

WEEKLY MARKET PRODUCE PRICES REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDING

6TH MAY 2022

1.0 Introduction

The global cost of raw materials for production has hit the Kenyan market hard. From the report that was released by the business daily this week indicate that there is no any commodity that had a price drop for the last three or four months. From the data obtained from Kenya National Bureau of Statistics (KNBS) shows the cost of importing materials used for farming shot up by as much as 67% in the past year.

It is with this regard that the Government of Kenya has continued to honor its promise to the people of Kenya by providing subsidized fertilizer to the farmers through National Cereals and Produce Board. Currently the supply of fertilizer is ongoing across the Board's network to ensure that farmers get these commodities on time. To ensure there is seamless process and steady sales of fertilizer, the Board has ensured those staffs that are responsible for sales are working even on weekends and holiday. During the week the least market price for a 50Kgs of D.A.P. was Kshs. 5,500 while the maximum price was Kshs. 6,500 as was traded in Olenguruone in South Rift and Mokowe in Coast region respectively.

From the month of April 2022, there has been a gradual increase in the national average farm gate and Wholesale prices of a 90KGs bag of maize with minimum price of Kshs. 3,568 and maximum of Kshs. 3,787 respectively.

2.0 Food Situation

Food access in many households across the country remains below average. Pastoral areas are the most affected across the country with goat-to-maize terms-of-trade 10–51 percent below the five-year average in northern and eastern pastoral areas. Widespread Crisis (IPC Phase 3) outcomes are present in pastoral areas, with at least one in five households in Turkana, Marsabit, Mandera, Wajir, and Isiolo counties facing Crisis (FEWSNET KENYA).

The below average rainfalls being received during this planting season is a threat to food production this year. Further there is as well an invasion of army worms in South Rift, Lake Western and North Rift. A spot check in Rangwe and Rachuonyo South sub counties revealed that many farmers will not harvest anything as their crops have been destroyed by armyworms. It is approximated that more than 4,000 hectares (9,884 acres) of farms with crops have been affected across the county so far.



3.0 Maize

There is slight increase in the maize prices per 90KGs bag between December 2021 and May 2022 (See Annex 1).

The regional average prices are as tabulated below:

TABLE 1 : REGIONAL AVERAGE PRICES OF MAIZE FOR THE WEEK ENDING 6THMAY, 2022

S.No	Region	Average Farm Gate Price (Kshs)	Average Wholesale Price (Kshs)
1.	Coast		3,916
2.	Nairobi Eastern	3,169	3,505
3.	Northern	3,183	3,577
4.	Lake Western	3,272	3,733
5.	South Rift	4,107	4,215
6.	North Rift	3,739	3,846
National Average		3,568	3,787

4.0 Beans

The prices of beans have generally stagnated since January 2022. The National average prices for 90Kgs bag of Rosecoco, Red haricot, Mwitmania and yellow beans during the week were Kshs.7,981 Kshs.7,883, Kshs.7,475, and Kshs.7,974 respectively.

The maximum prices are experienced in urban centers like Nyama Kima in Nairobi where a 90Kgs bag of Red haricot traded at Kshs. 11,700. The minimum prices are experienced in agriculturally productive regions like Kehancha where Rosecoco is traded at Kshs. 5,200 per 90Kgs bag (See Annex 2).

5.0 Fertilizer

National Cereals and Produce Board has continued to communicate to farmers through social media concerning the availability of both subsidized and commercial the fertilizer in Board. Various brands such as Mavuno planting and DAP have been distributed to various depots for sales. Based on the number of farmers who visited the various depots to buy the precious commodity during working days and holidays, we can conclude that farmer registration by agricultural officers and communication by the Board's management has been effective.

Since we are still in the planting seasons and based on the purchase of planting fertilizers, there is need to increase the supply of the commodities in the Depots where purchase is going on.

Urea has overtaken DAP as the topdressing season starts. During the week Urea was the most expensive fertilizer at it was retailed at Kshs. 7,000 in Moi's Bridge. The minimum prices of Kshs. 4,000.00 Kshs. 3,000.00 and Kshs. 3,500.00 for Mavuno Planting, Mavuno Top Dressing



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and CAN respectively are for the old unsold stocks carried forward from last year (See Annex 3).

Further the rationing of the subsidized fertilizer of at most 10 bags per farmer hinders the achievements of the main objective of the whole programme. Proper registration and profiling of farmers database needs to be done in order to allow farmers purchase based on the acreage. This shall enhance equity unlike how the current programme that is operating on equality basis.

The prices for the subsidized fertilizers as was announced by the Cabinet secretary are:

S.No	Fertilizer Type (50KGs)	Price (Kshs.)
1.	D.A.P.	2,800
2.	C.A.N	1,950
3.	Urea	2,700
4.	NPK	3,000
5.	MOP	2,500
6.	Sulphate Amonia	2,700

Between 4th and 6th May 2022, the Board managed to sale subsidized fertilizer as tabulated below in descending order per region:

S.No	Region	Depot
1.	North Rift	4,837
2.	South Rift	1,196
3.	Northern	976
4.	Coast	11
5.	Lake Western	1
6.	Nairobi Eastern	0
TOTAL		7,021

6.0 Green Grams

There have been insignificant changes in the retail and wholesale prices of green grams for the past 3 months. 1Kg retailing at Kshs. 140 and 90Kgs bag at Kshs.10,381 (See Annex 4)

ANNEX 1: MAIZE PRICES ACROSS THE COUNTRY FOR THE WEEK ENDING 6TH MAY, 2022

REGIONAL OFFICE	DEPOT/MARKET CENTRE	RETAIL PRICE (1 KG)	F/GATE PRICE (90 KG)	W/SALE PRICE (90KG)
North Rift	Eldoret	130	3,800	3,900



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REGIONAL OFFICE	DEPOT/MARKET CENTRE	RETAIL PRICE (1 KG)	F/GATE PRICE (90 KG)	W/SALE PRICE (90KG)
	Kitale	120	3,750	3,850
	Kapenguria	120	3,700	3,800
	Moi's Bridge	120	3,750	3,850
	Lessos	120	3,800	3,900
	Turbo	110	3,750	3,900
	Ziwa	120	3,700	3,800
	Miteitei	110	3,700	3,800
	K/Salient	120	3,700	3,850
	Mosoriot	130	3,800	3,900
	Lodwar	120	3,800	3,900
	Ainapkoi	110	3,700	
	Kipkabus	120		3,800
	Kapsowar	110	3,700	3,800
	K/ River	120	3,700	3,800
Lake/Western	Butere	60	4,500	4,800
	Chavakali	45	2,800	3,000
	Lugari	45		2,900
	Kapsokwony	50		3,500
	Webuye	48		3,800
	Bungoma	45		3,200
	Kakamega	60		4,800
	Malaba	35		3,000
	Hamisi	60		4,500
	Kisumu	70		4,500
	Bondo	60		3,950
	Kendubay	50		3,800
	Homabay	50	3,600	3,800
	Awendo	40	3,000	3,200
	Muhoroni	50		3,600
	Kisii	50		3,700
	Migori	70		4,000
	Kehancha	45	2,430	2,650
	Nyansiongo	50		3,600
	Yala	60		4,500
Ntimaru	30	3,300	3,600	



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REGIONAL OFFICE	DEPOT/MARKET CENTRE	RETAIL PRICE (1 KG)	F/GATE PRICE (90 KG)	W/SALE PRICE (90KG)
South Rift	Nakuru		4,000	4,100
	Solai		4,100	4,200
	Subukia		4,100	4,200
	Nyahururu		4,100	4,200
	Naivasha		4,000	4,200
	E/Ravine		4,000	4,200
	Narok		3,800	3,900
	Kilgoris		4,200	4,300
	Fort Ternan		4,200	4,300
	Kedowa		4,200	4,300
	Olkalau		4,200	4,200
	Elburgon		4,200	4,300
Maralal		4,300	4,400	
Nairobi/East.	Nyama Kima	55		4,500
	Machakos	55	3,100	3,600
	Makueni	45	3,250	3,400
	Kithimani	45	3,300	3,500
	Tala	45	3,300	3,600
	Loitokitok	40	3,000	3,100
	Emali	40	3,150	3,250
	Kibwezi	40	3,150	3,250
	Thika	50		3,500
	Kajiado	50	3,100	3,350
	Konza	40	3,000	3,300
Coast	Mombasa			3,800
	Voi	40		3,600
	Kilifi	50		4,000
	Mokowe	50		3,600
	Hola	50	4,000	4,500
	Kwale	60	3,900	4,000
Northern	Embu	45	3,100	3,600
	Meru	35	3,000	3,400



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REGIONAL OFFICE	DEPOT/MARKET CENTRE	RETAIL PRICE (1 KG)	F/GATE PRICE (90 KG)	W/SALE PRICE (90KG)
	Nanyuki	40	3,200	3,500
	Isiolo	40	3,200	3,400
	Kiganjo	50	3,200	3,600
	Sagana	30	3,000	3,400
	Kitui	40	3,100	3,500
	Maragua	40	3,000	3,300
	Mwea	50	3,100	3,600
	Mwingi	40	3,200	3,500
	Marsabit	50		4,500
	Kyuso	45	4,000	3,600
	Ishara	40	3,100	3,600
NATIONAL AVERAGE		64	3,568	3,787
<i>Maximum</i>		130	4,500	4,800
<i>Minimum</i>		30	2,430	2,650

(Source; NCPB)

ANNEX 2: BEANS PRICES ACROSS THE COUNTRY FOR THE WEEK ENDING 6TH MAY, 2022

REGIONAL OFFICE	DEPOT/MARKET CENTRE	06.05.2022			
		RC (90KG)	RH (90KG)	MM (90KG)	YL (90KG)
North Rift	Eldoret	11,200		9,000	12,000
	Kitale	9,850	8,200	8,500	
	Kapenguria	9,800	9,500	9,500	
	Moi's Bridge	7,200	7,200	7,200	7,200
	Lessos	8,200			
	Turbo	6,800		8,100	9,000
	Ziwa	10,750	8,100	8,500	
	Meteitei	4200-50kg	3800-50kg	4200-50kg	
	Mosoriot	7,500	6,500		
	Lodwar	9,000	9,000		
	Ainabkoi	8,000			



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REGIONAL OFFICE	DEPOT/MARKET CENTRE	06.05.2022			
		RC (90KG)	RH (90KG)	MM (90KG)	YL (90KG)
	Kapsowar	9,800	7,500		
	K/ River	8,000	8,000	8,000	
Lake/Western	Butere				
	Chavakali	9,000	9,000	9,000	
	Webuye	9,000	7,500		
	Kapsokwony	9,500			
	Bungoma	8,000			
	Kakamega	9,500			
	Malaba	5,500	6,000	6,000	
	Hamisi	9,800	9,600		
	Kisumu	8,700	8,200	8,200	9,200
	Bondo	9,000	6,000		
	Kendubay	8,000		6,200	
	Homabay	8,000	7,000	7,000	
	Muhoroni	8,000	7,200	8,400	
	Kisii	9,250	7,400	6,600	
	Migori	8,000	8,000		
	Kehancha	5,200			
	Nyansiongo	9,000	9,000	8,900	
Yala	9,000	9,000	9,000		
South Rift	Nakuru	7,600		6,500	7,000
	Solai	7,500		6,000	7,000
	Subukia	7400		7200	7300
	Nyahururu	7,600		6,500	7,200
	Naivasha	7600			
	E/Ravine	7500		7,500	7,000
	Kabarnet	7,700			
	Narok	7600		7250	7200
	Bomet	8000			7500
	Sotik	7,500		7,200	7,200
	Ndanai	7700		7,200	7200
	Kilgoris	7,600		7,500	7,000
	Kericho	7,800		7,800	7,800



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REGIONAL OFFICE	DEPOT/MARKET CENTRE	06.05.2022			
		RC (90KG)	RH (90KG)	MM (90KG)	YL (90KG)
	Elburgon	7600			6800
	Olkalou	7,600			7,700
	Maralal	7600		7,000	7,200
	Olenguruone	7600			7260
Nairobi/East.	Nyama Kima	10,800	11,700	9,500	9,700
	Machakos	7,700		7,600	7,800
	Makueni	7,800	10,800	7,500	7,500
	Kithimani	7,500	8,100	7,400	7,500
	Tala	6,400	7,000	7,500	7,200
	Loitokitok	6,500	6,500	7,700	6,700
	Emali	7,000		6,800	7,500
	Kibwezi	7,200	7,250	6,750	7,500
	Thika	7,000	7,200	6,900	
	Kajiado	7,200	6,800	7,800	
	Donholm	8,500	9,200	9,700	
	Konza	7,600		7,800	8,100
Coast	Mombasa			7,200	7,500
	Voi			8,100	10,800
	Kilifi			6,300	
	Mokowe			5,400	8,100
	Hola			5,400	8,550
	Kwale			8,000	8,550
Northern	Embu	7,000		7,000	
	Meru	6,700		6,700	7,300
	Nanyuki		7,000		
	Isiolo	7,000		7,500	
	Kiganjo	7,200	7,200	7,000	
	Sagana	7,200		7,200	
	Kitui	7,200	7,200	7,100	
	Maragua	7,400		7,000	
	Mwea	6,300	6,300	6,000	7,800
	Mwingi	7,200		8,000	



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REGIONAL OFFICE	DEPOT/MARKET CENTRE	06.05.2022			
		RC (90KG)	RH (90KG)	MM (90KG)	YL (90KG)
	Marsabit	8,000		8,000	9,000
	Kyuso	8,000		8,000	
	Ishara	7,000		7,000	7,600
NATIONAL AVERAGE		7,981	7,883	7,475	7,974
Maximum		11,200	11,700	9,700	12,000
Minimum		5,200	6,000	5,400	6,700

(Source: NCPB)

ANNEX 3: FERTILIZER PRICES ACROSS THE COUNTRY FOR THE WEEK ENDING 6TH MAY, 2022

REGIONAL OFFICE	DEPOT/MARKET CENTRE	NPK	NPK TYPE	MAVUNO PLANTING	M.TOP DRESSING	CAN	UREA	DAP
North Rift	Eldoret	5,500		5,500	5,600	5,500	7,000	5,900
	Kitale					5,600	7,000	6,150
	Kapenguria					5,500	7,000	6,000
	Moi's bridge	5,500				5,300	7,000	6,000
	Lessos							6,000
	Turbo						6,000	6,000
	Ziwa							6,000
	Meteitei	5,500				5,200	5,200	6,300
	K/Salient							6,000
	Mosoriot					4,200	4,200	6,000
	Lodwar							
	Ainabkoi					6,200	6,500	6,400
	Kipkabus					3,500	5,200	6,000
	Kapsowar							6,200
Lake/Western	K/ River	5,500		5,800	5,300	4,000	5,000	6,100
	Butere					4,700	5,000	6,000
	Chavakali	5,700		5,700	5,300	5,200	5,000	5,800
	Lugari	3,300		5,000	3,000	3,500	4,000	5,600
	Kapsokwony					4,000		5,950



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REGIONAL OFFICE	DEPOT/MARKET CENTRE	NPK	NPK TYPE	MAVUNO PLANTING	M.TOP DRESSING	CAN	UREA	DAP
	Webuye	5,500				4,050	3,800	5,600
	Bungoma					5,600	5,800	6,300
	Kakamega	4,850				5,000		5,900
	Malaba					3,500		5,800
	Hamisi					4,500	6,700	6,500
	Kisumu	4,900				4,800	5,500	6,000
	Bondo					4,600		6,000
	Kendubay	5,800				5,800	4,500	6,000
	Homabay	5,000				4,000		5,500
	Awendo							6,000
	Muhoroni	4,800		5,000	4,000	4,000	5,100	6,000
	Kisii	4,400		4,500	4,000	3,800	6,300	5,700
	Migori	4,300		4,000	5,000	4,000	4,300	5,700
	Kehancha					4,200	6,500	6,000
	Nyansiongo					4,200		5,800
	Yala	5,000				4,500	4,800	6,200
	Ntimaru					5,200		5,600
South Rift	Nakuru	5,300		4,900	4,950	4500		5700
	Solai			4,950	4,950	4500		5700
	Subukia	5,300		4,950	4,950	4550		5700
	Nyahururu	5,250		4,900	4,950	4550		5600
	Naivasha	5,250		4,900	4,950	4500		
	E/Ravine	5,250		4,950	4,950	4450		5700
	Kabarnet	5,300		4,900	5,100	4500		5700
	Marigat	5,300		4,900	5,000	4450		5650
	Narok	5,300		4,950	5,100	4500		5700
	Mulot			4,900		4550		5600
	Bomet	5,400		4,900	5,150	4500		5700
	Sotik	5,400		4,950	5,100	4,500		5600
	Ndanai	5,400		4,900	5,200	4500		5700
	Kirindoni			4,900				
	Kilgoris	5,300		4,950	5,000	4450		5800



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REGIONAL OFFICE	DEPOT/MARKET CENTRE	NPK	NPK TYPE	MAVUNO PLANTING	M.TOP DRESSING	CAN	UREA	DAP
	Enosaen			4,900				
	Kericho	5,300		4,900	5,100	4,500		5,700
	Fort Ternan	5,250		4,900	4,950	4,450		5,600
	Kipkelion	5,250		4,950	5,000	4500		5700
	Kedowa	5,250		4,900				
	Elburgon	5,250		4,900	5,000	4500		5600
	Olkalou	5,250		4,900	5,000	4500		5600
	Maralal	5,400		4,950	5,200	4450		5700
	Olunguruone	5,300		4,900	5,100	4500		5500
Nairobi/East.	Loitokitok	5,800				5,000	6,000	6,100
	Kibwezi	5,700				4,900		6,000
	Tala	5,600				4,800	5,900	5,800
	Makueni					4,900	6,100	6,200
	Emali	5,700				5,000	6,120	6,100
	Machakos					4,900	6,000	6,100
	Kajiado	5,600				4,700	5,900	5,900
	Kithimani	5,750				4,800	5,950	5,900
	Thika	5,900				4,800	5,900	6,000
	Konza	5,800				4,900		5,900
Coast	Mombasa	6,000				5,700		6,300
	Voi					4,500	6,000	6,000
	Kilifi					4,500		6,000
	Mokowe	6,500				4,500		6,500
	Hola	6,100		4,400		5,500	6,800	6,000
	Kwale	5,000		4,400		5,000		6,000
Northern	Embu	5,800	23.23.0			5,900		6,150
	Meru	5,800				5,800		6,200
	Isiolo	5,850						6,000
	Nanyuki	5,700				6,000		6,500
	Sagana	5,650				5,800		5,900
	Mwea	5,850				5,800		6,000
	Kiganjo	6,000				4,750		6,100
	Kitui	6,000				5,900		6,000
	Mwingi	6,000						6,000



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REGIONAL OFFICE	DEPOT/MARKET CENTRE	NPK	NPK TYPE	MAVUNO PLANTING	M.TOP DRESSING	CAN	UREA	DAP
	Ishiara	5,600				6,000		6,000
	Maragua	5,800				5,800		6,000
NATIONAL AVERAGE		5,432		4,918	4,916	4,875	5,699	5,999
	<i>Maximum</i>	6,500		5,800	5,600	6,200	7,000	6,500
	<i>Minimum</i>	3,300		4,000	3,000	3,500	3,800	5,500

(Source; NCPB)

ANNEX 4: PRICES OF GREEN GRAMS ACROSS THE COUNTRY FOR THE WEEK ENDING 6TH MAY, 2022

REGIONAL OFFICE	DEPOT/MARKET CENTRE	06.05.2022	
		RETAIL PRICE (1 KG)	W/SALE PRICE (90KG)
North Rift	Eldoret	300	12,000
	Kitale	300	9,000
	Moi's Bridge	390	9,750
	Ziwa	200	8,800
	Meteitei	300	
	Lodwar	300	10,800
	Kipkabus	220	
	Kapsowar	300	11,000
	K/ River	320	9,000
Lake/Western	Butere	140	
	Chavakali	150	
	Lugari	130	
	Webuye	120	
	Kapsokwony	175	
	Bungoma	140	
	Kakamega	150	
	Malaba	85	
	Hamisi	200	
	Kisumu	160	
	Bondo	125	
	Kendubay	125	
	Homabay	135	
Muhoroni	160		



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REGIONAL OFFICE	DEPOT/MARKET CENTRE	06.05.2022	
		RETAIL PRICE (1 KG)	W/SALE PRICE (90KG)
	Kisii	130	
	Kehancha	150	
	Nyansiongo	180	
	Yala	125	
South Rift	Nakuru	140	12,500
	Nyahururu	130	12000
	Naivasha	150	
	E/Ravine	160	11500
	Kabarnet	120	10,800
	Bomet	140	12,500
	Sotik	150	13,500
	Kilgoris	150	13700
	Kericho	150	13,500
	Maralal	160	14,400
	Olenguruone	160	14400
Nairobi/East.	Nyama Kima	200	
	Machakos	140	11,500
	Makueni	155	11,300
	Kithimani	140	10,300
	Tala	140	10,200
	Emali	140	10,000
	Kibwezi	130	11,000
	Thika	140	12,500
	Kajiado	160	12,500
	Donholm	160	
	Konza	140	10,500
Coast	Mombasa	100	11,000
	Voi		10,800
	Mokowe	130	9,000
	Hola	120	8,100
	Kwale	130	9,000
Northern	Embu	150	9,200
	Meru	150	9,000
	Nanyuki	150	9,000
	Isiolo	130	10,000
	Kiganjo	150	9,200
	Sagana	100	9,000
	Kitui	95	9,200



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REGIONAL OFFICE	DEPOT/MARKET CENTRE	06.05.2022	
		RETAIL PRICE (1 KG)	W/SALE PRICE (90KG)
	Maragua	150	9,000
	Mwea	150	10,000
	Mwingi	100	9,000
	Marsabit	150	9,000
	Kyuso	100	9,000
	Ishiara	100	9,000
NATIONAL AVERAGE		162	10,371
Maximum		390	14,400
Minimum		85	8,100



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