



## Mutare Basic Needs Basket Report

**June 2016**

For more information contact: Poverty Reduction Forum Trust, 59 Mendel Road, Avondale, Harare.

Phone: +263 4 307472/3; Email: [rftresearch@gmail.com](mailto:rftresearch@gmail.com) or visit our website: [www.prftzim.org](http://www.prftzim.org)

Item	Preferred brand	Unit Available	Quantity	Average US\$
<b>A. Essential Food Items:</b>				
Mealie Meal	Red Seal (Roller meal)	20kg	2	20,14
Cooking oil	D'lite/Olivine	2Ltrs	2	7,04
Beef	Mixed	1kg	2	27,75
Chicken	Suncrest cuts	2kg	1	5,30
Beans	Sugar beans	500g	2	2,09
Fish	fresh	1kg	2	6,35
Salt	Pro-brands	2kg	1	0,94
Bread	Bakers Inn	1loaf	30	27,00
Eggs	Standard	1 crates	2	7,25
Sugar	Gold star (white)	2kg	4	7,35
Tea Leaves	Tanganda	250g	4	7,67
Milk	Steri	500ml	10	7,64
Margarine	Buttercup	2kg	1	9,08
Onions		1kg	5	5,67
Tomatoes		1kg	10	7,58
Vegetables	Rape	1kg	15	10,70
<b>Sub-total</b>				<b>159,54</b>
<b>B. Essential Non-food items</b>				
Washing soap	Green bar	1kg	3	2,87
Bathing soap	Geisha tablets	250g	4	3,07
Washing Powder	Omo	1kg	1	2,39
Toothpaste	Colgate	100ml	2	1,60
Sanitary pads	Farai	1 pack	3	2,78
Toilet paper	Softex	4 rolls	4	3,96
Jelly	Vaseline	250ml	2	4,00
Matches	1 Carton		1	0,46
Candles	Pack of 6		1	1,22
<b>Sub-total</b>				<b>22,35</b>
<b>C. Other essential services</b>				

The following are the shops and markets where PRFT collected data on prices of Basic commodities for the month of June 2016 BNB: TM,Spar, Dangamvura, Chikanga, Sakubva TM, City Ok and N-Richards. The survey was conducted on the 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 28<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup> of June 2016.

Water & Sanitation	Water	fixed		15,08
	Average usage/month	m3	40	11,25
	Sanitation (Sewage)	fixed		6,38
Monthly rent (4 roomed house)	Basic accommodation	per room	4	160,00
Electricity	Pre-Paid		1	48,33
<b>Sub-total</b>				<b>241,04</b>
<b>Total Basic Needs Basket</b>				<b>422,94</b>

The following are the shops and markets where PRFT collected data on prices of Basic commodities for the month of June 2016 BNB: TM,Spar, Dangamvura, Chikanga, Sakubva TM, City Ok and N-Richards. The survey was conducted on the 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 28<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup> of June 2016.