



MUTTON (Sheep) & CHEVON (Goat)

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# **Mutton Monthly Market Watch**



#### May 2025 Review

Total marketing of sheep decreased by 50.30%, from the 112 782 sheep marketed in May 2024 to 56 055 sheep marketed during May 2025. Live exports decreased by 51.68% year-on-year basis. Furthermore, export abattoir performance decreased by 21.98% on a year-on-year basis, while B&C class abattoir slaughtering also decreased by 55.59%, from 8 726 sheep slaughtered during May 2024 to 3 875 sheep slaughtered in May 2025.



Majority of live sheep exports (99.48%) were destined to South Africa followed by Botswana with 0.33%, and Tanzania with 0.19%.

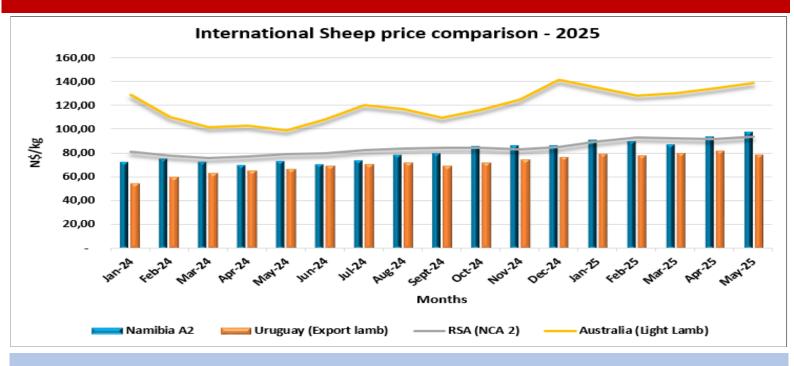


Producer Prices (Excl. VAT) - N\$/kg								
Month	May-24	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	Δy/y %	Jun-25	
Namibia A2	72.72	89.36	86.46	93.49	97.44	33.99	97.60	
Upington A2	79.00	93.00	92.67	92.00	93.50	18.35	94.57	
Namibia C2	46.40	62.64	64.40	61.62	65.99	42.21	66.72	
Upington C2	51.00	61.00	60.67	60.00	62.25	22.06	62.46	
All-grade carcass price	48.36	60.37	61.08	62.36	62.62	29.50	62.90	

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Australian light lamb prices increased by 3.38% from N\$134.40/kg in April 2025 to N\$138.93/kg in May 2025. Australian (Light Lamb) prices increased during the review period due to seasonal conditions and reduced supply.

Uruguay (Export Lamb) prices decreased by 4.27% during the period under review. Namibian A2 sheep carcass prices increased by 33.99% on a year-on-year basis, and by 4.23% on a month-to-month basis during the period under review.

### NAMIBIA SHEEP MARKETING SNAPSHOT

May 2025

**South Africa** 

(99.48%)

**Top Export Destination** 

47 194

Sheep exported live

4 986

Sheep slaughtered At Export-approved Abattoirs

3 875

Sheep slaughtered At B&C, class Abattoirs

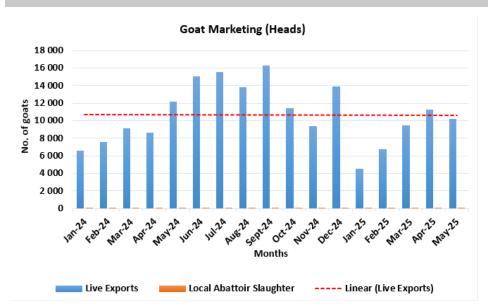
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# **Chevon Monthly Market Watch**



#### May 2025 Review

Total marketing of goats decreased by 18.81%, from the 12 728 goats marketed in May 2024 to 10 334 marketed during May 2025. During the period under review, 10 220 goats were exported live compared to 12 211 exported in May 2024. Representing a decrease of 16.30% on a year-on-year basis and 9.39% on a monthly basis. Exports to South Africa made up 97.24% of total live goat exports, followed by Botswana with 2.08%, Tanzania with 0.39%, and Zambia at 0.28%.



Live Export of Goats – (n)						
May-24	May-25	% <u>∆</u> m/m	%∆ у/у			
12 211	10 220	-9.39	-16.30			
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Nam Auction Prices (Excl. Vat) - N\$/kg								
Month	May-24	Feb-25	Mar-25	Apr-25	May-25	<b>∆</b> y/y %		
Goat Lamb	28.71	38.14	38.27	37.15	41.07	43.05		
Goat Kapater	36.21	40.75	41.19	40.12	41.27	13.97		
Goat Ewe	27.45	29.87	30.16	29.47	29.61	7.87		
Goat Ram	30.22	29.09	34.14	33.19	38.77	28.29		

# INTERNATIONAL CHEVON MARKETING SNAPHOT

May 2025

South Africa (97.24%)

**Top Export Destination** 

114

Goats slaughtered (Local abattoirs)

provisional

10 220

Goats exported (Live)

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