



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	25,54
Cooking oil	D'lite/Olivine	2Ltrs	2	7,01
Beef	Mixed	1kg	2	44,91
Chicken	suncrest cuts	2kg	1	6,62
Beans	Sugar beans	500g	2	2,49
Fish	fresh	1kg	2	7,41
Salt	Pro-brands	2kg	1	0,93
Bread	Bakers Inn	1loaf	30	27,00
Eggs	Standard	1 crates	2	9,34
Sugar	Gold star (white)	2kg	4	7,88
Tea Leaves	Tanganda	250g	4	6,64
Milk	Steri	500ml	10	7,47
Margarine	Buttercup	2kg	1	8,83
Onions		1kg	5	4,37
Tomatoes		1kg	10	12,15
Vegetables	Rape	1kg	15	7,10
Sub-total				185,68
B. Essential Non-food items				
Washing soap	Green bar	1kg	3	3,70
Bathing soap	Geisha tablets	250g	4	3,28
Washing Powder	Omo	1kg	1	3,57
Toothpaste	Colgate	100ml	2	1,78
Sanitary pads	Farai	1 pack	3	2,98
Toilet paper	Softex	4 rolls	4	4,22
Jelly	Vaseline	250ml	2	4,35
Matches	1 Carton		1	0,44
Candles	Pack of 6		1	1,34
Sub-total				25,66
C. Other essential services				
Water & Sanitation	Water	fixed		15,05

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	Average usage/month	m3	40	15,39
	Sanitation (Sewage)	fixed		6,38
Monthly rent (4 roomed house)	Basic accommodation	per room	4	153,33
Electricity	Fixed		1	48,67
Sub-total				238,81
Total Basic Needs Basket				450,15

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