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Livestock and Fibre markets

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WEEKLY TRENDS – Livestock, fruit, and vegetables: *Week ending 25 APR 2025*

Table 1: Beef producer price trends in South Africa

Beef producer prices: Beef market – South Africa									
Date	30-APR-25	% Δ w/w	R/kg Δ w/w	% Δ y/y	R/kg Δ y/y	3Yr. Avg. (% Δ)	3Yr. Avg. (Δ R/kg)	18-APR-25	11-APR-25
Class A (R/kg)	65.89	0.0%	R0.00	18.1%	R10.09	11.5%	R6.81	65.89	63.56
Class C (R/kg)	49.65	-1.4%	-R0.70	15.0%	R6.47	6.1%	R2.85	50.35	49.56
Contract: A (*Incl.5thQ)	66.11	0.7%	R0.48	20.2%	R11.13	12.5%	R7.35	65.63	62.98
Import parity (R/kg)	57.17	1.6%	R0.92	4.7%	R2.55	5.8%	R3.12	56.25	55.82
Weaner calves (R/kg LW)	37.56	-0.6%	-R0.24	16.3%	R5.26	8.4%	R2.91	37.80	37.28

LW – Live Weight; *Fifth quarter. Source: USDA, JSE, FNB Agric

Table 2: Sheep producer price trends in South Africa

Sheep market – South Africa									
Date	30-APR-25	% Δ w/w	R/kg Δ w/w	% Δ y/y	R/kg Δ y/y	3Yr. Avg. (% Δ)	3Yr. Avg. (Δ R/kg)	18-APR-25	11-APR-25
Class A (R/kg)	104.08	-0.7%	-R0.69	22.2%	R18.93	13.2%	R12.15	104.77	102.32
Mutton (R/kg)	65.98	0.6%	R0.41	18.6%	R10.33	10.7%	R6.38	65.57	65.35
Contract: A (*Incl.5thQ, R/kg)	101.56	-2.8%	-R2.96	22.3%	R18.51	12.5%	R11.28	104.52	101.58
Import parity (R/kg)	101.70	2.0%	R1.95	5.4%	R5.23	4.0%	R3.88	99.74	97.05
Feeder lambs (R/kg LW)	45.07	-0.8%	-R0.37	19.5%	R7.34	8.9%	R3.68	45.44	42.51

LW – Live Weight; *Fifth quarter. Source: USDA, JSE, FNB Agric

Table 3: Pig producer prices and slaughter trends

Pork market – South Africa									
Date	30-APR-25	% Δ w/w	R/kg Δ w/w	% Δ y/y	R/kg Δ y/y	3Yr. Avg. (% Δ)	3Yr. Avg. (Δ R/kg)	18-APR-25	11-APR-25
Porker (R/kg)	32.85	-3.0%	-R1.02	6.1%	R1.90	39.6%	R9.32	33.87	33.87
Baconer (R/kg)	32.73	-3.0%	-R1.02	7.2%	R2.21	51.9%	R11.18	33.75	33.75
Import parity (R/kg)	44.58	1.3%	R0.55	-0.4%	-R0.19	42.2%	R13.24	44.02	44.80

Source: USDA, JSE, FNB Agric

Table 4: Poultry producer price trends in South Africa

Poultry market – South Africa									
Date	30-APR-25	% Δ w/w	R/kg Δ w/w	% Δ y/y	R/kg Δ y/y	3Yr. Avg. (% Δ)	3Yr. Avg. (Δ R/kg)	18-APR-25	11-APR-25
Fresh whole birds (R/kg)	37.38	0.3%	R0.13	5.7%	R2.01	5.3%	R1.87	37.25	37.25
Medium Frozen whole birds (R/kg)	34.87	-0.7%	-R0.24	-1.3%	-R0.45	1.1%	R0.36	35.11	35.04
Individually Quick Frozen (IQF) (R/kg)	33.98	0.1%	R0.04	7.3%	R2.31	4.3%	R1.40	33.94	33.94
Import parity (R/kg), US Leg Q	33.08	-5.1%	-R1.79	2.2%	R0.72	-1.1%	-R0.38	34.87	33.50

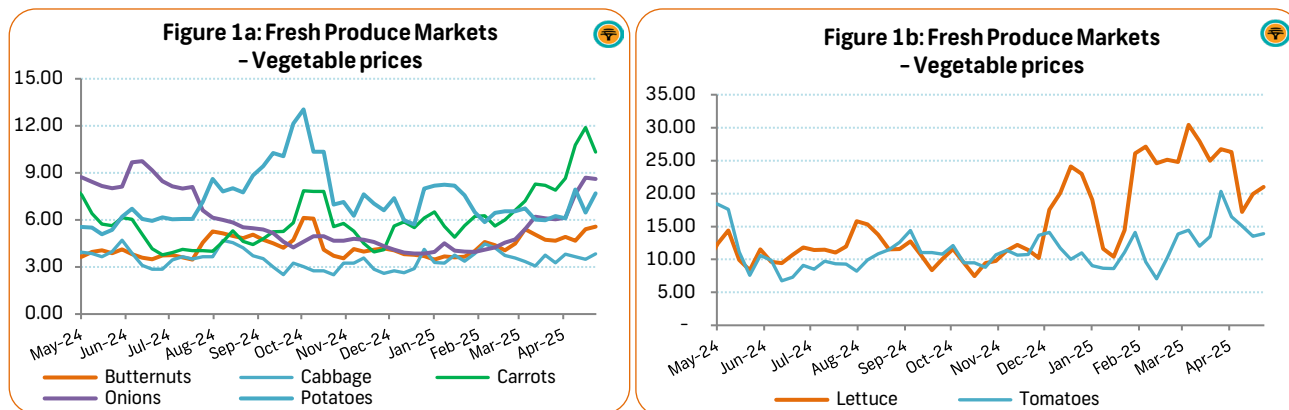
Source: USDA, JSE, FNB Agric

Table 5: Raw feed inputs – Latest price trends in JSE grain and oilseed futures market (R/ton)

30 APR 2025	WMAZ R/ton	%Δ m/m	YMAZ R/ton	%Δ m/m	SUNS R/ton	%Δ m/m	SOY R/ton	%Δ m/m
Jul-25	R4,334	6.4%	R4,203	5.0%	R9,158	2.3%	R7,715	-0.1%
Sep-25	R4,426	6.3%	R4,287	4.7%	R9,346	2.1%	R7,888	0.3%
Dec-25	R4,517	6.0%	R4,375	4.8%	R9,590	3.4%	R8,081	0.8%
Mar-26	R4,492	6.2%	R4,350	4.4%	-	-	R8,055	1.5%
May-26	-	-	R4,204	-	-	-	-	-

Source: JSE,

Figure 1: Vegetable price trends – R/kg.



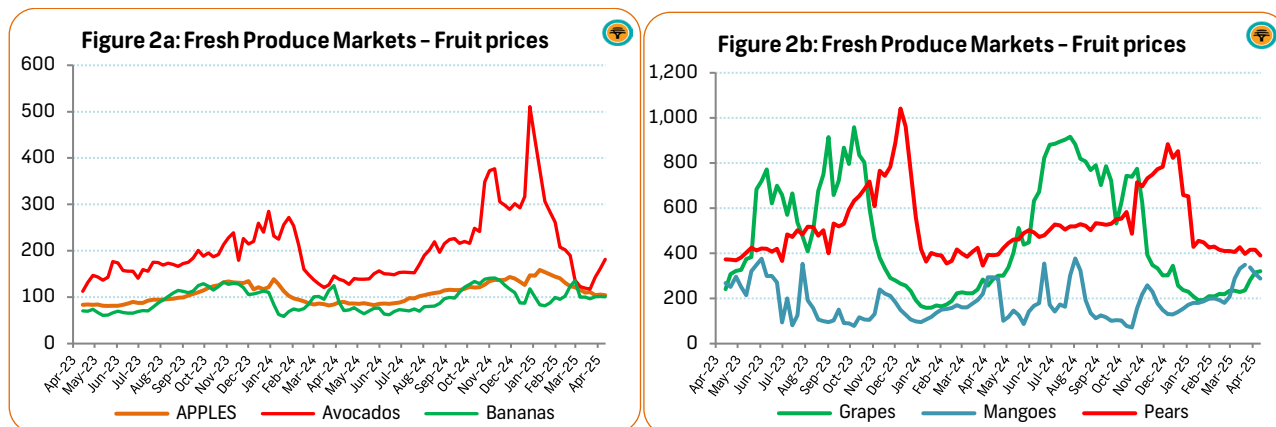
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Table 6: Vegetable prices – South Africa's Major Fresh Produce Markets

(Average Major Markets: Pretoria, Bloemfontein, Johannesburg, Cape Town, and Durban, & other markets)								
Week ending	Average Price	Price change	Price change	Price change	Price change	Total	Volume change	Volume Change
25 APR 2025	(R/Kg)	(% Δ w/w)	(R/kg) Δ w/w	(% Δ y/y)	(R/kg) Δ y/y	Volume (t)	w/w	y/y
Butternuts	5.57	3%	R0.16	54%	R1.94	959	6%	-36%
Cabbage	3.84	10%	R0.35	-3%	-R0.10	1588	5%	6%
Carrot	10.32	-13%	-R1.57	25%	R2.09	1598	9%	-15%
Lettuce	21.01	5%	R1.06	121%	R11.50	261	-11%	-16%
Onion	8.61	-1%	-R0.09	-2%	-R0.16	5986	13%	-8%
Potato	7.70	19%	R1.23	42%	R2.28	5917	-22%	-29%
Tomato	13.92	3%	R0.42	-26%	-R4.84	2938	-4%	23%

Source: FNB AgriComms

Figure 2: Fruit prices – South Africa's Major Fresh Produce Markets



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Table 7: Fruit prices – South Africa's Major Fresh Produce Markets –

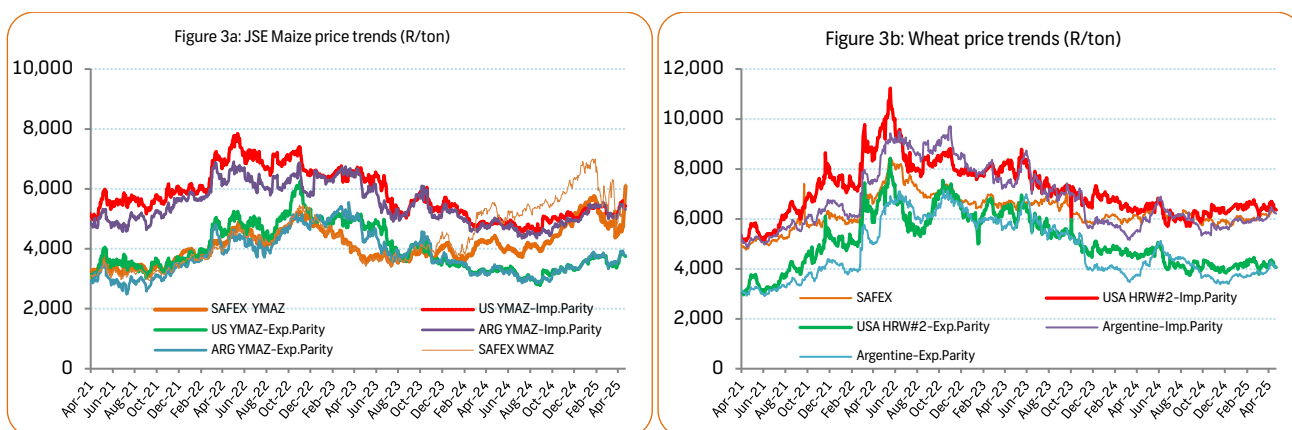
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25 APR 2025	(R/Kg)	(% Δ w/w)	Δ w/w	(% Δ y/y)	Δ y/y	Volume (t)	w/w	y/y
Apples	10.41	-1.57%	-R0.17	15.8%	R1.42	1609	0.15%	-24.43%
Avocados	18.17	12.54%	R2.03	34.3%	R4.64	313	-14.84%	-33.21%
Bananas	10.05	-0.92%	-R0.09	41.6%	R2.95	3063	10.11%	-26.37%
Grapes	32.14	2.03%	R0.64	12.5%	R3.58	278	9.19%	-22.48%
Mangoes	28.87	-6.76%	-R2.09	-1.9%	-R0.56	57	-24.72%	101.04%
Pears	38.99	-6.11%	-R2.54	-0.6%	-R0.22	644	0.40%	-4.73%

Source: FNB AgriComms

Table 8: Soft commodity futures: South Africa's Grain and Oilseeds on the JSE

30 APR 2025	WMAZ	% Δ m/m	YMAZ	% Δ m/m	CBOT CORN	% Δ m/m	WHEAT	% Δ m/m	SUNS	% Δ m/m	SOY	% Δ m/m
Jul-25	R4,334	6.4%	R4,203	5.0%	R3,453	3.3%	R6,458	2.7%	R9,158	2.3%	R7,715	-0.1%
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Mar-26	R4,492	6.2%	R4,350	4.4%	-	-	-	-	-	-	R8,055	1.5%
May-26	-	-	R4,204	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Source: FNB AgriComms

Figure 3: Average daily settlement prices, and estimated export, and import parity prices.

Sources: JSE; GrainSA

Table 9: Yellow maize futures

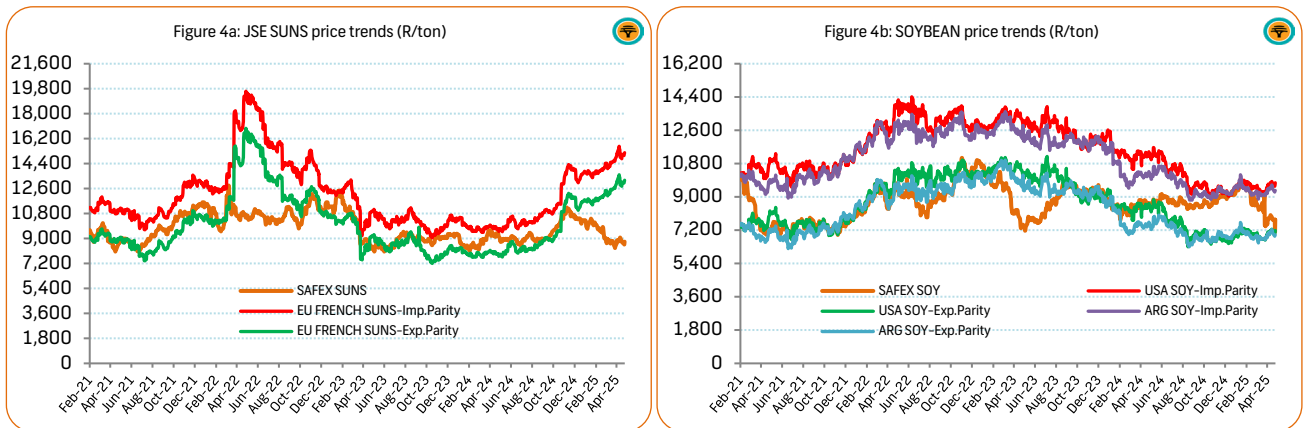
CME Yellow Maize Futures 30 APR 2025	Jul-25	Sep-25	Dec-25	Mar-26	May-26
CBOT (US\$/t)	187.31	172.18	175.80	181.48	185.18
JSE Yellow Maize Futures 30 APR 2025	Jul-25	Sep-25	Dec-25	Mar-26	May-26
SAFEX (R/t)	4,203	4,287	4,375	4,350	4,204
SAFEX (R/t) White Maize	4,334	4,426	4,517	4,492	4,179

Sources: FNB; JSE; CME.

Table 10: Wheat futures

CME Wheat Futures 30 APR 2025	Jul-25	Sep-25	Dec-25	Mar-26	May-26
KCBT (US\$/t)	194.96	200.25	208.77	216.20	220.46
JSE Wheat Futures 30 APR 2025	Jul-25	Sep-25	Dec-25	Mar-26	May-26
SAFEX (R/t)	6,458	6,406	6,259	-	-

Sources: FNB; JSE; CME.

Figure 4: Oilseed trends: Average daily settlement prices, and estimated export, and import parity prices

Sources: JSE; GrainSA

Table 11: Oilseeds futures – sunflower, soybeans, soymeal, and soyoil

CME Oilseeds Futures 30 APR 2025	Jul-25	Sep-25	Dec-25	Mar-26	May-26
CBOT Soybeans (US \$/t)	383.75	372.95	-	379.93	382.73
CBOT Soya oil (US c/lb)	48.97	48.76	48.53	48.29	48.22
CBOT Soya cake meal (US \$/t)	298	301.1	303.8	307.1	309.4
JSE Oilseeds Futures 30 APR 2025	Jul-25	Sep-25	Dec-25	Mar-26	May-26
SAFEX Soybean seed (R/t)	7,715	7,888	8,081	8,055	-
SAFEX Sunflower seed (R/t)	9,158	9,346	9,590	-	-

Sources: FNB; JSE; CME.

Table 12: World sugar futures

ICE Sugar Futures 30 APR 2025	Jul-25	Oct-25	Mar-26	May-26	Jul-26	Oct-26	Mar-27	May-27	Jul-27
Sugar No.11 (US c/lb)	17.25	17.42	17.82	17.17	16.94	17.02	17.41	17.05	16.92
% Δ w/w	-3.5%	-3.4%	-3.2%	-2.6%	-2.0%	-1.6%	-1.3%	-0.9%	-0.6%
% Δ m/m	-7.5%	-7.5%	-7.2%	-6.2%	-4.7%	-3.7%	-2.8%	-2.0%	-1.3%

Sources: ICE.

Table 13: Fibre markets

Fibre market prices	SA Wool Prices (R/kg)		Australian Wool Prices (AU\$/kg)		Australian Wool Futures JUL-DEC 2025, (AU\$/kg)	Australian Wool Futures JAN-JUN 2026, (AU\$/kg)
Week ending	25/04/2025	18/04/2025	25/04/2025	18/04/2025		
Wool market indicator (R/kg)	-	189.65	-	12.32	-	-
19μ wool (R/kg), **	-	189.65	-	15.38	-	-
21μ wool (R/kg), **	-	195.26	-	14.65	-	-
22μ (R/kg), **	-	191.72	-	-	-	-
Fibre market prices Week ending 25 APR 2025	SA derived Cotton (R/kg)	New York A-Index (US\$/kg).	Cotton Futures Jul-25 (US\$/kg)	Cotton Futures Oct-24 (US\$/kg)	Cotton Futures Dec-25 (US\$/kg)	Cotton Futures Mar-25 (US\$/kg)
Cotton Prices (R/kg)	32.52	1.74	1.50	1.53	1.53	1.55

Sources: Cape Wool SA; ICE; AWEX; **Certified Wool (R) Clean - Merino Fleece | MF4 & MF5 | VM < 1,6 | NKT > 28 | >67mm | Minimum of 3 Lots Sold

Table 14: World cotton futures on ICE

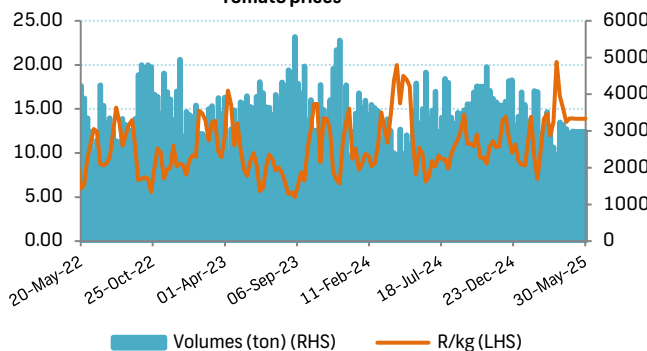
ICE Cotton Futures 30 APR 2025	Jul-25	Oct-25	Dec-25	Mar-26	May-26	Jul-26	Oct-26	Dec-26	Mar-27
Cotton No 2 (US c/lb)	66.02	68.03	67.79	69.02	69.94	70.51	68.31	67.82	68.8
% Δ w/w	-2.0%	-2.6%	-1.6%	-1.4%	-1.5%	-1.7%	-2.1%	-0.7%	-0.8%
% Δ m/m	-2.9%	-2.6%	-3.2%	-2.9%	-2.1%	-1.9%	-2.5%	-1.4%	-2.1%

Sources: ICE (InterContinental Exchange)

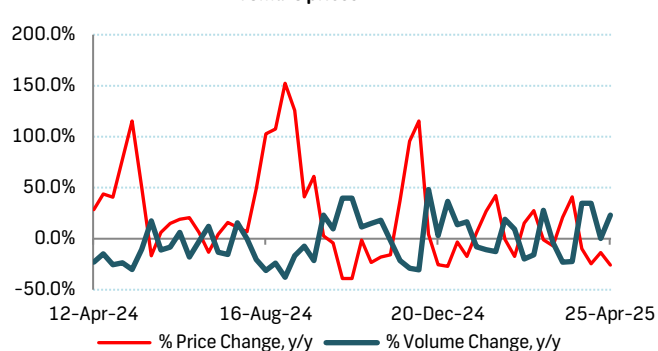
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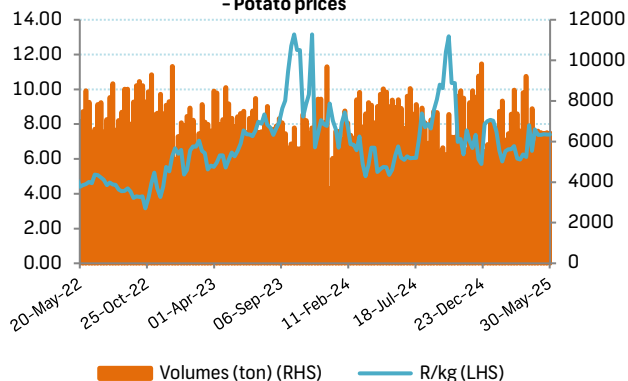
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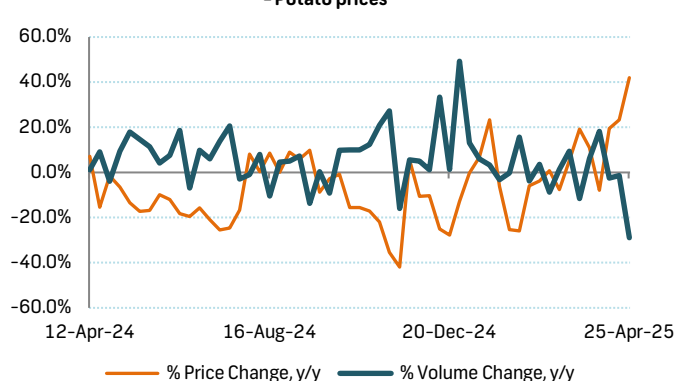
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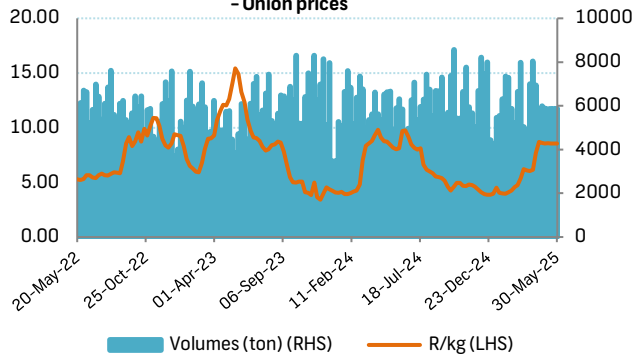
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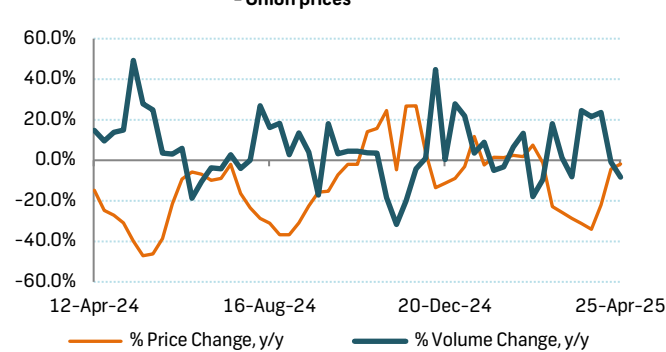
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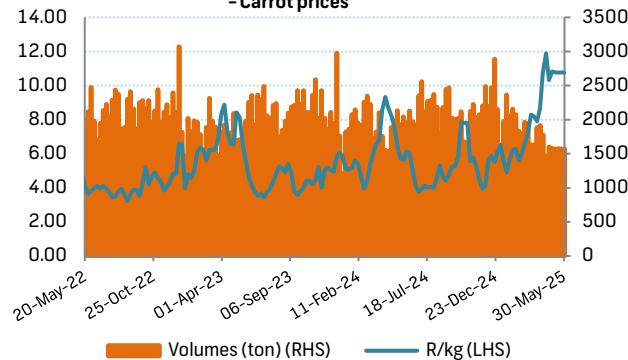
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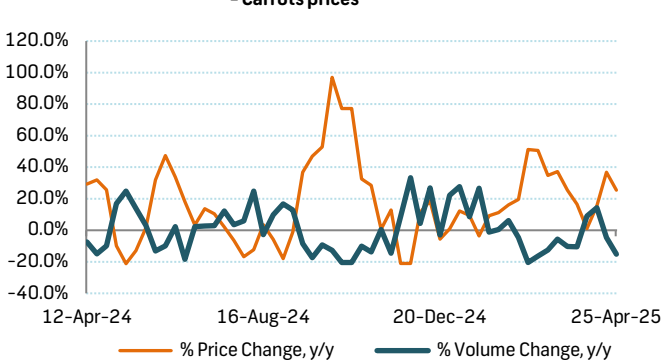
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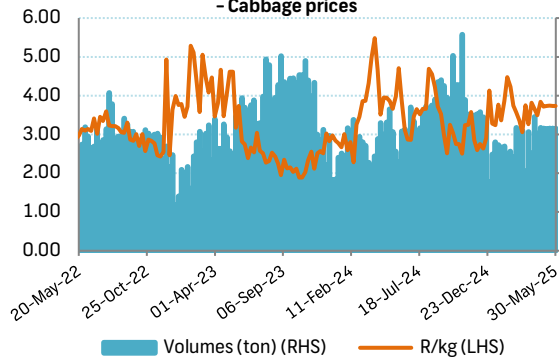
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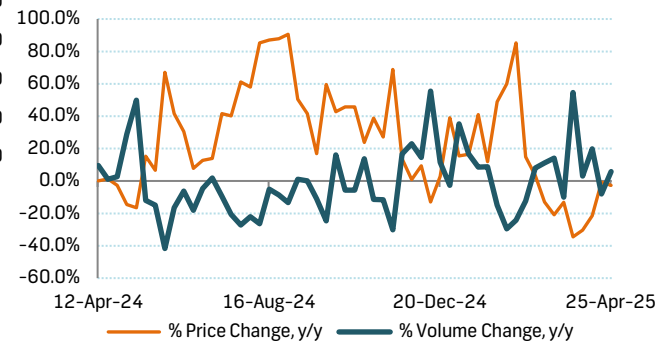
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**Figure 9a: Fresh Produce Markets
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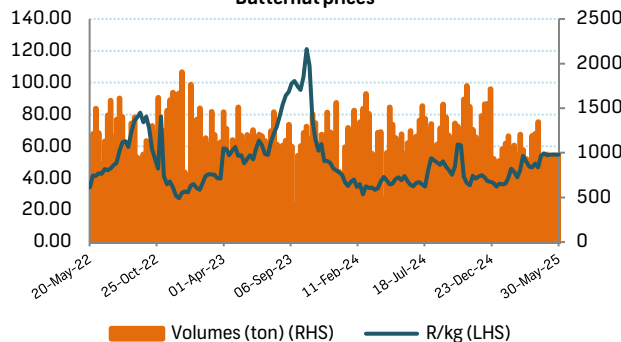


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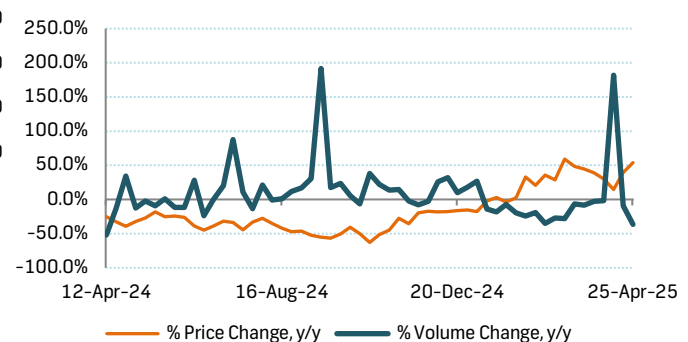


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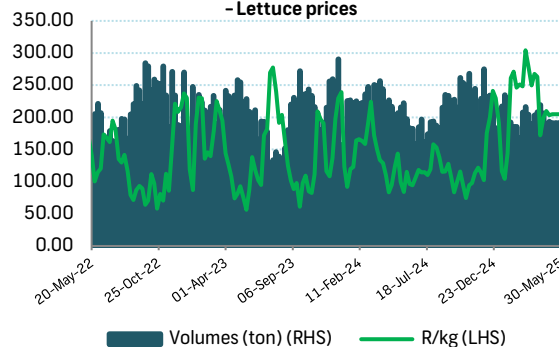
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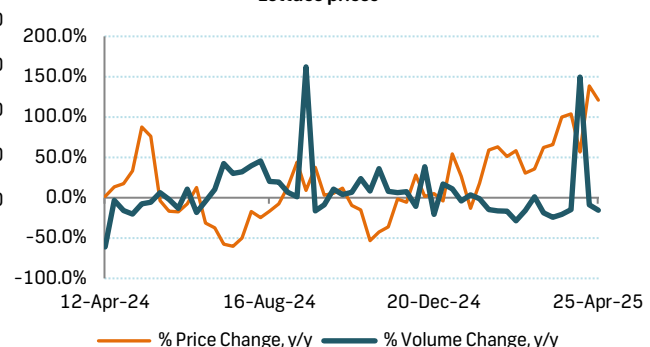
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**Figure 11a: Fresh Produce Markets
- Lettuce prices**



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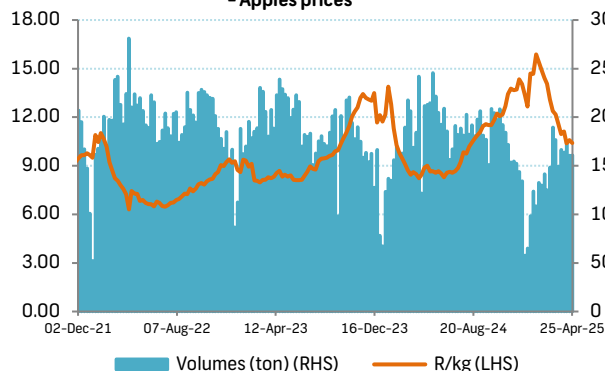


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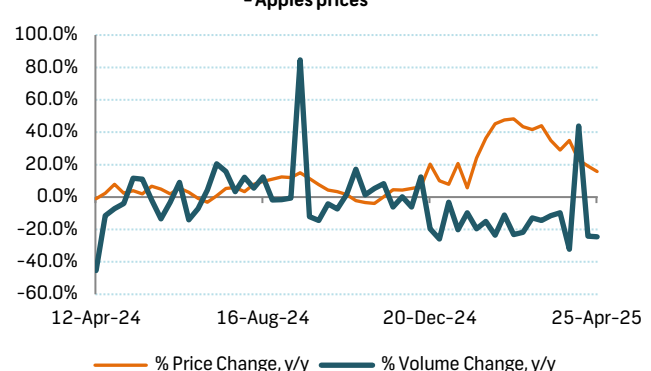
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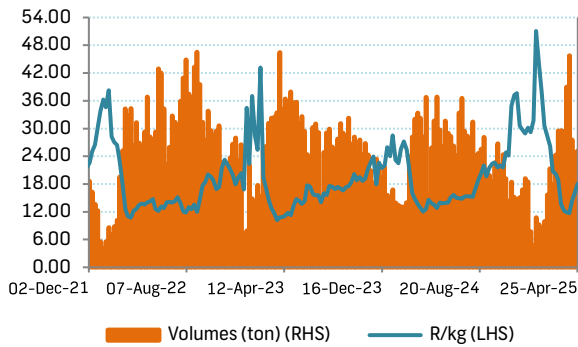
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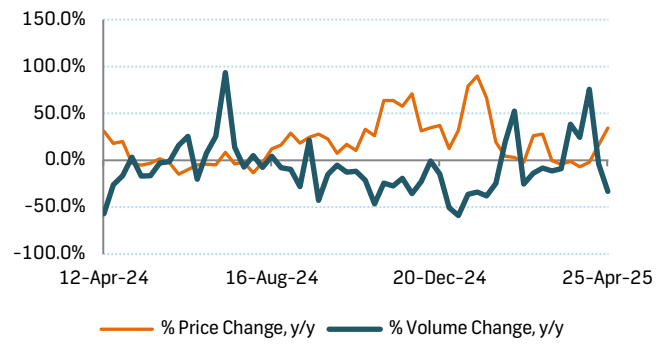
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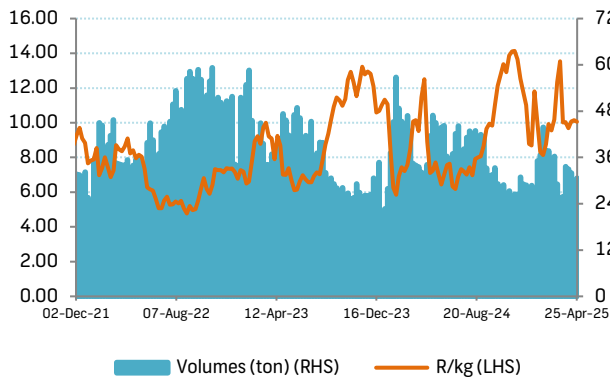
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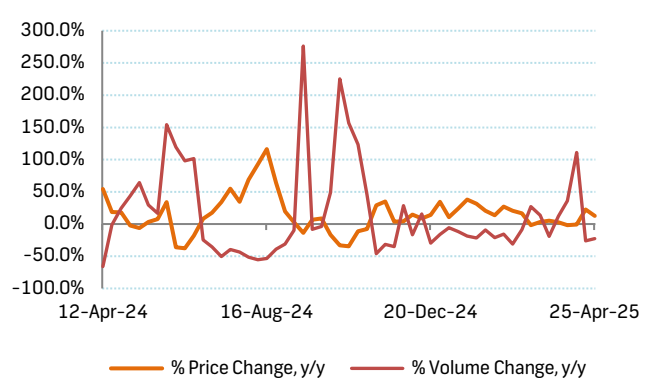
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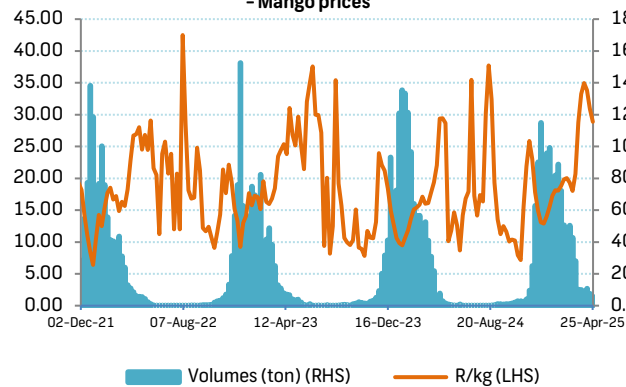
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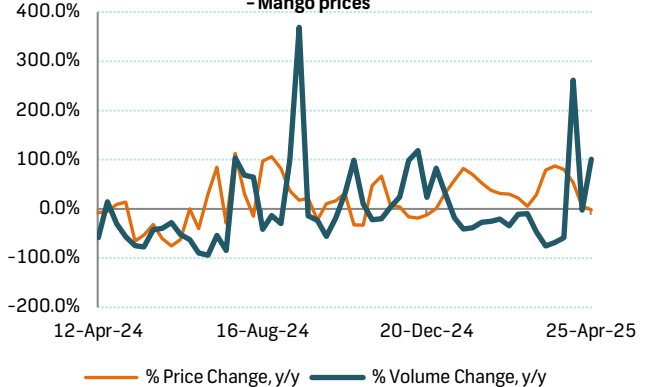
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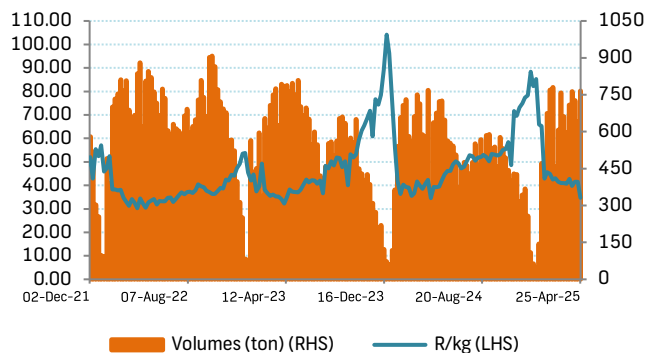
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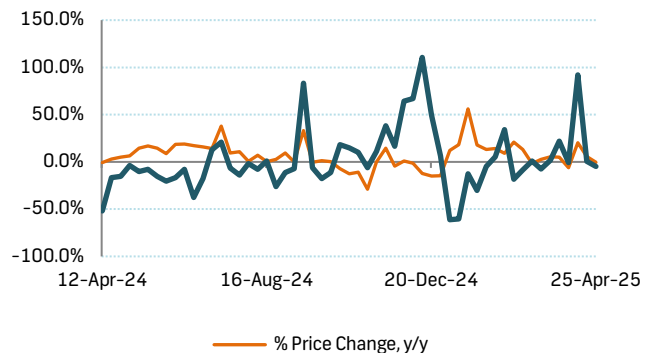
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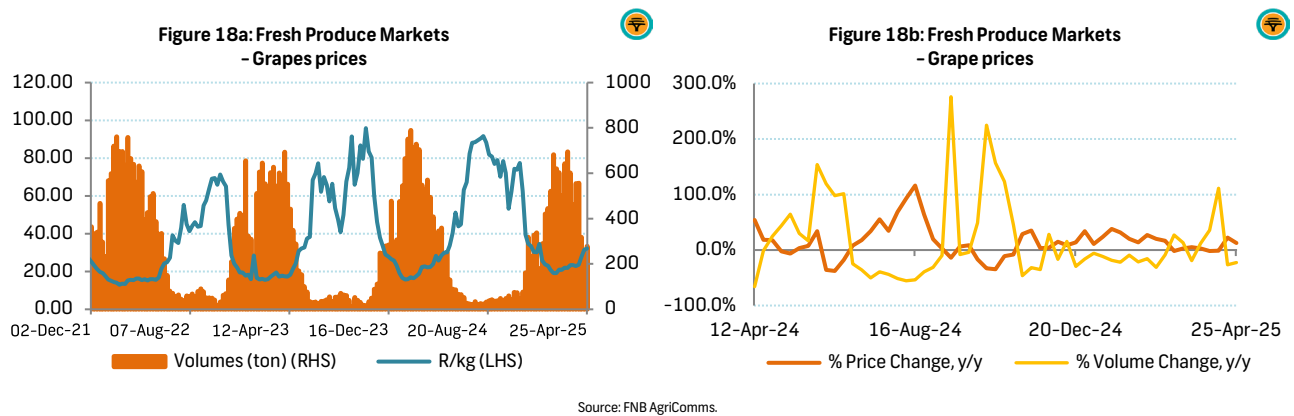


**Figure 17a: Fresh Produce Markets
- Pear prices**



**Figure 17b: Fresh Produce Markets
- Pear prices**





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