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COLD STORAGE FACILITIES
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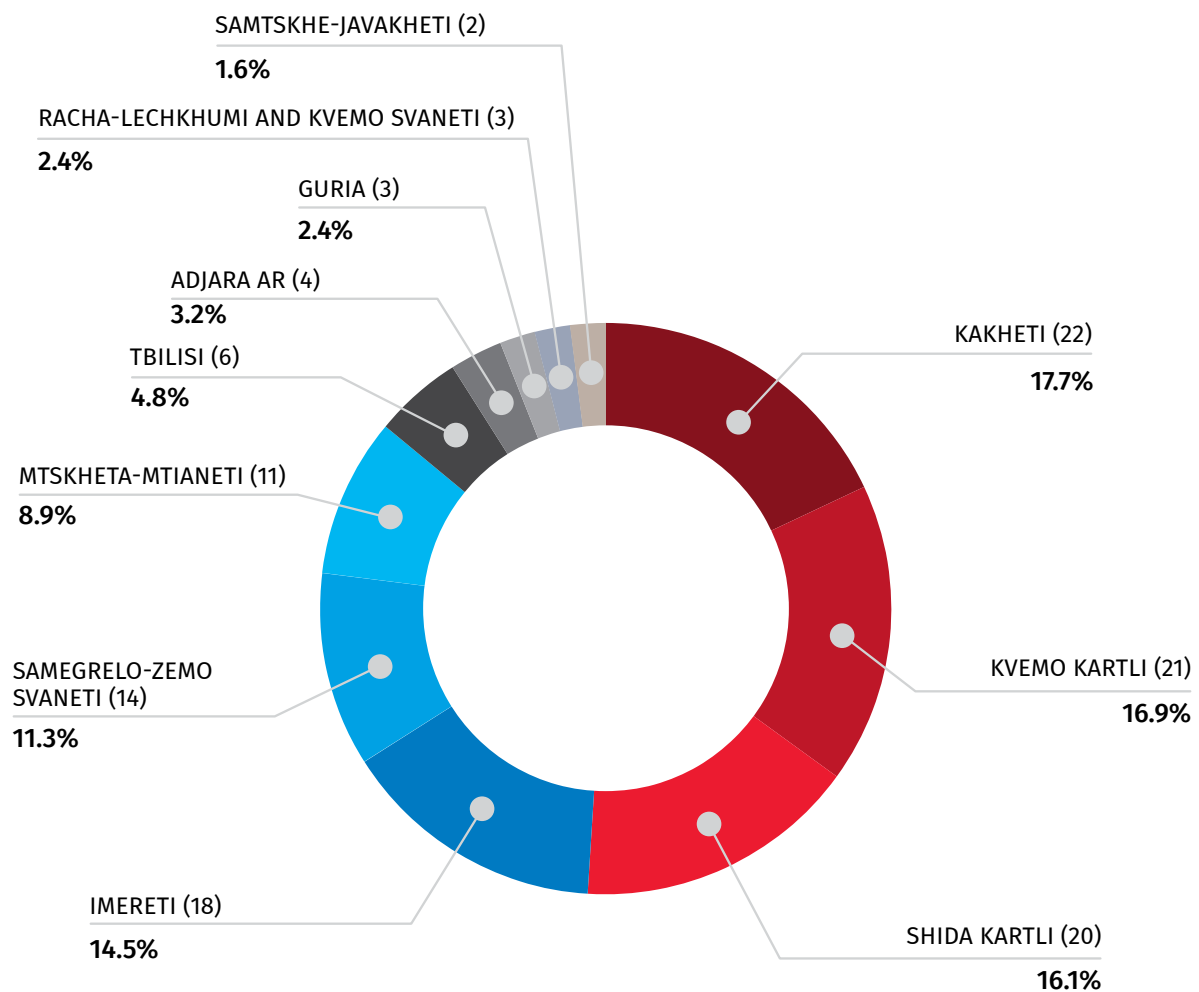
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SLAUGHTERHOUSES

The total number of active livestock and poultry slaughterhouses in Georgia in the IV quarter of 2023 were 124, of which 17.7 percent were located in Kakheti region, 16.9 percent in Kvemo Kartli region, 16.1 percent in Shida Kartli region, 14.5 percent in Imereti region, 11.3 percent in Samegrelo-Zemo Svaneti region, 8.9 percent Mtskheta-Mtianeti region and remained 14.5 percent in other regions:

**ACTIVE LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY SLAUGHTERHOUSES IN GEORGIA BY REGIONS,
IV QUARTER, 2023**



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According to the survey, 137.4 thousand head of livestock were slaughtered in slaughterhouses in the IV quarter of 2023, of which 35.4 percent were cattle, 58.0 percent - pigs and 4.8 percent - sheep and goats. The share of other livestock (excluding poultry) slaughtered is 1.8 percent. In addition, the number of poultry slaughtered in slaughterhouses during the reporting period amounted to 3 179.2 thousand.

In total 17.0 thousand tons of meet (i.e. slaughtered weight, including poultry meat) was produced by slaughterhouses during the IV quarter of 2023, of which 34.3 percent is beef, 34.0 percent – poultry, 30.8 percent – pork, 0.8 percent – mutton and goat meat, while the share of other meet is not negligible.

The service was provided to 11.1 thousand persons, 45.5 percent of which were households. Average monthly number of persons employed in slaughterhouses equaled 1 073 persons.

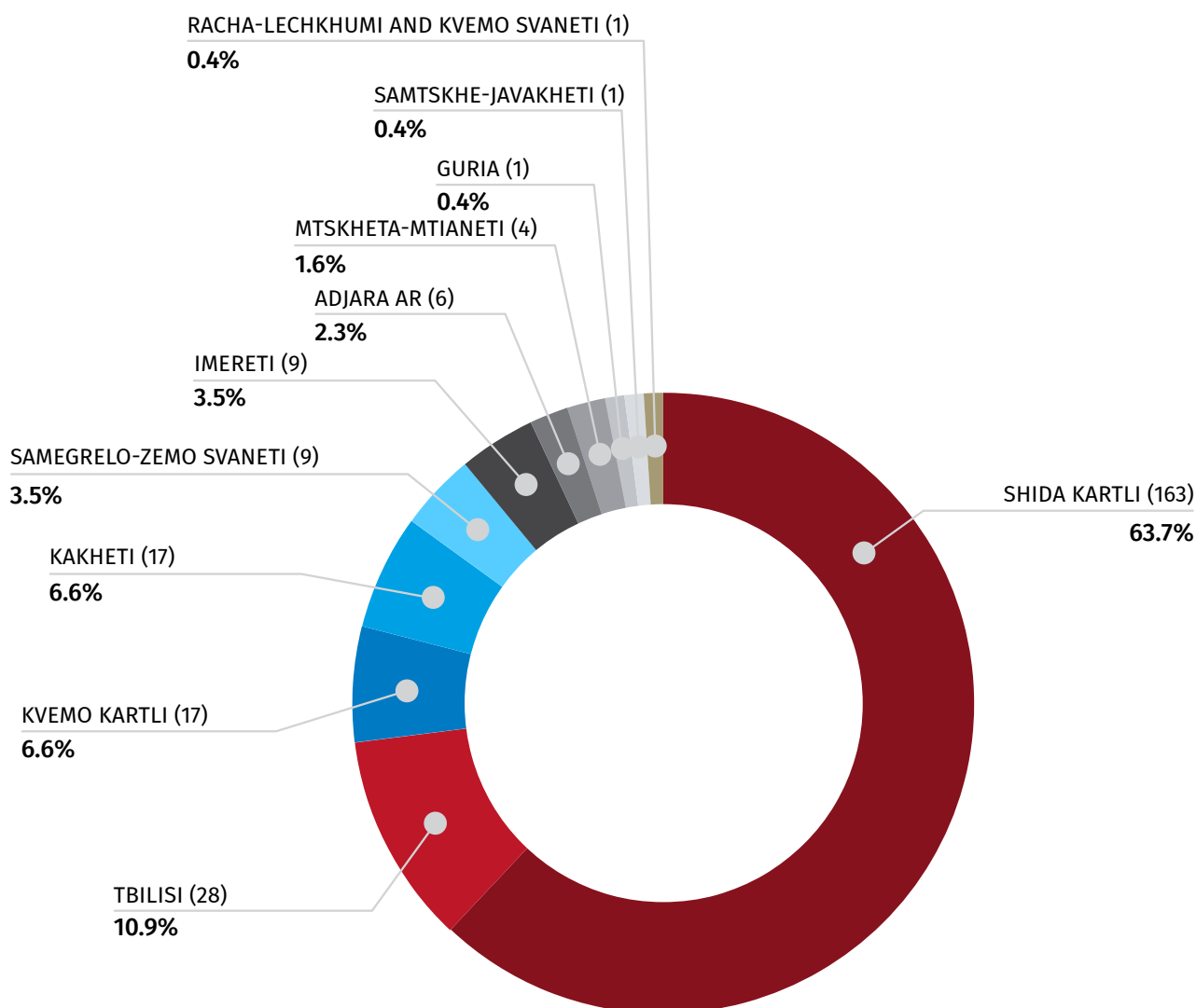
The average prices of the slaughter services were: 35.7 GEL per cattle, 13.9 GEL per sheep or goat and 30.2 GEL per pig.

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COLD STORAGE FACILITIES

In the IV quarter of 2023 the number of active cold storage facilities in Georgia was 256 and most of them were located in Shida Kartli region (63.7 percent). Active cold storage facilities were also located in Tbilisi (10.9 percent), Kvemo Kartli region (6.6 percent), Kakheti region (6.6 percent), Samegrelo-Zemo Svaneti region (3.5 percent), Imereti region (3.5 percent), Adjara AR (2.3 percent), Mtskheta-Mtianeti region (1.6 percent), Samtskhe-Javakheti region (0.4 percent), Racha-Lechkhumi (0.4 percent) and Guria region (0.4 percent):

ACTIVE COLD STORAGE FACILITIES IN GEORGIA BY REGIONS, IV QUARTER, 2023

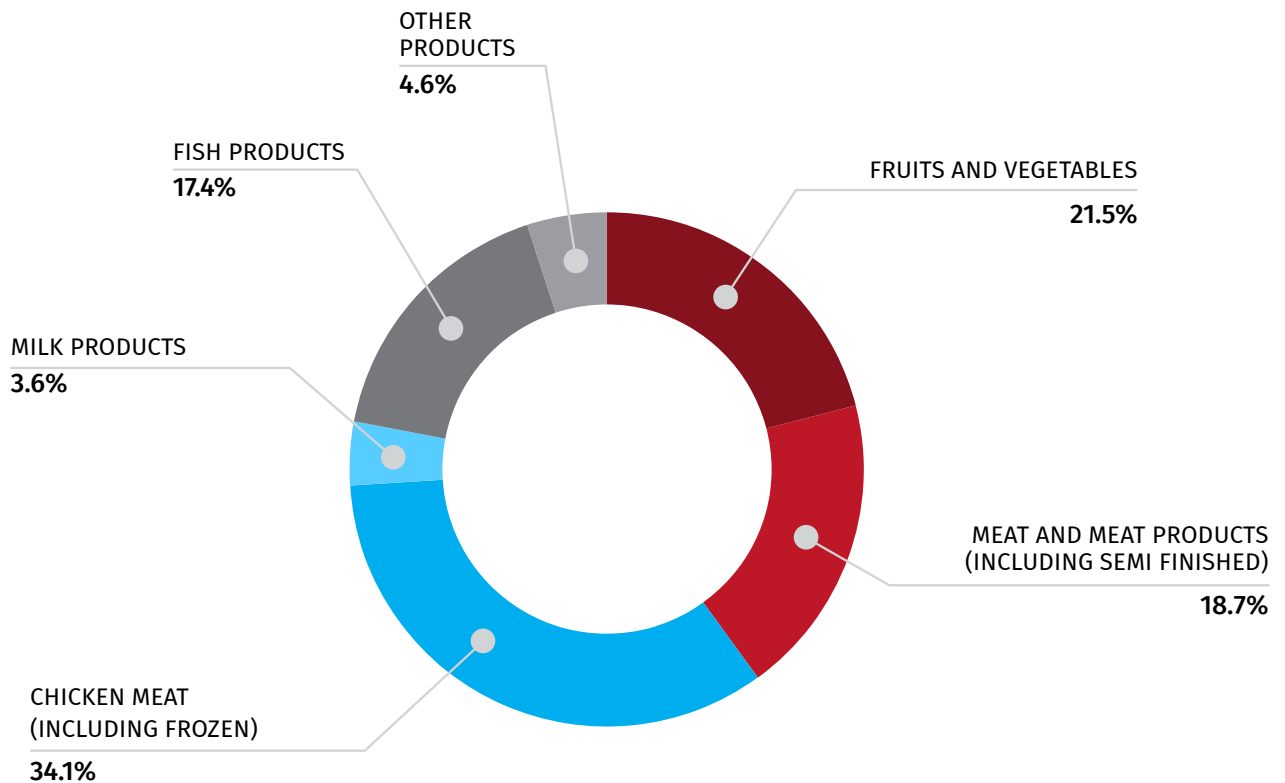


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In the IV quarter of 2023, the service was provided to 329 customers. The number of producers and resellers, from whom the products were purchased, amounted to 956 persons. Average monthly number of persons employed in cold storage facilities were 1 369.

In total 74.8 thousand tons of products were stored in cold storage facilities during the IV quarter of 2023, of which 34.1 percent was chicken meat (including frozen meat), 21.5 percent – fruit and vegetable, 18.7 percent – meat and meat products (including semi-finished products, excluded chicken meat), 17.4 percent – fish, while remaining products had a small share:

**PRODUCTS STORED IN COLD STORAGE FACILITIES,
IV QUARTER, 2023**



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In the IV quarter of 2023, the share of own production in the total volume of products stored in cold storage facilities was 25.9 percent, while the share of products purchased for further resale was 25.4 percent and the share of products stored as services was 48.7 percent. The service fee at the same period amounted to 6.6 million GEL.

In the IV quarter of 2023, the total cost of products (22.3 thousand tones) sold by cold storage facilities amounted 131.7 million GEL, of which the share of imported products was 25.2 percent, share of own production was 25.3 percent and the share of products (local) purchased for resale was 49.4 percent. Herewith, 56.6 percent of own production sold by cold storage facilities was chicken meat. Significant share of imported products was chicken meat (including frozen) (31.9 percent), meat and meat products (including semi-finished products) (42.6 percent) and fish (10.4 percent).

In the IV quarter of 2023, the value of products sold by cold storage facilities on the foreign market amounted to 5.5 million GEL, which constituted to 4.2 percent of the total value of products sold in the same period. Mostly chicken meat, fish, fruits and vegetables were sold on the foreign markets.

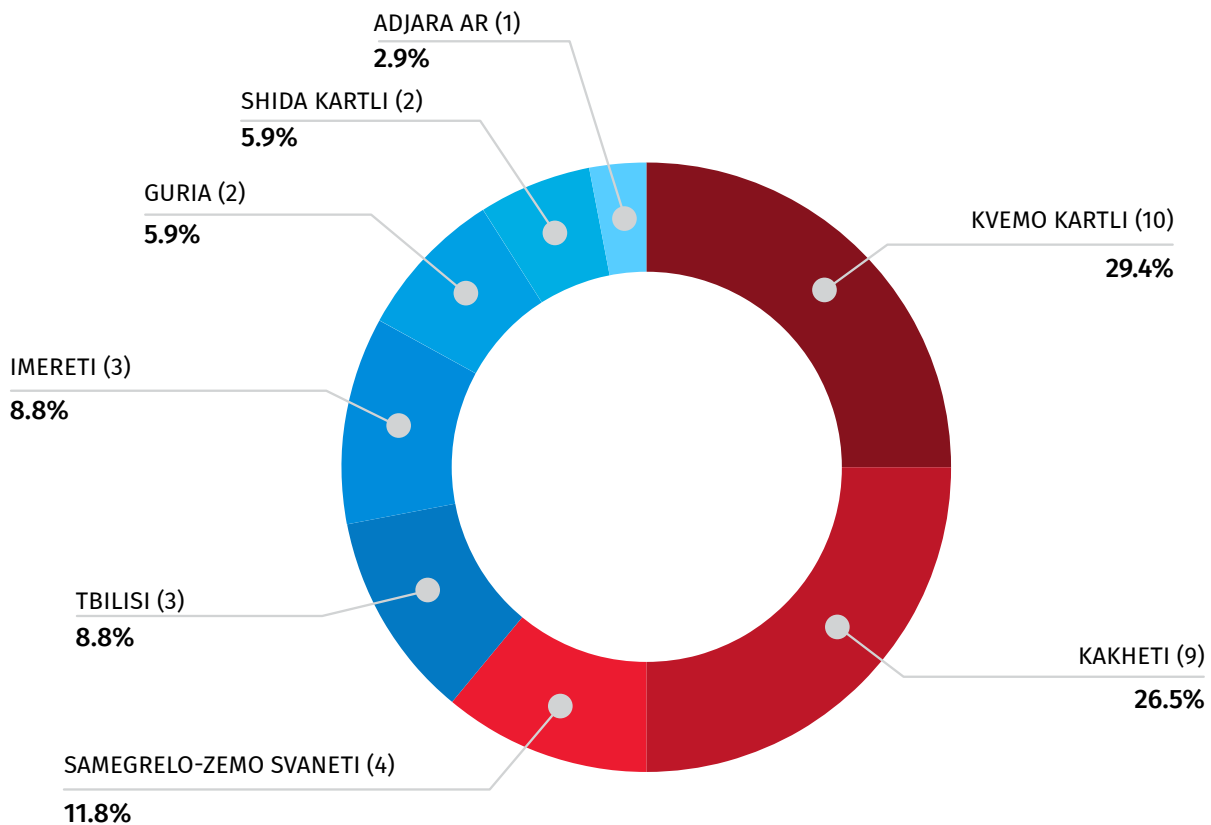
According to the survey results, the average daily load per storage (out of total storage capacity in percent) was 58.7 percent in October, 59.5 percent in November and 56.3 percent in December.

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ELEVATORS

The total number of active elevators in Georgia in the IV quarter of 2023 were 34 and most of them were located in Kvemo Kartli (29.4 percent) and in Kakheti (26.5 percent) regions, while 11.8 percent of active elevators were located in Samegrelo-Zemo Svaneti region, 8.8 percent in Tbilisi, 8.8 percent in Imereti region, 5.9 percent in Guria region, 5.9 percent in Shida Kartli and 2.9 percent in Adjara AR:

**ACTIVE ELEVATORS IN GEORGIA BY REGIONS,
IV QUARTER, 2023**



In the IV quarter of 2023, the service was provided to 21 customers. The number of producers and resellers, from whom the product were purchased, was 53 persons, while the average monthly number of persons employed in cold storage facilities equaled 427.

In total 129.1 thousand tons of products were stored in elevators during the IV quarter of 2023, 51.6 percent of which was wheat. The share of products purchased by the elevators for resale in the total amount of products stored in the elevators was 69.7 percent at the same period.

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Total amount of products sold by the elevators during the IV quarter of 2023 amounted 874 thousand tones (total cost – 96.0 million GEL), 60.7 percent of which was imported production.

The biggest share among own production had wheat flour, which constituted to 85.4 percent of total own production sold by the elevators at the same period.

According to survey results, average daily load per storage (out of total capacity of storages in percent) amounted to 55.5 percent in October, 57.3 percent in November and 49.4 percent in December.

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