



## Shurugwi Basic Needs Basket Report

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| Item                               | Preferred Brand        | Unit Available | Quantity | Average (US\$) |
|------------------------------------|------------------------|----------------|----------|----------------|
| <b>A. Essential Food Items</b>     |                        |                |          |                |
| Mealie Meal                        | Red Seal (Roller meal) | 20kg           | 2        | 21,30          |
| Cooking oil                        | D'lite/Olivine         | 2Ltrs          | 2        | 6,46           |
| Beef                               | Economy                | 1kg            | 5        | 18,00          |
| Chicken                            | Irvines                | 2kg            | 2        | 16,10          |
| Beans                              | Red Seal               | 1kg            | 1        | 2,30           |
| Fish                               | Fresh                  | 1kg            | 2        | 6,80           |
| Dried Fish ( Matemba)              | Kapenta                | 1kg            | 1        | 8,56           |
| Salt                               | Pro-brands             | 2kg            | 1        | 0,96           |
| Bread                              | Bakers Inn             | 1loaf          | 30       | 27,00          |
| Peanut Butter (Dovi)               | Lyons                  | 375 ml         | 3        | 3,98           |
| Drink                              | Mazoe Orange Crush     | 2 litres       | 2        | 5,70           |
| Rice                               | Red seal / Mariana     | 2 kg           | 2        | 3,70           |
| Eggs                               | Standard               | 1 crates       | 2        | 8,75           |
| Sugar                              | Gold star (white)      | 2kg            | 4        | 7,68           |
| Tea (leaves)                       | Stella                 | 250g           | 2        | 4,05           |
| Milk                               | Steri/Chimombe         | 500ml          | 14       | 12,95          |
| Margarine                          | Buttercup              | 2kg            | 1        | 7,60           |
| Onions                             | Onions                 | 1kg            | 5        | 5,00           |
| Tomatoes                           | Tomatoes               | 1kg            | 10       | 10,00          |
| Vegetables (greens)                | Rape                   | 1kg            | 15       | 15,00          |
| <b>Sub-total</b>                   |                        |                |          | <b>191,88</b>  |
| <b>B. Essential Non-food items</b> |                        |                |          |                |
| Washing soap                       | Green bar              | 1kg            | 3        | 4,75           |
| Bathing soap                       | Geisha tablets         | 250g           | 4        | 3,65           |
| Washing Powder                     | Omo                    | 1kg            | 2        | 6,43           |
| Toothpaste                         | Colgate                | 100ml          | 2        | 1,80           |
| Sanitary pads                      | Farai                  | 1 pack         | 3        | 3,00           |
| Toilet paper                       | Softex / Petals        | 4 rolls        | 3        | 3,30           |
| Sunlight Liquid                    | Liquid                 | 750 ml         | 1        | 2,74           |

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|                                    |                     |           |    |               |
|------------------------------------|---------------------|-----------|----|---------------|
| Shoe Polish                        | Nugget              | 50ml      | 2  | 1,80          |
| Lotion                             | Camphour            | 500g      | 1  | 2,09          |
| Floor Polish                       | Cobra               | 1 litre   | 1  | 4,30          |
| Toilet Cleaner                     | Harpic              | 750ml     | 1  | 2,88          |
| Petroleum Jelly                    | Vaseline            | 250ml     | 2  | 3,80          |
| Candles                            |                     | pack of 6 | 1  | 1,66          |
| Matches                            | Lyons               | 1 carton  | 1  | 0,85          |
| <b>Sub-total</b>                   |                     |           |    | <b>43,04</b>  |
| <b>C. Other Essential Services</b> |                     |           |    |               |
| Water & Sanitation                 | Water               | fixed     |    | 3,00          |
|                                    | Average usage/month | m3        | 40 | 13,00         |
|                                    | Sanitation (Sewage) | fixed     |    | 3,00          |
| Monthly rent (4 roomed house)      | Basic accommodation | per room  | 4  | 266,67        |
| Electricity                        |                     |           | 40 | 40,00         |
| <b>Sub-total</b>                   |                     |           |    | <b>325,67</b> |
| <b>Total Basic Needs Basket</b>    |                     |           |    | <b>560,59</b> |

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