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ECONOMIC INDICATORS AND TRENDS

1. CROP ESTIMATES AND FORECASTS

Preliminary estimate of areas planted and preliminary production forecast for summer field crops for the 2016 production season

The CEC released the preliminary area estimate and preliminary production forecast for summer field crops on 27 January 2016. The figures were mainly based on the results of a non-probability survey conducted by the Directorate: Statistics and Economic Analysis of the Department of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries and reflects the position during the third week of January 2016.

The preliminary area estimate for maize was 1,995 million ha, which is 24,8% or 657 700 ha less than the 2,653 million ha planted for the previous season, and also 21,78% or 555 650 ha less than the intentions to plant a total of 2,551 million ha released in October 2015.

The preliminary size of the commercial maize crop was 7,438 million tons, which is 25,3% or 2,517 million tons less than the 9,955 million tons of the previous season, with an expected yield of 3,73 t/ha.

The preliminary area estimate for white maize was 1,033 million ha, which represents a decrease of 28,7% or 415 400 ha from the 1,448 million ha planted the previous season. In the case of yellow maize, the area estimate was 962 500 ha, which is 20,1% or 242 300 ha less than the 1,205 million ha planted the previous season.

The preliminary production forecast of white maize was 3,267 million tons, which is 31,0% or 1,468 million tons less than the 4,735 million tons of the previous season. The expected yield for white maize was 3,16 t/ha. In the case of yellow maize, the production forecast was 4,171 million tons, which is 20,1% or 1,049 million tons less than the 5,220 million tons of the previous season. The expected yield for yellow maize was 4,33 t/ha.

The preliminary area estimate for sunflower seed was 617 000 ha, which is about 7,1% or 41 000 ha more than the 576 000 ha planted the previous season. The preliminary production forecast for sunflower seed was 622 000 tons, which is 6,2% or 41 000 tons less than the 663 000 tons of the previous season. The expected yield was 1,01 t/ha.

It was estimated that 535 000 ha have been planted to soya beans, which represents a decrease of 22,2% or 152 300 ha from the 687 300 ha planted the previous season. The production forecast was 768 560 tons, which is 28,2% or 301 440 tons less than the 1,070 million tons of the previous season. The expected yield was 1,44 t/ha.

For groundnuts, the area estimate was 24 000 ha, which is 58,6% or 34 000 ha less than the 58 000 ha planted for the previous season. The expected crop was 29 600 tons, which is 52,5% or 32 700 tons less than the 62 300 tons of the previous season. The expected yield was 1,23 t/ha.

The area estimate for sorghum decreased by 11,4%, from 62 500 ha the previous season, to 70 500 ha. The production forecast for sorghum was 119 400 tons, which is 0,9% or 1 100 tons less than the 120 500 tons of the previous season. The expected yield was 1,91 t/ha.

For dry beans, the area estimate was 25 500 ha, which is 60,2% or 38 500 ha less than the 64 000 ha planted for the previous season. The production forecast was 35 150 tons, which is 52,1% or 38 240 tons less than the 73 390 tons of the previous season. The expected yield was 1,38 t/ha.

Preliminary estimate of areas planted and preliminary production forecast for summer field crops: 2016*

Crop	Area planted 2016	Production forecast 2016	Area planted 2015	Final crop 2015	Change – tons 2016 vs 2015
	ha	tons	ha	tons	%
White maize	1 032 650	3 267 000	1 448 050	4 735 000	-31,00
Yellow maize	962 500	4 171 250	1 204 800	5 220 000	-20,09
Total maize	1 995 150	7 438 250	2 652 850	9 955 000	-25,28
Sunflower seed	617 000	622 000	576 000	663 000	-6,18
Soya beans	535 000	768 560	687 300	1 070 000	-28,17
Groundnuts	24 000	29 600	58 000	62 300	-52,49
Sorghum	62 500	119 400	70 500	120 500	-0,91
Dry beans	25 500	35 150	64 000	73 390	-52,11

* Forecasts and estimates exclude the non-commercial sector.

Sixth production forecast for winter field crops for 2015

According to the sixth production forecast of winter crops, also released by the CEC on 27 January 2016, the expected wheat crop for 2015 was 1,501 million tons, which is 14,2% or 248 810 tons less than the 1,750 million tons of the previous season. The expected yield was 3,11 t/ha, compared to 3,67 t/ha the previous season. The area estimate for wheat was 482 150 ha, as against 476 570 ha for 2014—an increase of 1,2%.

The main contributing provinces to the expected wheat crop were the Western Cape, with a production forecast of 713 000 tons (47,5%), followed by the Northern Cape with 259 200 tons (17,3%) and the Free State with 208 000 tons (13,9%). The expected yield for the Western Cape was 2,30 t/ha, which is 20,7% lower than the 2,90 t/ha of the previous season. The expected yield for the Northern Cape was 7,20 t/ha, compared to 7,50 t/ha the previous season—a decrease of 4,0%. A yield of 2,60 t/ha was expected for the Free State, which is 26,3% lower than the 3,53 t/ha for 2014.

The production forecast for malting barley was 341 373 tons, which is 13,0% or 39 373 tons higher than the 302 000 tons of the previous season. The area planted was estimated at 93 730 ha, and the expected yield was 3,64 t/ha.

The expected canola crop was 78 050 tons, while the area estimate was 95 000 ha, with an expected yield of 1,25 t/ha.

Estimated areas planted and sixth production forecast for winter cereals: 2015

Crop	Area planted 2015	Sixth forecast 2015	Area planted 2014	Final crop 2014	Change in production 2015 vs 2014
	ha	tons	ha	tons	%
Wheat	482 150	1 501 190	476 570	1 750 000	-14,2
Malting barley	93 730	341 373	85 125	302 000	+13,0
Canola	78 050	97 600	95 000	121 000	-19,3

Updates on these figures can be found on the following websites:

www.daff.gov.za/statistics and economic reports; and
www.sagis.org.za/CEC: crop estimates

2. ECONOMIC INDICATORS OF THE SOUTH AFRICAN AGRICULTURAL SECTOR

Indicator (at current prices)	Jan. to Dec. 2014	Jan. to Dec. 2015	% change
Total gross farming income (R million)	217 786	226 727	+4,1
Intermediate expenditure (R million)	116 328	124 430	+7,0
Total farming cost (R million)	146 754	156 809	+6,9
Net farming income (R million)	75 778	73 462	-3,1
Domestic terms of trade (2010 = 1)	1,01	1,04	+3,0

Gross income from major products at current prices

	Jan. to Dec. 2014	Jan. to Dec. 2015	Change
Field crops:	R million		%
Maize	28 576	24 597	-13,9
Wheat	5 505	5 488	-0,3
Sugar cane	6 971	6 151	-11,8
Sunflower seed	3 837	3 150	-17,9
Tobacco	409	495	+21,0
All field crops	56 606	51 019	-9,9
Horticulture:			
Vegetables (including potatoes)	18 082	18 859	+4,3
Deciduous and other fruit	14 887	16 975	+14,0
Citrus fruit	12 531	14 200	+13,3
Viticulture	4 727	4 673	-1,1
Subtropical fruit	3 558	3 376	-5,1
All horticultural products	58 830	63 675	+8,2
Animal products:			
Poultry meat	34 121	37 155	+8,9
Cattle and calves slaughtered	24 938	28 257	+13,3
Milk	13 890	14 357	+3,4
Eggs	9 200	9 833	+6,9
Sheep slaughtered	5 784	6 149	+6,3
All animal products	102 351	112 033	+9,5

3. ECONOMIC OVERVIEW

This article gives an overview of the major macroeconomic trends in the agricultural sector for the period 1 January to 31 December 2015. Aggregates are compared with the period 1 January to 31 December 2014.

Gross farming income

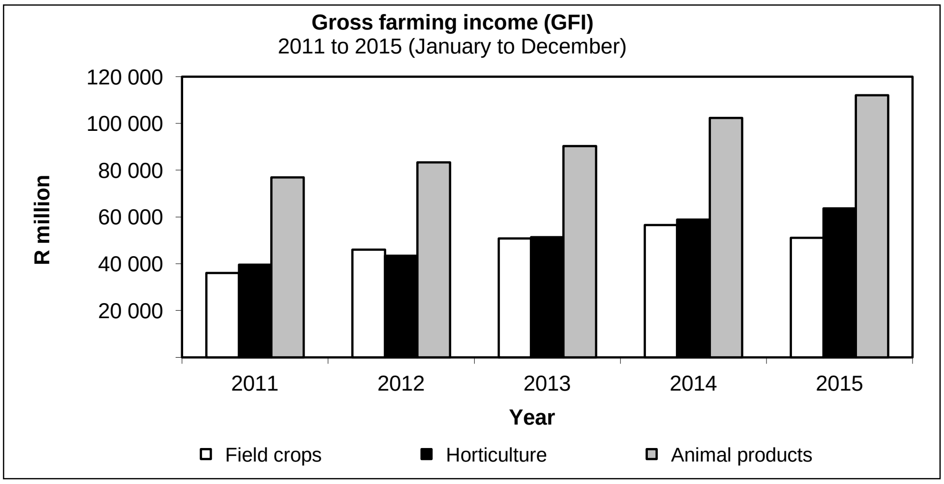
Gross farming income refers to both the part of agricultural production that is marketed and production for own consumption, valued at basic prices.

Gross income from all agricultural products for the 12 months that ended on 31 December 2015 amounted to R226 727 million, which is an increase of 4,1% from the previous year. This increase was mainly a result of the increase in gross income from animal and horticultural products.

The income from field crops decreased by 9,9% and amounted to R51 019 million, because of the decrease in income from grain sorghum by 58,9%, groundnuts by 28,6%, dry beans by 20,8%, sunflower seed by 17,9%, maize by 13,9%, soya beans by 4,7% and wheat slightly by 0,3%. The income derived from tobacco increased by 21,0%.

The income from horticultural products increased by 8,2% and amounted to R63 675 million, mainly as a result of the increase in income made from deciduous and other fruit by 14,0%, citrus fruit by 13,3% and vegetables by 4,3%. However, the income derived from subtropical fruit and viticulture decreased by 5,1% and 1,1% respectively.

The income from animal products increased by 9,5% and amounted to R112 033 million. The increase is attributed mainly to the increase in income from cattle and calves slaughtered by 13,3%, poultry meat by 8,9%, eggs by 6,9%, sheep slaughtered by 6,3% and milk by 3,4%.



Expenditure on intermediate production inputs

Expenditure on intermediate production inputs refers to the value of the goods and services that were purchased to be consumed as inputs during the production process.

The expenditure on intermediate goods and services increased by 7,0%, from R116 328 million in 2014 to R124 430 million in 2015. This was mainly because of an increase in expenditure on building and fencing material by 11,1%, seed and plants by 10,0%, packing material by 9,0%, farm feeds by 8,0%, farm services, and animal health and crop protection by 6,0% each, maintenance and repairs by 5,0%, fuel by 4,6% and fertilisers by 3,0%.

Farm feeds were the main expenditure item, accounting for 28,8%, followed by maintenance and repairs (14,0%), farm services (12,4%), fuel (9,0%), animal health and crop protection, and seed and plants (6,3% each), fertilisers (5,3%), packing material (4,6%) and building and fencing material (3,8%).

Prices received and paid by farmers as well as terms of trade

On average, prices received by farmers for their products increased by 6,0%.

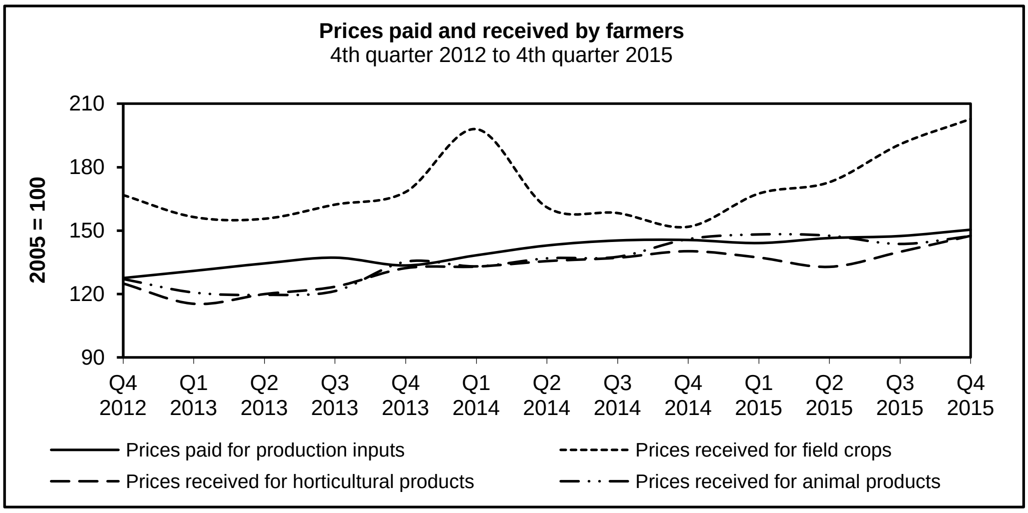
The weighted average price of field crops increased by 9,8%. This was as a result of the increase in prices of hay by 13,2%, summer grains by 12,5%, tobacco by 10,6%, sugar cane by 10,1%, winter grains by 6,7%, cotton by 5,3% and oilseeds slightly by 0,6%. The price of dry beans decreased by 12,7%.

The weighted average price of horticultural products increased by 2,1% mainly because of the increase in prices of fruit by 8,4%. The average prices of vegetables and viticulture decreased by 6,1% and 2,6% respectively.

The weighted average price of animal products increased by 6,0% because of the increase in prices of pastoral products by 12,9%, poultry meat by 7,7% and slaughtered stock by 6,4%. There was a decrease of 1,8% in the price of milk.

The prices paid for farming requisites, including machinery and implements, material for fixed improvements as well as intermediate goods, rose by 3,5%, compared to 6,2% the previous year. Prices paid for tractors and building material increased by 8,4% each, trucks by 5,7%, fencing material by 5,2%, maintenance and repairs by 4,8%, seeds and feeds by 4,3% each, animal health and crop protection by 4,0%, packing material by 3,8% and fertilisers by 2,3%.

The increase of 6,0% in prices received by farmers and the 3,5% increase in prices paid by farmers caused the domestic terms of trade to increase by 3,0%.



Net farming income, cash flow and farming debt

The increase of 4,1% in gross farming income opposed to the increase of 7,0% in expenditure on intermediate production inputs resulted in a decrease of 3,1% in net farming income. Interest payments increased by 9,0%, while labour costs and rent payment increased by 4,6% each.

The cash flow of farmers for the period ended December 2015 decreased slightly by 0,7% to R76 714 million, from R77 293 million the previous year.

The total farming debt at the end of December 2015 is estimated at R133 089 million, which is 14,2% higher than the R116 576 million in the previous year.

Conclusion

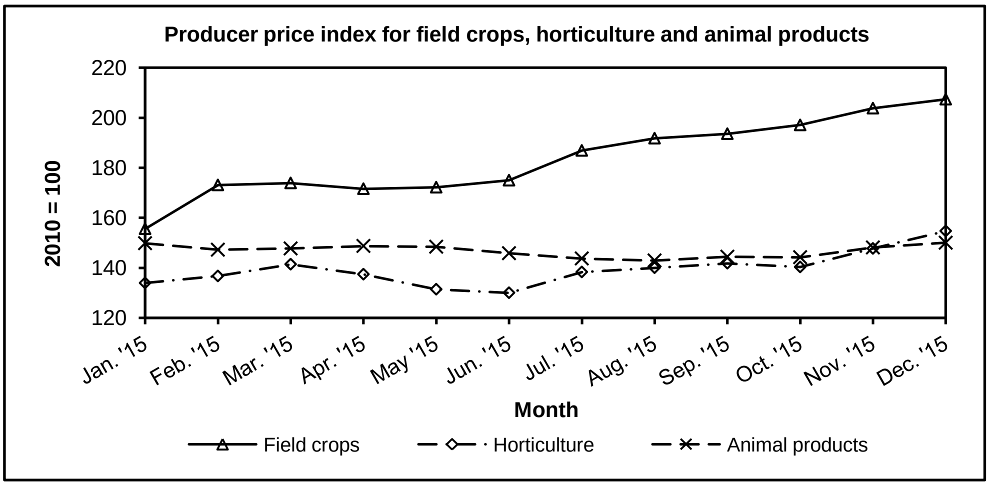
The gross income of farmers for the year ended 31 December 2015 increased by 4,1% from that of the previous year, which was mainly a result of the increase in income from animal and horticultural products by 9,5% and 8,2% respectively. The relatively small increase of 4,1% in gross income, compared to increases of between 11,0% to 14,0% per year in the previous four years, can be ascribed mainly to dry weather conditions, which adversely affected field crop production.

Although the gross farming income increased, the net farming income decreased by 3,1% because of the increased expenditure on intermediate goods and services by 7,0% and a decrease in production of most field crops.

Compiled by Ephaphrus Mankwane

4. INDICES OF PRODUCER PRICES OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS

Product	Weight	October		November		December	
		2014	2015	2014	2015	2014	2015
		Index (2010 = 100)					
Field crops	22,8	147,1	197,1	151,0	203,8	157,2	207,4
Horticulture	26,9	145,0	140,3	139,0	147,7	137,0	154,7
Animal products	50,3	142,6	144,2	145,5	148,1	149,9	150,0
Combined	100,0	144,3	155,2	145,0	160,7	148,1	164,3
Field crops							
Summer grains	46,3	149,0	238,7	158,2	250,2	166,0	250,1
Winter cereals	13,1	147,6	177,1	149,4	186,3	159,7	198,0
Oilseeds	11,4	149,6	176,5	160,8	182,7	161,3	186,4
Sugar cane	16,2	136,2	144,0	136,7	144,1	138,2	144,9
Hay	10,2	147,9	151,5	129,0	146,8	137,7	161,8
Dry beans	1,2	209,6	182,9	209,6	182,9	209,6	182,9
Cotton	0,4	139,0	145,0	139,0	145,0	139,0	145,0
Tobacco	1,2	123,6	137,9	123,6	137,9	123,6	137,9
Combined	100,0	147,1	197,1	151,0	203,8	157,2	207,4
Horticulture							
Viticulture	11,0	123,2	120,0	123,2	120,0	123,2	120,0
Vegetables	37,0	138,6	125,5	118,5	145,8	112,7	162,6
Fruit	52,0	154,2	155,1	157,0	155,0	157,3	156,5
Combined	100,0	145,0	140,3	139,0	147,7	137,0	154,7
Animal husbandry							
Pastoral products	2,5	178,4	210,0	177,1	217,0	176,0	218,2
Stock slaughtered	34,2	142,0	147,5	144,6	148,8	146,5	153,1
Milk	14,2	146,2	124,3	146,2	127,8	146,2	134,3
Poultry	49,1	140,0	144,2	144,3	150,0	151,9	148,8
Combined	100,0	142,6	144,2	145,5	148,1	149,9	150,0



5. CONSUMER PRICE INDICES

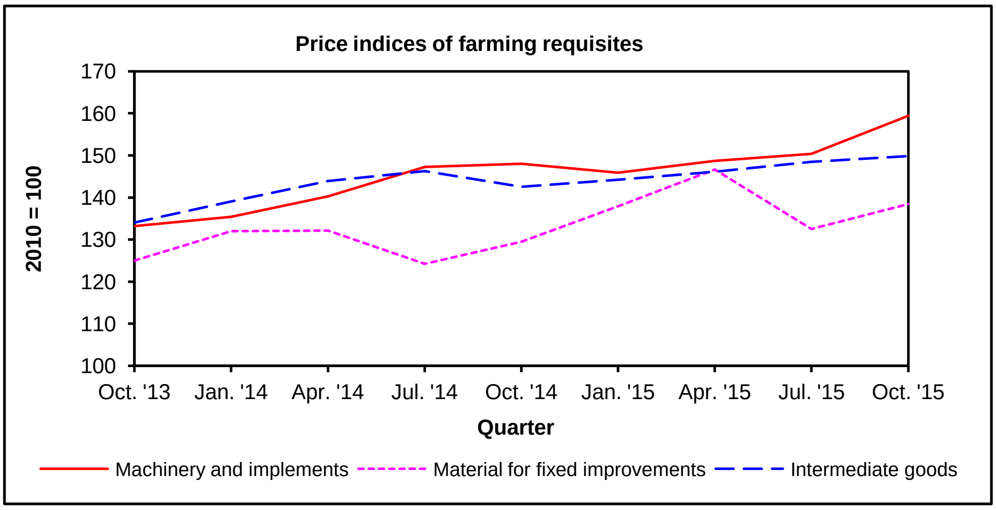
Item	Weight	October 2015	November 2015	December 2015
		Index (2010 = 100)		
All items	100,00	132,5	132,4	131,7
All items, excluding food	84,59	134,6	132,8	131,9
Food	15,41	141,0	141,4	143,1
Grain products	3,55	140,9	143,3	146,4
Meat	4,56	142,4	142,5	143,2
Fish and other seafood	0,37	137,8	135,9	134,8
Milk, cheese and eggs	1,74	135,2	138,6	139,1
Fats and oils	0,55	145,0	145,1	147,9
Fruit and nuts	0,23	118,2	123,0	130,0
Vegetables	1,61	141,9	133,3	137,1
Sugar	0,65	153,9	151,5	152,3
Coffee, tea and cocoa	1,21	143,8	151,0	151,7
Other	0,94	139,2	141,0	142,2

Source: Statistics South Africa

6. PRICE INDICES OF FARMING REQUISITES (BASE YEAR: 2010 = 100)

Period	Machinery and implements					Material for fixed improvements		
	Tractors	Trucks	Imple-ments	Irrigation equipment	Combined index	Building materials	Fencing materials	Combined index
2010	100,0	100,0	100,0	100,0	100,0	100,0	100,0	100,0
2011	108,1	115,5	110,3	107,4	110,8	104,6	107,9	105,8
2012	114,5	133,3	123,7	117,7	123,0	114,5	117,2	115,5
2013	126,3	141,6	131,5	126,2	132,2	121,9	123,5	122,5
January	121,4	137,5	128,3	121,4	128,1	123,5	118,8	121,8
April	125,5	142,0	129,5	122,8	131,1	122,7	126,2	123,9
2012/13	120,1	137,5	127,9	121,4	127,6	119,3	120,9	119,8
July	127,7	149,5	134,4	132,4	136,5	116,1	124,7	119,1
October	130,6	137,4	133,8	128,4	133,2	125,6	124,1	125,0
2014	139,8	151,1	139,0	138,9	142,8	128,6	131,0	129,5
January	131,8	140,1	135,4	133,4	135,4	134,5	127,3	132,0
April	141,7	144,6	137,0	134,7	140,3	130,9	134,4	132,2
2013/14	132,9	142,9	135,1	132,2	136,4	126,8	127,6	127,1
July	144,0	156,8	142,5	144,6	147,3	120,4	131,4	124,3
October	142,2	163,0	141,1	143,0	148,0	128,7	131,0	129,5
2015	151,7	159,8	143,7	146,5	151,1	139,5	137,8	138,6
January	147,0	151,6	140,6	142,1	145,9	140,6	132,9	137,9
April	147,7	157,3	143,3	143,5	148,7	147,0	145,9	146,7
2014/15	145,2	157,2	141,9	143,3	147,5	134,2	135,3	132,6
July	150,2	157,3	143,3	151,3	150,4	129,9	137,4	138,5
October	161,9	173,0	147,6	149,2	159,4	140,4	134,9	138,9

Period	Intermediate goods and services							All farming requisites combined
	Fertilisers	Fuel	Feeds	Animal health and crop protection	Packing material	Maintenance and repairs	Combined index	
2010	100,0	100,0	100,0	100,0	100,0	100,0	100,0	100,0
2011	108,9	104,9	111,9	110,2	111,2	113,6	110,9	110,6
2012	115,6	121,8	129,0	123,8	128,0	125,3	126,3	125,4
2013	121,5	129,5	138,0	131,0	136,7	132,7	134,9	134,0
January	119,0	128,3	140,1	126,4	133,5	127,9	131,8	130,9
April	122,1	128,8	134,1	129,7	132,0	121,9	135,5	134,4
2012/13	118,8	126,9	144,0	127,6	132,1	128,6	131,3	130,3
July	122,5	130,6	132,8	133,3	141,6	138,2	138,3	137,2
October	122,5	130,5	138,0	134,4	139,6	132,8	134,0	133,5
2014	124,6	141,5	146,4	139,0	144,9	139,0	142,9	142,3
January	123,9	139,9	140,3	134,5	141,6	134,6	139,1	138,3
April	123,9	147,6	148,6	137,3	139,8	138,6	143,9	142,9
2013/14	123,2	137,1	141,4	134,9	140,7	136,0	138,8	138,0
July	123,5	142,6	153,3	140,2	150,3	141,9	146,3	145,3
October	127,0	136,1	143,5	143,9	148,1	140,8	142,5	142,6
2015	127,5	136,1	152,7	144,6	150,4	145,7	147,2	147,2
January	127,5	135,7	147,4	141,4	147,5	142,2	144,2	144,1
April	126,8	134,1	152,2	143,3	146,3	145,4	146,1	146,5
2014/15	126,2	137,1	149,1	142,2	148,0	142,6	144,8	144,6
July	127,8	132,4	156,4	144,1	155,0	145,8	148,5	147,9
October	127,8	142,4	154,9	149,6	153,0	146,5	149,8	150,4



SECTION B

FRESH PRODUCE MARKETS OVERVIEW

FRESH MARKET STATISTICS AND GRAPHIC PRESENTATION OF SEASONAL FLUCTUATIONS IN QUANTITIES AND PRICES OF FRUIT AND VEGETABLES SOLD ON THE MAJOR FRESH PRODUCE MARKETS

The purpose of this overview is to show the short-term price and volume trends (seasonal fluctuations) of various types of fruit and vegetables sold on the major fresh produce markets and to make comparisons between markets.

Market prices are determined by the interaction between supply and demand, which is influenced by various factors. Supply factors include climate, seasonal production, perishability of products, and producers' reaction to prices realised in preceding periods, etc. Demand factors include consumer preferences, substitution between products, and per capita income. Therefore, the seasonal pattern of quantities sold and prices realised may differ considerably among the various markets.

The graphs in this overview depict the trends for fruit and vegetables sold on the Johannesburg Fresh Produce Market and give an indication of the variations in monthly volumes sold and prices received, based on the average for the five-year period 2011 to 2015.

Detailed information regarding the specific varieties of fruit and vegetables sold on the markets is available on request from:

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Interesting vegetable: Beetroot

Scientific name: *Beta vulgaris* L.

Common names: Beet, beetroot, Swiss chard, rhubarb chard, spinach beet, silver beet, sugar beet, mangel-wurzel, mangold.

History: Around 800 BC, the beet was mentioned in an Assyrian text as growing in the Hanging Gardens of Babylon and was also offered to the sun god Apollo in the temple of Delphi by the Greeks. The beet evolved from the wild Sea-beet, which is perhaps why *Beta vulgaris* was originally prized for its leaves, and not for its root. Romans described early black and white varieties of beet. Roman texts discuss more uses for the beet's root than its leaves. In general, beets were consumed for their medicinal properties, mainly as a laxative or to relieve fever.

New varieties of beetroot were developed in Germany and Italy, particularly the red variety, most common today. The beetroot continued to spread throughout Eastern Europe and Scandinavia. By the end of the Middle Ages, the beetroot had become an important staple in the Eastern European diet. The sixteenth century saw the creation of borsch and Scandinavian beetroot and herring salads.

By the nineteenth century, beetroot was widely consumed across Europe. English recipes suggested pickling beetroot. Southern European and Mediterranean recipes praised both the root and the greens, often eaten with olive oil based dressings.

Historical uses: From the middle ages, beetroot was used as a treatment for a variety of conditions, from indigestion to blood-related illnesses.

Description: *Beta vulgaris* is indigenous to Southern Europe, extensively cultivated for food and foodstuffs, especially for the production of sugar, and presents many varieties.

It is originated from the Sea beet, which grows wild on the coasts of Europe, North Africa and Asia, as far as India, and is found in many parts of England. It is a tall, succulent plant, about 0,6 metre high, with large, fleshy, glossy leaves, angular stems and numerous leafy spikes of green flowers, much like those of the Stinking goosefoot.

The lower leaves, when boiled, are quite similar in taste to spinach, and the leaf-stalks and midribs of a cultivated form, the spinach beet, are sometimes stewed, which is called Swiss chard. This white-rooted beet is also cultivated for its leaves, which are put in soups or used as spinach, and in France are often mixed with sorrel to lessen its acidity. It is also largely used as a decorative plant for its large handsome leaves, which are blood red or variegated in colour. Its root, though containing almost as much sugar as the red Garden beet, neither looks so appetising nor tastes as well.

Growing: Beetroot will grow in any well-drained garden soil but require fertile conditions, best ensured by digging in at least a bucketful of well-rotted garden compost or organic matter and raking in a handful of other general purpose fertiliser per square metre before sowing. Early sowings benefit from protection with horticultural fleece or cloches.

When the seedlings are about 2,5 cm high, thin out to leave one seedling per 10 cm station.

Water every 10 to 14 days during dry spells. If the plants are not growing strongly, apply 30 g high nitrogen fertiliser per square metre, such as ammonium sulphate, and water.

Harvesting: Pull up alternate plants once they have reached golf ball size to use as a tasty treat in the kitchen, leaving the others to reach maturity. Harvest these when they are the size of a cricket ball.

Food uses: The usually deep purple roots of beetroot are eaten boiled, roasted or raw, either alone or combined with any salad vegetable. A large proportion of the commercial production is processed into boiled and sterilised beets or into pickles. Beet soup, such as borscht, is a popular dish in Eastern Europe, b. In Indian cuisine, chopped, cooked and spiced beet is a common side dish. Yellow-coloured beetroots are grown on a very small scale for home consumption.

The green, leafy portion of the beet is also edible. It is most commonly served boiled or steamed, in which case it has a taste and texture similar to spinach. Selected bulbs that are unmarked. Avoid those with overly limp leaves or wrinkled skins, both of which are signs of dehydration.

Beetroot can be boiled or steamed, peeled and then eaten warm with or without butter as a delicacy; cooked, pickled and then eaten cold as a condiment; or peeled, shredded raw and then eaten as a salad. Pickled beets are a traditional food in many countries.

Other uses: Betanin, obtained from the roots, is used industrially as red food colorant to improve the colour and flavour of tomato paste, sauces, desserts, jams and jellies, ice cream, sweets, breakfast cereals, etc.

Nutritional value: Beetroot is of exceptional nutritional value; especially the greens, which are rich in calcium, iron and vitamins A and C. Beetroots are an excellent source of folic acid and a very good source of fibre, manganese and potassium. The greens should not be overlooked; they can be cooked and enjoyed in the same way as spinach.

Health benefits:

1 Lowers your blood pressure levels

Beetroot is a great source of nitrates, which when consumed, is converted to nitrites and a gas called nitric oxides. Both these components help to widen the arteries and lower blood pressure.

2 Reduces "bad" cholesterol and prevents plaque formation

Beetroot is known to contain large amounts of soluble fibres, flavonoids and betacyanin. Betacyanin is the compound that gives beetroot its purplish-red colour and is also a powerful antioxidant. It helps to reduce the oxidation of LDL cholesterol and does not allow it to deposit on the walls of arteries. This protects the heart from potential heart attacks and strokes, reducing the need for medication

3 Good for pregnant women and unborn children

Another amazing quality of the root is that it has an abundant supply of folic acid. Folic acid is important for pregnant mothers and unborn babies because it is an essential component for the proper formation of the unborn child's spinal cord and can protect the child from conditions such as spina bifida (a congenital disorder where the child's spinal cord does not form completely and in most cases looks like it has been divided into two at the base).

4 Beats osteoporosis

Beetroot is packed with mineral silica, an important component for the body to use calcium efficiently. Since our bones and teeth consist calcium, a glass of beetroot juice a day could help keep conditions such as osteoporosis and brittle bone disease at bay.

5 Keeps diabetes in check

People suffering from diabetes can fulfil their sweet craving by adding some beetroot in their diet. It aids in maintaining your blood sugar levels low while satiating your sugar craving because it is a medium glycaemic index vegetable (which means it releases sugars very slowly into the blood).

6 Treats anaemia

It is a common myth that, because beetroot is reddish in colour, it replaces lost blood and is therefore good to treat anaemia. While this may sound a bit outrageous to many, there is a partial truth hidden in the myth. Beetroot contains a lot of iron. Iron helps in the formation of haemagglutinin, which is a part of the blood that helps transport oxygen and nutrients to various parts of the body. It is the iron content and not the colour that helps treat anaemia.

7 Protects from cancer

The betacyanin content in beetroot has another very important function. In a study done at the Howard University, Washington DC, it was found that betacyanin helped slow down tumour growth by 12.5% in patients with breast and prostate cancer.

8 Beats constipation

Because of its high soluble fibre content, beetroot acts as a great laxative. It helps regulating bowel movement by softening stools. It also cleanses the colon and flushes out the harmful toxins from the stomach.

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Mass, value and average price of vegetables sold on the 19 major fresh produce markets: October to December 2015

Code	Market	Rands	Tons	Rands/ton
TSW	Tshwane (Pretoria)	493 041 369	119 071	4 141
JHB	Johannesburg	1 177 049 074	272 431	4 321
BFN	Bloemfontein	61 705 007	15 659	3 941
KIM	Kimberley	11 062 986	2 849	3 883
CT	Cape Town	249 895 355	58 858	4 246
PE	Port Elizabeth	50 148 559	14 952	3 354
EL	East London	58 765 024	16 415	3 580
DBN	Durban	216 481 227	54 967	3 938
PMB	Pietermaritzburg	48 926 866	13 703	3 571
WLK	Welkom	39 775 065	9 678	4 110
KDP	Klerksdorp	60 357 833	16 287	3 706
VER	Vereeniging	29 387 435	8 822	3 331
SPR	Springs	57 462 285	17 937	3 204
UIT	Uitenhage	4 788 896	2 074	2 309
WBK	Witbank	12 662 310	3 718	3 406
NLS	Nelspruit	5 219 277	1 316	3 966
MPL	Mpumalanga	29 794 574	8 250	3 611
KEI	Kei (Mthatha)	2 598 557	898	2 894
GEO	George	5 741 157	2 072	2 771

Mass, value and average price of fruit sold on the 19 major fresh produce markets: October to December 2015

Code	Market	Rands	Tons	Rands/ton
TSW	Tshwane (Pretoria)	311 293 233	52 718	5 905
JHB	Johannesburg	587 080 435	78 118	7 515
BFM	Bloemfontein	43 069 683	6 832	6 304
KIM	Kimberley	5 122 090	1 025	4 997
CT	Cape Town	151 455 881	23 643	6 406
PE	Port Elizabeth	22 209 142	3 542	6 270
EL	East London	35 027 183	5 903	5 934
DBN	Durban	147 394 782	23 233	6 344
PMB	Pietermaritzburg	38 035 679	6 820	5 577
WLK	Welkom	13 191 479	2 385	5 531
KDP	Klerksdorp	24 652 874	4 473	5 511
VER	Vereeniging	8 267 763	1 480	5 586
SPR	Springs	32 122 294	7 481	4 294
UIT	Uitenhage	386 645	121	3 195
WBK	Witbank	3 562 436	792	4 498
NLS	Nelspruit	–	–	–
MPL	Mpumalanga	–	–	–
KEI	Kei (Mthatha)	78 545	37	2 123
GEO	George	246 208	60	4 103

1. Apples

2015	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	2015
Market	Tons					Market
TSW	3 219	3 544	3 986	3 323	2 278	TSW
JHB	5 652	5 904	6 342	5 249	4 137	JHB
BFN	429	472	583	530	399	BFN
KIM	101	79	83	88	53	KIM
CT	388	402	494	420	304	CT
PE	30	36	27	36	27	PE
EL	293	320	343	304	324	EL
DBN	2 013	1 793	2 141	1 574	1 344	DBN
PMB	628	633	575	554	450	PMB
WLK	262	290	308	294	227	WLK
KDP	555	552	620	554	398	KDP
VER	131	174	151	137	92	VER
SPR	802	868	775	700	400	SPR
UIT	2	–	1	–	–	UIT
WBK	57	60	57	36	26	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	9	6	7	–	–	KEI
GEO	3	3	2	3	3	GEO
Total	14 574	15 136	16 495	13 802	10 462	Total
Market	R/ton					Market
TSW	5 564	5 930	6 191	6 613	6 907	TSW
JHB	6 122	6 423	6 914	6 995	7 197	JHB
BFN	5 837	6 376	6 765	6 679	7 003	BFN
KIM	5 483	6 160	5 693	6 206	6 810	KIM
CT	4 853	5 234	5 946	6 483	6 826	CT
PE	7 859	9 045	9 377	9 511	9 871	PE
EL	5 554	5 905	6 445	7 279	7 003	EL
DBN	5 891	6 004	6 364	6 643	6 821	DBN
PMB	4 803	4 841	5 674	5 830	5 725	PMB
WLK	5 319	5 813	6 082	6 213	6 329	WLK
KDP	4 361	4 492	5 061	4 843	5 050	KDP
VER	6 134	6 623	6 969	7 251	7 839	VER
SPR	5 563	5 800	6 113	6 559	6 913	SPR
UIT	4 612	4 444	3 129	–	2 800	UIT
WBK	6 226	6 068	6 388	6 548	7 756	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	3 258	6 002	4 818	4 456	–	KEI
GEO	6 032	6 032	6 032	5 556	5 556	GEO
Average	5 742	6 035	6 453	6 672	6 898	Average

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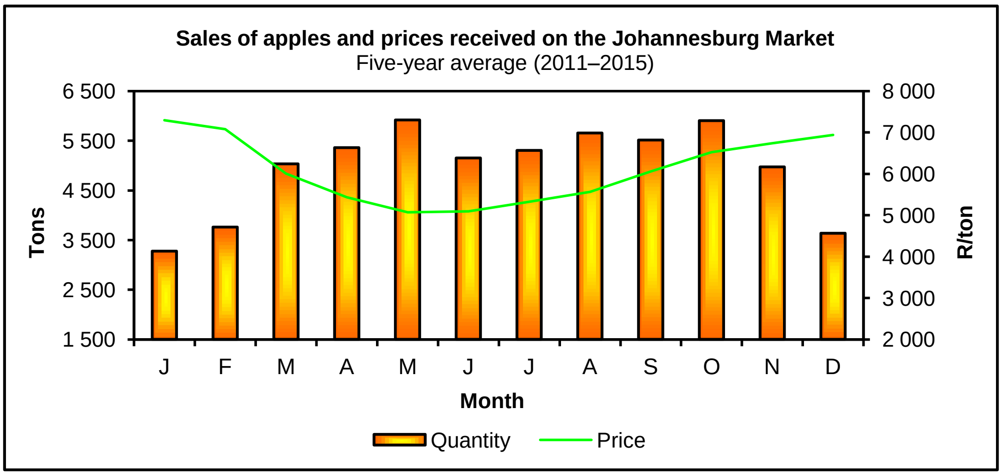

2. Pears

2015	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	2015
Market	Tons					Market
TSW	816	653	518	242	149	TSW
JHB	1 135	1 031	894	615	391	JHB
BFN	125	113	104	73	51	BFN
KIM	6	12	6	18	6	KIM
CT	123	120	111	92	61	CT
PE	12	14	–	1	–	PE
EL	105	70	62	31	37	EL
DBN	431	319	246	137	105	DBN
PMB	154	143	100	47	32	PMB
WLK	60	28	13	20	8	WLK
KDP	187	127	142	46	76	KDP
VER	48	38	32	14	2	VER
SPR	208	156	148	134	70	SPR
UIT	–	–	1	–	–	UIT
WBK	1	9	–	19	6	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	1	2	1	–	–	KEI
GEO	–	–	–	–	–	GEO
Total	3 412	2 835	2 378	1 489	994	Total
Market	R/ton					Market
TSW	6 955	7 587	9 188	9 477	9 700	TSW
JHB	7 763	8 785	9 411	9 875	9 206	JHB
BFN	6 962	7 709	8 855	7 199	8 020	BFN
KIM	6 741	7 876	9 151	10 253	8 947	KIM
CT	5 878	9 119	9 361	9 908	9 849	CT
PE	9 503	9 327	10 774	10 170	–	PE
EL	5 521	7 839	8 862	9 724	8 691	EL
DBN	6 603	7 228	8 981	8 638	10 532	DBN
PMB	6 218	7 007	7 718	8 037	8 684	PMB
WLK	5 912	8 225	7 319	9 189	7 683	WLK
KDP	4 766	5 574	6 061	7 680	6 806	KDP
VER	6 425	7 992	8 889	9 167	10 569	VER
SPR	5 785	7 572	8 293	7 571	8 860	SPR
UIT	–	–	6 718	–	–	UIT
WBK	8 586	6 302	–	7 671	7 108	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	6 890	6 303	5 911	7 059	–	KEI
GEO	–	–	–	–	–	GEO
Average	6 855	7 959	8 915	9 190	9 132	Average

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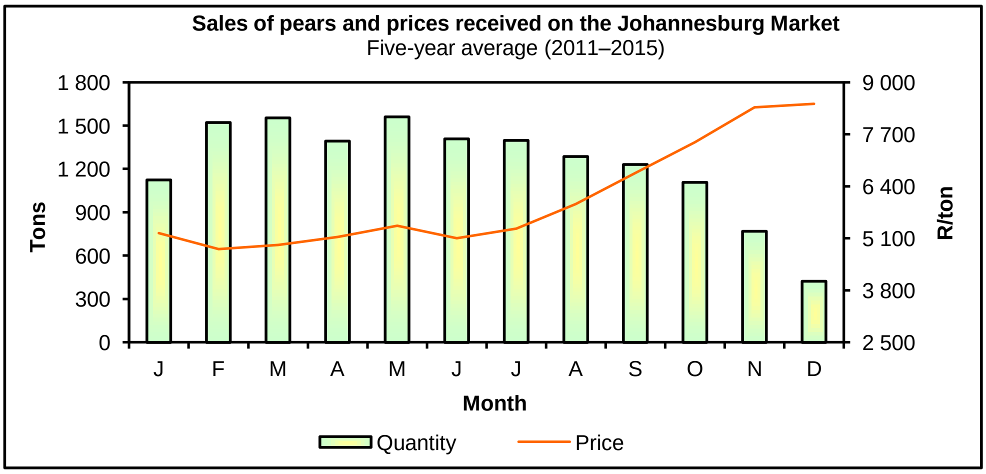

3. Oranges

2015	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	2015
Market	Tons					Market
TSW	2 700	2 165	1 806	702	329	TSW
JHB	5 587	4 473	3 873	1 635	633	JHB
BFN	600	361	158	14	–	BFN
KIM	36	62	26	1	–	KIM
CT	585	800	481	321	240	CT
PE	113	148	91	41	12	PE
EL	407	294	139	8	5	EL
DBN	1 737	1 581	1243	533	206	DBN
PMB	678	491	159	57	78	PMB
WLK	321	169	44	17	2	WLK
KDP	357	363	61	12	–	KDP
VER	224	134	30	–	–	VER
SPR	409	57	47	10	1	SPR
UIT	8	3	2	19	7	UIT
WBK	94	64	29	3	3	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	71	49	27	1	–	KEI
GEO	6	0	11	1	–	GEO
Total	13 933	11 214	8 227	3 375	1 516	Total
Market	R/ton					Market
TSW	2 428	2 229	2 777	4 352	2 676	TSW
JHB	2 718	2 604	3 258	4 697	6 142	JHB
BFN	2 043	2 196	1 656	4 000	–	BFN
KIM	2 599	2 492	1 734	2 310	–	KIM
CT	2 330	2 109	2 553	3 390	5 068	CT
PE	1 223	1 332	1 454	1 607	1 824	PE
EL	2 038	2 126	1 735	1 827	5 379	EL
DBN	2 749	2 381	3 118	3 383	3 991	DBN
PMB	2 508	2 567	2 020	2 772	2 573	PMB
WLK	2 199	2 092	1 068	1 860	2 229	WLK
KDP	2 514	1 946	2 397	5 486	–	KDP
VER	2 198	1 694	1 692	–	–	VER
SPR	2 059	1 541	2 877	2 981	1 429	SPR
UIT	1 258	1 640	1 478	1 185	1 452	UIT
WBK	1 925	1 726	1 760	4 340	4 188	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	1 417	1 693	1 290	1 651	–	KEI
GEO	1 106	1 029	1 862	1 400	–	GEO
Average	2 519	2 358	2 945	4 174	4 673	Average

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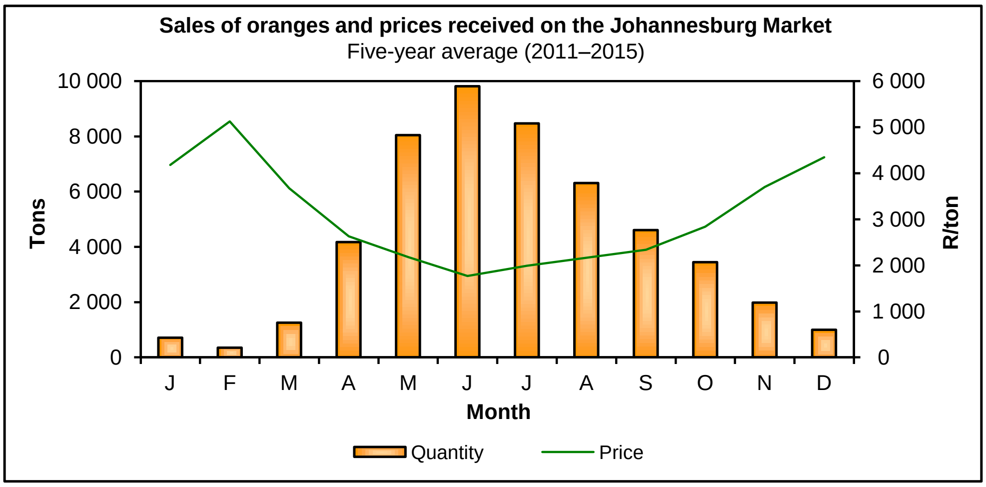

4. Lemons

2015	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	2015
Market	Tons					Market
TSW	174	230	220	254	241	TSW
JHB	625	714	850	705	701	JHB
BFN	13	16	20	11	25	BFN
KIM	1	1	0	2	0	KIM
CT	144	182	214	215	272	CT
PE	11	19	56	17	28	PE
EL	10	8	10	8	21	EL
DBN	104	103	152	122	108	DBN
PMB	16	18	22	31	26	PMB
WLK	1	0	1	0	0	WLK
KDP	5	7	9	6	6	KDP
VER	0	1	2	8	1	VER
SPR	2	4	10	7	6	SPR
UIT	1	–	–	1	1	UIT
WBK	1	1	0	0	–	WBK
NLS	–	–	2	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	–	–	–	–	–	KEI
GEO	–	–	–	1	8	GEO
Total	1 108	1 304	1 568	1 388	1 444	Total
Market	R/ton					Market
TSW	5 271	7 761	6 648	7 249	8 009	TSW
JHB	6 663	7 620	6 825	6 775	7 155	JHB
BFN	4 958	5 545	7 258	5 285	4 744	BFN
KIM	4 907	2 510	9 552	4 345	6 182	KIM
CT	3 838	5 914	5 533	5 889	6 979	CT
PE	1 826	2 965	4 501	2 430	2 390	PE
EL	3 672	4 712	6 419	8 823	4 502	EL
DBN	6 399	7 548	7 645	6 612	7 624	DBN
PMB	4 475	5 958	5 840	3 944	5 148	PMB
WLK	4 274	4 143	5 019	1 667	2 564	WLK
KDP	6 417	5 961	7 727	7 213	7 559	KDP
VER	8 871	3 052	6 378	7 010	6 855	VER
SPR	5 066	4 554	6 419	3 613	5 515	SPR
UIT	1 271	–	–	1 800	2 147	UIT
WBK	3 601	2 649	6 171	3 333	–	WBK
NLS	–	–	2 911	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	–	–	–	–	–	KEI
GEO	–	–	–	2 983	4 458	GEO
Average	5 914	7 239	6 606	6 571	7 071	Average

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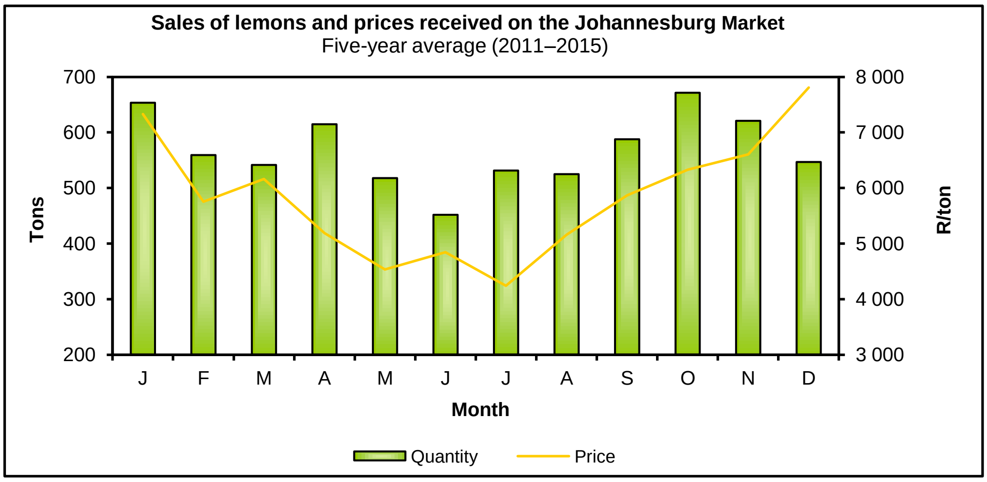

5. Avocados

2015	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	2015
Market	Tons					Market
TSW	665	599	549	491	334	TSW
JHB	1 222	1 289	967	831	640	JHB
BFN	41	34	36	50	44	BFN
KIM	7	6	3	3	2	KIM
CT	584	673	687	671	366	CT
PE	6	3	12	36	24	PE
EL	13	8	19	16	16	EL
DBN	16	22	32	32	24	DBN
PMB	12	11	9	13	9	PMB
WLK	10	5	9	13	11	WLK
KDP	48	33	25	35	38	KDP
VER	15	1	4	18	15	VER
SPR	24	19	10	31	17	SPR
UIT	–	–	–	–	–	UIT
WBK	–	–	–	–	–	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	–	–	–	–	–	KEI
GEO	–	–	1	0	1	GEO
Total	2 663	2 703	2 363	2 240	1 541	Total
Market	R/ton					Market
TSW	7 646	9 331	8 142	6 376	8 024	TSW
JHB	7 562	9 083	11 768	9 652	11 572	JHB
BFN	7 698	8 377	7 048	6 183	6 827	BFN
KIM	9 735	9 541	5 545	7 222	6 511	KIM
CT	8 144	8 077	9 466	11 025	9 564	CT
PE	5 374	9 866	10 322	7 426	6 796	PE
EL	9 181	9 922	9 762	9 778	8 478	EL
DBN	9 054	8 927	9 156	6 798	8 568	DBN
PMB	7 419	8 157	8 128	6 159	6 083	PMB
WLK	5 433	5 050	7 591	6 725	5 519	WLK
KDP	8 753	8 135	9 108	7 961	5 666	KDP
VER	5 422	8 505	6 400	5 902	4 816	VER
SPR	9 526	7 101	7 068	3 648	5 887	SPR
UIT	–	8 356	–	–	–	UIT
WBK	–	–	–	8 093	4 077	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	–	–	–	–	–	KEI
GEO	–	–	6 855	5 696	6 538	GEO
Average	7 749	8 845	10 027	9 010	9 679	Average

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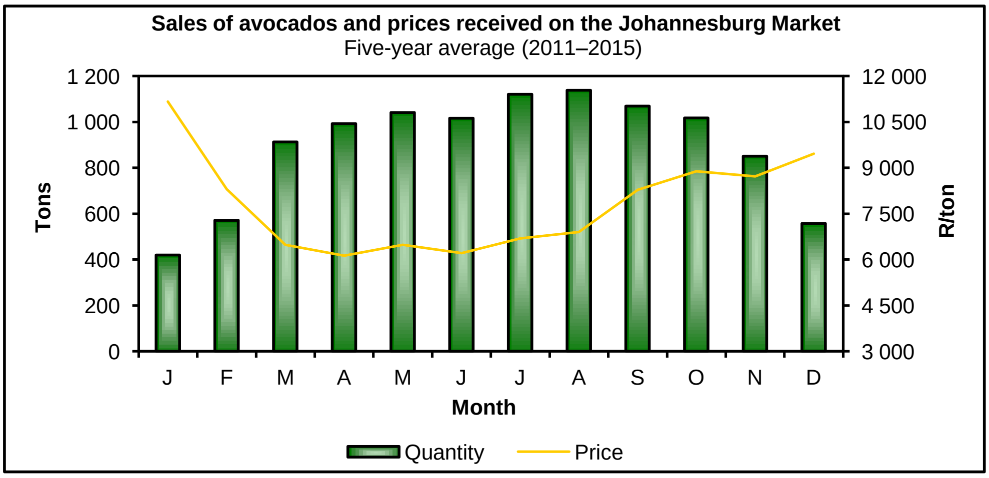

6. Bananas

2015	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	2015
Market	Tons					Market
TSW	4 503	6 007	5 719	5 785	4 685	TSW
JHB	5 886	7 514	8 463	7 386	6 233	JHB
BFN	836	1 129	1 016	927	914	BFN
KIM	127	138	152	136	117	KIM
CT	2 176	2 797	2 820	2 718	2 444	CT
PE	752	889	897	949	914	PE
EL	1 012	1 167	1 275	1 334	946	EL
DBN	2 596	3 059	3 325	2 894	2 587	DBN
PMB	883	1 015	1 103	1 284	1 037	PMB
WLK	252	433	377	319	197	WLK
KDP	479	645	650	527	420	KDP
VER	139	193	256	289	217	VER
SPR	636	750	935	932	707	SPR
UIT	–	–	–	–	–	UIT
WBK	79	189	200	212	108	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	–	–	–	–	–	KEI
GEO	–	–	–	–	–	GEO
Total	20 356	25 925	27 188	25 692	21 526	Total
Market	R/ton					Market
TSW	4 978	3 727	4 277	4 482	5 511	TSW
JHB	4 806	3 844	4 014	4 740	5 521	JHB
BFN	4 825	3 974	4 594	5 575	6 478	BFN
KIM	5 390	4 741	4 806	5 626	6 070	KIM
CT	5 707	4 949	5 369	5 762	6 957	CT
PE	6 142	5 439	5 796	6 082	7 332	PE
EL	5 375	4 461	4 849	4 852	6 543	EL
DBN	5 089	4 156	4 691	4 757	5 514	DBN
PMB	5 144	4 336	4 332	4 244	5 325	PMB
WLK	5 006	3 934	4 223	4 765	5 699	WLK
KDP	4 704	3 781	4 142	5 227	5 970	KDP
VER	4 957	4 333	4 279	4 576	4 905	VER
SPR	4 738	3 781	3 724	4 079	4 869	SPR
UIT	–	–	–	–	–	UIT
WBK	4 692	3 532	3 785	4 096	4 469	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	–	–	–	–	–	KEI
GEO	–	–	–	–	–	GEO
Average	5 072	4 085	4 426	4 837	5 815	Average

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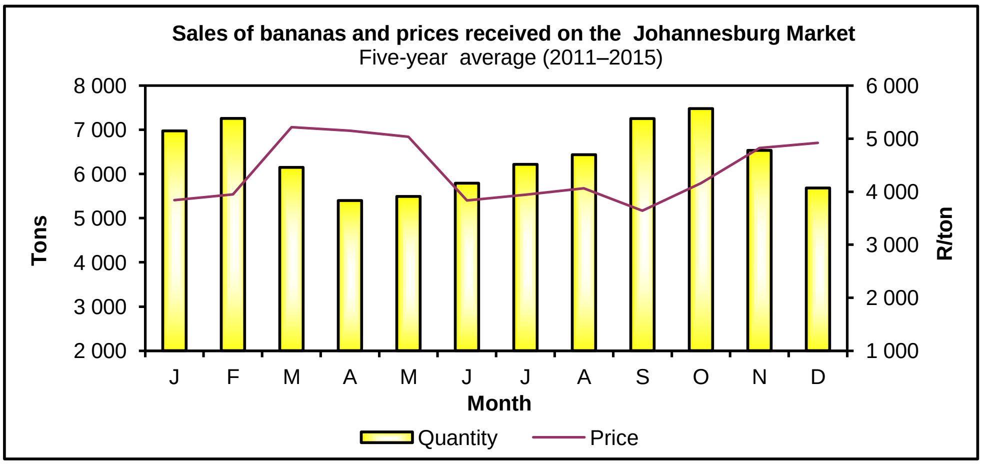

7. Papayas

2015	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	2015
Market	Tons					Market
TSW	271	288	343	332	251	TSW
JHB	412	445	532	418	466	JHB
BFN	8	13	9	7	–	BFN
KIM	–	–	–	–	–	KIM
CT	108	136	123	92	45	CT
PE	–	–	–	0	–	PE
EL	4	4	4	5	1	EL
DBN	27	47	44	37	5	DBN
PMB	17	14	16	21	9	PMB
WLK	3	4	10	14	5	WLK
KDP	4	5	9	5	2	KDP
VER	–	–	–	–	–	VER
SPR	9	11	6	4	5	SPR
UIT	–	–	–	–	0	UIT
WBK	–	–	–	–	–	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	–	–	–	–	–	KEI
GEO	–	–	–	–	–	GEO
Total	863	967	1 096	935	789	Total
Market	R/ton					Market
TSW	8 552	9 080	9 643	6 982	8 055	TSW
JHB	8 688	9 093	9 275	9 646	8 008	JHB
BFN	7 575	7 397	8 322	9 077	–	BFN
KIM	–	–	–	–	–	KIM
CT	5 246	5 459	8 408	7 423	8 632	CT
PE	–	–	–	2 917	–	PE
EL	7 116	6 386	9 946	7 623	7 112	EL
DBN	7 790	4 419	6 684	6 164	9 139	DBN
PMB	5 942	6 705	8 282	6 166	8 314	PMB
WLK	9 227	9 884	6 912	5 823	5 420	WLK
KDP	9 708	8 264	6 835	9 784	6 994	KDP
VER	–	–	–	–	–	VER
SPR	6 408	7 186	8 795	9 315	5 590	SPR
UIT	–	–	–	–	5 089	UIT
WBK	–	–	–	–	–	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	–	–	–	–	–	KEI
GEO	–	–	–	–	–	GEO
Average	8 099	8 259	9 123	8 192	8 033	Average

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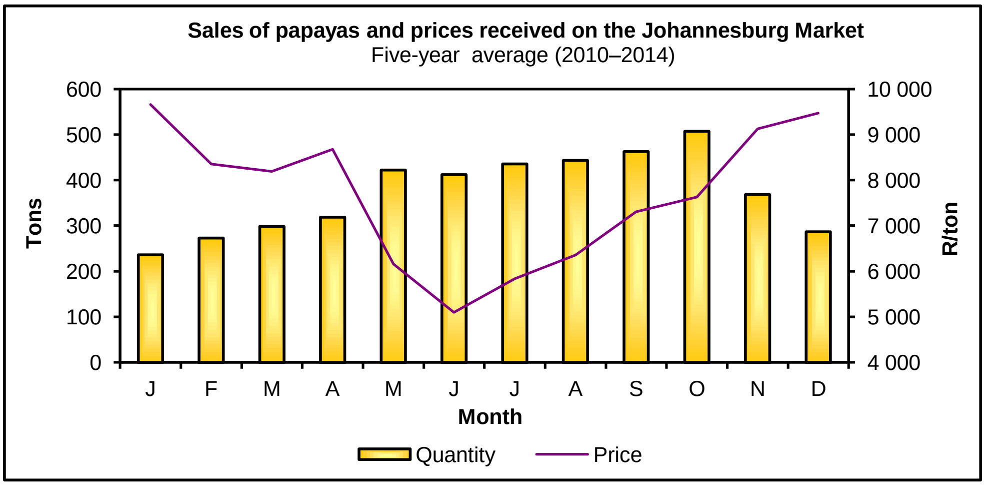

8. Pineapples

2015	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	2015
Market	Tons					Market
TSW	375	417	442	444	396	TSW
JHB	681	879	1 000	1 105	1 217	JHB
BFN	39	44	45	80	67	BFN
KIM	14	16	12	15	13	KIM
CT	245	258	182	280	366	CT
PE	18	22	18	23	29	PE
EL	46	65	96	115	129	EL
DBN	189	214	185	298	209	DBN
PMB	29	26	25	37	44	PMB
WLK	15	14	14	14	17	WLK
KDP	18	21	22	24	28	KDP
VER	4	4	3	3	5	VER
SPR	0	4	–	1	3	SPR
UIT	1	1	2	1	1	UIT
WBK	–	–	–	–	–	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	–	–	–	–	–	KEI
GEO	–	–	–	–	–	GEO
Total	1 674	1 985	2 046	2 440	2 524	Total
Market	R/ton					Market
TSW	4 832	5 261	7 105	7 798	9 732	TSW
JHB	5 001	5 754	8 044	8 027	9 426	JHB
BFN	5 663	5 830	7 388	4 943	5 846	BFN
KIM	5 888	6 557	8 525	7 359	8 846	KIM
CT	5 517	6 062	7 896	8 529	9 889	CT
PE	2 795	2 338	2 352	2 396	2 984	PE
EL	3 139	2 896	3 098	3 165	3 723	EL
DBN	4 527	4 993	7 140	5 689	8 953	DBN
PMB	5 191	7 154	9 531	7 654	8 682	PMB
WLK	5 626	6 199	8 037	8 900	9 241	WLK
KDP	5 703	5 958	8 488	7 402	8 885	KDP
VER	5 669	5 827	8 812	7 559	8 898	VER
SPR	4 931	2 423	–	7 296	6 388	SPR
UIT	6 512	7 379	6 671	7 409	7 500	UIT
WBK	–	–	–	–	–	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	–	–	–	–	–	KEI
GEO	–	–	–	–	–	GEO
Average	4 952	5 502	7 477	7 362	9 020	Average

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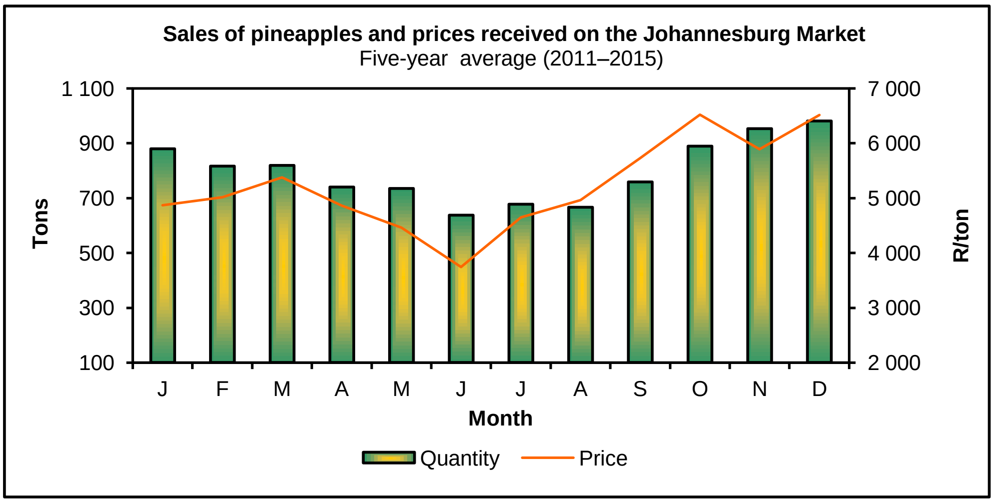

9. Potatoes

2015	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	2015
Market			Tons			Market
TSW	18 486	17 624	19 539	17 023	16 220	TSW
JHB	39 568	40 869	45 960	36 148	34 285	JHB
BFN	2 776	2 560	2 938	2 921	2 380	BFN
KIM	348	293	479	342	272	KIM
CT	9 198	9 855	9 533	9 741	7 534	CT
PE	2 998	2 940	3 261	2 868	2 414	PE
EL	3 166	2 925	2 957	3 128	3 269	EL
DBN	9 134	8 735	10 253	8 383	8 191	DBN
PMB	3 693	3 224	3 469	2 682	2 111	PMB
WLK	1 663	1 985	2 003	1 675	1 764	WLK
KDP	3 170	2 870	3 525	3 008	2 655	KDP
VER	1 113	1 093	1 413	1 188	916	VER
SPR	3 261	3 134	3 533	3 197	2 747	SPR
UIT	365	388	461	495	331	UIT
WBK	779	812	941	923	670	WBK
NLS	242	165	210	350	548	NLS
MPL	2 276	2 358	2 842	1 941	2 022	MPL
KEI	346	265	313	224	216	KEI
GEO	487	688	578	726	588	GEO
Total	103 069	102 783	114 208	96 963	89 133	Total
Market			R/ton			Market
TSW	2 332	3 027	2 727	3 452	4 578	TSW
JHB	2 258	2 795	2 624	3 385	4 340	JHB
BFN	2 389	2 951	2 977	3 402	4 235	BFN
KIM	2 744	3 084	2 898	3 481	4 225	KIM
CT	2 730	2 709	2 777	2 356	3 522	CT
PE	2 665	2 752	2 655	2 366	3 594	PE
EL	2 929	2 938	2 863	2 634	3 798	EL
DBN	2 137	2 679	2 695	3 399	4 256	DBN
PMB	1 898	2 344	2 639	3 200	3 857	PMB
WLK	2 322	2 747	2 877	3 573	4 534	WLK
KDP	2 136	2 856	2 677	3 361	4 271	KDP
VER	2 549	3 187	2 691	3 409	4 710	VER
SPR	2 372	2 816	2 548	3 414	4 538	SPR
UIT	2 449	2 359	2 236	1 949	2 349	UIT
WBK	2 812	3 146	2 718	3 484	4 766	WBK
NLS	2 977	3 651	3 258	3 832	5 220	NLS
MPL	2 621	3 354	3 015	3 833	4 992	MPL
KEI	2 494	2 615	2 468	2 778	3 455	KEI
GEO	2 754	2 621	2 837	2 260	3 020	GEO
Average	2 349	2 829	2 694	3 234	4 269	Average

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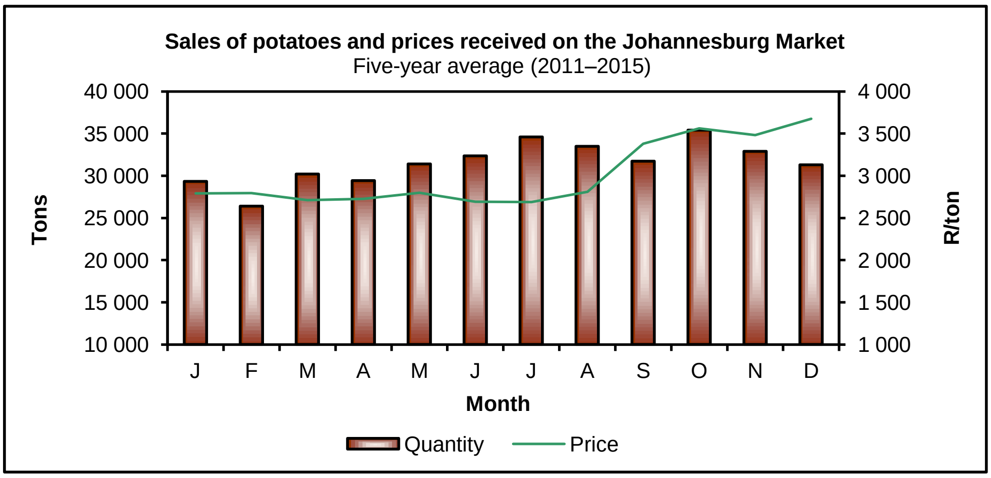

10. Sweet potatoes

2015	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	2015
Market	Tons					Market
TSW	705	476	372	249	278	TSW
JHB	1 124	944	879	905	882	JHB
BFN	28	23	15	12	15	BFN
KIM	19	8	2	1	–	KIM
CT	344	431	442	272	247	CT
PE	71	56	69	57	46	PE
EL	10	11	11	7	11	EL
DBN	27	32	25	26	30	DBN
PMB	9	6	3	4	2	PMB
WLK	5	8	1	0	0	WLK
KDP	31	15	9	5	10	KDP
VER	45	10	4	–	–	VER
SPR	86	60	12	15	2	SPR
UIT	27	27	29	22	27	UIT
WBK	19	15	3	2	–	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	0	–	–	–	–	KEI
GEO	1	14	11	–	–	GEO
Total	2 551	2 136	1 887	1 577	1 550	Total
Market	R/ton					Market
TSW	3 326	4 090	4 320	5 760	6 416	TSW
JHB	4 839	4 937	5 398	5 594	4 530	JHB
BFN	4 248	4 057	5 584	7 241	5 296	BFN
KIM	3 328	4 256	2 471	6 296	–	KIM
CT	3 380	3 245	3 646	4 612	4 122	CT
PE	2 313	3 098	2 343	3 150	3 598	PE
EL	7 327	7 617	8 364	9 462	9 699	EL
DBN	6 300	6 797	6 968	8 574	6 331	DBN
PMB	3 672	6 087	8 493	8 347	9 819	PMB
WLK	4 480	3 444	3 696	6 885	7 600	WLK
KDP	2 553	3 547	3 679	5 628	4 244	KDP
VER	1 973	2 553	1 648	–	–	VER
SPR	2 308	1 860	3 114	3 128	5 522	SPR
UIT	2 885	3 516	3 257	3 654	3 730	UIT
WBK	2 724	2 075	5 018	4 500	–	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	1 000	–	–	–	–	KEI
GEO	5 368	6 005	5 847	–	–	GEO
Average	3 957	4 246	4 644	5 403	4 849	Average

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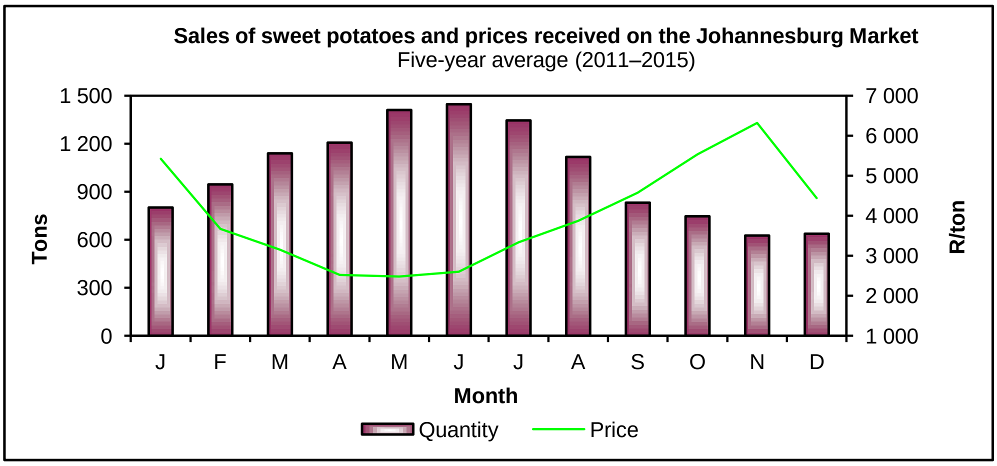

11. Onions

2015	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	2015
Market	Tons					Market
TSW	5 722	5 716	5 912	4 846	6 560	TSW
JHB	16 833	15 767	14 884	12 764	15 974	JHB
BFN	458	464	486	458	481	BFN
KIM	99	86	88	91	128	KIM
CT	2 490	2 464	2 577	2 347	2 827	CT
PE	563	903	780	797	901	PE
EL	764	790	668	718	865	EL
DBN	3 954	4 464	4 179	3 579	4 054	DBN
PMB	808	811	800	776	946	PMB
WLK	289	295	278	283	314	WLK
KDP	488	461	474	360	342	KDP
VER	370	545	485	282	207	VER
SPR	713	722	640	732	593	SPR
UIT	46	75	35	58	56	UIT
WBK	129	87	113	125	137	WBK
NLS	72	124	170	13	26	NLS
MPL	405	405	362	504	578	MPL
KEI	15	46	20	25	39	KEI
GEO	17	4	12	20	30	GEO
Total	34 235	34 229	32 963	28 778	35 058	Total
Market	R/ton					Market
TSW	1 969	1 977	2 039	2 520	3 034	TSW
JHB	2 053	2 027	2 190	2 567	3 031	JHB
BFN	2 605	2 358	2 478	2 777	2 897	BFN
KIM	3 093	3 134	2 929	2 914	2 667	KIM
CT	3 030	2 914	3 013	3 086	2 825	CT
PE	3 055	2 913	2 766	2 949	3 472	PE
EL	2 868	2 727	2 729	3 074	3 620	EL
DBN	2 392	2 441	2 600	2 922	3 520	DBN
PMB	2 354	2 250	2 203	2 663	3 209	PMB
WLK	2 475	2 538	2 480	2 829	3 025	WLK
KDP	2 024	2 083	2 233	2 601	2 976	KDP
VER	1 997	1 702	2 156	2 085	2 314	VER
SPR	1 713	1 670	1 543	2 079	2 434	SPR
UIT	2 683	2 666	2 322	2 549	2 681	UIT
WBK	1 930	2 286	2 248	2 259	2 966	WBK
NLS	1 707	1 454	1 404	2 110	2 724	NLS
MPL	2 091	2 019	2 146	2 612	2 754	MPL
KEI	3 431	2 538	2 723	3 239	3 982	KEI
GEO	3 204	1 898	3 468	3 010	2 607	GEO
Average	2 198	2 182	2 297	2 662	3 079	Average

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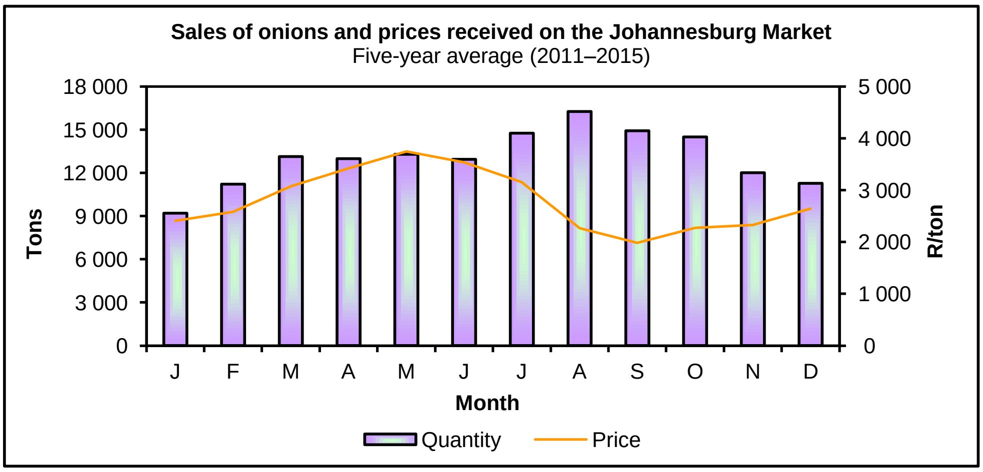

12. Tomatoes

2015	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	2015
Market	Tons					Market
TSW	3 787	3 859	4 187	2 803	3 541	TSW
JHB	10 507	10 574	12 979	9 040	10 379	JHB
BFN	598	613	677	655	498	BFN
KIM	214	162	213	142	190	KIM
CT	2 541	2 273	2 433	2 310	2 587	CT
PE	216	192	239	281	307	PE
EL	256	185	187	202	231	EL
DBN	1 552	1 652	1 625	1 238	1874	DBN
PMB	255	241	271	184	331	PMB
WLK	343	332	371	439	361	WLK
KDP	513	477	542	486	489	KDP
VER	379	346	342	253	334	VER
SPR	552	521	541	421	437	SPR
UIT	2	1	1	0	8	UIT
WBK	127	130	89	43	56	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	3	2	2	1	3	KEI
GEO	4	–	–	–	6	GEO
Total	21 849	21 560	24 699	18 498	21 632	Total
Market	R/ton					Market
TSW	6 200	7 156	6 776	8 731	8 437	TSW
JHB	5 915	6 914	6 271	8 904	7 966	JHB
BFN	6 178	7 425	6 649	7 344	8 786	BFN
KIM	4 293	6 430	5 862	9 994	7 806	KIM
CT	4 854	7 498	8 458	8 985	7 594	CT
PE	7 786	9 124	9 075	8 787	8 381	PE
EL	6 542	7 943	8 239	7 389	7 496	EL
DBN	6 369	6 837	6 878	9 224	7 311	DBN
PMB	6 507	7 330	7 050	9 448	7 882	PMB
WLK	7 103	8 248	7 452	7 739	9 809	WLK
KDP	6 019	7 382	6 999	8 323	8 560	KDP
VER	5 153	6 050	5 635	8 038	6 976	VER
SPR	5 432	5 550	4 627	7 527	5 655	SPR
UIT	8 867	5 673	7 710	6 775	8 606	UIT
WBK	5 336	5 738	5 437	7 387	7 043	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	2 030	5 539	5 954	7 803	7 447	KEI
GEO	1 308	–	–	–	9 122	GEO
Average	5 888	7 034	6 655	8 760	7 940	Average

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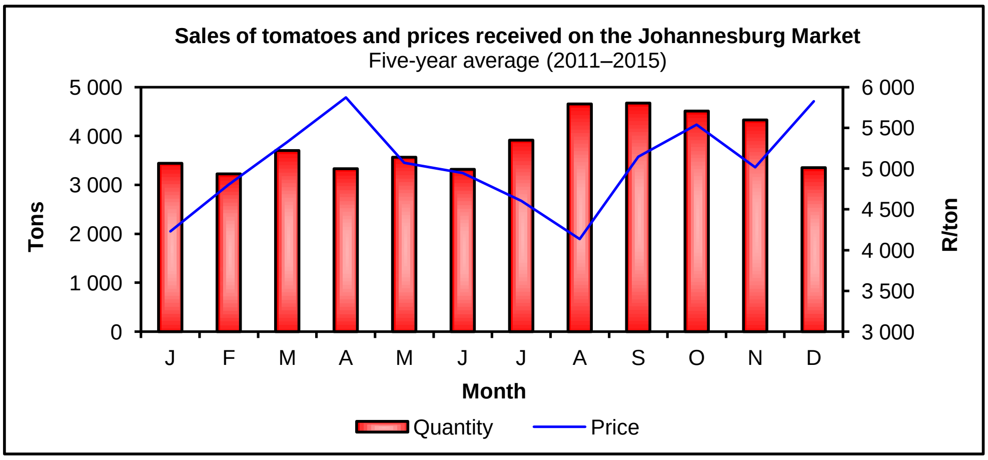

13. Carrots

2015	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	2015
Market	Tons					Market
TSW	2 307	2 504	2 302	1 994	2 573	TSW
JHB	4 729	4 799	4 902	4 284	5 048	JHB
BFN	268	262	264	265	322	BFN
KIM	68	60	57	62	50	KIM
CT	797	783	763	786	712	CT
PE	263	285	324	310	353	PE
EL	488	557	556	520	656	EL
DBN	1 630	1 654	1 613	1 285	1 593	DBN
PMB	170	174	183	133	109	PMB
WLK	144	120	124	131	175	WLK
KDP	234	234	271	251	252	KDP
VER	213	191	216	233	218	VER
SPR	275	326	300	318	484	SPR
UIT	14	14	12	13	19	UIT
WBK	7	11	10	10	9	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	6	11	5	13	5	KEI
GEO	26	41	29	10	22	GEO
Total	11 639	12 026	11 931	10 618	12 600	Total
Market	R/ton					Market
TSW	2 215	2 507	2 776	3 054	4 182	TSW
JHB	2 154	2 360	2 898	3 087	4 036	JHB
BFN	1 871	2 236	2 457	2 360	3 035	BFN
KIM	2 288	2 244	3 043	2 443	2 497	KIM
CT	2 333	2 501	2 462	2 363	2 437	CT
PE	3 049	3 264	3 352	3 362	3 426	PE
EL	3 028	3 158	3 451	3 598	4 503	EL
DBN	2 497	2 651	2 907	3 304	4 495	DBN
PMB	2 261	2 431	2 675	3 350	4 130	PMB
WLK	2 226	2 574	3 075	3 016	4 058	WLK
KDP	2 335	2 430	2 585	2 773	3 401	KDP
VER	1 928	1 897	2 016	2 440	2 724	VER
SPR	1 346	1 348	1 656	2 028	2 365	SPR
UIT	3 624	4 034	2 795	3 128	1 288	UIT
WBK	2 647	2 539	2 724	3 009	3 870	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	4 014	3 839	2 394	3 250	4 164	KEI
GEO	3 089	3 197	3 270	3 392	3 796	GEO
Average	2 265	2 471	2 821	2 807	3 906	Average

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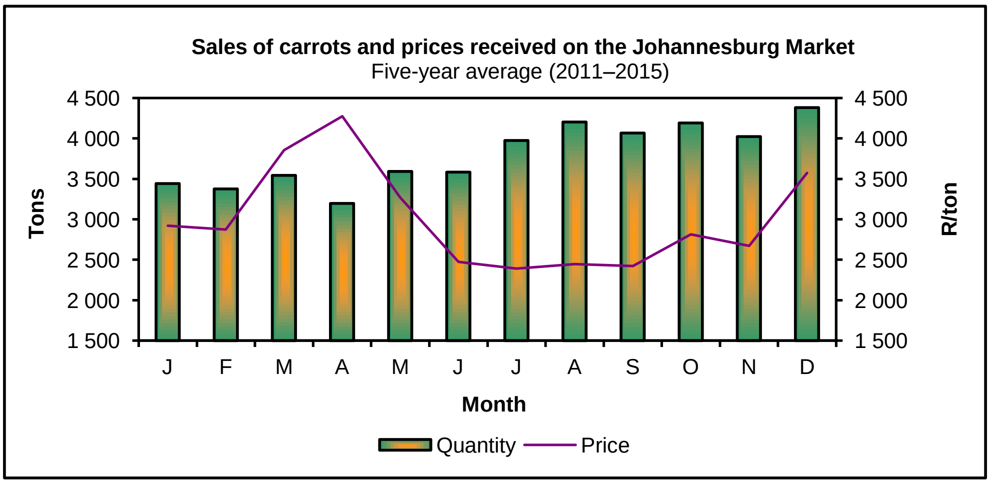

14. Cabbage

2015	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	2015
Market	Tons					Market
TSW	2 252	2 289	1 905	1 421	1 418	TSW
JHB	3 386	3 668	3 193	2 289	2 034	JHB
BFN	493	731	482	450	317	BFN
KIM	136	117	99	160	80	KIM
CT	521	589	551	538	448	CT
PE	152	256	230	184	96	PE
EL	342	338	347	359	327	EL
DBN	730	1 002	768	596	435	DBN
PMB	192	208	218	166	84	PMB
WLK	277	360	234	182	97	WLK
KDP	467	453	447	354	319	KDP
VER	174	198	154	317	164	VER
SPR	637	615	556	368	300	SPR
UIT	77	78	79	57	42	UIT
WBK	77	80	91	80	49	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	53	33	8	14	10	KEI
GEO	0	3	1	–	–	GEO
Total	9 966	11 018	9 363	7 535	6 220	Total
Market	R/ton					Market
TSW	1 146	1 071	1 707	2 740	3 393	TSW
JHB	1 486	1 355	2 432	3 638	4 510	JHB
BFN	1 278	1 240	1 256	2 507	3 142	BFN
KIM	1 609	1 565	1 588	2 109	1 797	KIM
CT	1 643	1 649	1 722	1 625	1 582	CT
PE	1 700	1 081	1 074	1 375	2 051	PE
EL	1 531	1 566	1 514	1 562	1 777	EL
DBN	1 346	1 024	1 059	1 706	3 166	DBN
PMB	1 223	1 181	1 160	1 879	2 560	PMB
WLK	1 297	1 124	1 817	2 767	3 111	WLK
KDP	1 352	1 176	1 520	2 824	3 496	KDP
VER	2 140	1 684	2 016	1 363	2 317	VER
SPR	1 026	1 013	1 771	2 339	2 603	SPR
UIT	1 517	1 772	1 713	1 531	1 731	UIT
WBK	1 868	1 653	2 205	2 145	2 619	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	1 384	1 112	1 380	1 601	2 008	KEI
GEO	1 000	1 402	1 108	–	–	GEO
Average	1 371	1 250	1 849	2 625	3 376	Average

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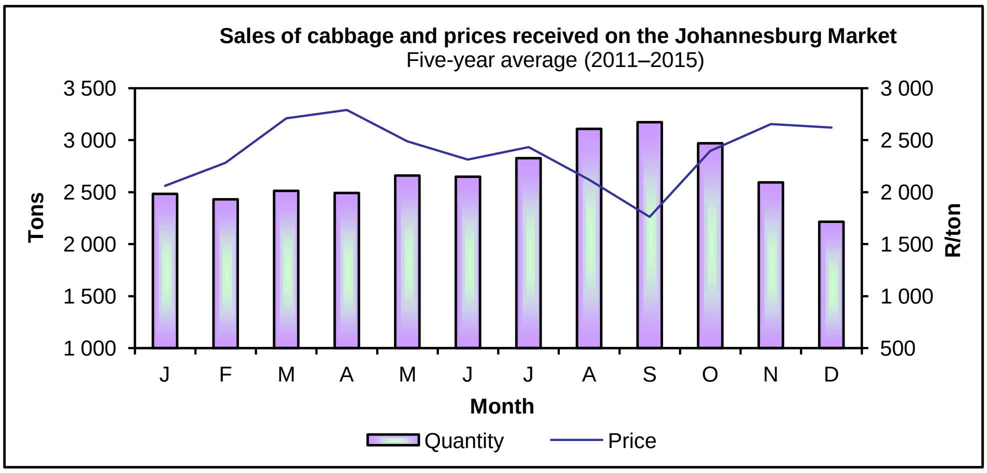

15. Cauliflower

2015	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	2015
Market	Tons					Market
TSW	86	136	116	60	156	TSW
JHB	251	402	371	210	359	JHB
BFN	4	5	6	3	4	BFN
KIM	0	0	–	1	–	KIM
CT	134	273	325	135	185	CT
PE	22	18	26	29	15	PE
EL	29	27	9	7	9	EL
DBN	82	94	89	43	98	DBN
PMB	30	21	17	9	16	PMB
WLK	1	1	1	0	1	WLK
KDP	4	2	2	1	4	KDP
VER	1	0	0	–	–	VER
SPR	9	10	4	2	4	SPR
UIT	17	16	16	8	9	UIT
WBK	0	0	0	–	–	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	–	–	–	–	–	KEI
GEO	–	–	–	–	–	GEO
Total	670	1 005	982	508	860	Total
Market	R/ton					Market
TSW	8 453	5 912	9 781	11 366	8 540	TSW
JHB	8 416	7 678	9 855	11 341	8 431	JHB
BFN	7 946	6 979	11 918	10 330	9 531	BFN
KIM	7 967	4 200	–	4 667	–	KIM
CT	7 576	4 130	3 208	6 485	4 459	CT
PE	3 066	3 618	2 790	2 225	3 078	PE
EL	2 398	2 884	7 690	8 006	8 825	EL
DBN	4 085	4 266	6 275	9 765	6 191	DBN
PMB	3 611	3 703	5 602	8 907	7 326	PMB
WLK	9 896	7 242	9 268	6 938	10 468	WLK
KDP	4 626	6 651	7 727	9 146	7 035	KDP
VER	6 506	4 913	4 231	–	–	VER
SPR	2 454	1 702	2 021	6 259	5 880	SPR
UIT	2 284	2 609	1 732	2 611	3 716	UIT
WBK	4 005	1 731	1 000	–	–	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	–	–	–	–	–	KEI
GEO	–	–	–	–	–	GEO
Average	6 813	5 723	8 555	11 123	7 167	Average

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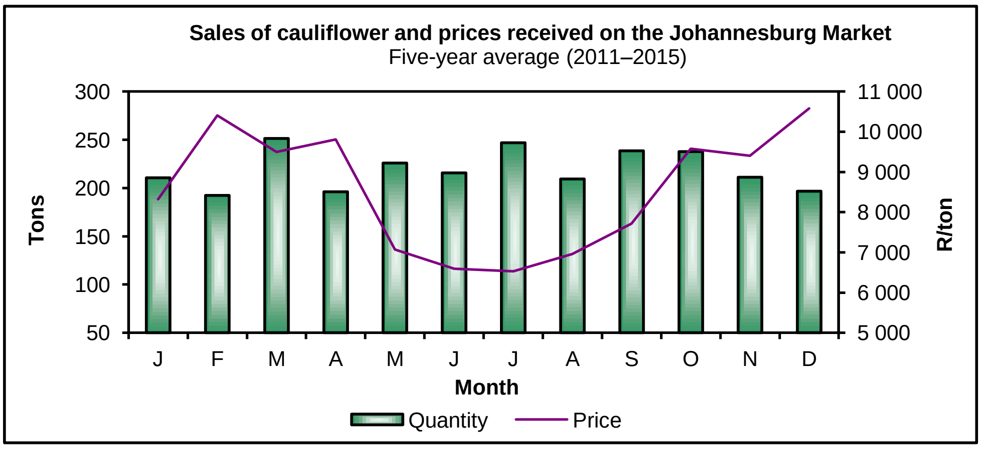

16. Lettuce

2015	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	2015
Market	Tons					Market
TSW	330	413	550	424	1 010	TSW
JHB	721	855	1 076	839	1 618	JHB
BFN	33	41	48	–	–	BFN
KIM	1	3	–	–	–	KIM
CT	264	367	458	384	442	CT
PE	15	12	16	14	20	PE
EL	12	6	12	7	13	EL
DBN	225	241	297	275	326	DBN
PMB	43	38	47	32	58	PMB
WLK	6	6	6	8	5	WLK
KDP	26	33	55	44	69	KDP
VER	1	2	7	3	5	VER
SPR	93	105	145	85	72	SPR
UIT	1	1	1	1	1	UIT
WBK	3	–	1	1	0	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	–	–	–	–	–	KEI
GEO	–	–	–	–	–	GEO
Total	1 774	2 123	2 719	2 117	3 639	Total
Market	R/ton					Market
TSW	6 216	5 067	5 001	8 760	6 586	TSW
JHB	7 292	5 556	5 070	8 777	7 281	JHB
BFN	6 153	4 790	5 264	–	–	BFN
KIM	5 644	2 846	–	–	–	KIM
CT	4 571	2 671	2 044	3 357	4 167	CT
PE	5 755	5 269	5 171	5 023	5 481	PE
EL	5 730	8 911	5 436	8 686	6 194	EL
DBN	4 747	2 576	3 076	4 373	5 156	DBN
PMB	6 087	3 103	3 514	7 238	7 383	PMB
WLK	7 502	4 688	9 148	5 959	7 934	WLK
KDP	4 940	3 861	2 785	4 315	5 153	KDP
VER	5 658	5 606	3 431	9 263	8 585	VER
SPR	2 528	1 866	1 378	2 950	5 498	SPR
UIT	4 362	5 111	4 786	4 953	5 096	UIT
WBK	3 489	–	2 232	2 749	1 250	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	–	–	–	–	–	KEI
GEO	–	–	–	–	–	GEO
Average	5 997	4 357	4 067	6 827	6 434	Average

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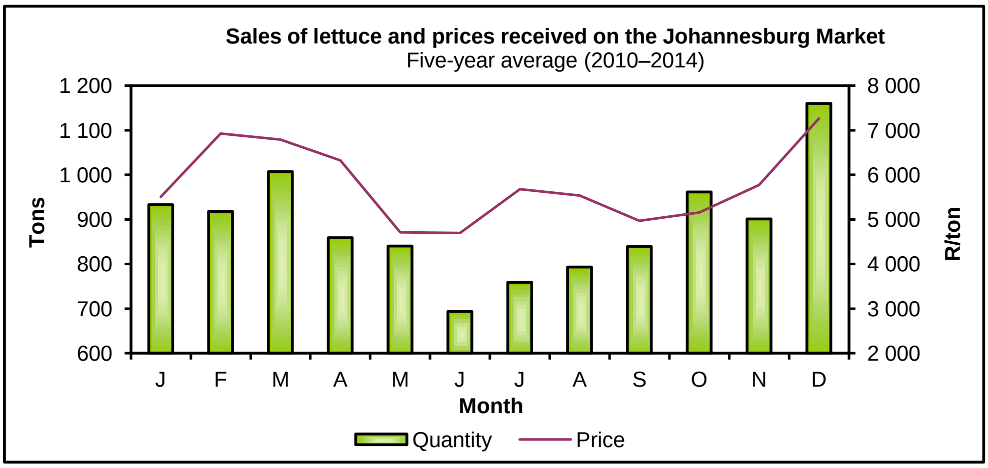

17. Green beans

2015	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	2015
Market	Tons					Market
TSW	243	252	269	216	284	TSW
JHB	603	812	516	625	413	JHB
BFN	19	27	16	21	16	BFN
KIM	1	1	–	–	–	KIM
CT	132	142	131	127	131	CT
PE	–	–	–	–	–	PE
EL	5	1	2	3	6	EL
DBN	34	20	22	21	13	DBN
PMB	9	11	8	6	6	PMB
WLK	5	7	8	7	0	WLK
KDP	13	16	17	15	20	KDP
VER	6	3	8	2	17	VER
SPR	9	9	8	3	9	SPR
UIT	–	–	–	1	5	UIT
WBK	0	2	0	4	2	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	–	–	–	–	–	KEI
GEO	–	–	–	–	–	GEO
Total	1 079	1 303	1 005	1 051	922	Total
Market	R/ton					Market
TSW	9 832	9 901	8 342	11 829	11 709	TSW
JHB	8 233	6 273	9 048	7 507	10 924	JHB
BFN	6 546	7 110	10 874	8 111	10 560	BFN
KIM	4 942	6 781	–	–	–	KIM
CT	8 944	8 317	8 953	11 390	8 049	CT
PE	–	–	–	–	–	PE
EL	4 672	7 915	7 314	7 076	6 543	EL
DBN	7 258	9 927	10 540	10 648	10 541	DBN
PMB	9 740	9 238	11 486	11 991	12 231	PMB
WLK	6 708	7 526	7 953	6 693	8 750	WLK
KDP	8 081	6 394	7 233	9 123	8 655	KDP
VER	7 810	6 542	6 549	9 332	8 036	VER
SPR	6 676	6 706	9 811	10 490	9 475	SPR
UIT	–	–	–	8 105	6 717	UIT
WBK	6 914	3 343	9 167	5 232	9 852	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	–	–	–	–	–	KEI
GEO	–	–	–	–	–	GEO
Average	9 046	7 528	8 870	8 988	11 516	Average

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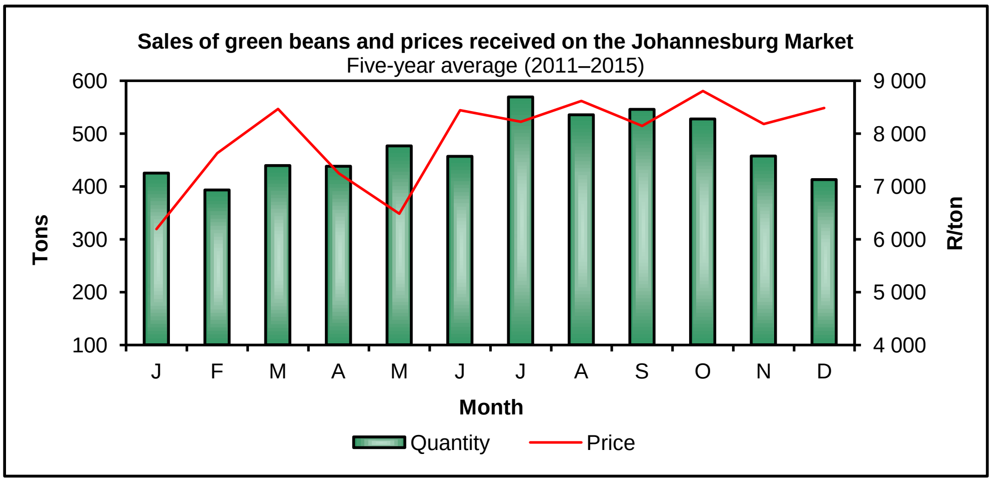

18. Pumpkins

2015	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	2015
Market	Tons					Market
TSW	652	767	1 100	779	443	TSW
JHB	2 180	2 244	2 384	2 049	1 230	JHB
BFN	329	338	340	280	148	BFN
KIM	97	80	80	99	87	KIM
CT	577	465	396	367	312	CT
PE	273	241	240	105	171	PE
EL	89	60	79	38	34	EL
DBN	24	39	68	20	2	DBN
PMB	9	10	22	14	6	PMB
WLK	239	237	220	180	114	WLK
KDP	357	379	419	287	234	KDP
VER	125	98	146	142	47	VER
SPR	105	102	133	83	42	SPR
UIT	104	113	89	54	65	UIT
WBK	26	23	59	40	6	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	0	–	–	–	–	KEI
GEO	35	40	21	7	0	GEO
Total	5 221	5 236	5 796	4 544	2 941	Total
Market	R/ton					Market
TSW	2 556	2 192	1 558	2 068	4 011	TSW
JHB	2 238	2 010	1 665	2 022	3 884	JHB
BFN	2 145	2 351	2 313	3 210	4 897	BFN
KIM	1 915	2 290	2 123	2 396	3 377	KIM
CT	1 642	2 175	2 504	2 996	3 412	CT
PE	2 009	2 084	2 436	3 644	4 159	PE
EL	1 857	2 804	2 648	3 764	3 226	EL
DBN	2 361	1 996	1 860	3 306	3 919	DBN
PMB	3 062	4 407	2 232	2 299	3 353	PMB
WLK	2 160	2 281	2 480	3 036	4 700	WLK
KDP	2 223	2 400	2 223	2 715	4 068	KDP
VER	2 172	2 707	1 656	2 140	4 412	VER
SPR	2 466	2 064	1 587	1 704	2 368	SPR
UIT	1 373	1 536	1 697	1 892	2 533	UIT
WBK	2 305	2 964	1 820	2 166	2 162	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	2 811	–	–	–	–	KEI
GEO	2 138	2 439	2 735	2 662	2 000	GEO
Average	2 164	2 147	1871	2331	3 896	Average

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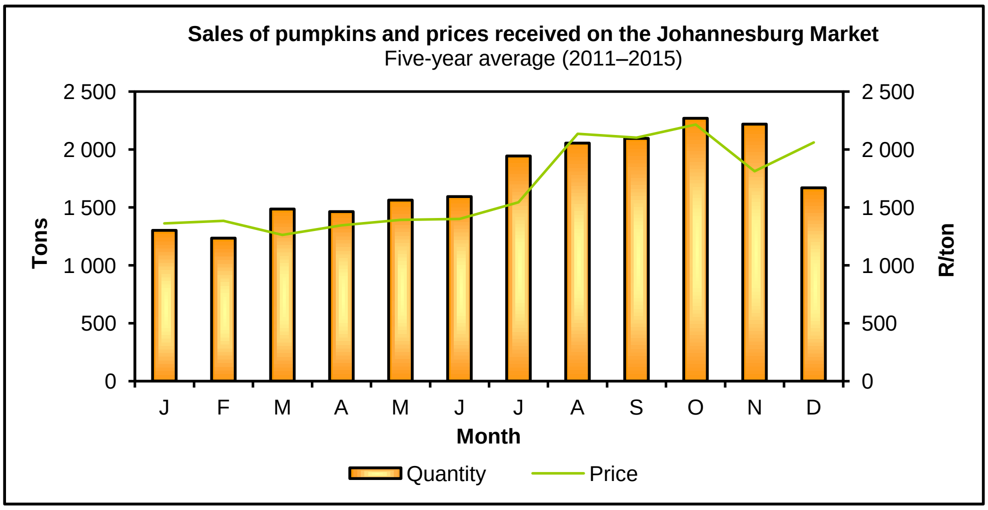

19. Gem squashes

2015	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	2015
Market	Tons					Market
TSW	163	240	471	239	134	TSW
JHB	621	898	1 154	855	497	JHB
BFN	0	4	9	9	8	BFN
KIM	–	1	1	1	0	KIM
CT	161	122	389	328	333	CT
PE	3	5	11	20	18	PE
EL	8	7	4	5	3	EL
DBN	6	15	19	20	10	DBN
PMB	1	3	2	4	13	PMB
WLK	–	3	4	6	3	WLK
KDP	2	7	10	5	6	KDP
VER	16	91	43	82	21	VER
SPR	19	17	42	39	14	SPR
UIT	–	–	1	2	7	UIT
WBK	–	–	–	–	0	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	–	–	–	–	–	KEI
GEO	–	–	–	–	–	GEO
Total	1 000	1 413	2 160	1 615	1 067	Total
Market	R/ton					Market
TSW	5 984	3 754	2 055	2 346	4 484	TSW
JHB	8 416	4 727	2 300	2 992	6 099	JHB
BFN	9 600	5 235	3 238	3 242	4 031	BFN
KIM	–	5 803	5 489	2 257	1 455	KIM
CT	4 879	5 653	2 677	2 417	2 291	CT
PE	7 337	5 251	4 042	3 371	3 624	PE
EL	8 239	8 051	7 553	5 273	4 064	EL
DBN	6 306	5 735	4 046	4 959	6 922	DBN
PMB	8 373	9 650	8 525	6 305	3 844	PMB
WLK	–	5 331	3 190	2 242	4 095	WLK
KDP	4 877	4 170	2 478	1 876	3 602	KDP
VER	7 372	3 777	2 145	2 381	3 780	VER
SPR	5 012	3 773	1 890	1 079	2 922	SPR
UIT	–	–	8 943	5 473	3 052	UIT
WBK	–	–	–	–	3 543	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	–	–	–	–	–	KEI
GEO	–	–	–	–	–	GEO
Average	7 341	4 610	2 352	2 743	4 496	Average

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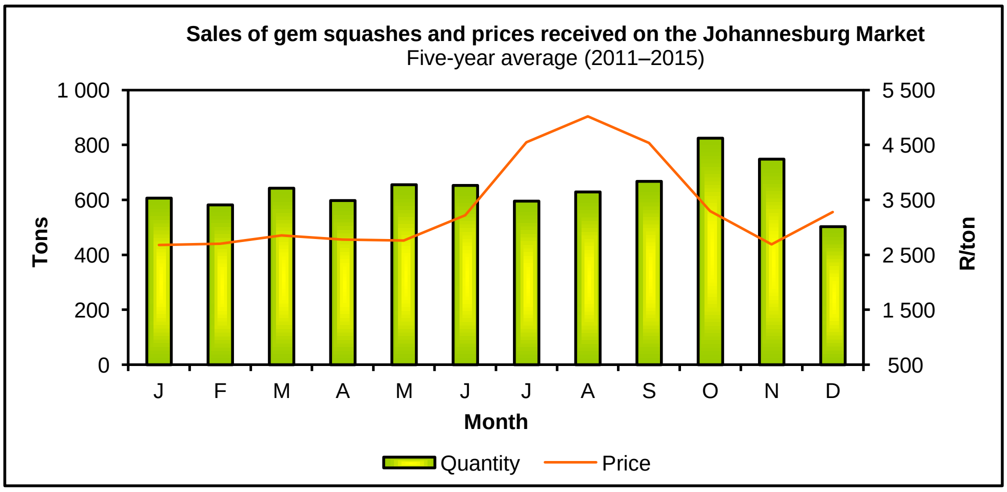

20. Hubbard squashes

2015	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	2015
Market	Tons					Market
TSW	102	313	638	644	913	TSW
JHB	390	895	1 462	1 488	1 783	JHB
BFN	–	–	–	15	71	BFN
KIM	0	–	2	7	15	KIM
CT	9	0	34	33	56	CT
PE	–	–	1	2	1	PE
EL	–	–	–	2	0	EL
DBN	–	1	2	0	–	DBN
PMB	–	–	1	–	–	PMB
WLK	0	2	32	28	105	WLK
KDP	4	15	63	124	168	KDP
VER	20	29	68	97	153	VER
SPR	15	11	142	205	261	SPR
UIT	–	–	0	4	7	UIT
WBK	6	–	33	8	23	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	–	–	–	–	–	KEI
GEO	–	–	–	–	–	GEO
Total	546	1 266	2 478	2 657	3 556	Total
Market	R/ton					Market
TSW	4 335	3 080	1 706	1 408	2 048	TSW
JHB	4 282	3 010	1 975	1 579	2 274	JHB
BFN	–	–	–	3 171	3 230	BFN
KIM	3 000	–	2 760	3 065	2 725	KIM
CT	2 082	2 083	2 139	1 880	1 184	CT
PE	–	–	3 544	2 903	3 030	PE
EL	–	–	–	2 697	1 778	EL
DBN	–	4 063	3 348	1 263	–	DBN
PMB	–	–	4 613	–	–	PMB
WLK	2 834	4 078	1 911	2 998	3 570	WLK
KDP	5 809	3 574	3 111	1 865	2 836	KDP
VER	3 599	3 245	2 131	1 415	2 002	VER
SPR	2 959	3 055	1 995	1 252	2 123	SPR
UIT	–	–	3 285	2 663	2 033	UIT
WBK	3 670	–	1 827	1 615	2 283	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	–	–	–	–	–	KEI
GEO	–	–	–	–	–	GEO
Average	4 198	3 042	1 943	1 555	2 261	Average

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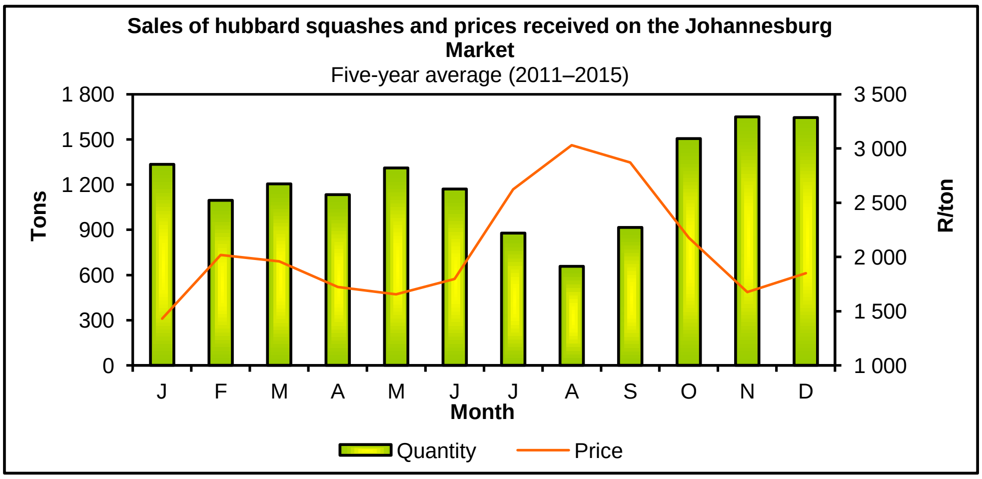

21. Butternut squashes

2015	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	2015
Market	Tons					Market
TSW	2 198	2 019	2 428	2 670	1 765	TSW
JHB	4 025	4 525	5 190	4 665	3 928	JHB
BFN	59	63	56	51	120	BFN
KIM	2	5	5	2	1	KIM
CT	722	904	709	612	797	CT
PE	132	71	59	98	170	PE
EL	197	186	149	197	306	EL
DBN	215	184	366	295	406	DBN
PMB	155	118	129	102	181	PMB
WLK	39	36	36	25	39	WLK
KDP	27	31	47	85	44	KDP
VER	207	418	393	203	127	VER
SPR	61	84	19	149	212	SPR
UIT	4	4	1	3	8	UIT
WBK	11	12	0	50	14	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	36	14	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	0	–	–	–	–	KEI
GEO	8	0	6	1	–	GEO
Total	8 098	8 674	9 593	9 208	8 118	Total
Market	R/ton					Market
TSW	2 903	3 137	3 444	2 094	4 110	TSW
JHB	2 969	3 036	3 272	2 748	4 358	JHB
BFN	3 624	3 646	4 182	3 944	5 362	BFN
KIM	2 366	2 585	3 025	3 240	4 000	KIM
CT	3 399	3 200	3 725	3 866	4 065	CT
PE	3 266	3 170	5 619	3 900	4 549	PE
EL	3 843	4 434	5 175	4 196	5 309	EL
DBN	3 731	3 452	3 313	2 987	4 916	DBN
PMB	3 292	3 440	4 782	3 972	5 046	PMB
WLK	2 645	2 954	2 896	3 365	4 635	WLK
KDP	3 350	2 684	2 732	1 816	2 505	KDP
VER	3 560	3 056	3 328	2 754	3 334	VER
SPR	2 281	2 024	2 689	2 047	2 452	SPR
UIT	2 722	2 602	6 160	5 199	4 707	UIT
WBK	2 474	2 509	2 000	1 992	2 602	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	2 860	2 314	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	1 823	–	–	–	–	KEI
GEO	3 278	1 363	3 913	2 175	–	GEO
Average	3 055	3 114	3 418	2 682	4 296	Average

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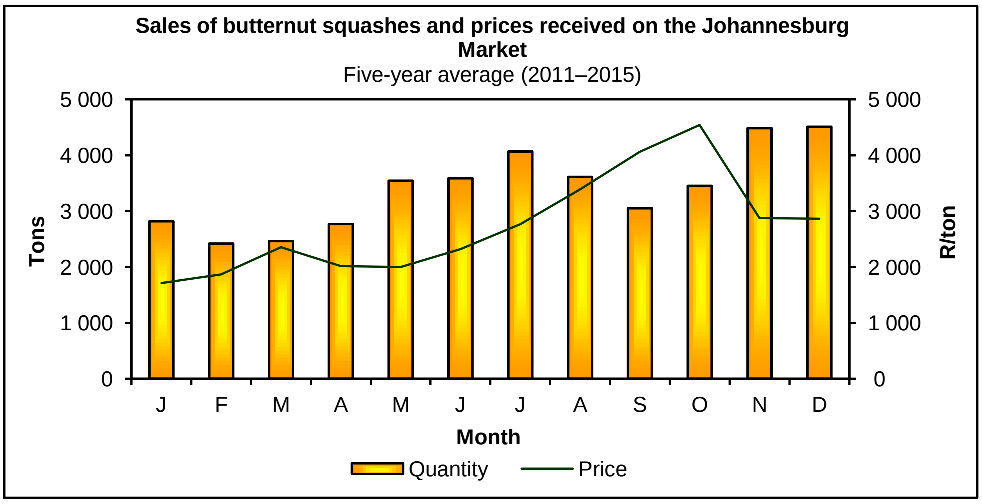

22. Peppers

2015	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	2015
Market	Tons					Market
TSW	1 013	1 095	1 042	914	976	TSW
JHB	2 011	2 253	3 452	2 053	2 456	JHB
BFN	34	37	26	31	75	BFN
KIM	4	3	4	1	3	KIM
CT	516	598	648	587	718	CT
PE	21	19	12	33	44	PE
EL	80	78	48	75	127	EL
DBN	138	102	123	108	202	DBN
PMB	29	26	26	31	46	PMB
WLK	32	26	22	24	33	WLK
KDP	48	53	57	47	53	KDP
VER	26	33	23	23	12	VER
SPR	34	35	66	69	56	SPR
UIT	0	0	0	0	2	UIT
WBK	3	8	4	5	5	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	–	–	–	–	–	KEI
GEO	–	–	–	–	2	GEO
Total	3 989	4 366	5 553	4 001	4 810	Total
Market	R/ton					Market
TSW	6 834	8 831	9 994	7 883	11 964	TSW
JHB	8 088	9 214	9 684	10 253	11 153	JHB
BFN	8 918	9 080	12 817	11 823	8 236	BFN
KIM	7 282	6 075	10 633	9 938	8 466	KIM
CT	7 533	8 678	12 523	10 226	11 317	CT
PE	7 791	6 699	9 263	8 761	8 921	PE
EL	8 079	8 729	13 518	10 364	11 443	EL
DBN	7 193	9 736	11 946	10 062	10 586	DBN
PMB	8 160	9 185	11 945	8 784	11 917	PMB
WLK	5 074	6 664	6 685	7 682	6 729	WLK
KDP	6 212	8 131	8 041	6 374	7 593	KDP
VER	5 320	6 255	5 958	4 290	5 460	VER
SPR	6 194	8 202	7 723	7 087	9 511	SPR
UIT	8 477	6 667	4 569	10 868	10 028	UIT
WBK	8 239	5 227	9 524	9 132	10 603	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	–	–	–	–	–	KEI
GEO	–	–	–	–	11 402	GEO
Average	7 591	10 008	10 113	9 542	11 161	Average

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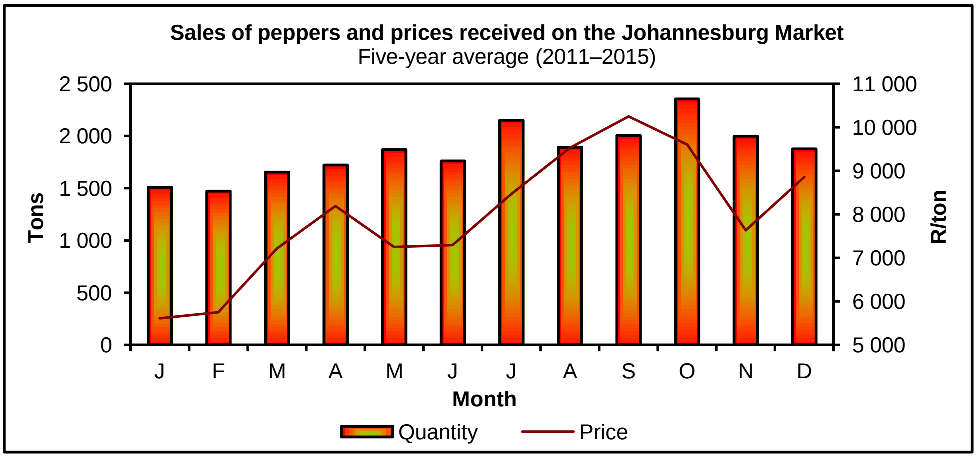
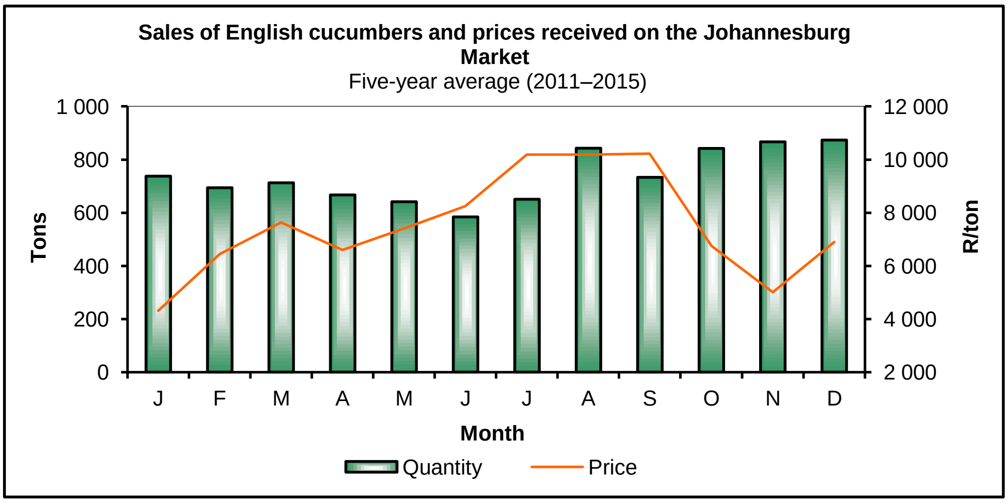


23. English cucumbers

2015	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	2015
Market	Tons					Market
TSW	400	336	355	268	283	TSW
JHB	960	929	1 085	911	1 153	JHB
BFN	18	23	18	15	17	BFN
KIM	–	–	2	1	–	KIM
CT	397	369	358	308	460	CT
PE	–	–	–	–	–	PE
EL	5	5	4	5	4	EL
DBN	72	51	125	71	112	DBN
PMB	39	40	27	23	32	PMB
WLK	12	11	10	10	11	WLK
KDP	13	15	9	10	18	KDP
VER	–	–	2	3	8	VER
SPR	6	9	12	11	12	SPR
UIT	–	1	2	3	4	UIT
WBK	–	–	1	2	1	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	–	–	–	–	–	KEI
GEO	–	–	–	1	–	GEO
Total	1 922	1 789	2 010	1 642	2 115	Total
Market	R/ton					Market
TSW	9 899	12 162	7 059	9 630	11 195	TSW
JHB	11 923	11 702	5 728	7 622	9 223	JHB
BFN	11 238	9 863	10 731	11 259	12 484	BFN
KIM	8 333	–	8 596	11 805	11 940	KIM
CT	9 990	9 190	6 346	7 895	9 488	CT
PE	–	–	–	–	–	PE
EL	10 768	11 943	12 232	10 089	10 440	EL
DBN	10 058	11 960	6 033	8 189	9 008	DBN
PMB	6 899	7 119	9 400	10 565	9 992	PMB
WLK	8 906	9 263	6 932	7 471	7 080	WLK
KDP	7 915	9 653	9 497	9 903	9 566	KDP
VER	–	–	7 258	9 751	5 530	VER
SPR	9 344	9 397	6 789	4 929	7 639	SPR
UIT	–	2 559	4 553	3 606	4 242	UIT
WBK	–	–	5 837	9 239	10 136	WBK
NLS	–	–	–	–	–	NLS
MPL	–	–	–	–	–	MPL
KEI	–	–	–	–	–	KEI
GEO	9 583	–	10 000	7 920	9 549	GEO
Average	10 867	11 092	6 239	8 104	9 549	Average

Note: A dash (–) indicates that the volume sold was less than a ton or that there were no sales. An asterisk (*) indicates that the information on the specific market was not available at the time of printing.



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