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HORTICULTURE: VEGETABLE PRODUCTION FORECAST

FORECASTED PERIOD:
01 March 2024 – 31 July 2024



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1. INTRODUCTION

In this production forecast report, the local production for twenty (20) Special Controlled Products (SCP) are forecasted. At the beginning of the report, the inclusion and exclusions for each special controlled product are discussed, of which all importers are advised to comply with this list when importing controlled horticultural products. Next, the tonnage expected to be harvested per production area per crop during the forecasted period is analysed and the producers expected to harvest specific special controlled products are shown in the availability calendar under table 3A – 3D. Subsequently, the surplus and shortages expected for each SCP are shown in table 4 to inform the close and open borders period and the implementation of close and open borders period is forecasted under table 5. It is imperative to note that, the production of special controlled products is monitored by NAB and involves close border period whenever sufficient local production is expected, and the SCP scheme is implemented in line with the market share promotion scheme to stimulate local production of horticultural products in Namibia, as growth a home strategy implemented by the NAB. Thus, the objectives of vegetables production forecast report are:

- ☞ Assist traders and producers to understand special controlled products in surplus or shortage, and inform their buying and planting decisions respectively, **see table 4.**
- ☞ Inform the close and open borders period implementation by the NAB, **see table 5.**
- ☞ Facilitate the market between traders and producers by demonstrating the producers that are expected to harvest certain horticulture commodities during the forecasted period, **see table 3A - 3D.**
- ☞ Effectively disseminate information to all value chain actors and relevant stakeholders in the horticulture industry to observe the local production volume forecasted, area planted per zone amongst others crucial aspect related to production forecasting of SCP, **see table 2A-2C.**

2. INCLUSIONS AND EXCLUSIONS

INCLUSIONS refer to products that are not allowed to be imported when there is sufficient production locally, however, importation can be done during the open border period. The Import permit for special controlled products is valid for 30 days.

Whereas, EXCLUSIONS refer to products that don't form part of a Special Controlled Products scheme and are Allowed to be imported with no restriction. Imported through mixed fruits and vegetable import permit and the permit is valid for 90 days.

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TABLE 1: INCLUSIONS AND EXCLUSIONS LIST FOR SPECIAL CONTROLLED PRODUCTS (SCP)

SPECIAL CONTROLLED PRODUCT	INCLUSIONS ✓	EXCLUSIONS X
1. Beetroot 	All types, size groups, and container sizes of fresh, chilled, Whole, or Cut red fleshed Beetroot, except the "Exclusions".	Yellow, white, and golden fleshed Beetroot. All frozen, dried, cooked, and preserved beetroot (Whole or Cut). Including Juice/Jam
2. Butternut 	All types, size groups, and container sizes of fresh, chilled, Whole, or Cut Butternut, except the "Exclusions".	Zebra Butternut and Baby Butternut. All frozen, dried, cooked and preserved Butternuts (Whole or Cut).
3. Cabbage 	All types, size groups, and container sizes of fresh, chilled, Whole, or Cut Green Cabbage, except the "Exclusions".	Chinese cabbage, Baby Green Cabbage, Baby Red Cabbage, Mixed Baby Red & Green Cabbage, Large red cabbage, Savoy Cabbage. All frozen, dried, cooked, and preserved Cabbage (Whole or Cut).
4. Carrot 	All types, size groups, and container sizes of fresh, chilled, Whole, or Cut orange fleshed Carrots, except the "Exclusions".	Red, Purple, White, Black, and Yellow Fleshed Carrots. All frozen, dried, cooked, and preserved carrots (Whole or Cut). Including Juice/ Jam
5. English Cucumber 	All types, size groups, and container sizes of fresh, chilled, Whole, or Cut English Cucumber, except the "Exclusions".	Preserved English Cucumber, and other types of cucumbers. All frozen, dried, cooked, and preserved English Cucumber (Whole or Cut).

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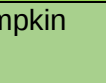
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6. Green Pepper 	All types, size groups, and container sizes of fresh, chilled, Whole, or Cut Green Pepper, except the "Exclusions".	Orange Pepper, and Peppers mix. All frozen, dried, cooked, and preserved Green Peppers (Whole or Cut).
7. Coloured pepper 	All Types, grades, size groups, and container sizes of Fresh, chilled, whole, or cut Colour Bell Pepper (Red and Yellow) Single line or Robot Peppers except the exclusion.	All Orange, Brown, Black, Purple, and White Bell fresh Peppers, Chilled, whole, or Cut.
8. Gem Squash 	All types, size groups, and container sizes of fresh, chilled, Whole, or Cut Gem Squash, except the "Exclusions".	All frozen, dried, cooked, and preserved Gem Squash (Whole or Cut).
9. Onion 	All types, size groups, and container sizes of fresh, chilled, Whole, or Cut Onion, except the "Exclusions".	White Salad Onions and Red Onions. All frozen, dried, cooked, and preserved Onions (Whole or Cut).
10. Potato 	All types, size groups, and container sizes of fresh, chilled, Whole, or Cut Potato Irish, except the "Exclusions".	Washed white "loose sell" and/or "pre-pack" types of potato; Washed baby potato. Red fleshed potatoes. All frozen, dried, cooked, and preserved Irish Potato (Whole or Cut).
11. Pumpkin 	All types, size groups, and container sizes of fresh, chilled, Whole, or Cut pumpkins, except the "Exclusions".	All frozen, dried, cooked, and preserved pumpkins. All decorative types of Pumpkin.

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12. Sweet potato



All types, size groups, and container sizes of fresh, chilled, Whole, or Cut Sweet Potato, except the "Exclusions".

Yellow/Cream/white fleshed Sweet potato (Zambian type), Purple Sweet Potato. All frozen, dried, cooked, and preserved Sweet Potato (Whole or Cut).

13. Tomato (Round and Jam)



All types, size groups, and container sizes of fresh, chilled, Whole, or Cut tomatoes (Round and Jam Tomato), except the "Exclusions".

Small size-types of tomatoes, i.e. yellow & orange cocktail tomatoes and cherry tomatoes on vine varieties, Exotic mixed tomatoes. All frozen, cooked, preserved, and dried Tomatoes (Whole or Cut). Including Juice/ Jam/ Sauce/ Paste.

14. Cherry/ cocktail



tomato

All types, grades, size groups, and container sizes of fresh, chilled, Whole or Cut red Round Cocktail/ Cherry Tomatoes, and Mini Plums, except the "Exclusions"

All yellow and orange Cocktail/ Cherry Tomatoes, Cocktail/ cherry tomatoes on vine varieties (all colours), and Exotic Mixed Tomatoes. All frozen, dried, cooked, and preserved Cocktail/Cherry Tomatoes and Mini Plums Tomatoes.

15. Watermelon



All types, size groups, and container sizes of fresh, chilled, Whole, or Cut Watermelon, except the "Exclusions".

All Watermelon Juices and Jam.

16. Sweet melon

All types, size groups, and container sizes of fresh, chilled, Whole, or Cut Sweet Melon, except the "Exclusions".

All Sweet melon Juices and Jam.

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17. Spinach		All types, grades, size groups and container size of fresh, chilled, Whole or Cut Spinach except the "Exclusions".	Baby Spinach, Coloured spinach and all frozen and processed Spinach such as dried, cooked and preserved spinach.
18. Sweetcorn		All types, size groups and container size of fresh/ chilled and whole or cut Red Fleshed and Yellow Fleshed except the "Exclusions"	White and Mixed Colour Sweet Corn
19. Lettuce Iceberg		All types, grades, size groups, and container sizes of fresh, chilled, Whole or Cut light green/green Iceberg Lettuce as called Head Lettuce, except the "Exclusions".	All Butterhead, fancy/ Leafy, or Stem types of Lettuce of any color. All frozen, dried, cooked, and preserved Lettuce (Whole or Cut) of any color and shape.

Definitions

Whole: any fresh fruit or vegetable that has not been altered from its original form.

Cut any fresh fruit or vegetable that has been physically altered from its original form, but remains in a fresh state.

Dried: any Fresh fruit or vegetable that have been dried or dehydrated, either whole or in pieces/cuts.

Frozen: any fresh fruits or vegetables that have had their temperature reduced and maintained below their freezing point.

Chilled: any fresh fruit or vegetable with the temperature reduced to around 0C without the products being frozen.

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Cooked: Refers to fruit and vegetables that are cooked by steaming or boiling in water, either whole or in pieces/cuts.

Preserved: Refers to fresh fruit and vegetables soaked in brine or vinegar, or other liquids, either whole or in pieces/cuts.

NOTES: NO PERMIT IS NEEDED FOR COOKED, PROCESSED, AND PERSEVERED VEGETABLES!! ALL FRESH PRODUCE NOT LISTED UNDER INCLUSION LIST SHOULD BE IMPORTED USING MIXED FRUIT AND VEGETABLES PERMIT.

3. AREA PLANTED AND EXPECTED TONNAGE

Table 2A – Table D below illustrates the area planted per production zone per crop and the ha expected to be harvested during the reporting period, March to July 2024. According to the report, Potatoes (5245.23tonnage) will be harvested in larger quantity, followed by onions (4940.50tonnage), cabbage (2907), butternuts (2532) and tomato Jam (1209.50). The 14 SCP quantity will be below 1000 tonnages. Although potatoes harvest will be expected to be bigger than the rest of the SC products, it is imperative to note that, Potato is highly demanded in Namibia and hence the shortage is huge for the reporting period. Suggesting that huge scope exist for potatoes production in Namibia.

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Table 2A: FIVE MONTHS EXPECTED PRODUCTION PER CROP, PER AREA FOR THE PERIOD: 01 March to 31 July 2024

Numbers in the table below represents tonnage

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PRODUCTION AREAS	Special controlled and monitored crops	Mar-24			Apr-24		May-24		Jun-24		Jul-24		Total (for the 5 months period)	
		01-15 Mar 24 Local	16-31 Mar 24 Local	01-31 Mar 24 Export	Local	Export	Local	Export	Local	Export	Local	Export	Yield	Ha to be harvested
ZAMBEZI REGION	Beetroots	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	Carrots	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	Onions	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.31	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.31	0.02
	Potatoes	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	Sweet potatoes	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
KAVANGO REGIONS	Beetroots	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	Carrots	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	Onions	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.85	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.85	0.05
	Potatoes	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	Sweet potatoes	1.10	0.88	0.00	0.85	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2.83	0.56
NORTH CENTRAL	Beetroots	4.25	4.25	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	8.50	0.50
	Carrots	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	Onions	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	68.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	68.00	3.50
	Potatoes	0.00	0.00	0.00	11.02	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	11.02	0.43
	Sweet potatoes	83.34	91.55	0.00	106.74	0.00	46.69	0.00	9.35	0.00	0.00	0.00	337.67	21.04
KARSTLAND	Beetroots	32.30	56.10	0.00	71.40	0.00	83.73	0.00	70.98	0.00	39.10	0.00	353.60	15.17
	Carrots	104.98	83.39	0.00	226.95	0.00	345.95	0.00	252.45	0.00	158.95	0.00	1172.66	36.02
	Onions	0.00	0.00	0.00	93.50	0.00	1058.25	72.25	1378.70	388.45	945.20	345.95	4282.30	97.70
	Potatoes	0.00	22.95	0.00	9.44	0.00	943.50	0.00	1083.75	0.00	1041.25	0.00	3100.89	79.74
	Sweet potatoes	4.25	4.25	0.00	0.00	0.00	8.93	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	17.43	1.20
CENTRAL	Beetroots	8.93	8.93	0.00	4.25	0.00	4.25	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	26.35	1.70
	Carrots	18.40	18.40	0.00	11.31	0.00	9.18	0.00	0.68	0.00	0.00	0.00	57.97	2.08
	Onions	14.89	14.71	0.00	19.13	0.00	36.13	0.00	51.00	0.00	212.50	85.00	433.35	11.95
	Potatoes	476.00	476.00	0.00	531.25	0.00	256.53	0.00	382.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	2122.28	51.72
	Sweet potatoes	5.95	6.80	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	12.75	0.50
SOUTH AND ORANGE RIVER	Beetroots	12.75	13.60	0.00	26.35	0.00	25.50	0.00	25.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	103.70	4.10
	Carrots	3.40	3.40	0.00	7.31	0.00	6.80	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	20.91	0.62
	Onions	60.10	12.75	0.00	31.88	0.00	25.50	0.00	25.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	155.72	6.44
	Potatoes	0.00	0.00	0.00	11.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	11.05	0.50
	Sweet potatoes	0.00	29.75	0.00	59.50	0.00	59.50	0.00	59.50	0.00	29.75	0.00	238.00	8.00
TOTAL EXPECTED PRODUCTION TONNAGE PER CROP PER MONTH	Beetroots	58	83	0	102	0	113	0	96	0	39	0	492.15	21
	Carrots	127	105	0	246	0	362	0	253	0	159	0	1251.54	39
	Onions	75	27	0	145	0	1188	72	1456	388	1158	431	4940.52	120
	Potatoes	476	499	0	563	0	1200	0	1466	0	1041	0	5245.23	81
	Sweet potatoes	95	133	0	167	0	115	0	69	0	30	0	608.68	31
	Garlic	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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Table 2B: EXPECTED PRODUCTION OF SPECIAL CONTROLLED PRODUCTS PER CROP PER AREA

PRODUCTION AREA		Numbers in the table below represents tonnage													
		01-15 Mar 24		16-31 Mar 24		Apr-24		May-24		Jun-24		Jul-24		Totals	
		Local	Export	Local	Export	Local	Export	Local	Export	Local	Export	Local	Export	Expected tonnage	Hectares planted
ZAMBEZI	Tomato Round	3.15	0.00	3.41	0.00	13.88	0.00	15.33	0.00	4.38	0.00	0.88	0.00	41.03	1.33
	Tomato Jam	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	Green Pepper	0.44	0.00	0.44	0.00	0.87	0.00	0.87	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2.61	0.17
	Coloured Pepper	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	English Cucumber	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	Cherry Tomato	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
KAVANGO	Tomato Round	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	6.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	6.00	0.25
	Tomato Jam	5.85	0.00	5.70	0.00	1.44	0.00	3.44	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	16.43	1.84
	Green Pepper	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	Coloured Pepper	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	English Cucumber	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	Cherry Tomato	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
NORTH CENTRAL	Tomato Round	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	8.00	0.00	8.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	16.00	2.00
	Tomato Jam	23.35	0.00	41.58	0.00	98.09	0.00	39.54	0.00	10.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	212.55	6.27
	Green Pepper	8.89	0.00	10.14	0.00	16.04	0.00	13.54	0.00	2.71	0.00	1.50	0.00	52.81	5.37
	Coloured Pepper	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	English Cucumber	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	Cherry Tomato	0.50	0.00	0.50	0.00	1.67	0.00	0.83	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3.50	0.35
KARST	Tomato Round	40.01	0.00	37.20	0.00	115.00	0.00	22.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	214.21	8.60
	Tomato Jam	88.09	0.00	124.58	0.00	264.84	0.00	171.62	0.00	94.17	0.00	9.00	0.00	752.30	22.33
	Green Pepper	17.81	0.00	23.54	0.00	48.04	0.00	50.73	0.00	26.15	0.00	22.36	0.00	188.63	9.45
	Coloured Pepper	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	English Cucumber	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	Cherry Tomato	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
CENTRAL	Tomato Round	33.50	0.00	33.10	0.00	48.80	0.00	20.11	0.00	14.86	0.00	0.00	0.00	150.37	9.76
	Tomato Jam	56.84	0.00	56.24	0.00	75.96	0.00	11.13	0.00	5.75	0.00	0.00	0.00	205.91	8.92
	Green Pepper	23.54	0.00	25.94	0.00	48.51	0.00	21.39	0.00	11.17	0.00	0.00	0.00	130.56	7.56
	Coloured Pepper	62.75	0.00	62.75	0.00	125.50	0.00	125.00	0.00	125.00	0.00	120.00	0.00	621.00	15.30
	English Cucumber	36.61	0.00	36.61	0.00	77.94	0.00	70.52	0.00	60.72	0.00	60.00	0.00	342.40	8.76
	Cherry Tomato	16.68	0.00	16.68	0.00	27.08	0.00	22.73	0.00	2.08	0.00	1.28	0.00	86.53	6.09
SOUTH AND ORANGE RIVER	Tomato Round	12.25	0.00	12.25	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	24.50	2.30
	Tomato Jam	3.18	0.00	3.18	0.00	6.35	0.00	5.60	0.00	2.00	0.00	2.00	0.00	22.30	0.80
	Green Pepper	1.35	0.00	1.35	0.00	5.83	0.00	3.20	0.00	0.07	0.00	0.07	0.00	11.86	0.73
	Coloured Pepper	0.16	0.00	0.16	0.00	0.33	0.00	0.33	0.00	0.33	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.31	0.08
	English Cucumber	0.38	0.00	0.38	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2.00	0.76	0.04
	Cherry Tomato	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Total expected per crop per month	Tomato Round	88.90	0.00	85.96	0.00	183.68	0.00	65.44	0.00	27.24	0.00	0.88	0.00	452.10	24.24
	Tomato Jam	177.30	0.00	231.27	0.00	446.68	0.00	231.33	0.00	111.92	0.00	11.00	0.00	1209.50	40.15
	Green Pepper	52.02	0.00	61.40	0.00	119.29	0.00	89.73	0.00	40.10	0.00	23.93	0.00	386.46	23.28
	Coloured Pepper	62.91	0.00	62.91	0.00	125.83	0.00	125.33	0.00	125.33	0.00	120.00	0.00	622.31	15.38
	English Cucumber	36.99	0.00	36.99	0.00	77.94	0.00	70.52	0.00	60.72	0.00	60.00	2.00	343.16	8.80
	Cherry Tomato	17.18	0.00	17.18	0.00	28.75	0.00	23.56	0.00	2.08	0.00	1.28	0.00	90.03	6.44

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Table 2C: Expected production per area, per crop for the period 01 Mar 2024 - 31 Jul 2024

Numbers in the table below represents tonnage expected to harvested for local and export market

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PRODUCTION AREAS	CROPS	1-15 Mar 24		16-29 Mar 24		Apr-24		May-24		Jun-24		Jul-24		Total (for the 5 months period)	
		Local	Export	Local	Export	Local	Export	Local	Export	Local	Export	Local	Export	Yield	Ha to be harvested
ZAMBEZI	Butternuts	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.65	0.05
	Pumpkins	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.00	0.00
	Watermelon	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.00	0.00
	Sweetmelon	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.00	0.00
	Gemsquash	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.00	0.00
KAVANGO	Mushroom	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.00	0.00
	Butternuts	12.8	0.0	10.5	0.0	15.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	38.28	1.54
	Pumpkins	0.0	0.0	40.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.05	0.03
	Watermelon	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.00	0.00
	Sweetmelon	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.00	0.00
NORTH CENTRAL	Gemsquash	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.00	0.00
	Mushroom	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.00	0.00
	Butternuts	189.8	0.0	235.1	0.0	203.6	0.0	105.1	0.0	20.0	0.0	20.0	0.0	773.60	30.13
	Pumpkins	40.0	0.0	40.3	0.0	14.3	0.0	12.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	107.25	4.01
	Watermelon	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.8	0.0	15.5	0.0	1.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	18.90	0.75
KARSTLAND	Sweetmelon	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	30.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	30.00	2.00
	Gemsquash	0.0	0.0	1.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.80	0.30
	Mushroom	1.7	0.0	1.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	16.80	0.01
	Butternuts	83.8	0.0	35.0	0.0	243.5	0.0	220.3	0.0	57.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	684.55	31.87
	Pumpkins	22.5	0.0	10.0	0.0	72.8	0.0	52.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	157.78	3.76
CENTRAL	Watermelon	12.0	0.0	5.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	17.25	0.35
	Sweetmelon	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.00	0.00
	Gemsquash	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.50	0.50
	Mushroom	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.7	0.0	7.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.00	0.00
	Butternuts	48.1	0.0	205.6	0.0	67.0	0.0	12.5	0.0	2.5	0.0	2.5	0.0	338.25	8.26
SOUTH AND ORANGE RIVER	Pumpkins	24.5	0.0	24.4	0.0	65.2	0.0	5.0	0.0	5.0	0.0	5.0	0.0	129.06	3.88
	Watermelon	30.4	0.0	30.4	0.0	16.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	77.30	1.85
	Sweetmelon	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.40	0.02
	Gemsquash	5.6	0.0	5.6	0.0	11.0	0.0	11.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	35.10	2.31
	Mushrooms	0.4	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.7	0.0	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.88	0.04
Total expected production per crop per month	Butternuts	697.0	0.0	246.9	0.0	332.3	0.0	13.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	697.00	15.60
	Pumpkins	283.3	0.0	73.3	0.0	106.7	0.0	161.7	0.0	6.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	631.64	12.50
	Watermelon	71.2	0.0	70.4	0.0	5.0	0.0	5.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	151.65	5.10
	Sweetmelon	33.3	33.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	66.66	2.00
	Gemsquash	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.00	0.00
	Mushroom	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	45.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	45.00	1.50
	Butternuts	1031.6	0.0	733.3	0.0	861.7	0.0	351.2	0.0	79.5	0.0	22.5	0.0	2532.33	87.44
	Pumpkins	370.3	0.0	188.2	0.0	258.9	0.0	231.9	0.0	11.7	0.0	5.0	0.0	1026.78	24.18
	Watermelon	113.6	0.0	106.1	0.0	23.3	0.0	20.5	0.0	1.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	265.10	8.05
	Sweetmelon	33.5	33.3	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	30.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	97.06	4.02
	Gemsquash	5.6	0.0	7.4	0.0	11.0	0.0	11.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	44.40	3.11
	Mushroom	2.0	0.0	2.4	0.0	1.4	0.0	53.2	0.7	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	64.68	1.55

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Table 2D: FIVE MONTHS EXPECTED PRODUCTION PER CROP, PER AREA FOR THE PERIOD: 01 March to 31 July 2024

Numbers in the table below represents tonnage

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PRODUCTION AREAS	Special controlled and monitored crops	Mar-24			Apr-24		May-24		Jun-24		Jul-24		Total (for the 5 months period)	
		01-15 Mar 24 Local	16-31 Mar 24 Local	01-31 Mar 24 Export	Local	Export	Local	Export	Local	Export	Local	Export	Yield	Ha to be harvested
ZAMBEZI REGION	Cabbage	0.46	16.18	0.00	1.09	0.00	3.56	0.00	2.04	0.00	0.00	0.00	24.01	0.62
	Lettuce	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	Spinach	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	Sweet corn	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
KAVANGO REGIONS	Cabbage	4.25	17.00	0.00	12.75	0.00	2.89	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	36.89	0.99
	Lettuce	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	Spinach	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	Sweet corn	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
NORTH CENTRAL	Cabbage	8.50	59.93	0.00	56.99	0.00	49.51	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	196.44	5.91
	Lettuce	0.43	0.43	0.00	1.70	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2.55	0.20
	Spinach	3.09	3.09	0.00	5.33	0.00	1.79	0.00	1.70	0.00	1.70	0.00	16.70	0.93
	Sweet corn	6.80	6.80	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2.13	0.00	0.00	0.00	15.73	1.45
KARSTLAND	Cabbage	44.63	693.18	0.00	801.55	0.00	744.60	0.00	114.75	0.00	85.00	0.00	2279.70	30.30
	Lettuce	3.19	3.19	0.00	6.38	0.00	6.38	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	19.13	1.50
	Spinach	6.65	6.65	0.00	13.80	0.00	13.80	0.00	13.78	0.00	13.78	0.00	68.46	2.46
	Sweet corn	3.49	3.49	0.00	18.43	0.00	21.83	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	47.23	5.40
CENTRAL	Cabbage	40.80	32.30	0.00	37.19	0.00	37.19	0.00	38.25	0.00	0.00	0.00	177.23	4.02
	Lettuce	12.24	12.24	0.00	24.57	0.00	24.57	0.00	13.26	0.00	3.06	0.00	89.93	3.23
	Spinach	9.87	7.75	0.00	15.50	0.00	15.50	0.00	3.21	0.00	0.28	0.00	52.11	2.41
	Sweet corn	10.65	10.65	0.00	7.93	0.00	7.93	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	37.17	5.50
SOUTH AND ORANGE RIVER	Cabbage	21.25	42.50	0.00	51.91	0.00	54.03	0.00	11.53	0.00	11.53	0.00	192.76	4.65
	Lettuce	6.38	6.38	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	12.75	0.10
	Spinach	3.09	3.09	0.00	6.17	0.00	6.17	0.00	6.17	0.00	0.00	0.00	24.68	0.60
	Sweet corn	6.69	14.13	0.00	2.98	0.00	2.98	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	26.78	4.50
TOTAL EXPECTED PRODUCTION TONNAGE PER CROP PER MONTH	Cabbage	120	861	0	961	0	892	0	167	0	97	0	2907	46
	Lettuce	22	22	0	33	0	31	0	13	0	3	0	124	5
	Spinach	20	17	0	35	0	31	0	19	0	16	0	137	6
	Sweet corn	14	14	0	26	0	30	0	0	0	0	0	84	11
	Broccoli	2.21	6.035	0	17.34	0	10.88	0	8.755	0	8.755	0	53.975	16.55
	Cauliflower	1.7	1.7	0	16.125	0	8.0495	0	5.5845	0	5.5845	0	38.743	3.85

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4. PRODUCTION AVAILABILITY CALENDAR

Table 3A -Table 3D below Illustrates farmers who are expected to harvest crops during the reporting period; March 2024 – July 2024. Traders are advised to use this calendar when sourcing locally produced products.

Crops covered per respective tables A – C:

The production availability calendar covers the following tables and their respective crops as follows:

Table 3A covers; Beetroots, potatoes, carrots, sweet potatoes and, Onions, Potatoes and Garlic (**Monitored crops**).

Table 3B Covers; Tomato Round, Tomato Jam, Tomato Cherry, Green Pepper, Colored Pepper, and English Cucumber

Table 3C covers; Pumpkins, sweet melon, Butternuts, Watermelon, Sweet melon, Gem squash and **Mushroom (monitored crop)**

Table 3D Covers: Sweetcorn, cabbage, spinach & lettuce iceberg and **Monitored crops: Broccoli & cauliflower**

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Table 3A: THE FIVE MONTHS EXPECTED AVAILABILITY CALENDAR FOR THE SPECIAL CONTROLLED CROPS (Beetroots, Carrots, Onions, Potatoes & Sweet potatoes)

KEY : BEETROOT = CARROT = ONIONS = POTATO = SWEET POTATOES =

PERIOD: 01 March to 31 July 2024

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Contact Person	Target Market			01-15 Mar 2024					16-31 Mar 2024					Apr-24					May-24					Jun-24					Jul-24					
	Local informal	Local Formal	Export	Beetroots	Carrots	Onions	Potatoes	Sweet potatoes	Beetroots	Carrots	Onions	Potatoes	Sweet potatoes	Beetroots	Carrots	Onions	Potatoes	Sweet potatoes	Beetroots	Carrots	Onions	Potatoes	Sweet potatoes	Beetroots	Carrots	Onions	Potatoes	Sweet potatoes						
ZAMBEZI																																		
1	Vincent Siliye	✓	✓													🍅																		
KAVANGO																																		
1	George Lukuwa	✓	✓					🍷					🍷																					
2	Hildegard Shimafo	✓	✓					🍷																										
3	Marcelius Muronga	✓	✓																			🍅												
4	Theofilie Linyando	✓	✓										🍷										🍅											
NORTH CENTRAL																																		
Contact Person		Local informal	Local Formal	Export	01-15 Mar 2024					16-31 Mar 2024					Apr-24					May-24					Jun-24					Jul-24				
1	Abisai Eilo Amashili	✓	✓													🍷																		
2	Annanias Theophilus	✓	✓					🍷					🍷																					
3	Andreas Ashimbanga	✓	✓					🍷					🍷																					
4	Aron Hangula	✓	✓					🍷					🍷																					
5	Erick Shikongo	✓	✓					🍷					🍷																					
6	Elifas Nuuyoma	✓	✓													🍷																		
7	Elkan Mangundu	✓	✓																			🍷												
8	Emily Naunyango	✓	✓					🍷														🍷												
9	Epafras Hilengwa	✓	✓					🍷					🍷																					
10	Eugene Eugene	✓	✓										🍷									🍷												
11	Fransina Iyambula	✓	✓										🍷																					
12	Immanuel Hambia	✓	✓										🍷																					
13	Innocens Kalola	✓	✓										🍷																					
14	Ismael N. Kapuka	✓	✓					🍷					🍷																					
15	J.H Steyn	✓	✓										🍷																					
16	Joel Imbili	✓	✓													🍅																		
17	John Naidjala	✓	✓		🍷			🍷	🍷							🍷																		
18	John Shapumba	✓	✓					🍷					🍷																					
19	Johannes Shishuku	✓	✓										🍷																					
20	Josef Kaatumwa	✓	✓					🍷					🍷																					

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KARSTLAND

Contact Person	Local Informal	Local Formal	Export	01-15 Mar 2024	16-31 Mar 2024	Apr-24	May-24	Jun-24	Jul-24
1 C.J. Von Molendorff	✓	✓	✓						
2 CJJ van der Merwe (Neels)	✓	✓							
3 Cobus Coetzee	✓	✓	✓						
4 Dawid Bisschoff	✓	✓							
5 Delwin Hoeseb	✓	✓							
6 Dirk van der Berg	✓	✓							
7 Eric and Elizabeth van Drute	✓	✓							
8 Fanuel Uugwanga	✓	✓							
9 Georg Sievers	✓	✓	✓						
10 Gero Hirsch	✓	✓							
11 Hagen Frenzel	✓	✓	✓						
12 Hendre van Eeden	✓	✓							
13 Hendrik Grobbelaar	✓	✓	✓						
14 Hennie Kruger	✓	✓							
15 Hjalmar Oestlund	✓	✓							
16 Jan Cronje	✓	✓							
17 Jan Keyser	✓	✓	✓						
18 Johann A. Cloete	✓	✓							
19 Johannes Petrus Jordaan	✓	✓							
20 John & Linnea Shaetonhodi	✓	✓							
21 LM Potgieter	✓	✓	✓						
22 Louis Du Plessis	✓	✓	✓						
23 Ludie Kolver	✓	✓	✓						
24 Mark von Maltzahl	✓	✓							
25 Neil Jacobs	✓	✓							
26 Ndinelago Tshiguuo	✓	✓							
27 Peter Kawana	✓	✓							
28 Petrus Johannes Harmse	✓	✓							
29 Sabine Blume	✓	✓							
30 Tawanda Mhosva	✓	✓							
31 Thomas Mufenda	✓	✓							
32 Waldo J.V Rensburg	✓	✓							

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CENTRAL

Contact Person		Local informal	Local Formal	Export	01-15 Mar 2024	16-31 Mar 2024	Apr-24	May-24	Jun-24	Jul-24
1	Anna & Sakeus Shuumbwa	✓	✓							
2	Brian K Pieterse	✓	✓							
3	Byaombe Bakari	✓	✓							
4	Ernst H. Puturi	✓	✓							
5	Etienne and Roane Jooste	✓	✓	✓						
6	Gerson Shipena	✓	✓							
7	Gwen Snynders	✓	✓							
8	Helen Andreas									
9	Hilde Ingrid Stuurman	✓	✓							
10	Ludie Kolver	✓	✓	✓						
11	Raa Ratokuja	✓	✓							
12	Ryno Kapuuu	✓	✓							
13	Simson Kuhanga	✓	✓							
14	Stenly Mcloud	✓	✓							
15	Tengovandu Kandjii	✓	✓							
16	Teofe Karipi	✓	✓							
17	Yorck F. Von Finckenstein	✓	✓							

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SOUTH AND ORANGE RIVER

Contact Person	Local Informal	Local Formal	Export	01-15 Mar 2024	16-31 Mar 2024	Apr-24	May-24	Jun-24	Jul-24
1 Hendrik Berg & Dirk de Beer	✓	✓							
2 Elize Eliphas	✓	✓							
3 Elmarie J. van Rensburg	✓	✓							
4 Hentie van Dyk	✓	✓							
5 Jones Nghishimwe	✓	✓							
6 Mokganedi Erwin April	✓	✓							
7 Vivian Mutwa	✓	✓							
8 Wade George Bussel	✓	✓							

Note: Producers not listed herein, are either not harvest any of the five (5) special controlled products included in this report or they did not provide their vegetable production data for this reporting period.

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TABLE 3B : EXPECTED AVAILABILITY OF SPECIAL CONTROLLED PRODUCTS

KEYS: Tomato Round =



Tomato Jam =



Green Pepper =



Coloured Pepper =



English Cucumber =



Cocktail/Cherry Tomato =



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SN	Name of Producer	Local	Export	01 to 15 Mar 2024					16 to 31 Mar 2024					Apr-24					May-24					Jun-24					Jul-24										
				Tomato Round	Tomato Jam	Cocktail/Cherry Tomato	Green Pepper	Coloured Pepper	English Cucumber	Tomato Round	Tomato Jam	Cocktail/Cherry Tomato	Green Pepper	Coloured Pepper	English Cucumber	Tomato Round	Tomato Jam	Cocktail/Cherry Tomato	Green Pepper	Coloured Pepper	English Cucumber	Tomato Round	Tomato Jam	Cocktail/Cherry Tomato	Green Pepper	Coloured Pepper	English Cucumber	Tomato Round	Tomato Jam	Cocktail/Cherry Tomato	Green Pepper	Coloured Pepper	English Cucumber						
ZAMBEZI AREA																																							
1	Andrew Inambao	√																																					
2	Chetika Grifs	√																																					
3	Clemens Makumbi	√																																					
4	Clement Mulyokela	√																																					
5	Joseph Simataa	√																																					
6	Kamwi Lubanda	√																																					
7	Morgan Saisai	√																																					
8	Nitelamo Ibalelo	√																																					
9	Ollan Bainga	√																																					
10	Rector Mutelo	√																																					
11	Semi Mubukwani	√																																					
12	Shylock Sinvula	√																																					
13	Vincent Siliye	√																																					
KAVANGO AREA																																							
	Name of Producer			01 to 15 Mar 2024					16 to 31 Mar 2024					Apr-24					May-24					Jun-24					Jul-24										
1	Marcellus Muronga	√																																					
2	Mukuve Hausiku	√																																					
3	Patrick Mukoso	√																																					
4	Simson kambinda	√																																					
5	Stephania Kudumo	√																																					
6	Stephanus Munkanda	√																																					
7	Zolite Maseko	√																																					

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NORTH CENTRAL AREA																											
	Name of Producer			01 to 15 Mar 2024				16 to 31 Mar 2024				Apr-24				May-24				Jun-24				Jul-24			
1	Chetika Cosmos Mbasela	√																									
2	Elifas Keendjele	√																									
3	Epafras Hilengwa	√																									
4	Festus Haufiku	√																									
5	Fransina Iyambula	√																									
6	Innocens Kalola	√																									
7	Iyaloo Uusiku	√																									
8	Johaness Shishuku	√																									
9	Karoline Paavo	√																									
10	Katrina Magano	√																									
11	Kaunda Namoloh	√																									
12	Leader Shivute Shikonda	√																									
13	Ngakekerue Taunda	√																									
14	Onesmus Alalicky Jordan	√																									
15	Rauna Nakahambo	√																									
16	Solomon Shilongo	√																									
17	Sylvanus Naunyango	√																									
18	Tauno Hafeni Shikomba	√																									
19	Wilbard Iipumbu	√																									

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SOUTH AND ORANGE RIVER AREA																															
	Name of Producer			01 to 15 Mar 2024				16 to 31 Mar 2024				Apr-24				May-24				Jun-24				Jul-24							
1	Elize Eliphas	✓																													
2	Francois van Rensburg	✓																													
3	Lovisa Sackaria	✓						  							  					  					  						
4	Sandie Tjaronda	✓																													
5	Simona Coetzee	✓																													
6	Vivian Mutwa	✓																													

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TABLE: 3 C THE FIVE MONTHS EXPECTED AVAILABILITY CALENDAR FOR THE SPECIAL CONTROLLED CROPS (Butternuts, Pumpkins, Watermelon, Sweetmelon, Gernsquash and Mushroom)																																								
KEYS : BUTTERNUTS  PUMPKINS  WATERMELON  SWEETMELON  GEMSQUASH  MUSHROOM 																																								
PERIOD: 01 Mar 2024 TO 31 Jul 2024																																								
		MARKET		1-15 Mar -24						16-31 Mar-24						Apr-24						May-24						Jun-24						Jul-24						
		I n f o r m a l	F o r m a l	E x p o r t	Butternuts	Pumpkins	Watermelon	Sweet melon	Gernsquash	Mushroom	Butternuts	Pumpkins	Watermelon	Sweet melon	Gernsquash	Mushroom	Butternuts	Pumpkins	Watermelon	Sweet melon	Sweetcorn	Mushroom	Butternuts	Pumpkins	Watermelon	Sweet melon	Sweetcorn	Mushroom	Butternuts	Pumpkins	Watermelon	Sweet melon	Sweetcorn	Mushroom						
ZAMBEZI AREA																																								
NAME OF A PRODUCER		Local Informal	Local Formal	Export	1-15 Mar -24						16-31 Mar-24						Apr-24						May-24						Jun-24						Jul-24					
1	Kamwi Lubanda	✓	✓																																					
KAVANGO AREA																																								
NAME OF A PRODUCER		Local Informal	Local Formal	Export	1-15 Mar -24						16-31 Mar-24						Apr-24						May-24						Jun-24						Jul-24					
1	Henrich Locke	✓	✓																																					
2	Hildegard Shimafo	✓	✓																																					
3	Jonathan Mukwangu	✓	✓																																					
4	Marcelius Muronga	✓	✓																																					
5	Maria Haingura	✓	✓																																					

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NORTH CENTRAL AREA

NAME OF A PRODUCER		Local Informal	Local Formal	Export	1-15 Mar -24					16-31 Mar-24					Apr-24					May-24					Jun-24					Jul-24				
1	Abisai Eino Amashili	√	√																															
2	Abisai Nakale	√	√																															
3	Abner Tomas	√	√																															
4	Abraham Hamukwaya	√	√																															
5	Ananias Theophelus	√	√																															
6	Anton Joseph	√	√																															
7	Antonio Tjitende	√	√																															
8	Aron Hangula	√	√																															
9	Asser Moses	√	√																															
10	Elifas Keendjele	√	√																															
11	Emile Mariais	√	√																															
12	Emily Naunyango	√	√																															
13	Eugene Eugene	√	√																															
14	Festus Haufiku	√	√																															
15	Immanuel Hambia	√	√																															
16	Johannes Shishuku	√	√																															
17	John Naindjala	√	√																															
18	Karoline Paavo	√	√																															
19	Leader Shivute	√	√																															
20	Louis Smit	√	√																															
21	Lucas Tshithigona	√	√																															

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KARSTLAND AREA

NAME OF A PRODUCER		Local Informal	Local Formal	Export	1-15 Mar -24					16-31 Mar-24					Apr-24					May-24					Jun-24					Jul-24				
1	Benjamin Kaindimba	√	√																															
2	David Shitofoka	√	√																															
3	Ellenora Muranda	√	√																															
4	Eric & Elizabeth van Druten	√	√																															
5	Evaristus Evaristus	√	√																															
6	Fanuel Uugwanga	√	√																															
7	Gerhad Sachse																																	
8	Gregory Groenewald	√	√																															
9	Hendre van Eeden	√	√																															
10	Jan Cronje	√	√																															
11	John & Linnea Shaetonhodi	√	√																															
12	LM Potgieter	√	√																															
13	Mwavuto Mwanza	√	√																															
14	Peter Kawana	√	√																															
15	Petrus Johanness Harmse	√	√																															
16	Phillip Pendukeni	√	√																															
17	Ricky Kukuri	√	√																															
18	Sabine Blume	√	√																															
19	Susan Mwahanyekange	√	√																															
20	Vivian Aebeb	√	√																															
21	Waldo J. Van Rensburg	√	√																															

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CENTRAL AREA

NAME OF A PRODUCER		Local Informal	Local Formal	Export	1-15 Mar -24					16-31 Mar-24					Apr-24					May-24					Jun-24					Jul-24				
1	Bertus Pretorius	√	√																															
2	Gerson Shipena	√	√																															
3	Hagen Horsthmark	√	√																															
4	Hueston Groenewaldt	√	√																															
5	Jan Conradie	√	√																															
6	Johannes Meyer	√	√																															
7	Katjivena Grace	√	√																															
8	Michael Hough Bronkost	√	√																															
9	Moses Tjirare	√	√																															
10	Salomon Nemaire	√	√																															
11	Tengovandu Kandjii	√	√																															
12	Verikatumba Aquila Uhatjike	√	√																															

South and Orange River Area

NAME OF PRODUCER		Local Informal	Local Formal	Export	1-15 Mar -24					16-31 Mar-24					Apr-24					May-24					Jun-24					Jul-24				
1	Burger J. Harmse	√	√																															
2	Elize Eliphas	√	√																															
3	Elmarie Janse Van Rensburg	√	√																															
4	Francois Van Rensburg	√	√																															
5	Hendrik Berg	√	√																															
6	Hentie Van Dyk	√	√																															
7	Herman van Dyk	√	√																															
8	Jimmy E. O'kenedy	√	√																															
9	Kirk Bassignwaigte	√	√																															
10	Martin Mutota	√	√																															
11	Sandie Tjaronda	√	√																															
12	Simonia Coetzee	√	√																															

Kindly note: Producers not listed herein, it is either they will not be harvesting any of the produce covered by report three or they did not provide the required data to NAB.

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Table 3D: THE FIVE MONTHS EXPECTED AVAILABILITY CALENDAR FOR THE SPECIAL CONTROLLED CROPS (Cabbage, Lettuce, Spinach, Sweet corn)

KEY : CABBAGE =  LETTUCE =  SPINACH =  SWEET CORN = 

PERIOD: 01 March to 31 July 2024

Last updated: 25 February 2024

Contact Person	Target Market			01-15 Mar 2024				16-31 Mar 2024				Apr-24				May-24				Jun-24				Jul-24			
	Local informal	Local Formal	Export	Cabbage	Lettuce	Spinach	Sweet corn	Cabbage	Lettuce	Spinach	Sweet corn	Cabbage	Lettuce	Spinach	Sweet corn	Cabbage	Lettuce	Spinach	Sweet corn	Cabbage	Lettuce	Spinach	Sweet corn	Cabbage	Lettuce	Spinach	Sweet corn

ZAMBEZI AREA

NAME OF PRODUCER		Local informal	local Formal	Export	01-15 Mar 2024				16-31 Mar 2024				Apr-24				May-24				Jun-24				Jul-24			
1	Andrew Inambao	√	√																									
2	Clemens Makumbi	√	√																									
3	Morreeen Shoji N	√	√																									
4	Mulyokela Clement	√	√																									
5	Nawa Sikanda	√	√																									
6	Rector Mutelo	√	√																									
7	Semi Mubukwani	√	√																									
8	Vincent Siliye	√	√																									

KAVANGO AREA

NAME OF PRODUCER		Local informal	local Formal	Export	01-15 Mar 2024				16-31 Mar 2024				Apr-24				May-24				Jun-24				Jul-24			
1	Henrich Locke	√	√																									
2	Hildegard Shimafo	√	√																									
3	Paulus Katjire Dinyando	√	√																									

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NAME OF PRODUCER		Local informal	Local Formal	Export	01-15 Mar 2024				16-31 Mar 2024				Apr-24				May-24				Jun-24				Jul-24			
1	Absai Eilo Amashili	√	√																									
2	Elifas Keendjele	√	√																									
3	Festus haufiku	√	√																									
4	Fransina Iyambula	√	√																									
5	Innocens Kalola	√	√																									
6	Jie Su	√	√																									
7	Johannes Shishuku	√	√																									
8	Josephina Hauwanga	√	√																									
9	Leader Shivute Shikonda	√	√																									
10	Lucas Moongela	√	√																									
11	Paulus Amutenya	√	√																									
12	Petrus Matheus	√	√																									
13	Pupyenaye Tjavanga	√	√																									
14	Rauna Nakahambo	√	√																									
15	Ruth Iyaloo Uusiku	√	√																									
16	Shetuuka Shetuuka	√	√																									
17	Wilhemina Heita	√	√																									

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KARSTLAND AREA

NAME OF PRODUCER		Local informal	local Formal	Export	01-15 Mar 2024				16-31 Mar 2024				Apr-24				May-24				Jun-24				Jul-24			
1	David Shifotoka	✓	✓																									
2	Ellenora Muranda	✓	✓																									
3	Geoffrey Shekupe	✓	✓																									
4	Gregory Groenewald	✓	✓																									
5	Hannes Arangies	✓	✓																									
6	Johannes Mupetami	✓	✓																									
7	John & Linnea Shaetonhodi	✓	✓																									
8	Josef Andreas	✓	✓																									
9	LM Potgieter	✓	✓																									
10	Magano Kapia	✓	✓																									
11	Mark von Maltzahl	✓	✓																									
12	Mavuto Mwanza	✓	✓																									
13	Munyaridza Murwira	✓	✓																									
14	Ndelitungapo Ndaitwah	✓	✓																									
15	Niilo Taapopi	✓	✓																									
16	Pauline Haimene	✓	✓																									
17	Peter Kawana	✓	✓																									
18	Rauna Ndaendelao Haindobo	✓	✓																									
19	Sabine Blume	✓	✓																									
20	Susan Mwahanyekange	✓	✓																									
21	Sydney Suze	✓	✓																									
22	Tawanda Mhosva	✓	✓																									
23	Vivien Aebob	✓	✓																									
24	Waldo J.V Rensburg	✓	✓																									

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NAME OF PRODUCER		Local informal	Local Formal	Export	01-15 Mar 2024				16-31 Mar 2024				Apr-24				May-24				Jun-24				Jul-24			
1	Antonie/Liza Koekemore	√	√																									
2	Brian K Pieterse	√	√																									
3	Emilia N. Kweenda	√	√																									
4	Enoch Nyatoti	√	√																									
5	Ernst H. Puturi	√	√																									
6	Grunnar Waldschmidt	√	√																									
7	Henk Peters	√	√																									
8	Hueston Groenewaldt	√	√																									
9	Israel Mukumba	√	√																									
10	Jan Conradie	√	√																									
11	Johannes Meyer	√	√																									
12	Josia T. Mukutiri	√	√																									
13	Leonie Hartman	√	√																									
14	Lisias Ashipala	√	√																									
15	Monica Gwala	√	√																									
16	Paul Muranda	√	√																									
17	Sem Nepando	√	√																									
18	Stefanus Linovene	√	√																									
19	Teofe Karipi	√	√																									

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NAME OF PRODUCER	Local informal	local Formal	Export	01-15 Mar 2024	16-31 Mar 2024	Apr-24	May-24	Jun-24	Jul-24
1 Elize E Eliphas	√	√							
2 Elmarie Janse Van Rensburg	√	√							
3 Francois Van Rensburg	√	√							
4 Herman van Dyk	√	√							
5 Hoekes Van Niekerk	√	√							
6 Jimmy E. O'kenedy	√	√							
7 Sandie Tjaronda	√	√							
8 Vivian Mutwa	√	√							
9 Zirk Jansen	√	√							

source: NAB, 2024

Table 3E: THE FIVE MONTHS EXPECTED AVAILABILITY of Broccoli and coulfiflower as monitoring crops

KEY: Broccoli =  Cauliflower = 													
PERIOD: 01 March to 31 July 2024													
Last updated: 25 February 2024													
NAME OF PRODUCER		01-15 Mar 24		16-31 Mar 24		Apr-24		May-24		Jun-24		Jul-24	
		Broccoli	cauliflower	Broccoli	cauliflower	Broccoli	cauliflower	Broccoli	cauliflower	Broccoli	cauliflower	Broccoli	cauliflower
Karst													
1	Hendre van Eeden												
2	Sabine Blume												
Central													
1	Hueston Gronewaldt												
South													
1	Elize E Eliphas												
2	Francois Van Rensburg												
3	Hoekes Van Niekerk												
4	Jimmy E. O'kenedy												

Source: NAB, 2024

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5. PRODUCTION AND DEMAND FORECASTING

Table 4 reveals information on the surplus and shortage for all the special controlled products during the reporting period of March 2024 to July 2024. This information informs the close and open borders implementation period, forecasted in Table 5.

Table 4: Local production and demand forecasting								
Numbers in this table represents tonnage				Last updated: 05 February 2024				
Crops	Expected Surplus or Shortage	01-15 March 2024	16-30 March 2024	April-24	May-24	June-24	July -24	Total
Beetroots	Projected local tonnages	58	83	102	113	96	39	492
	Average Demand	31	31	62	62	62	62	312
	Surplus/shortage	27	52	40	51	34	-23	180
Carrots	Projected local tonnages	127	105	246	362	253	159	1252
	Average Demand	172	172	345	345	345	345	1723
	Surplus/shortage	-46	-67	-99	17	-92	-186	-472
Onions	Projected local tonnages	75	27	145	1188	1456	1158	4049
	Average Demand	445	445	890	890	890	890	4449
	Surplus/shortage	-370	-417	-745	298	566	268	-400
Potatoes	Projected local tonnages	476	499	563	1200	1466	1041	5245
	Average Demand	1,577	1,577	3,155	3,155	3,155	3,155	15774
	Surplus/shortage	-1101	-1078	-2592	-1955	-1689	-2114	-10529
Sweet Potatoes	Projected local tonnages	95	133	167	115	69	30	609

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	Average Demand	37	37	73	73	73	73	366
	Surplus/shortage	-8	9	98	73	4	-51	124
Tomato Round	Projected local tonnages	88.90	85.96	183.68	65.44	27.24	0.88	452.10
	Average Demand	151.37	151.37	302.74	302.74	302.74	302.74	1513.72
	Surplus/shortage	-62.47	-65.42	-119.06	-237.30	-275.50	-301.86	-1061.62
Tomato Jam	Projected local tonnages	177.30	231.27	446.68	231.33	111.92	11.00	1209.50
	Average Demand	1.43	1.43	2.86	2.86	2.86	2.86	14.31
	Surplus/shortage	175.87	229.84	443.82	228.47	109.06	8.14	1195.19
Green Pepper	Projected local tonnages	52.02	61.40	119.29	89.73	40.10	23.93	386.46
	Average Demand	17.34	17.34	34.69	34.69	34.69	34.69	173.43
	Surplus/shortage	34.67	44.05	84.61	55.05	5.41	-10.76	213.03
Colour Pepper	Projected local tonnages	62.91	62.91	125.83	125.33	125.33	120.00	622.31
	Average Demand	35.98	35.98	71.96	71.96	71.96	71.96	359.80
	Surplus/shortage	26.93	26.93	53.87	53.37	53.37	48.04	262.51
Cherry Tomato	Projected local tonnages	17.18	17.18	28.75	23.56	2.08	1.28	90.03
	Average Demand	3.46	3.46	6.92	6.92	6.92	6.92	34.60
	Surplus/shortage	13.72	13.72	21.83	16.64	-4.84	-5.64	55.43
English Cucumber	Projected local tonnages	36.99	36.99	77.94	70.52	60.72	60.00	343.16
	Average Demand	9.07	9.07	18.14	18.14	18.14	18.14	90.68

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	Surplus/shortage	27.92	27.92	59.80	52.38	42.58	41.86	252.48
Butternuts	Projected local tonnages	1032	733	862	351	80	23	2347
	Average Demand	101	101	201	201	201	201	906
	Surplus/shortage	931	633	660	150	-122	-179	1441
Pumpkins	Projected local tonnages	370	188	259	232	12	5	878
	Average Demand	44	44	88	88	88	88	395
	Surplus/shortage	326	144	171	144	-76	-83	483
Watermelon	Projected local tonnages	114	106	23	21	2	0	159
	Average Demand	108	108	216	216	216	216	971
	Surplus/shortage	6	-2	-193	-195	-214	-216	-812
Sweet melon	Projected local tonnages	34	0	0	30	0	0	64
	Average Demand	42	42	83	83	83	83	374
	Surplus/shortage	-8	-41	-83	-53	-83	-83	-310
Gem squash	Projected local tonnages	6	7	11	11	1	1	30
	Average Demand	10	10	20	20	20	20	92
	Surplus/shortage	-5	-3	-9	-9	-19	-19	-63
Cabbage	Projected local tonnages	120	861	961	892	167	97	3097
	Average Demand	84	84	168	168	168	168	840
	Surplus/shortage	36	777	794	724	-1	-71	2258

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Lettuce	Projected local tonnages	22	22	33	31	13	3	124
	Average Demand	62	62	125	125	125	125	624
	Surplus/shortage	-40	-40	-92	-94	-112	-122	-500
Spinach	Projected local tonnages	20	17	35	31	19	16	137
	Average Demand	11	11	22	22	22	22	110
	Surplus/shortage	9	7	13	9	-3	-6	27
Sweet corn	Projected local tonnages	14	14	26	30	0	0	84
	Average Demand	10	10	19	19	19	19	96
	Surplus/shortage	5	5	7	11	-19	-19	-11

Note:

- ☞ The projected vegetable local tonnages in **Table 4**, are subjected to changes at any point in time due to weather extremes and factors which might negatively affect production quantity & quality beyond producers' control.

6. CLOSE AND OPEN BORDERS FORECAST

Table 5 below summarises the close and open borders periods forecasted for 01 March 2024 to 31 July 2024.

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TABLE 5: CLOSE AND OPEN BORDER FORECAST SUMMARY FOR TWENTY (20) SPECIAL CONTROLLED PRODUCTS:					Last Updated: 09 March 2024	
Special Controlled Products	01 – 15 March 2024	15– 31 March 2024	April 2024	May 2024	June 2024	July 2024
1. Butternuts						
2. Cabbage						
3. Germ squashes						
4. Onions						
5. Potatoes						
6. Pumpkins						
7. Tomato Round						
8. Tomato Jam						
9. Carrot						
10. Green Peppers						
11. Coloured peppers						
12. Tomato cherry						
13. Spinach						
14. Beetroot						
15. English Cucumber						
16. Sweet potatoes						
17. Watermelon						
18. Sweet melon						
19. Lettuce Iceberg						
20. Sweetcorn						
LEGEND ENTRY						
Not Applicable						
Open Border						
Pro Rata						
Close Border						

5. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

ANNEXURE A: CONTACT INFORMATION

Karst Areas

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Horticulture Market Development
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Responsible for the following SCP Products:

1. Onions,
2. Potatoes,
3. beetroots,
4. carrots,
5. Sweet Potatoes
6. Garlic (monitored crop)

Central & South/ Orange River Areas

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Horticulture Market Development
Officers (HMDO)

Responsible for the following SCP Products:

1. Butternuts
2. Pumpkins
3. Gem squashes
4. Watermelon
5. Sweet melon
6. Mushroom (monitored crop)

Kavango & Zambezi Production Areas

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Horticulture Market Development Officers
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Responsible for the following SCP Products:

1. Cocktail,
2. Jam tomatoes
3. Round tomatoes
4. Green peppers
5. Coloured peppers
6. English Cucumbers

North Central Areas

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Responsible for the following SCP Products:

1. Sweetcorn
2. Lettuce iceberg
3. Spinach
4. Cabbage
5. Cauliflower (Monitored crop)
6. Broccoli (Monitored crop)

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