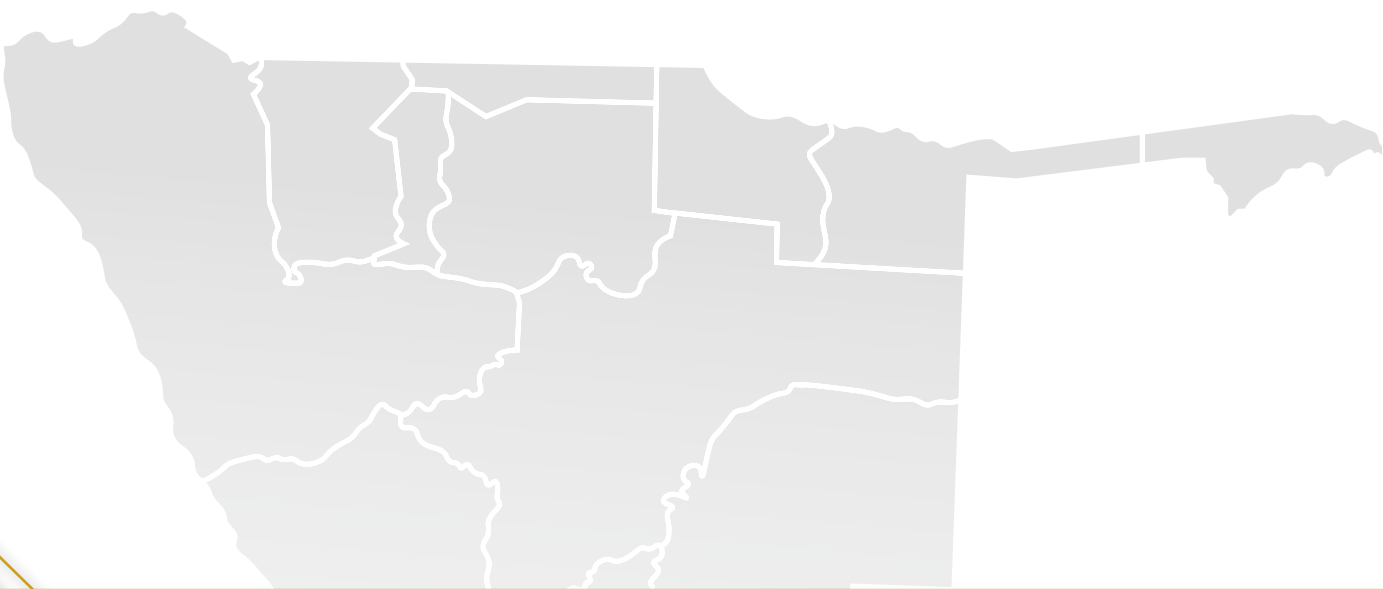




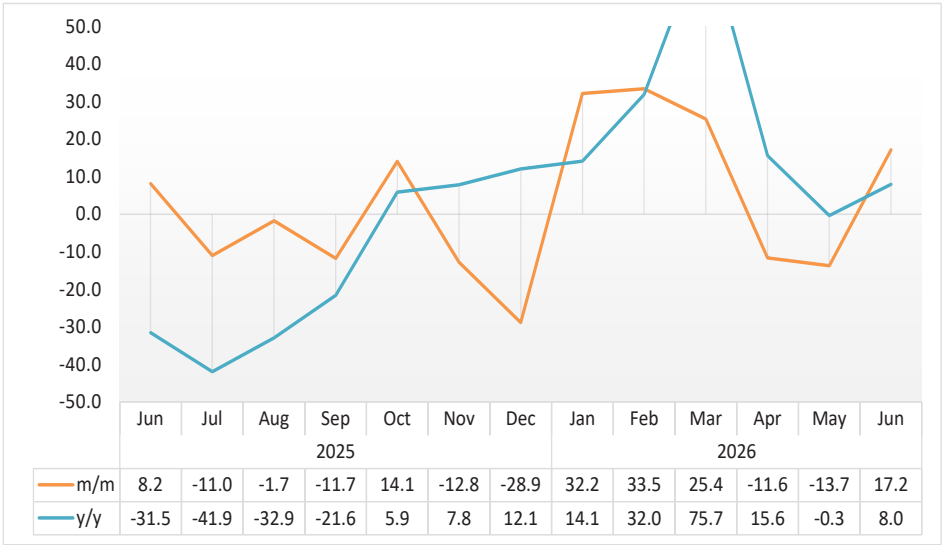
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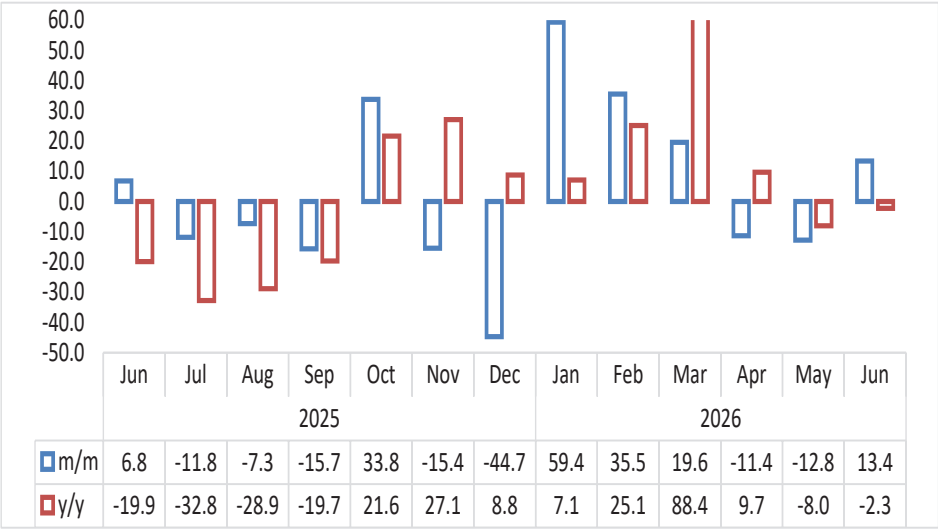


Chart 1: Livestock Marketed Composite Index, Percentage Change¹



- In June 2026, the **Livestock Marketed Composite Index** rebounded on a month-on-month basis, recording an increase of 17.2 percent after declining by 13.7 percent in May 2026. On an annual basis, the index also rose by 8.0 percent compared to June 2025 (Chart 1).
- In absolute terms, a total of 122 455 animals were marketed in June 2026, representing an increase from 101 710 animals marketed in the preceding month. The number of animals marketed also exceeded the 97 617 recorded in the corresponding month of 2025.

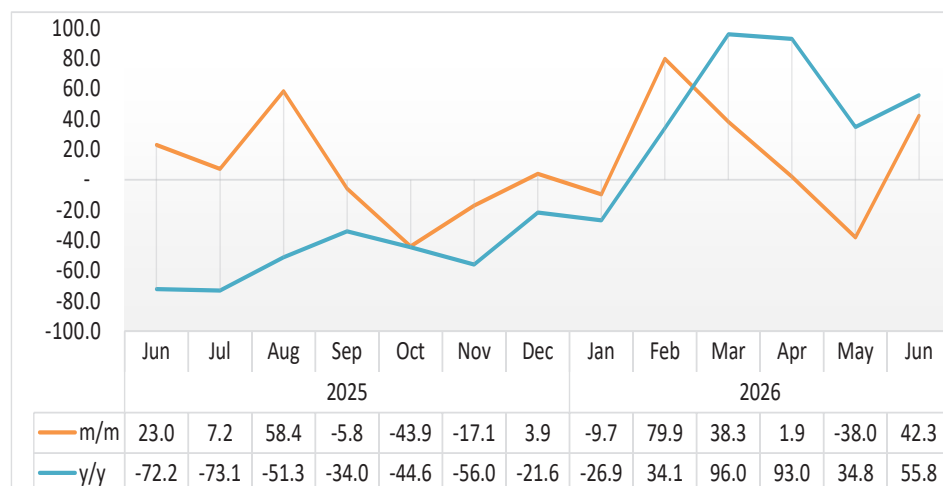
Chart 2: Cattle Export Approved Abattoirs and Butchers Index, Percentage Change



- The **Cattle Export to Approved Abattoirs and Butchers Index** recovered on a month-on-month basis in June 2026, recording an increase of 13.4 percent after declining by 12.8 percent in May 2026. On a year-on-year basis, however, the index decreased by 2.3 percent compared to June 2025 (Chart 2).
- During the period under review, 15 260 cattle were marketed to export-approved abattoirs and butchers, up from 13 452 cattle marketed in May 2026, but slightly lower than the 15 620 cattle recorded in June 2025. This reflects a month-on-month increase and a year-on-year decline in the number of cattle marketed.

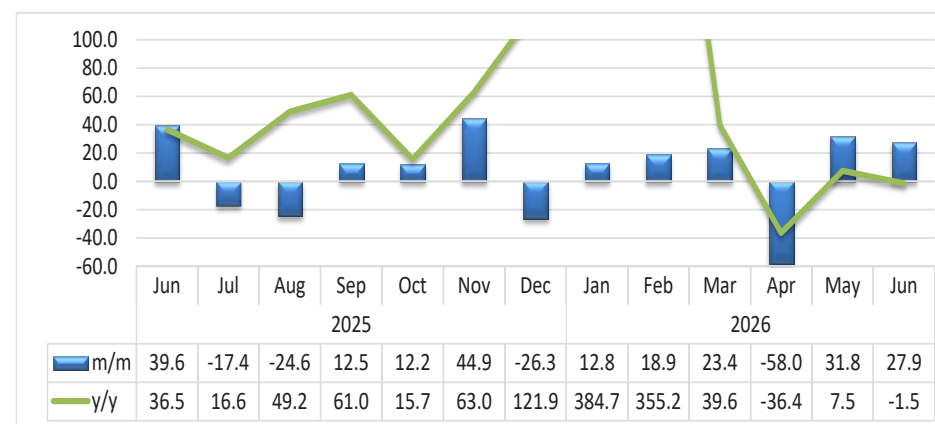
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Chart 3: Live Cattle Exported on Hoof Index, Percentage Change



- The **Index for Live Cattle Exported on Hoof** rebounded on a month-on-month basis, recording an increase of 42.3 percent in June 2026 after declining by 38.0 percent in May 2026. On an annual basis, the index also rose by 55.8 percent compared to June 2025 (Chart 3).
- In June 2026, 7 513 live cattle were exported on hoof in June 2026, representing an increase from 5 280 cattle exported in the preceding month. The number of live cattle exported also exceeded the 4 821 recorded in the same month of 2025, reflecting increases on both a month-on-month and year-on-year basis.

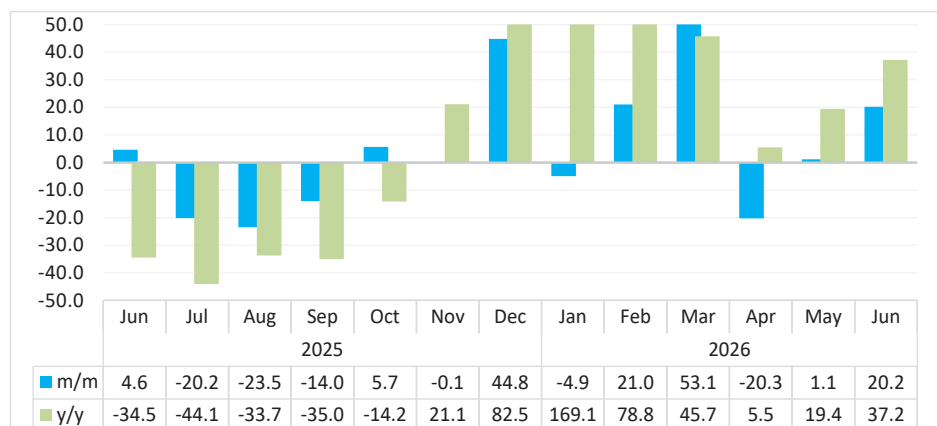
Chart 4: Small Stock Export Approved Abattoirs and Butchers Index, Percentage Change²



- The **Small Stock Export to Approved Abattoirs and Butchers Index** continued to increase on a month-on-month basis, although at a slower pace, recording a growth of 27.9 percent in June 2026 compared to the 31.8 percent increase registered in May 2026. On a year-on-year basis, however, the index declined by 1.5 percent compared to June 2025 (Chart 4).
- In absolute terms, 12 415 small stock animals were marketed to export-approved abattoirs and butchers during the period under review. Of this total, 12 409 animals originated from south of the Veterinary Cordon Fence (S-VCF), while only 6 animals were sourced from north of the Veterinary Cordon Fence (N-VCF).

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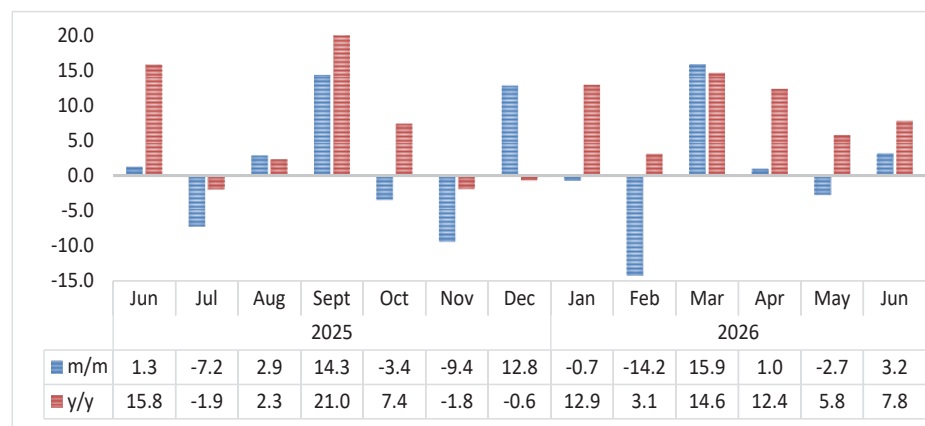
Chart 5: Live Small Stock Export, Percentage Change³



- The **Live Small Stock Exports Index** increased by 20.2 percent on a month-on-month basis in June 2026, following a 1.1 percent increase recorded in May 2026. On an annual basis, the index also rose by 37.2 percent compared to June 2025 (Chart 5).
- In June 2026, 82 446 live small stock animals were exported, of which 94.3 percent were sheep and 5.7 percent were goats. This represents an increase from the 68 599 animals exported in May 2026 and was also substantially higher than the 60 101 animals exported in the corresponding month of 2025, reflecting increases on both a month-on-month and year-on-year basis.

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Chart 6: Pigs Slaughtered Index, Percentage Change



- The **Pigs Slaughtered Index** recorded an increase of 3.2 percent in June 2026 after declining by 2.7 percent in May 2026. On an annual basis, the index also increased by 7.8 percent compared to June 2025 (Chart 6).
- In absolute terms, 4 821 pigs were slaughtered locally during the period under review, slightly higher than the 4 672 pigs slaughtered in May 2026. The number of pigs slaughtered also exceeded the 4 472 recorded in June 2025, reflecting increases on both a month-on-month and year-on-year basis.

Table 1: Number of livestock Marketed ('000)

Year	Month	Cattle export abattoirs & butchers	Cattle live exported South Africa & Angola	Small stock Export abattoirs and butchers	Total live small stock exported South Africa and Angola	Pigs slaughtered	Total Livestock Marketed
2021	Jan	4	7	9	7	3	30
	Feb	5	8	11	21	4	49
	Mar	8	11	12	42	4	77
	Apr	8	10	14	41	4	77
	May	8	10	10	54	4	86
	Jun	9	12	11	52	4	88
	Jul	10	14	10	33	4	72
	Aug	9	15	10	25	4	63
	Sep	7	15	10	21	4	57
	Oct	8	13	5	27	4	56
	Nov	6	13	7	29	4	58
	Dec	5	10	5	39	4	62
2022	Jan	8	8	7	20	4	46
	Feb	8	10	7	32	3	61
	Mar	8	11	10	58	4	91
	Apr	12	10	29	66	4	121
	May	10	14	12	73	4	113
	Jun	12	14	16	75	4	121
	Jul	10	16	13	58	3	99
	Aug	8	10	12	34	5	70
	Sep	9	10	12	30	4	64
	Oct	9	16	12	32	4	72
	Nov	9	13	14	40	4	80
	Dec	9	8	19	43	4	83
2023	Jan	8	10	11	21	4	54
	Feb	8	8	16	40	4	75
	Mar	12	12	25	77	4	131
	Apr	12	13	20	89	4	138
	May	15	11	21	80	4	132
	Jun	20	12	19	87	4	142
	Jul	14	16	18	81	4	132
	Aug	15	22	13	65	4	119
	Sep	14	14	11	51	4	94
	Oct	9	10	14	53	4	90
	Nov	11	16	15	55	4	101
	Dec	6	7	15	47	4	78

Table 1: Number of livestock Marketed ('000) continued...

Year	Month	Cattle export abattoirs & butchers	Cattle live exported South Africa & Angola	Small stock Export abattoirs and butchers	Total live small stock exported South Africa and Angola	Pigs slaughtered	Total Livestock Marketed
2024	Jan	9	14	9	33	4	69
	Feb	9	22	11	56	4	101
	Mar	14	21	12	88	4	141
	Apr	29	17	15	93	4	158
	May	22	17	9	110	4	163
	Jun	20	17	9	92	4	142
	Jul	20	19	9	86	4	139
	Aug	18	17	5	55	4	100
	Sep	13	12	5	49	4	83
	Oct	12	8	9	39	4	71
	Nov	10	8	9	28	4	58
	Dec	6	5	5	26	5	47
2025	Jan	10	5	2	17	4	38
	Feb	12	5	3	31	4	54
	Mar	9	4	13	58	4	89
	Apr	14	4	12	64	4	99
	May	15	4	9	57	4	89
	Jun	16	5	13	60	4	98
	Jul	14	5	10	48	4	81
	Aug	13	8	8	37	4	70
	Sept	11	8	9	32	5	64
	Oct	14	4	10	33	5	67
	Nov	12	4	14	33	4	68
	Dec	7	4	11	48	5	74
2026	Jan	11	3	12	46	5	77
	Feb	15	6	14	56	4	94
	Mar	17	8	18	85	5	133
	Apr	15	9	7	68	5	104
	May	13	5	10	69	5	102
	Jun	15	8	12	82	5	122

Table 2: Indices of Livestock Marketed

Year	Month	Cattle export abattoirs & butchers	Cattle Live export on hoof	Small stock Export abattoirs and butchers	Total live small stock exported South Africa and Angola	Pigs slaughtered	Composite Index
2021	Jan	43.2	32.0	20.4	14.7	105.5	36.8
	Feb	54.3	36.2	25.5	44.6	116.5	46.4
	Mar	78.6	52.1	27.3	87.5	132.6	67.2
	Apr	84.0	45.7	32.5	84.5	116.9	66.8
	May	80.7	47.9	23.6	112.9	114.9	67.9
	Jun	92.2	56.5	26.0	108.3	112.5	75.7
	Jul	105.2	65.7	23.2	69.4	120.1	81.4
	Aug	95.4	68.9	22.8	52.1	122.2	77.0
	Sep	75.3	70.2	22.0	43.5	121.1	67.9
	Oct	79.6	59.7	11.3	57.0	113.2	65.9
	Nov	59.6	61.4	15.4	60.0	119.1	58.7
	Dec	48.5	44.6	10.5	81.0	135.6	49.7
2022	Jan	78.2	38.9	15.4	40.9	115.0	56.6
	Feb	81.3	47.0	16.8	67.2	110.1	63.2
	Mar	83.8	49.9	23.7	121.4	123.6	71.0
	Apr	124.6	47.3	67.0	136.6	128.4	92.4
	May	101.2	65.1	28.3	151.4	129.7	87.3
	Jun	118.0	67.0	35.9	156.2	122.5	96.0
	Jul	96.6	73.1	30.3	120.3	102.9	84.9
	Aug	79.1	48.6	28.3	71.8	146.2	65.3
	Sep	86.0	46.0	28.4	62.0	117.8	65.5
	Oct	86.7	73.4	27.1	67.4	122.5	76.6
	Nov	94.2	60.5	32.2	82.9	139.4	77.3
	Dec	89.0	37.6	43.6	90.3	119.2	67.4
2023	Jan	76.3	46.1	25.9	44.3	120.9	59.8
	Feb	80.5	39.1	35.5	83.0	117.4	62.9
	Mar	124.9	58.4	56.6	161.1	116.1	97.6
	Apr	119.6	61.5	46.5	185.4	116.5	97.8
	May	149.5	52.4	49.1	167.5	135.0	106.5
	Jun	196.6	58.5	44.4	181.7	116.2	129.3
	Jul	143.0	73.0	41.0	168.4	120.5	110.4
	Aug	147.8	104.1	30.5	134.6	117.5	120.2
	Sep	143.8	65.2	26.3	105.6	113.8	101.0
	Oct	94.0	47.0	33.0	109.6	126.9	74.1
	Nov	106.8	74.5	34.3	115.4	123.0	90.4
	Dec	58.6	31.7	33.6	97.3	125.1	52.1

Table 2: Indices of Livestock Marketed continued....

Year	Month	Cattle export abattoirs & butchers	Cattle Live export on hoof	Small stock Export abattoirs and butchers	Total live small stock exported South Africa and Angola	Pigs slaughtered	Composite Index
2024	Jan	87.6	67.8	19.8	68.7	137.3	74.9
	Feb	89.5	101.3	25.0	116.2	122.7	92.2
	Mar	144.6	100.7	28.2	183.8	130.8	122.1
	Apr	289.1	78.8	35.5	194.1	132.6	177.6
	May	222.4	82.0	20.7	228.4	140.2	152.1
	Jun	196.4	81.4	21.1	191.1	123.1	137.0
	Jul	206.4	90.1	20.5	178.6	134.9	143.7
	Aug	180.8	78.8	12.1	115.3	133.0	122.3
	Sep	135.0	54.8	12.6	101.2	128.6	92.4
	Oct	119.4	36.6	19.6	80.9	139.8	78.0
	Nov	96.6	38.2	20.2	57.4	138.7	66.8
	Dec	62.4	22.3	10.9	55.1	154.5	45.7
2025	Jan	101.0	21.5	5.6	35.5	135.1	59.3
	Feb	117.1	21.1	7.1	64.7	126.9	68.5
	Mar	93.0	20.0	28.7	121.6	132.3	64.5
	Apr	141.5	20.7	26.5	133.9	136.3	86.6
	May	147.3	18.4	20.7	119.7	140.8	86.7
	Jun	157.3	22.6	28.9	125.2	142.6	93.8
	Jul	138.7	24.2	23.8	99.9	132.3	83.5
	Aug	128.6	38.4	18.0	76.4	136.1	82.0
	Sep	108.5	36.1	20.2	65.8	155.6	72.4
	Oct	145.1	20.3	22.7	69.5	150.2	82.6
	Nov	122.8	16.8	32.9	69.4	136.1	72.0
	Dec	67.8	17.5	24.3	100.6	153.6	51.2
2026	Jan	108.1	15.8	27.4	95.6	152.5	67.7
	Feb	146.6	28.3	32.5	115.7	130.9	90.4
	Mar	175.2	39.2	40.1	177.2	151.6	113.3
	Apr	155.3	39.9	16.9	141.3	153.1	100.2
	May	135.5	24.8	22.2	142.9	149.0	86.4
	Jun	153.7	35.2	28.4	171.7	153.7	101.3

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Sector Classification	:	The ISIC CODE for this sector is 4620 for live animals and 4621 for slaughtered animals.
Calculations of index	:	The index is calculated based on the 2015 base year volumes and 2015 weights. The index is the magnitude of the volume. Changes over time, with reference to the volume of the base year 2015. The index is calculated as a ratio of the volume of a specific component in a specific month to the total volume of that component in 2015.
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