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Selected Food Price Watch

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Selected Food Price Watch for December 2021 revealed that higher prices were recorded on a month-on-month basis and year-on-year basis for all selected food reported except for “broken rice (ofada)” and “Garri white, sold loose” whose price declined month-on-month by -0.09percent and -0.92percent respectively. The average price of 1kg of beans (white black eye, sold loose) rose on month-on-month basis by 0.85 percent from N476.76 in November to N480.79 in December 2021. Similarly, there was an increase on year-on-year basis by 55.56 percent from N309.07 in December 2020 to N480.79 in December 2021.

Likewise, the average price of 1kg of frozen chicken increased from N2164.76 in November 2021 to N2249.78 in December 2021 by 3.93 percent. While average price of 1kg frozen chicken rose by 16.02 percent on a year-on-year basis from N1939.17 in December 2020 to N2164.76 in December 2021. In addition, the average price of 1kg of Tomato in December 2021 increased by 2.12 percent from N349.60 in November to N357.03 in December 2021. The average price of 1kg frozen chicken rose by 15.13 percent from N310.10 in December 2020 to N357.03 in December 2021.

The average price of 1kg of “Rice Agric Sold loose” in December 2021 stood at N476.44 this showed an increase of 1.47 percent when compared to N469.53 in November 2021. In the same way, on year-on-year basis, there was an increase of 6.18 percent from N448.71 in November 2020. Also, the average price of a tuber of yam in December 2021 rose by 40.81 percent on a year-on-year basis and 0.37 percent on a month-on-month basis from N327.53 in November 2021 and N233.48 in December 2020 to N328.75 in December 2021.

The average price on selected food by States in December 2021 showed that Ebonyi, Anambra and Enugu recorded the highest average prices for beans (white black eye, sold loose) with N888.57, N880.99, and N783.95 respectively. The least average prices were recorded in Bauchi (N240.00) Adamawa (N254.81) and Borno (N257.92).

Moreover, Enugu, Abuja, and Imo states recorded the highest prices for frozen chicken with N3660.00, N3400.00 and N2800.00 respectively while Taraba, Gombe and Adamawa recorded the least average price with N1368.41, N1400.00, and N1493.15 respectively. Equally, for the average price of 1kg Tomato, Abia, Edo and Delta recorded the highest prices with N682.9, N660.71 and N616.84 respectively, while Niger, Taraba and Plateau recorded the lowest average price in December 2021 with N128.85, N129.22 and N131.11 respectively.

On Zone level, South-East and South-South region recorded the highest average price of beans with N829.38 and N619.80 respectively while the North-West recorded the least average price with N277.18. Furthermore, the South-South and South-East region also recorded the highest prices of rice local sold loose with N513.74 and N477.98 while the North-East region had the lowest price with N357.17. The average price of 1kg of tomato in the South-South and South-East region stood at N575.77 and N559.61 while North-East recorded N147.17, while the average price of a tuber of Yam was highest in the South-West and South-South region with N494.87 and N445.88 respectively with the North-East recording the least with N131.76

SELECTED FOOD PRICE WATCH - DECEMBER 2021

-National



Tomato

Highest Price



Abia (682.90)

Lowest Price



Niger (128.85)



N357.03

1KG

YoY = 15.13%

MoM = 2.12%

N310.10

DECEMBER 2020

N349.60

NOVEMBER 2021

Rice local sold loose

Highest Price



Bayelsa (589.19)

Lowest Price



Kebbi (316.04)



N424.62

1KG

YoY = 4.68%

MoM = 0.85%

N405.64

DECEMBER 2020

N421.02

NOVEMBER 2021

Beans brown, sold loose

Highest Price

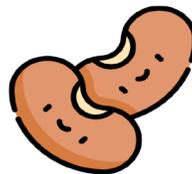


Anambra (904.79)

Lowest Price



Bauchi (234.52)



N494.83

1KG

YoY = 47.17%

MoM = 0.95%

N336.24

DECEMBER 2020

N490.19

NOVEMBER 2021

Yam Tuber

Highest Price

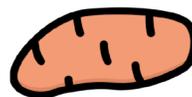


Ekiti (634.56)

Lowest Price



Taraba (126.08)



N327.53

1KG

YoY = 40.81%

MoM = 0.37%

N233.48

DECEMBER 2020

N327.53

NOVEMBER 2021

SELECTED FOOD PRICE WATCH - DECEMBER 2021

-National



Onion Bulb

Highest Price



Akwa Ibom (685.83)

Lowest Price



Nasarawa (129.95)

N372.25

DECEMBER 2020

YoY = -6.07%

N349.66

1KG

MoM = 2.54%

N340.99

NOVEMBER 2021

Beef, boneless

Highest Price



Abuja (2535.61)

Lowest Price



Gombe (1251.95)

N1405.72

DECEMBER 2020

YoY = 31.35%

N1846.39

1KG

MoM = 1.90%

N1812.03

NOVEMBER 2021

Bread sliced 500g

Highest Price



Abuja (606.24)

Lowest Price



Bauchi (246.91)

N327.17

DECEMBER 2020

YoY = 24.70%

N407.97

1 Loaf

MoM = 0.93%

N404.20

NOVEMBER 2021

Palm oil: 1 bottle

Highest Price



Abuja (1093.33)

Lowest Price



Kwara (449.35)

N542.85

DECEMBER 2020

YoY = 44.07%

N795.57

1 Litre

MoM = 2.64%

N775.11

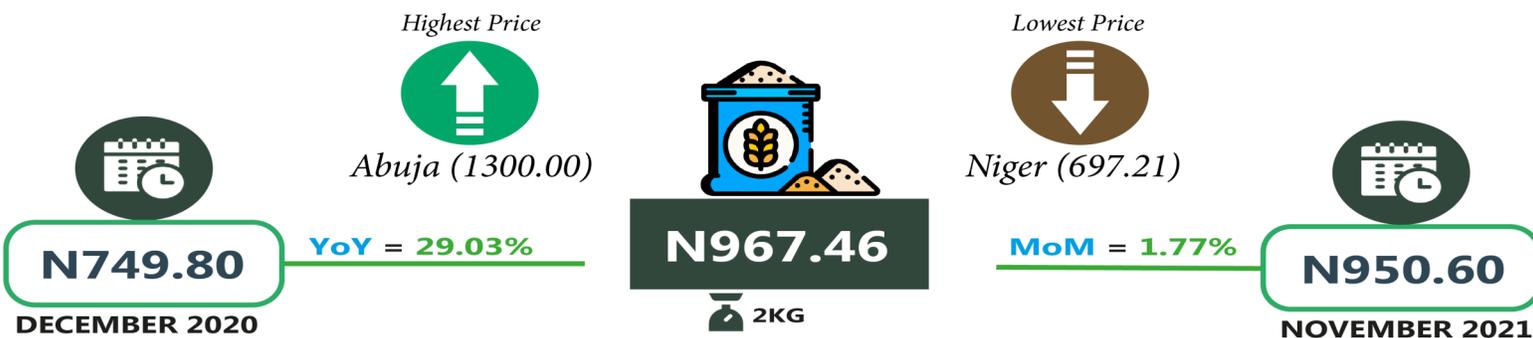
NOVEMBER 2021

SELECTED FOOD PRICE WATCH - DECEMBER 2021

-National



Wheat flour: prepacked (golden penny 2kg)



Gari white, sold loose



SELECTED FOOD PRICE WATCH - DECEMBER 2021

- NORTH CENTRAL



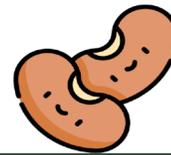
Tomato



N193.13

1KG

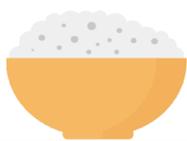
Beans brown,sold loose



N379.18

1KG

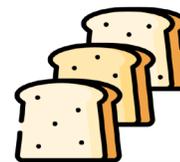
Rice local sold loose



N399.80

1KG

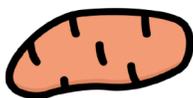
Bread sliced 500g



N326.65

1 Loaf

Yam Tuber



N182.77

1KG

Palm oil: 1 bottle



N583.75

1 Litre

Beef,boneless



N1505.51

1KG

Onion bulb



N182.89

1KG

Gari white,sold loose



N261.56

1KG

Wheat flour: prepacked (golden penny 2kg)



N821.36

2KG

SELECTED FOOD PRICE WATCH - DECEMBER 2021

- NORTH EAST



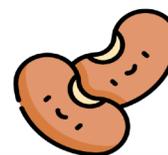
Tomato



N147.17

1KG

Beans brown,sold loose



N277.62

1KG

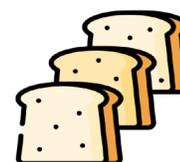
Rice local sold loose



N357.17

1KG

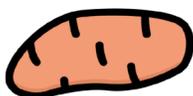
Bread sliced 500g



N259.20

1 Loaf

Yam Tuber



N131.76

1KG

Palm oil: 1 bottle



N509.02

1 Litre

Beef,boneless



N1280.42

1KG

Onion bulb



N157.08

1KG

Gari white,sold loose



N239.78

1KG

Wheat flour: prepacked (golden penny 2kg)



N760.85

2KG

SELECTED FOOD PRICE WATCH - DECEMBER 2021

- NORTH WEST



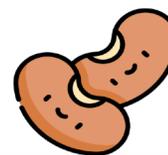
Tomato



N308.82

1KG

Beans brown,sold loose



N423.59

1KG

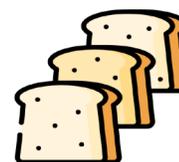
Rice local sold loose



N358.63

1KG

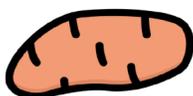
Bread sliced 500g



N448.58

1 Loaf

Yam Tuber



N335.01

1KG

Palm oil: 1 bottle



N853.98

1 Litre

Beef,boneless



N1762.19

1KG

Onion bulb



N283.59

1KG

Gari white,sold loose



N304.49

1KG

Wheat flour: prepacked (golden penny 2kg)



N985.53

2KG

SELECTED FOOD PRICE WATCH - DECEMBER 2021

- SOUTH EAST



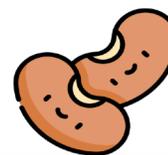
Tomato



N559.61

1KG

Beans brown,sold loose



N829.38

1KG

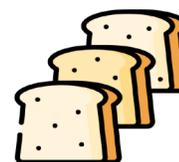
Rice local sold loose



N461.70

1KG

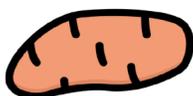
Bread sliced 500g



N498.15

1 Loaf

Yam Tuber



N420.89

1KG

Palm oil: 1 bottle



N1019.50

1 Litre

Beef,boneless



N2421.35

1KG

Onion bulb



N524.18

1KG

Gari white,sold loose



N390.77

1KG

Wheat flour: prepacked (golden penny 2kg)



N1193.50

2KG

SELECTED FOOD PRICE WATCH - DECEMBER 2021

- SOUTH WEST



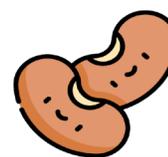
Tomato



N426.77

1KG

Beans brown,sold loose



N526.31

1KG

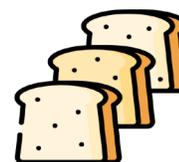
Rice local sold loose



N477.98

1KG

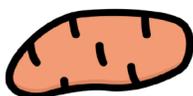
Bread sliced 500g



N429.03

1 Loaf

Yam Tuber



N494.87

1KG

Palm oil: 1 bottle



N911.80

1 Litre

Beef,boneless



N1959.94

1KG

Onion bulb



N420.24

1KG

Gari white,sold loose



N298.06

1KG

Wheat flour: prepacked (golden penny 2kg)



N1003.81

2KG

SELECTED FOOD PRICE WATCH - DECEMBER 2021

- SOUTH SOUTH



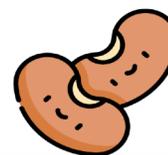
Tomato



N575.77

1KG

Beans brown,sold loose



N619.80

1KG

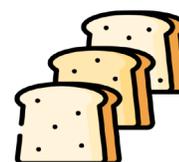
Rice local sold loose



N513.74

1KG

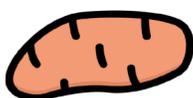
Bread sliced 500g



N508.01

1 Loaf

Yam Tuber



N445.88

1KG

Palm oil: 1 bottle



N958.27

1 Litre

Beef,boneless



N2315.61

1KG

Onion bulb



N597.89

1KG

Gari white,sold loose



N323.11

1KG

Wheat flour: prepacked (golden penny 2kg)



N1098.75

2KG

METHODOLOGY

Field work is done solely by over 700 NBS Staff in all States of the federation supported by supervisors who are monitored by internal and external observers.

Prices are collected across all the 774 local governments across all States and the FCT from over 10,000 respondents and locations and reflect actual prices households state they actually bought those items.

The average of all these prices is then reported for each state and the average for the country is the average for the state.

NBS audit team subsequently conducts randomly selected verification of prices recorded.

APPENDIX

Selected Food Prices - National							
	Dec-20	Nov-21	Dec-21	Lowest	Highest	MoM	YoY
Agric eggs medium size	499.55	629.82	635.16	Borno (413.31)	Bayelsa (800.4)	0.85	27.15
Agric eggs(medium size price of one)	45.40	57.35	57.80	Taraba (41.43)	Lagos (73.18)	0.78	27.31
Beans brown,sold loose	336.24	490.19	494.83	Bauchi (234.52)	Anambra (904.79)	0.95	47.17
Beans:white black eye. sold loose	309.07	476.76	480.79	Bauchi (240)	Ebonyi (888.57)	0.85	55.56
Beef Bone in	1083.14	1366.24	1385.96	Bauchi (977.64)	Abuja (1887.69)	1.44	27.96
Beef,boneless	1405.72	1812.03	1846.39	Gombe (1251.95)	Abuja (2535.61)	1.90	31.35
Bread sliced 500g	327.17	404.20	407.97	Bauchi (246.91)	Abuja (606.24)	0.93	24.70
Bread unsliced 500g	304.51	366.46	372.06	Plateau (243.53)	Abuja (634.09)	1.53	22.18
Broken Rice (Ofada)	467.64	480.65	480.23	Nassarawa (303.23)	Lagos (850.25)	-0.09	2.69
Catfish (obokun) fresh	1068.19	1276.58	1284.34	Yobe (736.94)	Abia (2016.67)	0.61	20.24
Catfish :dried	1728.47	1946.38	1973.64	Zamfara (1295)	Abuja (3571.3)	1.40	14.18
Catfish Smoked	1534.92	1664.65	1673.32	Niger (1329.45)	Edo (2329.44)	0.52	9.02
Chicken Feet	729.50	882.77	883.89	Taraba (307.04)	Ondo (1450)	0.13	21.16
Chicken Wings	977.67	1179.82	1197.57	Adamawa (495.75)	Edo (2075)	1.50	22.49
Dried Fish Sardine	1482.61	1636.80	1647.56	Katsina (1250)	Abia (2524.61)	0.66	11.13
Evaporated tinned milk carnation 170g	167.48	195.70	199.31	Anambra (125.13)	Edo (273)	1.84	19.00
Evaporated tinned milk(peak), 170g	196.70	234.93	236.83	Benue (173.52)	Ondo (350.53)	0.81	20.40
Frozen chicken	1939.17	2164.76	2249.78	Taraba (1368.41)	Enugu (3660)	3.93	16.02
Gari white,sold loose	238.65	302.28	299.51	Borno (226.79)	Ebonyi (441.67)	-0.92	25.50
Gari yellow,sold loose	263.27	329.21	336.69	Borno (238.15)	Lagos (490.56)	2.27	27.89
Groundnut oil: 1 bottle, specify bottle	664.78	890.15	923.68	Kogi (502.25)	Ekiti (1413.33)	3.77	38.94
Iced Sardine	1011.83	1236.35	1250.06	Bauchi (862.96)	Edo (2056.62)	1.11	23.54
Irish potato	320.01	403.68	414.84	Niger (163.79)	Ebonyi (857.65)	2.77	29.64
Mackerel : frozen	1030.59	1318.90	1322.24	Bauchi (912.07)	Anambra (2058.37)	0.25	28.30
Maize grain white sold loose	205.63	272.42	277.85	Adamawa (162.07)	Lagos (557.43)	1.99	35.12
Maize grain yellow sold loose	207.51	273.90	274.39	Adamawa (156.38)	Bayelsa (466.24)	0.18	32.23
Mudfish (aro) fresh	1025.40	1219.44	1243.91	Bauchi (724.52)	Abuja (1900)	2.01	21.31
Mudfish : dried	1749.89	1898.13	1927.89	Bauchi (1296.18)	Abia (2952.76)	1.57	10.17
Onion bulb	372.25	340.99	349.66	Nassarawa (129.95)	Akwa Ibom (685.83)	2.54	-6.07
Palm oil: 1 bottle,specify bottle	552.22	775.11	795.57	Kwara (449.35)	Abuja (1093.33)	2.64	44.07
Plantain(ripe)	233.84	284.47	285.62	Gombe (137.3)	Anambra (488.47)	0.41	22.14
Plantain(unripe)	213.48	260.72	261.15	Cross_River (169.21)	Anambra (405.6)	0.16	22.33
Rice agric sold loose	448.71	469.53	476.44	Jigawa (348)	Akwa Ibom (668.92)	1.47	6.18
Rice local sold loose	405.64	421.02	424.62	Kebbi (316.04)	Bayelsa (589.19)	0.85	4.68
Rice Medium Grained	443.03	476.67	477.03	Kebbi (297.91)	Bayelsa (671.76)	0.07	7.67
Rice,imported high quality sold loose	550.94	568.75	571.62	Kano (371.67)	Rivers (790.53)	0.50	3.75
Sweet potato	154.98	202.25	214.44	Bauchi (122.65)	Akwa Ibom (390.05)	6.02	38.37
Tilapia fish (epiya) fresh	868.87	1101.38	1116.88	Bauchi (448.57)	Abuja (2001.76)	1.41	28.54
Titus:frozen	1057.97	1451.35	1463.60	Adamawa (843.33)	Akwa Ibom (2296.06)	0.84	38.34
Tomato	310.10	349.60	357.03	Niger (128.85)	Abia (682.9)	2.12	15.13
Vegetable oil:1 bottle,specify bottle	639.88	876.47	896.39	Niger (497.38)	Abuja (1281.82)	2.27	40.09
Wheat flour: prepacked (golden penny 2kg)	749.80	950.60	967.46	Niger (697.21)	Abuja (1300)	1.77	29.03
Yam tuber	233.48	327.53	328.75	Taraba (126.08)	Ekiti (634.56)	0.37	40.81

Food Items	Dec-20	Nov-21	Dec-21	MoM	YoY
NORTH CENTRAL					
Beans brown,sold loose	299.60	377.11	379.18	0.55	26.56
Beef,boneless	1,343.81	1,497.07	1,505.51	0.56	12.03
Bread sliced 500g	314.29	324.94	326.65	0.52	3.93
Gari white,sold loose	228.48	262.05	261.56	-0.18	14.48
Onion bulb	222.82	181.97	182.89	0.50	-17.92
Palm oil: 1 bottle,specify bottle	511.50	571.11	583.75	2.21	14.13
Rice local sold loose	381.97	397.34	399.80	0.62	4.67
Tomato	191.20	192.25	193.13	0.46	1.01
Wheat flour: prepacked (golden penny 2kg)	716.27	808.16	821.36	1.63	14.67
Yam tuber	162.57	181.85	182.77	0.51	12.43
NORTH EAST					
Beans brown,sold loose	236.72	275.66	277.62	0.71	17.28
Beef,boneless	1,241.32	1,274.23	1,280.42	0.49	3.15
Bread sliced 500g	259.11	257.34	259.20	0.72	0.03
Gari white,sold loose	195.43	238.02	239.78	0.74	22.70
Onion bulb	165.24	155.16	157.08	1.24	-4.94
Palm oil: 1 bottle,specify bottle	476.00	504.07	509.02	0.98	6.94
Rice local sold loose	322.61	353.50	357.17	1.04	10.71
Tomato	148.51	143.43	147.17	2.61	-0.90
Wheat flour: prepacked (golden penny 2kg)	720.36	756.04	760.85	0.64	5.62
Yam tuber	142.15	131.14	131.76	0.47	-7.31
NORTH WEST					
Beans brown,sold loose	263.95	415.51	423.59	1.94	60.48
Beef,boneless	1,264.67	1,732.42	1,762.19	1.72	39.34
Bread sliced 500g	295.72	437.42	448.58	2.55	51.69
Gari white,sold loose	198.83	295.20	304.49	3.15	53.14
Onion bulb	194.54	289.62	283.59	-2.08	45.78
Palm oil: 1 bottle,specify bottle	568.81	828.77	853.98	3.04	50.13
Rice local sold loose	318.14	349.28	358.63	2.68	12.73
Tomato	241.24	300.56	308.82	2.75	28.01
Wheat flour: prepacked (golden penny 2kg)	699.98	966.43	985.53	1.98	40.79
Yam tuber	251.45	352.50	335.01	-4.96	33.23
SOUTH EAST					
Beans brown,sold loose	500.93	827.89	829.38	0.18	65.57
Beef,boneless	1,651.47	2,362.65	2,421.35	2.48	46.62
Bread sliced 500g	392.62	499.94	498.15	-0.36	26.88
Gari white,sold loose	325.39	397.80	390.77	-1.77	20.09
Onion bulb	764.34	480.38	524.18	9.12	-31.42
Palm oil: 1 bottle,specify bottle	638.16	985.95	1,019.50	3.40	59.76
Rice local sold loose	493.38	461.46	461.70	0.05	-6.42
Tomato	485.60	567.37	559.61	-1.37	15.24
Wheat flour: prepacked (golden penny 2kg)	863.80	1,177.57	1,193.50	1.35	38.17
Yam tuber	232.28	407.24	420.89	3.35	81.20
SOUTH SOUTH					
Beans brown,sold loose	432.90	613.14	619.80	1.08	43.17
Beef,boneless	1,644.62	2,311.94	2,315.61	0.16	40.80
Bread sliced 500g	388.74	500.65	508.01	1.47	30.68
Gari white,sold loose	290.20	331.07	323.11	-2.40	11.34
Onion bulb	731.64	583.38	597.89	2.49	-18.28
Palm oil: 1 bottle,specify bottle	593.51	916.72	958.27	4.53	61.46
Rice local sold loose	505.46	513.17	513.74	0.11	1.64
Tomato	557.38	577.29	575.77	-0.26	3.30
Wheat flour: prepacked (golden penny 2kg)	856.61	1,075.12	1,098.75	2.20	28.27
Yam tuber	317.06	440.48	445.88	1.23	40.63
SOUTH WEST					
Beans brown,sold loose	328.92	516.05	526.31	1.99	60.01
Beef,boneless	1,363.22	1,851.38	1,959.94	5.86	43.77
Bread sliced 500g	330.83	428.54	429.03	0.11	29.68
Gari white,sold loose	216.39	313.35	298.06	-4.88	37.74
Onion bulb	274.77	408.71	420.24	2.82	52.94
Palm oil: 1 bottle,specify bottle	543.71	904.25	911.80	0.83	67.70
Rice local sold loose	445.43	474.03	477.98	0.83	7.31
Tomato	297.22	390.77	426.77	9.21	43.59
Wheat flour: prepacked (golden penny 2kg)	674.65	979.23	1,003.81	2.51	48.79
Yam tuber	304.00	474.57	494.87	4.28	62.78

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