



Mutare Basic Needs Basket Report

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Item	Preferred brand	Unit Available	Quantity	Average US\$
A. Essential Food Items:				
Mealie Meal	Red Seal (Roller meal)	20kg	2	24,93
Cooking oil	D'lite/Olivine	2Ltrs	2	6,99
Beef	Mixed	1kg	2	40,51
Chicken	cuncrest cuts	2kg	1	6,65
Beans	Sugar beans	500g	2	2,65
Fish	fresh	1kg	2	7,46
Salt	Pro-brands	2kg	1	0,92
Bread	Bakers Inn	1loaf	30	27,00
Eggs	Standard	1 crates	2	9,24
Sugar	Gold star (white)	2kg	4	7,65
Tea Leaves	Tanganda	250g	4	7,47
Milk	Steri	500ml	10	6,97
Margarine	Buttercup	2kg	1	7,66
Onions		1kg	5	4,38
Tomatoes		1kg	10	11,96
Vegetables	Rape	1kg	15	7,50
Sub-total				179,94
B. Essential Non-food items				
Washing soap	Green bar	1kg	3	3,83
Bathing soap	Geisha tablets	250g	4	3,14
Washing Powder	Omo	1kg	1	4,01
Toothpaste	Colgate	100ml	2	1,88
Sanitary pads	Farai	1 pack	3	2,93
Toilet paper	Softex	4 rolls	4	3,98
Jelly	Vaseline	250ml	2	4,45
Matches	1 Carton		1	0,45
Candles	Pack of 6		1	1,34
Sub-total				25,99
C. Other essential services				
Water & Sanitation	Water	fixed		13,48

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	Average usage/month	m3	40	15,97
	Sanitation (Sewage)	fixed		6,38
Monthly rent (4 roomed house)	Basic accommodation	per room	4	150,00
Electricity	Fixed		1	49,00
Sub-total				234,83
Total Basic Needs Basket				440,76

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