



United Republic of Tanzania
Ministry of Agriculture
Agricultural Marketing Section

Weekly Market Bulletin 29th December, 2025 – 2nd January, 2026

Key Messages

Food crops: Wholesale prices for food crops this week have been decreasing at different rates compared to prices levels last week. The prices of bulrush millet, finger millet and beans decreased by 14.3%, 5.0%, and 4.3% respectively while price of maize, rice, sorghum and round potato remain unchanged.

Cocoa: Until 17th December, 2025/2026 trade season total sales of cocoa were 8,576,830 kilograms with a total value of TZS 109 Billion.

Chickpeas: Until 11th December, 2025/2026 trade season total sales of chickpeas were 131,135,666 kilograms with a total value of TZS 160 Billion.

Pigeon peas: Until 16th December, 2025/2026 trade season total sales of pigeon peas were 266,736,210 kilograms with total value of TZS 283 Billion.

Table 1: National weekly average wholesale prices (TZS/kg)

Previous week	15- 19 Dec, 2025			Current week	9 December, 2025- 02 January, 2026			
National Average	Week	Maize	Rice	Beans	Sorghum	Bulrush millet	Finger millet	Round Potato
	Current	800	2,400	2,200	1,300	1,200	1,900	1,000
	Previous	800	2,400	2,300	1,300	1,400	2,000	1,000
	Change	▶ 0.0%	▶ 0.0%	▼ 4.3%	▶ 0.0%	▼ 14.3%	▼ 5.0%	▶ 0.0%

Table 2: Regional weekly average wholesale market prices (TZS/ kg)

Region	Week	Maize	Rice	Beans	Sorghum	Bulrush millet	Finger millet	Round Potato
Dodoma	Current	800	2,500	2,800	800	800	2,300	1,000
	Previous	800	2,500	2,500	800	-	1,400	1,000
	Change	▶ 0.0%	▶ 0.0%	▲ 12.0%	▶ 0.0%		▶ 0.0%	▶ 0.0%
Arusha	Current	900	-	2,300	1,100	-	1,600	1,100
	Previous	900	2,800	2,200	1,100	-	1,700	1,000
	Change	▶ 0.0%		▲ 4.5%	▶ 0.0%		▼ 5.9%	▲ 10.0%
Dar es Salaam	Current	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Previous	800	2,700	2,800	1,200	1,200	2,500	1,200
	Change							
Morogoro	Current	1,000	2,700	2,100	1,900	-	1,700	1,300
	Previous	700	2,400	2,600	1,500	-	1,700	1,000
	Change	▲ 42.9%	▲ 12.5%	▼ 19.2%	▲ 26.7%		▶ 0.0%	▲ 30.0%
Ruvuma	Current	600	2,400	2,750	-	-	-	-
	Previous	600	2,500	2,400	-	-	-	-
	Change	▶ 0.0%	▼ 4.0%	▲ 14.6%				
Tabora	Current	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Previous	900	2,600	2,200	1,900	1,800	2,400	900
	Change							
Rukwa	Current	700	2,500	2,500	-	-	1,300	1,000
	Previous	700	2,300	2,400	-	-	1,300	1,000
	Change	▶ 0.0%	▲ 8.7%	▲ 4.2%			▶ 0.0%	▶ 0.0%
Kigoma	Current	800	2,500	1,700	1,100	1,100	2,300	1,100
	Previous	700	2,500	2,000	1,100	1,100	2,300	1,000
	Change	▲ 14.3%	▶ 0.0%	▼ 15.0%	▶ 0.0%	▶ 0.0%	▶ 0.0%	▲ 10.0%
Shinyanga	Current	900	2,700	2,400	1,800	1,400	-	1,100
	Previous	900	2,500	2,100	1,600	1,100	2,500	1,100
	Change	▶ 0.0%	▲ 8.0%	▲ 14.3%	▲ 12.5%	▲ 27.3%		▶ 0.0%

Region	Week	Maize	Rice	Beans	Sorghum	Bulrush millet	Finger millet	Round Potato
Mwanza	Current	1,000	3,100	2,800	1,600	1,400	2,500	1,300
	Previous	1,000	2,800	2,600	-	-	2,300	1,000
	Change	▶ 0.0%	▲ 10.7%	▲ 7.7%			▲ 8.7%	▲ 30.0%
Kagera	Current	1,000	2,400	2,200	1,700	1,700	2,700	900
	Previous	900	2,200	2,200	1,700	1,700	2,500	800
	Change	▲ 11.1%	▲ 9.1%	▶ 0.0%	▶ 0.0%	▶ 0.0%	▲ 8.0%	▲ 12.5%
Mara	Current	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Previous	900	2,700	2,400	1,600	1,700	2,500	1,300
	Change							
Njombe	Current	700	-	1,900	1,100	-	1,800	900
	Previous	700	2,600	1,900	1,200	-	1,800	800
	Change	▶ 0.0%		▶ 0.0%	▼ 8.3%		▶ 0.0%	▲ 12.5%
Kilimanjaro	Current	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Previous	900	2,100	2,300	-	-	-	1,000
	Change							
Geita	Current	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Previous	1,200	2,800	3,200	1,900	2,100	2,200	1,300
	Change							
Songwe	Current	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Previous	600	-	2,000	-	-	-	-
	Change							
Simiyu	Current	1,100	2,800	2,900	2,300	2,300	2,800	1,200
	Previous	1,100	2,800	2,900	2,300	2,300	2,800	1,400
	Change	▶ 0.0%	▶ 0.0%	▶ 0.0%	▶ 0.0%	▶ 0.0%	▶ 0.0%	▼ 14.3%

Source: Ministry of Agriculture (MoA), 2025

Notes:

- ✓ Unit of measurement: For food, crops are in TZS per kg.
- ✓ The symbols (▲▼▶) depict the direction of price changes. (▲) price increased; (▼) price decreased; (▶) no change in price.
- ✓ (-) means data not available.

Table 3: Cocoa sales for 2025/2026 trade season ending 17th December, 2025

Regional	Local Government Authority (LGA)	Co-operative Union	Low Price (TZS)	High Price (TZS)	Average (TZS)	Amount (Kilo)	Value(TZS)
	Busokelo	RUCU	10,020.00	15,960.00	13,091.00	1,779,680	22,981,311,635.58
Total						7,325,790	93,127,973,623.58
Morogoro	Mlimba	UKICU	14,020.00	15,960.00	12,380.00	418,040	4,999,354,948.00
	Mvomero	MOFACU	11,200.00	17,300.00	13,627.00	693,140	9,829,892,472.00
Total						1,111,180	14,829,247,420.00
Tanga	Muheza	TACACU	9,540.00	12,260.00	10,770.00	139,860	1,595,501,614.00
Total						139,860	1,595,501,614.00
GRAND TOTAL COCOA						8,576,830	109,552,722,657.58

Source: Cereals and Other Produce Regulatory Authority (COPRA), 2025

Table 4: Chickpeas sales for 2025/2026 trade season ending 11th December, 2025

Regional	Local Government Authority (LGA)	Co-operative Union	Low Price (TZS)	High Price (TZS)	Average (TZS)	Amount (Kilo)	Value(TZS)
Singida	Ikungi	SIFACU	860.00	1,410.00	1,075.00	1,338,893	1,734,204,207.70
	Iramba	SIFACU	880.00	1,390.00	1,083.00	2,717,660	3,600,072,769.00
	Itigi	CEAMCU	810.00	1,410.00	1,109.00	17,492,119	23,929,747,535.75
	Mkalama	SIFACU	830.00	1,400.00	1,024.00	4,585,366	5,812,110,016.90
	Singida MC	SIFACU	850.00	1,400.00	1,099.00	12,085,132	16,253,372,137.00
	Manyoni	SIFACU	880.00	930.00	900.00	1,875,950	2,113,496,885.00
Total						40,095,120	53,443,003,551.35
Simiyu	Bariadi DC	SIMCU	850.00	1,240.00	985.00	7,693,000	9,033,514,400.00
	Bariadi TC	SIMCU	900.00	1,220.00	983.00	497,550	573,162,375.00
	Busega	SIMCU	860.00	980.00	914.17	971,000	1,071,567,500.00
	Maswa	SIMCU	900.00	1,110.00	948.00	1,946,000	2,197,642,300.00
	Meatu	SIMCU	890.00	970.00	915.00	346,000	381,563,300.00
	Itilima	SIMCU	910.00	990.00	933.33	876,950	978,306,895.00
Total						12,330,500	14,235,756,770.00
Geita	Nyanghwale	GCU	820.00	1,270.00	978.33	2,416,480	2,920,981,162.90
	Mbogwe	MBCU	910.00	1,170.00	1,003.00	639,550	782,624,190.00
Total						3,056,030	3,703,605,352.90
Shinyanga	Shinyanga MC	SHIRECU	880.00	1,280.00	1,004.00	4,717,150	5,677,201,905.00
	Shinyanga DC	SHIRECU	870.00	1,430.00	1,012.00	10,869,300	13,013,777,355.00
	Kahama	SHIRECU	870.00	1,250.00	1,051.00	6,567,740	8,223,357,277.00
	Kishapu	SHIRECU	930.00	1,150.00	989.00	2,748,000	3,223,972,000.00
Total						24,902,190	30,138,308,537.00
Manyara	Babati	RIVACU	840.00	1,220.00	970.00	4,651,843	5,643,322,352.50
	Hanang	RIVACU	830.00	1,230.00	935.00	11,685,145	13,706,445,083.20
	Mbulu	RIVACU	870.00	1,170.00	961.00	816,519	987,760,114.50
Total						17,153,507	20,337,527,550.20
Mara	Bunda DC	PMCU	850.00	1,090.00	927.00	2,169,444	2,412,650,453.20
	Musoma	PMCU	810.00	1,110.00	900.00	831,370	887,025,257.00
	Bunda TC	PMCU	850.00	950.00	873.33	1,304,250	1,429,581,240.00
	Butiama	PMCU	760.00	840.00	800.00	96,000	99,814,400.00
Total						4,401,064	4,829,071,350.20

Source: Cereals and Other Produce Regulatory Authority (COPRA), 2025

Regional	Local Government Aurthority (LGA)	Co-operative Union	Low Price (TZS)	High Price (TZS)	Average (TZS)	Amount (Kilo)	Value(TZS)
Mwanza	Kwimba	Nyanza CU	870.00	1,225.00	987.00	22,436,385	26,494,868,169.55
	Misungwi	Nyanza CU	890.00	1,010.00	943.00	2,726,300	3,083,933,540.00
	Sengerema	Nyanza CU	870.00	990.00	922.22	821,000	916,424,700.00
	Magu	Nyanza CU	900.00	990.00	948.57	602,000	682,891,200.00
Total						26,585,685	31,178,117,609.55
Tabora	Igunga	IGEMBENSABO	960.00	960.00	960.00	60,000	71,448,000.00
Total						60,000	71,448,000.00
Arusha	Karatu	ACU	810.00	920.00	867.50	431,950	475,130,785.00
Total						431,950	475,130,785.00
Tanga	Handeni	TACACU	820.00	860.00	840.00	129,036	139,095,123.60
Total						129,036	139,095,123.60
Dodoma	Chemba	DORECU	860.00	1,430.00	1,048.00	1,767,284	2,140,450,554.30
	Dodoma CC	DORECU	1,000.00	1,030.00	1,015.00	94,050	112,966,050.00
	Kondoa	DORECU	890.00	900.00	895.00	129,250	139,118,200.00
Total						1,990,584	2,392,534,804.30
GRAND TOTAL CHICH PEAS						131,135,666	160,943,599,434.10

Table 5: Pigeon peas for 2025/2026 trade season ending 16th December, 2025

Regional	Local Government Aurthority (LGA)	Co-operative Union	Low Price (TZS)	High Price (TZS)	Average (TZS)	Amount (Kilo)	Value(TZS)
Simiyu	Bariadi DC	SIMCU	870.00	1,290.00	1,109.00	6,626,531	8,640,704,115.77
	Bariadi TC	SIMCU	880.00	1,200.00	1,033.08	2,296,004	2,816,787,757.10
	Busega	SIMCU	900.00	1,000.00	920.00	233,200	259,454,960.00
	Itilima	SIMCU	880.00	1,281.00	1,105.07	8,178,376	10,582,222,129.20
	Maswa	SIMCU	870.00	1,220.00	1,092.70	3,184,000	4,126,857,900.00
	Meatu	SIMCU	960.00	1,280.00	1,144.09	3,219,127	4,274,171,486.70
Total						23,737,238	30,700,198,348.77
Arusha	Karatu	ACU	920.00	1,120.00	1,001.11	21,081,861	26,036,197,535.70
	Meru	ACU	810.00	810.00	810.00	52,080	53,970,504.00
Jumla ndogo						21,133,941	26,090,168,039.70
Mbeya	Kyela	KYECU	810.00	810.00	810.00	85,150	88,240,945.00
Total						85,150	88,240,945.00
Dodoma	Kongwa	DORECU	710.00	1,030.00	837.00	23,440,810	23,914,755,074.20
	Kondoa	DORECU	710.00	1,060.00	883.33	2,003,939	2,201,973,438.30
	Dodoma CC	DORECU	750.00	930.00	845.56	444,500.00	464,659,660.00
	Chemba	DORECU	740.00	980.00	815.00	471,058.00	463,136,919.50
Total						26,360,307	27,044,525,092.00
Katavi	Mlele	LATCU	670.00	730.00	705.00	482,703	448,921,787.10
Total						482,703	448,921,787.10
Lindi	Lindi Rural	LMCU	700.00	800.00	747.74	3,504,892	3,421,888,097.55
	Liwale	RUNALI	680.00	790.00	729.74	4,938,639	4,729,990,564.90
	Nachingwea	RUNALI	690.00	830.00	754.14	18,961,815	18,548,320,158.20
	Ruangwa	RUNALI	700.00	810.00	741.80	7,518,858.00	7,260,658,347.30
	Kilwa	LMCU	730.00	800.00	762.50	516,365.00	506,553,514.90
Total						35,440,569	34,467,410,682.85

Regional	Local Government Aurthority (LGA)	Co-operative Union	Low Price (TZS)	High Price (TZS)	Average (TZS)	Amount (Kilo)	Value (TZS)
Manyara	Babati DC	RIVACU	830.00	1,110.00	981.00	19,949,779	24,210,908,450.90
	Babati TC	RIVACU	960.00	1,080.00	1,032.00	1,565,000	1,977,726,000.00
	Kiteto	RIVACU	865.00	1,000.00	838.85	4,957,519	5,317,447,016.60
	Hanang	RIVACU	880.00	1,100.00	993.20	16,076,902	19,759,333,970.80
Total						42,549,200	51,265,415,438.30
Mara	Bunda	WAMACU	710.00	710.00	710.00	36,348	32,287,928.40
Total						36,348	32,287,928.40
Rukwa	Sumbawanga	UCU	635.00	800.00	710.00	3,050,916	2,844,473,824.70
Total						3,050,916	2,844,473,824.70
Morogoro	Gairo	KICU	680.00	960.00	752.00	2,361,445	2,378,436,283.00
	Ifakara TC	UKICU	570.00	770.00	695.00	249,250	229,004,575.00
	Kilombero	UKICU	660.00	850.00	733.33	1,179,588	1,131,892,663.20
	Kilosa	KICU	610.00	920.00	792.40	15,736,230	16,123,227,124.20
	Malinyi	UKICU	570.00	760.00	673.00	448,683	399,640,279.90
	Morogoro DC	MOFACU	680.00	870.00	788.86	5,288,678	5,381,117,533.30
	Mvomero	MOFACU	660.00	890.00	786.05	2,782,194	2,841,854,226.30
	Ulanga	UKICU	680.00	730.00	685.56	1,078,600	980,814,165.00
Total						29,124,668	29,465,986,849.90
Kigoma	Kasulu TC	KTGCU	610.00	910.00	728.75	2,269,228.00	2,136,948,852.80
	Kasulu DC	KTGCU	660.00	830.00	723.75	920,000.00	874,910,000.00
	Uvinza	KTGCU	610.00	790.00	686.67	889,060.00	800,857,671.40
Total						4,078,288	3,812,716,524.20
Mtwara	Masasi	MAMCU	690.00	850.00	764.66	20,091,133	19,877,909,963.90
	Mtwara MC	MAMCU	690.00	690.00	690.00	14,091	12,860,855.70
	Nanyumbu	MAMCU	690.00	840.00	764.81	6,968,080	6,911,284,328.70
	Newala	TANECU	660.00	900.00	744.86	10,050,207	9,722,976,711.35
Total						37,123,511	36,525,031,859.65

Regional	Local Government Aurthority (LGA)	Co-operative Union	Low Price (TZS)	High Price (TZS)	Average (TZS)	Amount (Kilo)	Value(TZS)
Pwani	Kibaha	CORECU	710.00	960.00	841.67	849,463	912,963,422.20
	Kibiti	CORECU	680.00	730.00	706.67	99,332	92,296,131.50
Total						948,795	1,005,259,553.70
Tanga	Handeni	TACACU	740.00	930.00	818.00	1,710,458.00	1,795,869,503.40
	Kilindi	TACACU	680.00	840.00	740.78	4,078,850.00	3,949,945,780.30
Total						5,789,308	5,745,815,283.70
Ruvuma	Namtumbo	SONAMCU	600.00	730.00	653.68	14,435,609	12,632,983,879.30
	Songea	SONAMCU	640.00	830.00	702.78	2,277,264	2,101,152,142.40
	Tunduru	TAMCU	660.00	780.00	712.20	17,327,645.00	16,251,668,183.50
Total						34,040,518	30,985,804,205.20
Singida	Ikungi	SIFACU	780.00	870.00	830.00	294,600	311,449,260.00
	Singida MC	SIFACU	820.00	1,110.00	909.00	2,460,150	2,787,954,580.00
Total						2,754,750	3,099,403,840.00
GRAND TOTAL PIGEON PEAS						266,736,210	283,533,419,258.17

Source: Cereals and Other Produce Regulatory Authority (COPRA), 2025

Table 6: Average Regional Retail Prices for Horticultural Crops (TZS/Kg) for the Week of 08th –12th December, 2025

SN	Region	week	Onions	Garlic	Tomato	Irish potatoes	Passion	Water Melon	Coloured Capsicum
1	Dar es salaam	Current	1,900	4,000	800	1,600	2,500	500	3,000
		Previous	2,100	7,000	1,100	1,200	3,000	750	4,000
		%Change	-10%	-43%	-27%	33%	-17%	-33%	-25%
2	Arusha	Current	1,500	5,000	1,000	1,200	2,000	450	4,500
		Previous	2,000	8,000	1,200	1,500	2,500	950	3000
		Change	-25%	-38%	-17%	-20%	-20%	-53%	50%
3	Dodoma, Majengo	Current	1,600	5,000	1,100	1,300	2,000	500	12,000
		Previous	2,300	7,500	1,000	1,600	3,500	700	8,000
		%Change	-30%	-33%	10%	-19%	-43%	-29%	50%
4	Tanga, Soko kuu	Current	1,400	4,000	900	1,200	2,000	650	3,500
		Previous	2,000	7,000	900	1,500	2,500	850	2,500
		%Change	-30%	-43%	0%	-20%	-20%	-24%	40%
5	Mwanza	Current	1,700	11,000	500	1,500	2,000	500	4,500
		Previous	2,100	8,000	900	1,800	3,500	800	3,500
		%Change	-19%	38%	-44%	-17%	-43%	-38%	29%
6	Tibirinzi, Zanzibar	Current	2,000	6,000	1,200	1,500	5,000	550	4,500
		Previous	3,500	11,000	1,200	1,500	5,000	750	4,500
		%Change	-43%	-45%	0%	0%	0%	-27%	0%

Source: Tanzania Horticultural Association (TAHA), 2025.

Table 7: Planting and harvesting time for better market price for horticultural crops

Commodity	The appropriate harvesting time	The inappropriate harvesting time	Proper time for planting
Onions	Feb- July	July- Nov	Sept- Dec
Tomatoes	Jan- May	Jun- Dec	Sept- Dec
Green pepper	Feb- Apr.	Jun- Jan.	Oct – Nov
Carrot	Oct- Mar.	Apr- Sept	July- Oct
Cucumber	Feb- May	May- Jan	Dec- Jan
Round potatoes	March- Jun	Jul- Jan	Dec- Feb
Watermelon	Mar- Apr. Oct-Dec	May- Sept, Dec- Feb	Jan- Feb, Aug- Sept
Sweet pepper	Jun- Nov	Dec- May	Feb- March
Ginger	Apr- Jul	Aug - Mar	Dec- Feb

Source: Tanzania Horticultural Association (TAHA), 2025

Important updates

- ✓ This weekly marketing bulletin can be accessed at www.kilimo.go.tz

Contacts:

Agricultural Marketing Section,
Ministry of Agriculture,
P.O. Box 2182,
DODOMA.
Email: masoko@kilimo.go.tz