



Introduction

Baiting bee hives

Select a good site with a lot of flowering trees and water nearby.
The hive should be strong and warm without holes to let wind or rain in.
To increase the chances of bees entering the hive it must:

- Be placed with the entrance not facing the prevailing wind.
- Be baited using wax, propolis or lemon grass oil.
- Clean and pest-free (ants and beetles).
- Should not be placed directly on the ground.

NOTICE OF ZW FUEL FACILITY FOR REGISTERED FARMERS

The Agricultural marketing authority wishes to advise all farmers that ZW fuel is still available and accessible through Petrotrade. Farmers are thus advised to approach their respective unions to access the facility. Farmers are also advised that fuel usage is subject to audits to determine impact on production.

All farmers are expected to register with AMA in accordance with the provisions of the Agricultural Marketing Authority (Grain, Oilseed and Products) By-laws, 2013 (Statutory Instrument 140 of 2013) as amended.

Deadline for registration for 2022/23 season is 21 March 2023. All registrations are now done online at www.ama.co.zw or at AMA provincial offices.

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Table 1. Agricultural urban market prices as at 03 March 2023

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Apple		\$24/box	\$20 /box	\$1/4 units	\$18/12kg pocket	\$1/4 units	\$1 for 5	
Banana		\$1/15 units	R130/ crate	\$1/15 units	\$5/18kg	\$1/kg	\$1/kg	
Oranges								

Butternut	\$3/10kg pocket	\$5/10kg pocket	R100/10kg	\$6/pocket	\$30/50Kg sack	\$4/pocket	\$25/50kg	
Cabbage (Medium)		0.30/head	\$1/head	\$0.33/ head	\$0.50/head	\$0.50/head	\$0.50/head	\$0.52/head
Carrot	-	\$1.80/kg	R10/bundle		\$40/60kg bag	\$1/bundle	\$1/bundle	
Chicken(Br)	\$5/bird	\$6 /bird	\$7/bird	\$6/bird	\$5.50/bird	\$6/bird	\$6/bird	\$5.93/bird
Chicken (Lyr)	\$6/bird	\$4 /bird	\$5/bird	\$3.5/bird	\$4/bird	\$4/bird	\$3.50/bird	\$4.28/bird
Chicken (RR)	\$8/bird	\$5/bird	-	\$5/bird	\$7/bird	\$4/bird	\$6/bird	\$5.83/bird
Chillie (Fresh)		\$1/kg	-		\$5/gallon		\$2.50/5kg	
Cowpea		\$12/20L bucket	\$25/20L bucket	\$20/20L bucket	\$20/20L Bucket			\$19.25/20L bucket
Cucumber	\$8/20kg bucket	\$1 for 8		\$1 for 6	\$40/50kg sack	\$1 for 8	\$1 for 6	
Eggs			\$3.50/crate	\$4/crate	\$3.50/crate	\$3.50/crate	\$3.50/crate	\$3.52/crate
Garlic		\$1.50/kg		\$1/punnet	\$25/bucket	\$2/kg	\$3/kg	
Green Beans		\$2/kg	\$6/pocket		\$6/bucket	\$1/kg	\$25/50kg bag	
Green Pepper		\$1.50/kg	\$6/15kg		\$5/bucket	\$1/kg	\$2/kg	
G/nut (fresh)	\$10/bucket	\$10/bucket	\$10/bucket		\$7/bucket			
G/nut(Shelled)	\$35/20L bucket	\$40/20L bucket	\$40/bucket	\$25/20L bucket	\$40/20L bucket	\$20/20L bucket		\$33.33/20L bucket
G/nut(Unshelled)	\$6/20L bucket		\$10/bucket	\$8/20L bucket	\$8/20L bucket	\$8/20L bucket		\$7.25/20L bucket
Honey (Wild)	\$2/500ml	\$2/750ml	\$3/500ml		\$2/500ml	\$2/500ml	\$3.50/375ml	
Maize(Grain)	\$7.50/20L bucket	\$7/20L bucket	\$6/20L bucket	\$6/20L bucket	\$7/20L bucket	\$5/20L bucket	\$3/20L bucket	\$5.93/20L bucket
Okra		\$16/20L bucket	\$15/20kg sack	\$2.5/gallon	\$10/20L bucket	\$3/gallon	\$2/gallon	

Green Mealies	\$1 for 5	\$1 for 4	R70/dozen	\$1 for 7	\$1for 7	\$1 for 5	\$1 for 12	\$1 for 7
Finger Millet	\$20/20L bucket	\$25/20L bucket	\$10/20L bucket		\$10/20L bucket	\$24/bucket	\$22/20L Bucket	\$18.83/20L bucket
Pearl Millet	\$7/bucket	\$10/20L bucket	\$10/20L bucket		\$30/20L bucket	\$12/bucket	\$15/20L bucket	\$12.83/20L bucket
Onion (Dried)	\$8/10kg pocket	\$9/10 kg	R100/10kg pocket	\$8/10kg pocket	\$30-35/50kg	\$6/10kg pocket	\$10/10kg pocket	\$8/10kg pocket
Onion (Shallots)		\$0.50/bundl e	\$1.50/bundl e			\$0.50/bundl e	\$1/bundle	
Potato (Large)	\$9/15kg pocket	\$9/15kg pocket	R150/10Kg	\$9/15kg pocket	\$9/15kg pocket	\$5/15kg pocket	\$10/15kg pocket	\$8.83/15kg pocket
Potato(Me d)	\$7/15kg pocket	\$7/15kg pocket	R100/10kg pkt	\$8/15kg pocket	\$8/15kg	\$4/15kg pocket	\$8/15kg pocket	\$7.33/15kg pocket
Rape/Covo	\$0.30/bundl e	\$1.50/bundl e	R70/ bundle	\$0.50/bundl e	\$0.25/bundl e	\$1/bundle	\$1.50/bundl e	
R/nut (Shelled)	\$36/20L bucket	\$50/20L bucket			\$40/20L bucket	\$35/20L bucket	\$35/20L bucket	\$39.2/20L bucket
Sorgh (White)	\$10/20L bucket	\$9/20L bucket	\$10/20kg	\$10/20L bucket	\$10/20L bucket	\$8/20L bucket	\$7.50/20L bucket	\$9.21/20L bucket
Sugar Beans	\$27/20L bucket	\$24/20L bucket	\$25/20L bucket	\$26/20L bucket	\$25/20L bucket	\$18/20L bucket	\$25/20L bucket	\$24/20L bucket
Sweet Potato			R150/20L bucket	\$5/bucket	\$6/20L bucket	\$2/gallon		
Tomatoes (Jam)		\$18.30kg crate			\$25/crate	\$24/crate	\$8/30kg crate	
Tomatoes (Round)	\$8/20L bucket	\$14/30kg crate	\$14/ crate	\$12/crate	\$15/20L bucket	\$20/crate	\$6.50/crate	\$13.30/30k g crate
Mufushwa(cov)	\$8/20L bucket	\$4/20L bucket	\$9/gallon	\$7/20L bucket	\$8/20L bucket	\$8/20L bucket	\$15/20L bucket	\$9.57/20L bucket
Mufushwa(nyeve)		\$25/20L bucket	\$10/gallon		\$15/bucket	\$8/20L bucket	\$15/20L bucket	\$15.75/20L bucket
Mufushwa(nyemba)	\$8/20L bucket	\$25/20L bucket	\$10/gallon	\$7/20L bucket	\$15/bucket	\$8/20L bucket	\$15/20L bucket	\$13/20L bucket
Mufushwa (black jack)		\$20/20L bucket						

Macimbi	\$30/20L bucket	\$30/20L bucket	\$30/20L bucket		\$35/bucket	\$40/20L bucket	\$30/20L bucket	\$32.50/20L bucket
Matemba	\$46/20L bucket	\$40/20L bucket	\$45/20L bucket	\$40/20L bucket	\$45/bucket	\$40/20L bucket		\$42.67/20L bucket

Table 2. Farm produce wanted/ for sale

Product	Location	Quantity available	Product price	Category
Onions	Harare	2 tons/week		Wanted
Carrots, cucumbers, cabbages, potatoes, tomatoes, pepper, peas, green beans	Harare	2000kg/week		Wanted
Beef, chicken, pork, goat, lamb, ducks	Harare			Wanted

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