Sweet potatoes	20l tin (20 kg)	900.00	Ns	450.00
Roundnuts (shelled)	20l tin (20 kg)	1800.00	Ns	2160.00
Sugar beans	20l tin (20 kg)	2250.00	2250.00	1800.00
Wheat	20l tin (20 kg)	1350.00	Ns	1425.00
Butternuts	Pocket(10kg)	ns	-	450.00
Cabbages	Head	40.00	20.00	25.00
Carrots	Bundle	100.00	30.00	45.00
Cucumber	Per kg	90.00	90.00	60.00
Irish Potatoes	Pocket (15 kg)	720.00	900.00	900.00
Onion dried	Pocket (15 kg)	720.00	450.00	450.00
Rape/ Covo	Bundle	40.00	30.00	30.00
Tomatoes	Small box	1080.00	720.00	400.00
Lettuce	-	-	-	30.00
Apples	Per kg	-	Ns	37.50
Avocado pears	Each	-	Ns	10.00
Bananas	Crate(30kg)	720.00	400.00	450.00
Oranges	Pocket	360.00	540.00	450.00
Eggs	Crate(30 eggs)	270.00	Ns	315.00
Chicken	Bird (broiler)	630.00	360.00	450.00
Green Mealies	Dozen	-	Ns	180.00
Water Melon	Each	-	Ns	90.00
Sorghum	20 liter tin	540.00	630.00	360.00
Matemba	20 litre tin	3150.00	3150.00	3150.00

CATTLE SALES**Table 5: CC Sales Mount Hampden 9 October 2020**

GRADE	Average Price (ZWL\$/kg)				
	16 Aug 20	26 Aug 20	23 Sep 20	30 Sep 20	7 Oct 20
SUPER	-	136.58	-	-	-
CHOICE	146.18	-	127.06	-	-
COMMERCIAL	126.51	146.44	120.15	136.47	136.75
ECONOMY	106.86	118.06	98.68	105.30	115.19
MANUFACTURING	107.95	108.90	-	-	91.77
WEANER HEIFERS	148.25	222.35	227.27	183.78	227.94
BULLING HEIFERS	161.95	271.81	179.40	194.23	155.11
COWS & CALVES	-	-	139.82	-	-
WEANER STEERS	137.04	119.27	129.03	109.52	127.62
LONG WEANER HEIFERS	177.39	117.10	243.12	181.03	180.52
LONG WEANER STEERS	140.22	123.03	137.37	122.47	142.67
FEEDER STEERS	145.17	129.10	128.25	138.55	142.59
COMMUNAL STEERS	106.75	42.33	91.95	65.67	-
COMMUNAL HEIFERS	77.92	63.95	-	-	-
BREEDING COW	137.88	161.60	127.28	154.61	163.30
BREEDING BULLS	181.94	-	-	262.79	-

Table 6: CC Sales: Southern Region 9 October 2020

MARKET	Main line Price (ZWL\$/kg)	Matobo Price (ZWL\$/kg)	Umguza Price (ZWL\$/kg)	Gwanda Price (ZWL\$/kg)
GRADE	29 Sep 20	30 Sep 20	30 Sep 20	1 Oct 20
SUPER	-	-	-	-
COMMERCIAL	-	-	101.28	-
COMM/ECO MIXED	-	-	-	-
ECONOMY	97.45	-	-	90.00
MANUFACTURING	82.46	-	-	-
BREEDING BULLS	-	-	-	-
FEEDER STEERS	82.46	-	115.40	-
WEANER STEERS	66.67	-	107.66	-
BULLING HEIFERS	-	-	158.02	-
WEANER HEIFERS	131.87	-	163.75	-
BREEDING COWS	-	-	-	-
LONG WEANER STEERS		-	97.44	120.00
LONG WEANER HEIFER	-	-	156.52	-

TOBACCO

- Total flue cured tobacco seasonal sales as of 9 October 2020 stood at 183,373,143Kgs sold at an average price of US\$2.50/kg compared to 256,251,760kgs sold at an average price of US\$2.03/kg same time last year.
- This realized total revenue amounting to US\$458,579,448 compared to US\$519,987,793 achieved same time last year.
- The Auction floor sales are closed but contract sales continue on selected days of the week.

Table 7: Seasonal Flue Cured Tobacco Sales: 9 October 2020-Day 110

DAILY	TSF	BTF	PTF	Total Auction	Total Contract	Total 2020	Total 2019	% Chan.
Mass sold (kg)	6,610,659	1,168,763	1,434,386	9,213,808	174,159,335	183,373,143	256,251,760	-28
Value (US\$)	18,907,920	3,043,412	3,835,169	25,786,502	432,792,946	458,579,448	519,987,793	-12
Ave. price US\$ /kg	2.86	2.60	2.67	2.80	2.49	2.50	2.03	23

Source: TIMB

COTTON

✚ Total national seed cotton seasonal sales as of 9 October 2020 stood at **83,059,898 kgs** compared to **74,427,272 kgs** sold during the same time last year.

Table 8: Seed Cotton Intake by Province

Province	Intake (kg)
Midlands	32,025,810.00
Mashonaland West	13,323,568.00
Mashonaland Central	9,449,668.00
Mashonaland East	2,258,204.00
Masvingo	16,296,595.00
Manicaland	6,801,089.00
Matabeleland North	2,615,521.00
Matabeleland South	289,443.00
Total	83,059,898.00

INTERNATIONAL COMMODITY PRICES

Table 9: International Commodity Prices as at 8 October 2020

Commodity	Safex (R/mt) Futures Prices as at 8 Oct 20	Safex ¹ (US\$/mt) Futures Prices as at 8 Oct 20	US GULF (US\$/mt) Spot Price as at 8 Oct 20	CBOT (US\$/mt) Futures Prices as at 8 Oct 20	Cot look A Index (USc/lb) as at 8 Oct20
White Maize	3498.00	210.47	-	-	-
Yellow Maize	3394.00	204.21	179.81	152.99	-
Wheat (HRW)	3372.00	202.89	241.96	-	-
Wheat (SRW)*	5528.00	332.61	237.92	223.18	-
Soya beans	6480.00	389.89	409.88	386.32	-
Sorghum	3 870.00	232.85	-	-	-
Cotton	-	-	-	-	72.95

*Safex price is bread milling wheat.

- The price of white maize increased on the SAFEX market from **US\$200.66/mt** last week to **US\$210.47/mt** this week.
- The price of yellow maize increased on the SAFEX, US GULF and CBOT markets from **US\$197.47/mt**, **US\$175.53/mt** and **US\$149.21/mt** last week, to **US\$204.21/mt**, **US\$179.81/mt** and **US\$152.99/mt** this week, respectively.
- The price of wheat (SRW) increased on the SAFEX, US GULF and CBOT markets from **US\$303.32/mt**, **US\$229.83/mt** and **US\$212.38/mt** last week to **US\$332.61/mt**, **US\$237.92/mt** and **US\$223.18/mt** this week, respectively.
- The price of soya beans increased on the SAFEX and US GULF markets from **US\$380.70/mt** and **US\$403.44/mt** last week, to **US\$389.89/mt** and **US\$409.88/mt** this week respectively.
- The price of sorghum increased on the SAFEX market from **US\$229.19/mt** last week to **US\$232.85/mt** this week.
- Cotlook 'A' Index increased from **USc71.15/lb** last week to **USc72.95/lb** this week.

¹ US\$/Rand exchange rate is US\$1=16.62