

Notably the drought that thoroughly affected the country has reduced over the previous months; however, its effects are still reflected in some parts of the country where food insecurity is on the rise, especially in the north and eastern regions of Uganda. The prolonged drought, in addition to other factors like low agricultural productivity and drying up of some water sources brought about crop failures of between 40-60% which in effect led to low supplies in most regional markets.

## Commodity highlights

**Fresh cassava** prices reduced by shs.30 (wholesale) and shs.50 (retail) in Kiboga market and farmers attributed this to the on-going heavy rains that have greatly eased harvesting.

The markets of Gulu, Jinja, Arua and Kiboga registered an increase in prices for Simsim. Quantities currently available are reducing yet farmers are still waiting on the harvesting season before they can supply to neighboring various markets.

**Arua** market registered a large supply of **cassava flour** especially by traders from the areas of Amuru, Masindi, Pallisa and Mutukula leading to a reduction in price by shs.10 and sh.50 on wholesale and retail respectively. The reduction in cassava flour price caused a shift in demand from sorghum flour to cassava flour consequently forcing the sorghum flour price to fall as well by shs.100.

Though cassava prices seemed not to have changed in Kalerwe market, retailers suffered losses of 30-40% as a lot of the produce this week was damaged at the market by the heavy rains. **Fresh cassava tubes** price, however, went down by shs.80 (wholesale) and shs.100 (retail).

**Irish Potato** price is soaring in Kabale which is also a major a production area. A sack of 120-140 kilograms increased to a price ranging between shs.55000 to shs.60000 from shs.50000. Kabale being a low producer of matooke receives most of its supply from Mbarara and Ntungamo. This hence explains the high price of Matooke (per bunch) and Cavendish (Bogoya).

**Chicken price** for both local and exotic is gradually falling in Mbale market. Prices hiked during the EID celebrations that saw a high demand for chicken but have started to stabilize and fell by shs.2000 in both wholesale and retail. **Beans** also registered a reduction in price by shs.50 and shs.100 (Agwedde and Nambale), shs.100 and shs.50 (yellow). Farmers from South of Mbale have continued to stock the Market with the new harvests.

**Matooke** increased in price by shs.1000 in Masaka, shs.2000 in Kalerwe. While in Mbale prices fell by shs.1000 and shs.1500 in wholesale and retail respectively.

*Kind regards!*

			Central							Eastern					Northern			Western				
Commodity		Pricetype	Kalerwe	Kiboga	Luwero	Masaka	Nakasero	Nakawa	Owino	Iganga	Jinja	Kapchorwa	Mbale	Soroti	Arua	Gulu	Lira	Hoima	Kabale	Kasese	Kisoro	Mbarara
Apple Bananas	Kg	Retail	1000	400	850	900		800	1100	1600				550	700	800		1500	800	700		1000
		Wholesale	900	300	800	600		500	1000	1200				450	600	600			700	650		800
Beef	Kg	Retail	4500	5000	5000	5000	5000	5000	5000	4500	6000	5000	4500	6000	5000	5000	5000	4000	4000	4200	4000	4000
		Wholesale	4000	4500	5000	4500	4500	3800	4500	4200	5000	4500	4300	5800	5000	4800	5000		3500	4000	3500	3800
Cassava, Dry Fermented	Kg	Retail							650	530				650	700	900	1200			750		800
		Wholesale							600	440				600	680	700	1000			700		700
Cassava, Flour	Kg	Retail	900	1200	1200	1000	1200	1100	850	1050	1200	1000	1000	650	800	1400	1000	1200	1300	900	1200	1350
		Wholesale	700	1000	1000	850	1100	880	730	850	1100	900	900	600	750	1200	800	1000	1100	800	800	1220
Cassava, Fresh	Kg	Retail	580	400	1000	1100	450	500	600	1000	240	500	210	500	550	900	800	400	1200	1200	650	1000
		Wholesale	500	300	1000	800	350	430	550	800	220	400	190	400	500	700	700	300	1000	1000	470	800
Cassava, Sun dried	Kg	Retail			500			1100	650	520	500		800	700	700	1100	1000	700		750	500	1000
		Wholesale			400			880	600	420	450		700	600	680	900	800	600		700	400	700
Cavendish (Bogoya)	Kg	Retail	1250	500	1300	1200	650	1000	1600	2500	630	600	2000		700		2500	1500		1400		1800
		Wholesale	1100	400	1000	900	600	800	1500	1600	600	500	1500		600		1700	1000		1300		1400
Chicken, Exotic	bird	Retail	7500			9500	9000	6000	8000	5500	8000		6000	8500		8500	5000	7500	12000	8000	8000	12000
		Wholesale	7000			8000	8500	5000	6000	4800	7000		5000	8000		7500	4500	6000	10000	7500	6000	10000
Chicken, Local	bird	Retail	12000	15000	18000	18000	15000		18000	12000	15000	10000	6500	10000	10000	14000	9000	15000	15000	16000	10000	14000
		Wholesale	10000	13000	15000	16000	14000	11500	15000	9000	14000	8000	5500	9500	9000	12500	7000	12000	12000	15000	9000	12000
Coffee (Unprocessed)	Kg	Retail			1400	1000					1100											900
		Wholesale			1200	800					1000											800
Cotton (Unprocessed)	Kg	Retail									800											
		Wholesale									700											
Cow Peas	Kg	Retail	2000	1600	2000	2500	2500		2700	1800	2300	1800	2000	2900	2500	1400	2000			2200	2100	1400
		Wholesale	1800	1500	1800	2300	2000	11500	2400	1600	2200	1700	1800	2400		1300	1600			2100	2000	1200
Dried Beans, Agwede	Kg	Retail			1500	1400		1400		1700	2000			1450	1600		2000					
		Wholesale			1400	1200		1200		1500	1800			1350	1400		1400					
Dried Beans, Nambale	Kg	Retail	2400		1700	1300	2000	2000	1600	1700	2300	1200	1350	1600	1600	1600	1800	2200	1700	1600	1800	1700
		Wholesale	2200		1600	1100	1800	1800	1400	1500	2000	1000	1300	1450	1400	1400	1400	1800	1500	1500	1500	1500
Dried Beans, Yellow	Kg	Retail	2400	1200	1700	1200	2000	2200	1800	1900	2600		1550	1600	1600	1700	1800	2300	1600	2000	2000	1000
		Wholesale	2200	1100	1600	1000	1900	2000	1550	1750	2400		1400	1450	1500	1600	1500	2000	1400	1800	1600	800
Eggs, Exotic	tray	Retail	5000	6500	6000	6500	6500	2200	5000	6600	5000	6500	5700	5800	7500	6000	6000	6000	10000	6000	6000	6500
		Wholesale	4700	6000	5500	4700	5800	2000	4500	5200	4800	5500	5400	5600	6000	5800	5700	5500	8000	5800	5500	6000
Eggs, Local	tray	Retail	10000	9000	6500	9000	15000	9000	11000	8800	7500		9000	7100	7500		5000	9000	9500	9000	10000	8000
		Wholesale	9000	7500	6000	7500	13500	7000	9000	6800	7000		7500	7000		5000	7500	8000	8500	9000	9000	7000
Fish, Nile Perch	Kg	Retail	6000		7000	6500		6500	8000	5000	7000		5000	4500	5000	4500	8000		9500		5500	6000
		Wholesale	5500		7000	5500		6000	6500	4000	6500		4800	4100	5000	3500	8000		8000		4500	5500
Fish, Tilapia	whole	Retail	3500	4000	3500	4500	4500	4500	5500	6000	8000		4500	5500	7500	4800	8000	9000	9000	3800	4500	6500
		Wholesale	3000	3500	3000	3500	4000	4000	4000	4800	7500		4000	4500		4300	8000		7500	3500	4000	6000
Goat Meat	Kg	Retail	6000	6000	6000	5500	6000	6000	6000	6000	6000		5000	5000	5500	6000	5000	9000	5000	6000	4500	6000
		Wholesale	5500	5000	6000	4500	5500	4800	4500	5000	5000		4800	4800	5500	5800	5000		4800	5800	3600	5500
Groundnuts, Unpounded	Kg	Retail	3000	2400	2600	2300	3000	2300	2600	2400	2700	2300	2400	2200	3000	2500	3000	3000	2200	2600	2600	2800
		Wholesale	2800	2200	2200	2200	2500	2000	2350	2200	2500	2200	2200	2000		2300	2500	2500	2000	2500	2400	2600
Honey, Processed	ltr	Retail		7000	3500		8000	9000		8800	4000				4000				6000		10000	6000
		Wholesale		6000	3500		7500	7000		7500	3000				3600				5500		8000	5000
Honey, Unprocessed	ltr	Retail		3500	2500		5000	6500		5500	2500			4850					4500		7500	
		Wholesale		3100	2200		4500	6000		4500	2000			4700					4000		6500	

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Irish Potatoes	Kg	Retail	700	516	1500	1400	1000	800	620	1300	800	300	600	600	1200	1400	1200	800	600	700	1000		
		Wholesale	630	500	1200	1200	900	700	570	1100	700	250	500	550		1200	1000	650	500	600	800		
Maize Flour	Kg	Retail	1500	1400	1500	1400	1700	1500	590	1300	1200	1200	1000	1400	1600	1200	1600	1400	1600	1200	1600	1600	1600
		Wholesale	1400	1200	1200	1200	1500	1300	580	1100	1100	1000	900	1250	1360	1100	1200	1300	1400	1100	1300	1400	
Maize Grain	Kg	Retail	1200	900	1000	1200	1300	1100	400	650	620	600	570	650	650	700	700	580	1200			600	1200
		Wholesale	1000	800	800	700	1000	1000	370	580	600	500	540	550	600	540	600	520	1000			500	1100
Matooke	Kg	Retail	440	300	1000	250	450	510	400	450	220	400	1500	500	400		1200	1000		750	800	700	
		Wholesale	350	250	1000	225	400	460	370	380	200	300	1200	450	350		1000			700	600	600	
Matooke (Bunch)	Bunch	Retail	10000	12000	12000	9000	15000	12000	18000	14000	11000	8000	14500	10000	9000	14000		15000	17000	14500	10000	8000	
		Wholesale	8000	10000	10000	8500	12000	10000	15000	11000	10000	6000	13000	8000	8500	13000			12000	14000	7000	7000	
Milk	Ltrs	Retail	1200	1000	750	1200	800		1000	1000	800	550	800	800	1000	1000	800	1000	700	800	900	1000	
		Wholesale	1000	900	700	1000	700		900	900	700	400	700	700	1000	800	600		600	750	650	900	
Millet Flour	Kg	Retail	1200	1600	1300	1500	2000	2000	2000	1300	1600	1800	1800	1500	2000	1400		2000	2000		1700	1800	
		Wholesale	900	1500	1200	1300	1800	1600	1700	1100	1500	1700	1700	1400	1800	1200			1800		1400	1600	
Millet Grain	Kg	Retail	1200	1500	1000	1400	1700	1200	1150	1000	1300	1300	1300	1000	1600	1000		1200	1700		1250	1500	
		Wholesale	900	1400	800	1200	1600	1000	1000	900	1200	1200	1200	900	1500	800		1000	1600		950	1300	
Pineapple	whole	Retail	1000	800	1500	800	2500	2000	1400	2000	2200				1500	2300	2600			500	1600	2000	800
		Wholesale	800	500	1300	600	2000	1700	1200	1500	1900				1400		2200			450	1500	1200	500
Pork	Kg	Retail	4700		5000	4500		4000	5000		6000	4000	4400	4000	5000	4500	4000		6000	4800	4000		
		Wholesale	4000		4500	3500		3500	4500		5000	3600	4000	3800	5000	4300	3500		5000	4500	3000		
Rice (Kayiso)	Kg	Retail	2000	2800	2500	2400		2000	2400	1800	2200	2200	1700	2200	2200	2500	2400				2500	2500	
		Wholesale	1800	2500	2400	2000		1800	2000	1680	1900	2100	1600	2000		2300	2200				2400	2400	
Rice (Super)	Kg	Retail	2500	2300	2500	2300	2500	2500	2500	2300	2500	2400	2200	2400	2400	2800	2500	2500	2500	2500	2600	2550	
		Wholesale	2200	2200	2400	1800	2200	2200	2300	2100	2100	2300	2000	2300	2000	2600	2200		2350	2400	2400	2400	
Rice (Upland)	Kg	Retail	2000	2000	2200	2300	2500	2000	2300	1900	2200	2000			2200	2400	2200	2200	2600	1700	2300		
		Wholesale	1800	1800	2000	1800	2300	1800	2000	1750	2000	1800			2000	2250	2200	2000	2400	1600	2100		
Simsim	Kg	Retail	3000		2700	3300	4500	3000	3000	2400	3000	2500	2500	2500	2500	2900	2600						
		Wholesale	2800		2500	2900	4000	2500	2300	2200	2700	2400	2300	2300		2700	2300						
Sorghum Flour	Kg	Retail	1000	900	1400		1800	1200	1000	950	1200	1000	650	1000	1500	1200			700	1400		850	
		Wholesale	700	800	1200		1500	900	850	800	1100	900	600	800	1400	900			600	1300		500	
Sorghum Grain	Kg	Retail	700	800	800		1600	1000	700	750	800		520	600	1000	900				1100	800	1100	
		Wholesale	500	700	800		1400	700	650	570	700		500	550	900	750				1000	600	1000	
Soya Beans	Kg	Retail	2000	1400	1800	1400	3000	1800	1100	1400	1800	1800	1000		2000		1000	2000	2700		1600	1500	
		Wholesale	1800	1200	1500	1300	2500	1400	800	1150	1600	1700	800				800	1000	2500		1300	1400	
Sunflower	Kg	Retail							400														
		Wholesale							370														
Sweet Potatoes	Kg	Retail	530	150	1000	1000	400	500	600	1000	350	400	210	500	450	900	700	700	500	1000	700	900	
		Wholesale	460	100	1000	600	350	450	550	800	320	300	200	450	400	800	500	600	400	800	500	700	
Turkey	bird	Retail			35000		30000	45000	45000	35000	40000			20000	34000						29000	32000	
		Wholesale			30000		25000	35000	35000	33000	37000			15000	32000							26000	30000
Vanilla (Unprocessed)	Kg	Retail							2700												3500	3000	
		Wholesale							2300													3000	2000

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