FDF Prices Dashboard

Data up to March 2023

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Category		Value	Monthly change, %	Yearly change, %
UK food and non-alcoholic drink inflation (CPIH)				
UK food	Index	130.1	▲ 1.2%	▲ 19.7%
UK non-alcoholic drink	Index	130.3	— 0.0%	▲ 14.2%
UK producer prices (PPI)				
Input prices: domestic food	Index	146.3	▲ 0.8%	▲ 15.1%
Input prices: imported food	Index	170.9	▲ 0.9%	▲ 29.1%
Output prices: food for domestic market	Index	133.7	▲ 0.5%	▲ 15.5%
Energy prices and transportation				
Crude oil, brent ($/bbl)	Price	79	▼ - 5.1%	▼ - 32.1%
Natural gas ($/mmbtu)	Price	14	▼ - 16.5%	▼ - 67.4%
UK natural gas (£/thm)	Price	118	▲ 2.2%	▼ - 60.6%
Shipping container rates	Index	1558.8	▼ - 22.5%	▼ - 83.8%
UK haulage	Index	115.3	▲ 0.4%	▲ 2.8%
Fertiliser	Index	258.7	▼ - 12.3%	▲ 18.3%
Packaging				
Paper and paperboard	Index	141.4	▼ - 0.7%	▲ 8.9%
Wooden containers	Index	159.5	▲ 0.5%	▲ 6.3%
Aluminium ($/mt)	Price	2,296	▼ - 5.0%	▼ - 34.4%
Agricultural raw materials				
Sunflower oil ($/mt)	Price	1,075	▼ - 7.2%	▼ - 54.5%
Rapeseed oil ($/mt)	Price	1,054	▼ - 11.3%	▼ - 51.3%
Palm oil ($/mt)	Price	972	▲ 2.3%	▼ - 45.3%
Wheat, US HRW ($/mt) *	Price	370	▼ - 6.3%	▼ - 23.9%
Maize ($/mt)	Price	282	▼ - 5.3%	▼ - 15.8%
Rice ($/mt)	Price	476	▼ - 3.3%	▲ 12.8%
Feed wheat (UK)	Index	221	▼ - 4.2%	▲ 15.9%
Sugar ($/kg)	Price	0.45	▲ 1.4%	▲ 7.7%
Cheese (£/tonne)	Price	3,670	▼ - 0.3%	▼ - 14.3%
Butter (£/tonne)	Price	4,060	▲ 3.6%	▼ - 25.6%
Skimmed milk powder (£/tonne)	Price	2,230	▲ 1.4%	▼ - 33.0%
Eggs (UK)	Index	118.5	— 0.0%	▲ 18.9%
Beef (UK)	Index	135.8	▼ - 0.6%	▲ 11.7%
Chicken (UK)	Index	140.9	▲ 16.8%	▲ 22.5%
Pork (UK)	Index	154.2	▲ 1.2%	▲ 46.3%
Potatoes (UK) *	Index	115.8	▲ 0.3%	▲ 20.4%
Fish (UK)	Index	137.9	▲ 0.1%	▲ 17.1%

* Wheat, US SRW price is tracked on the same chart.
* Consumer prices for potatoes are being tracked. Producer prices for potatoes haven't been updated since June 2021.

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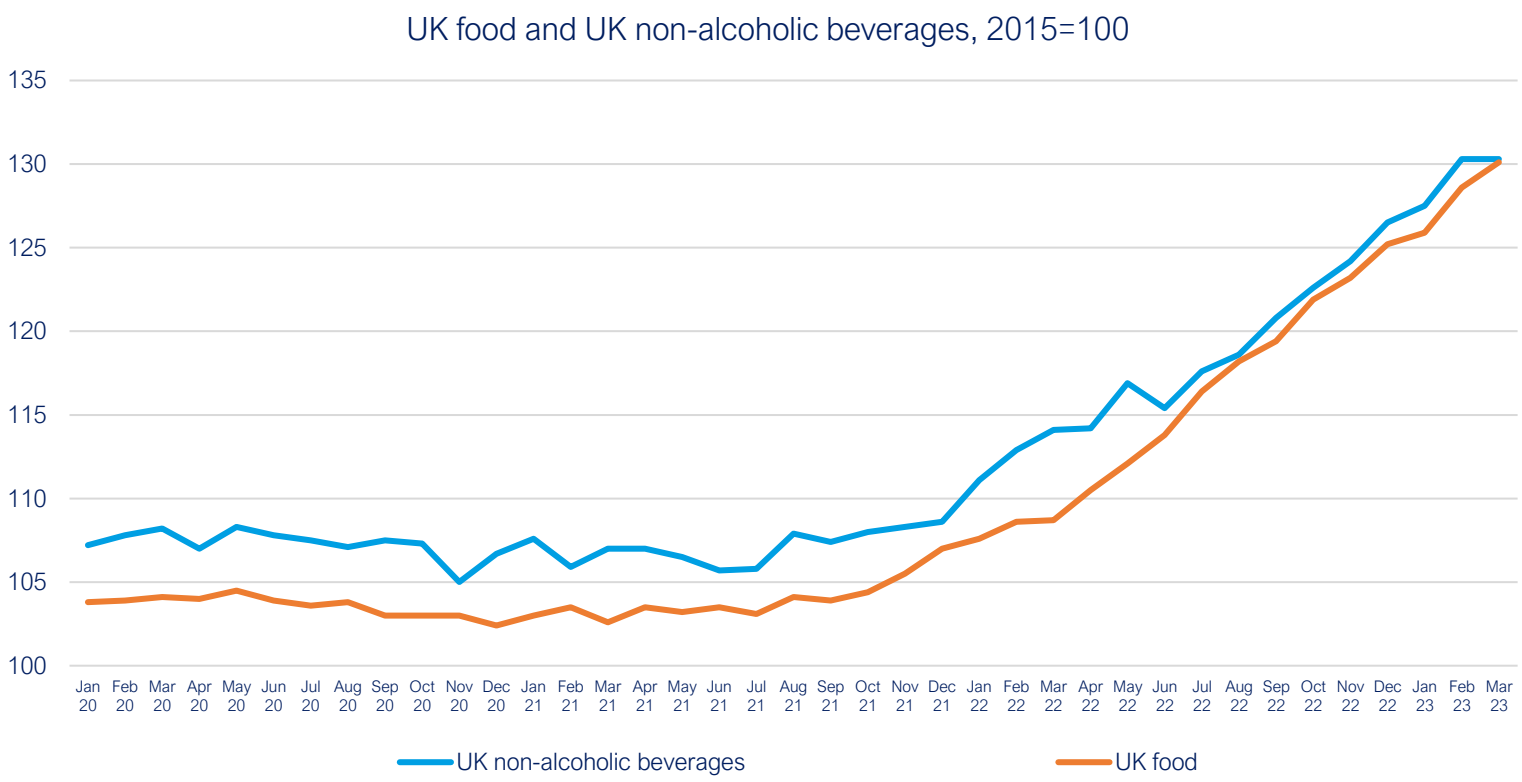
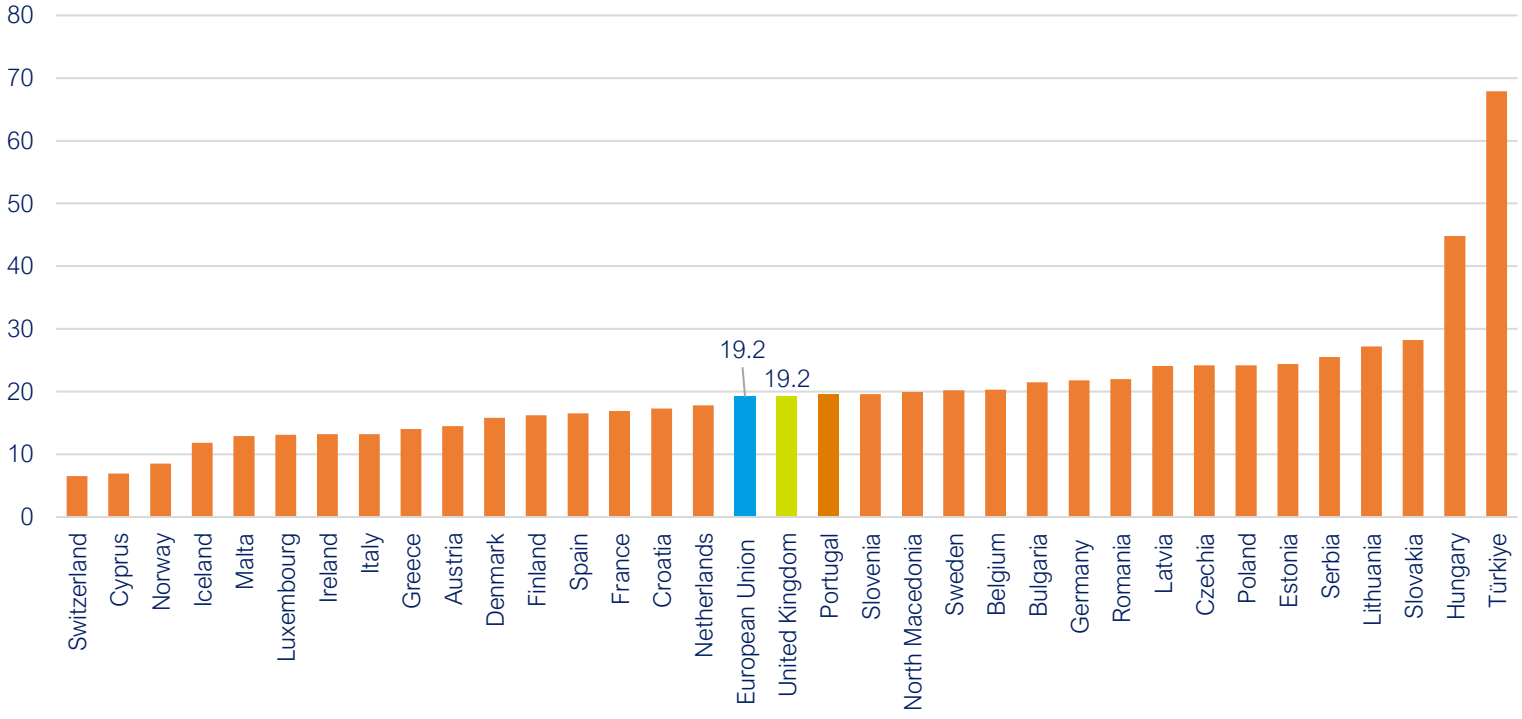


Source: Office for National Statistics

Food and drink inflation comparison with Europe



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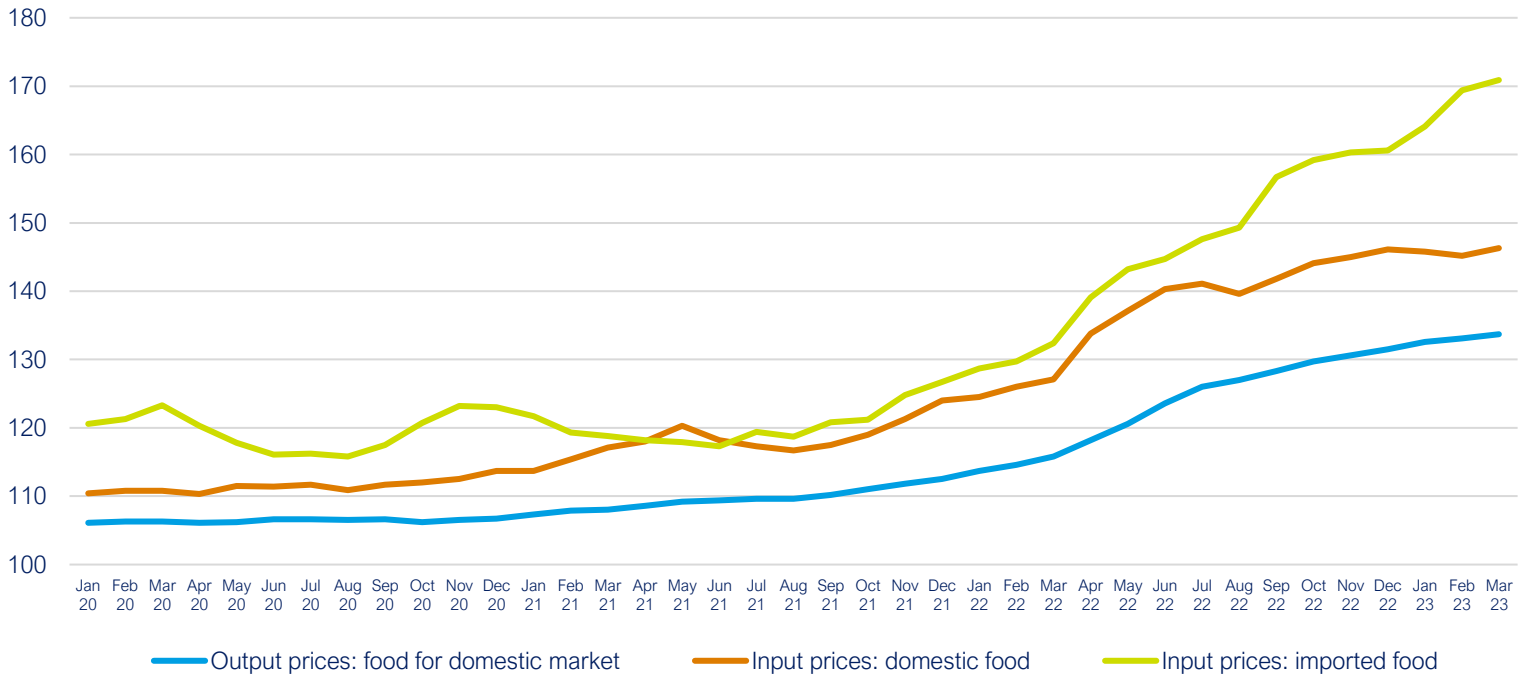
UK producer prices (PPI)

Input prices (domestic food), input prices (imported food), output prices (food for domestic market), 2015 = 100



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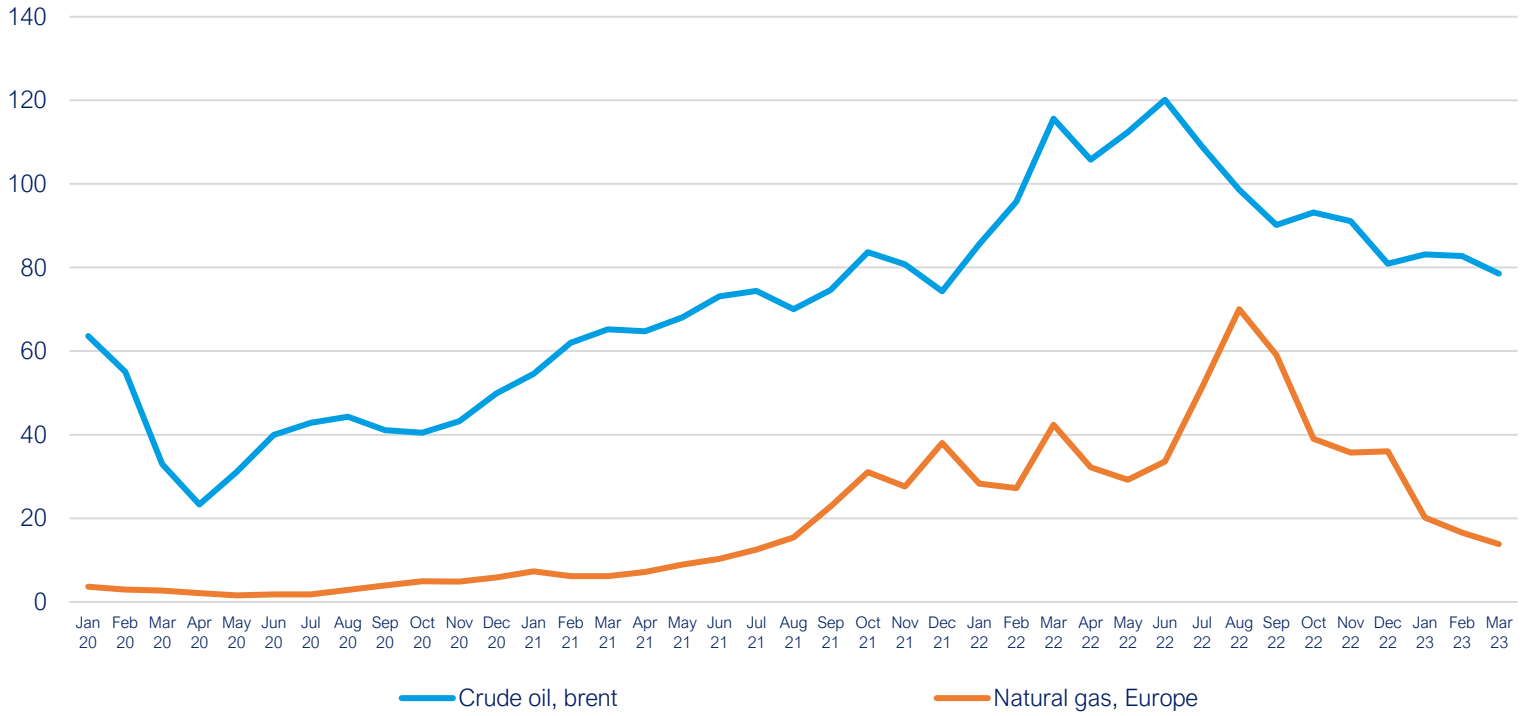
Energy prices and transportation

Crude oil ($/bbl) and natural gas ($/mmbtu)



Source: World Bank Commodity Price Data

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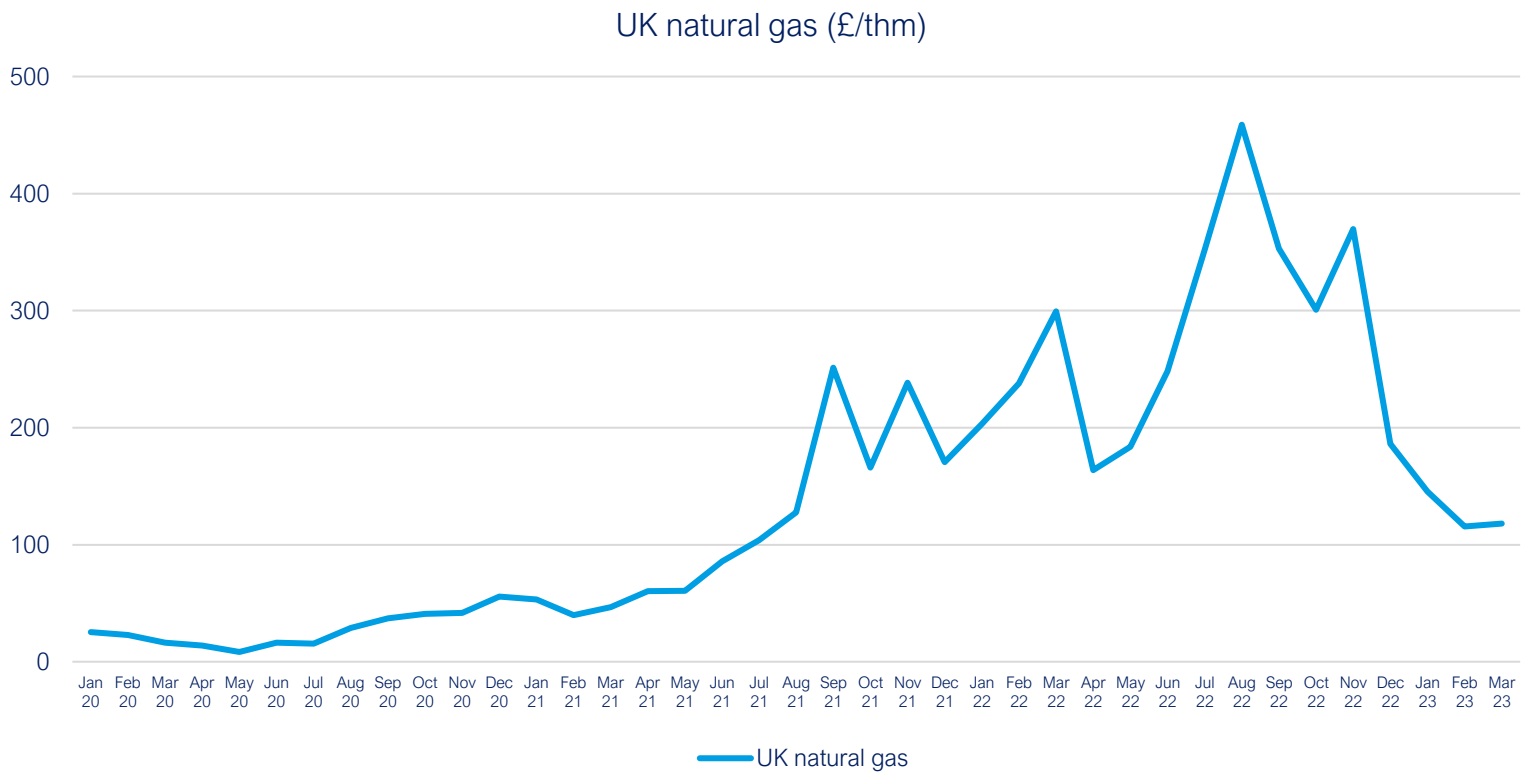
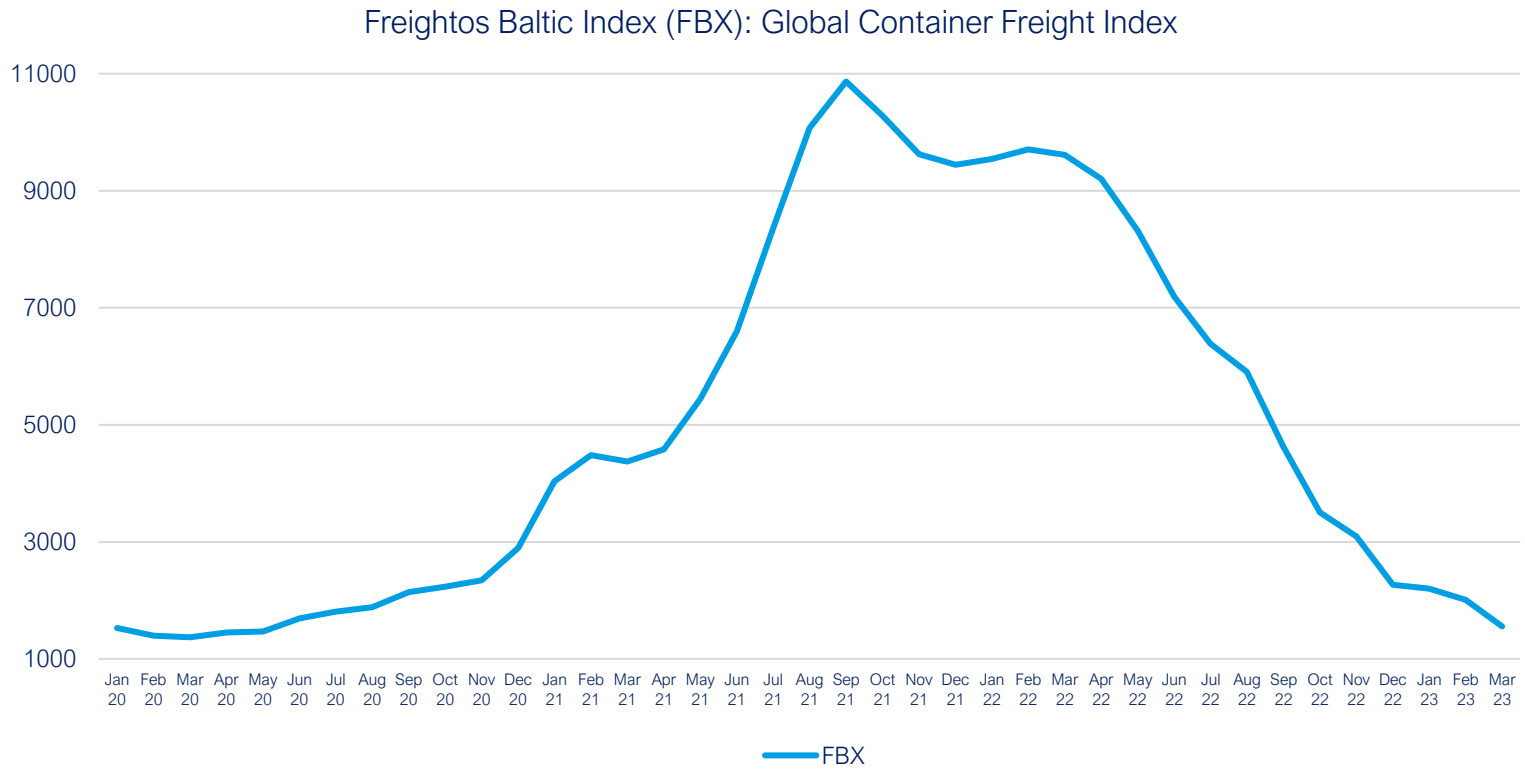


Source: Trading Economics



Source: Freightos, Global Container Index

Note: Each monthly index value is an average of the weekly index values of that month

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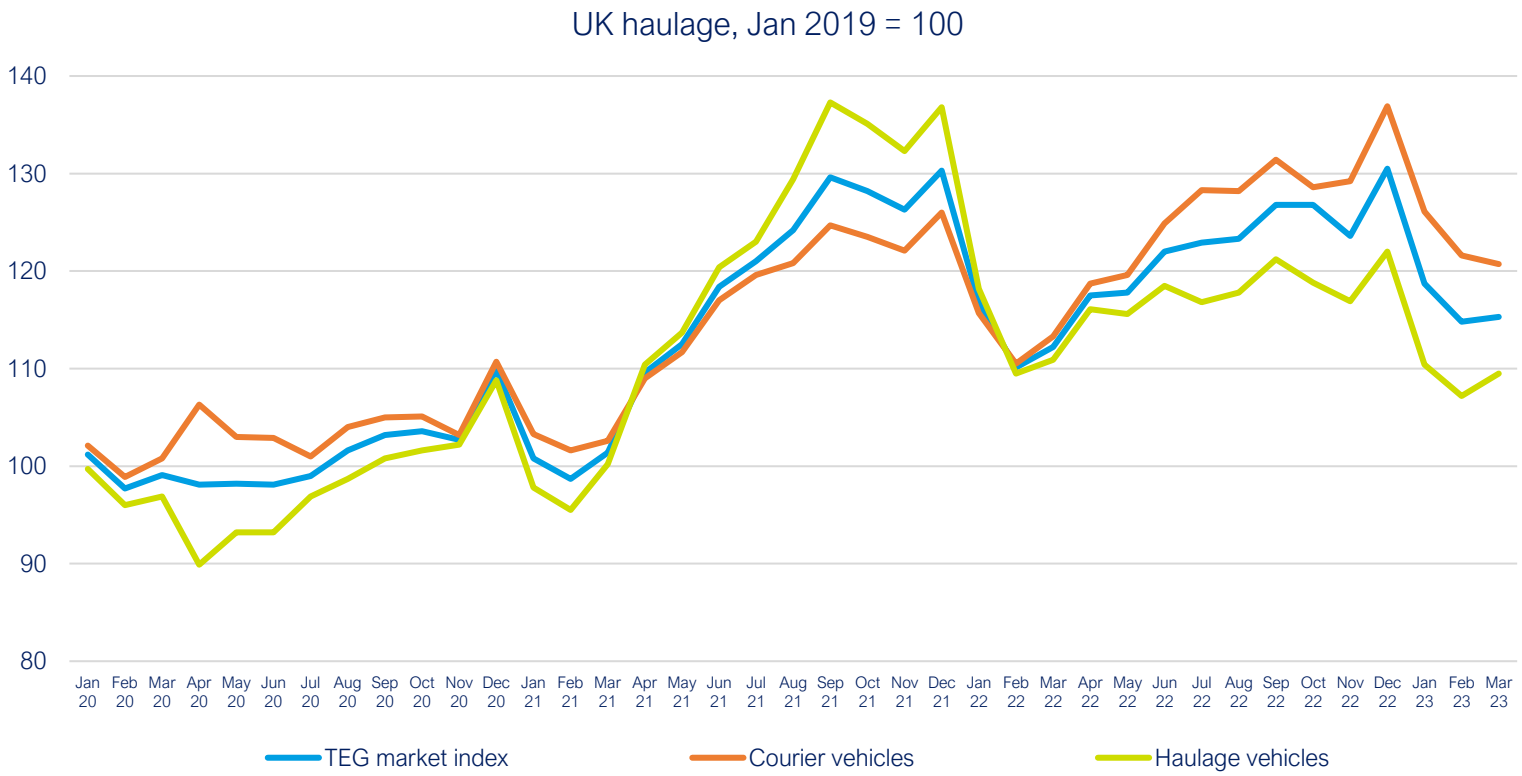
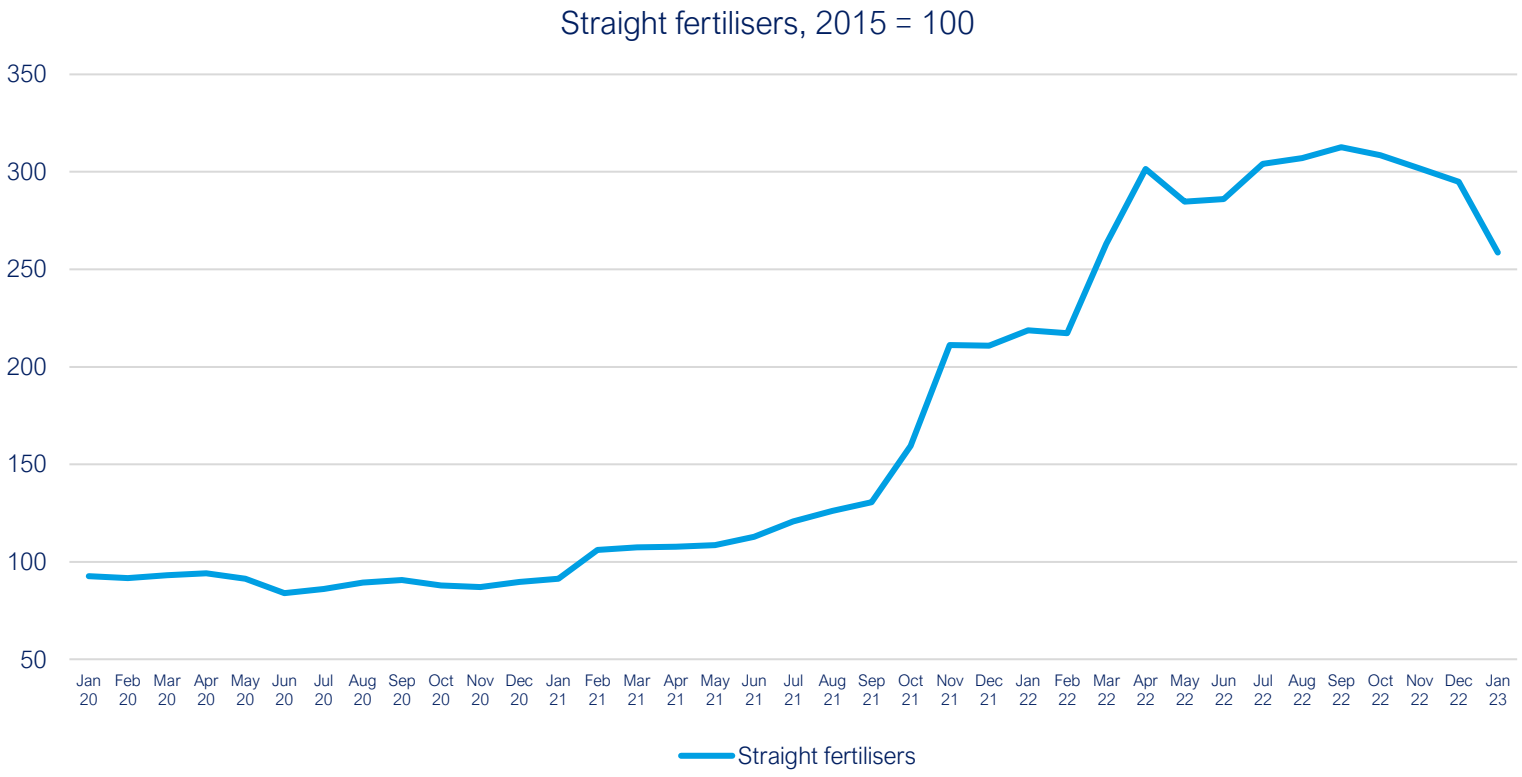


Source: Transport Exchange Group



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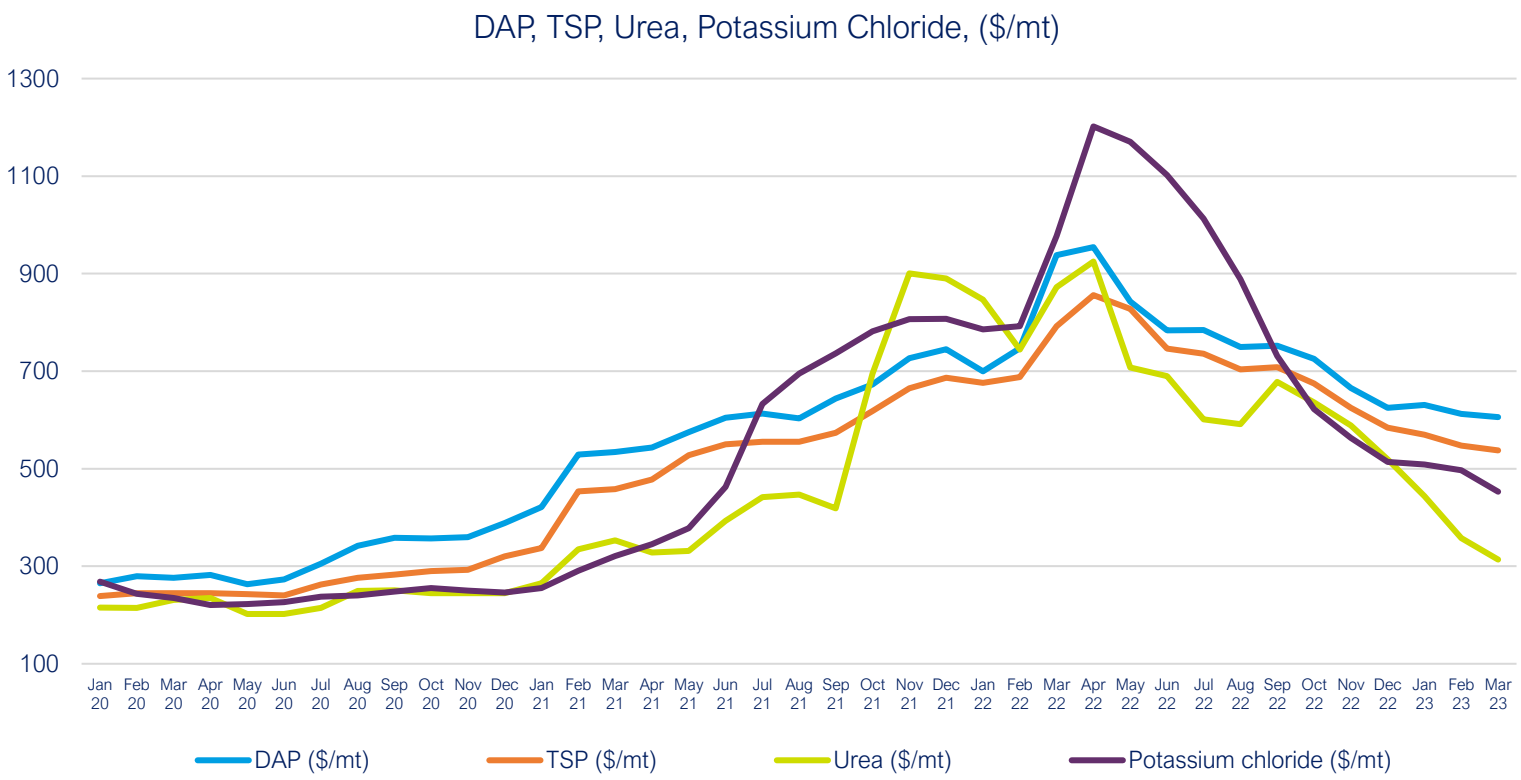
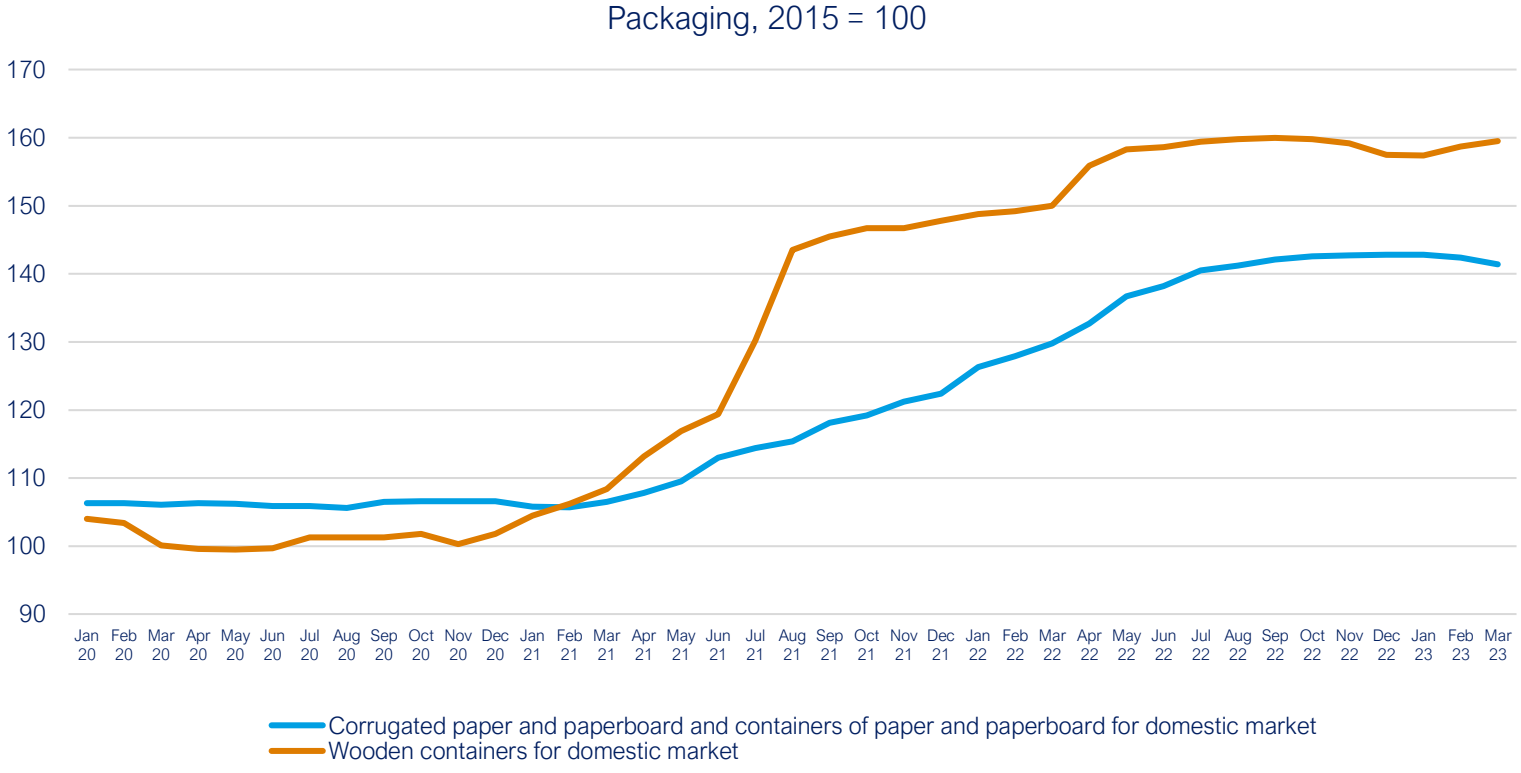


Source: World Bank Commodity Price Data

Packaging



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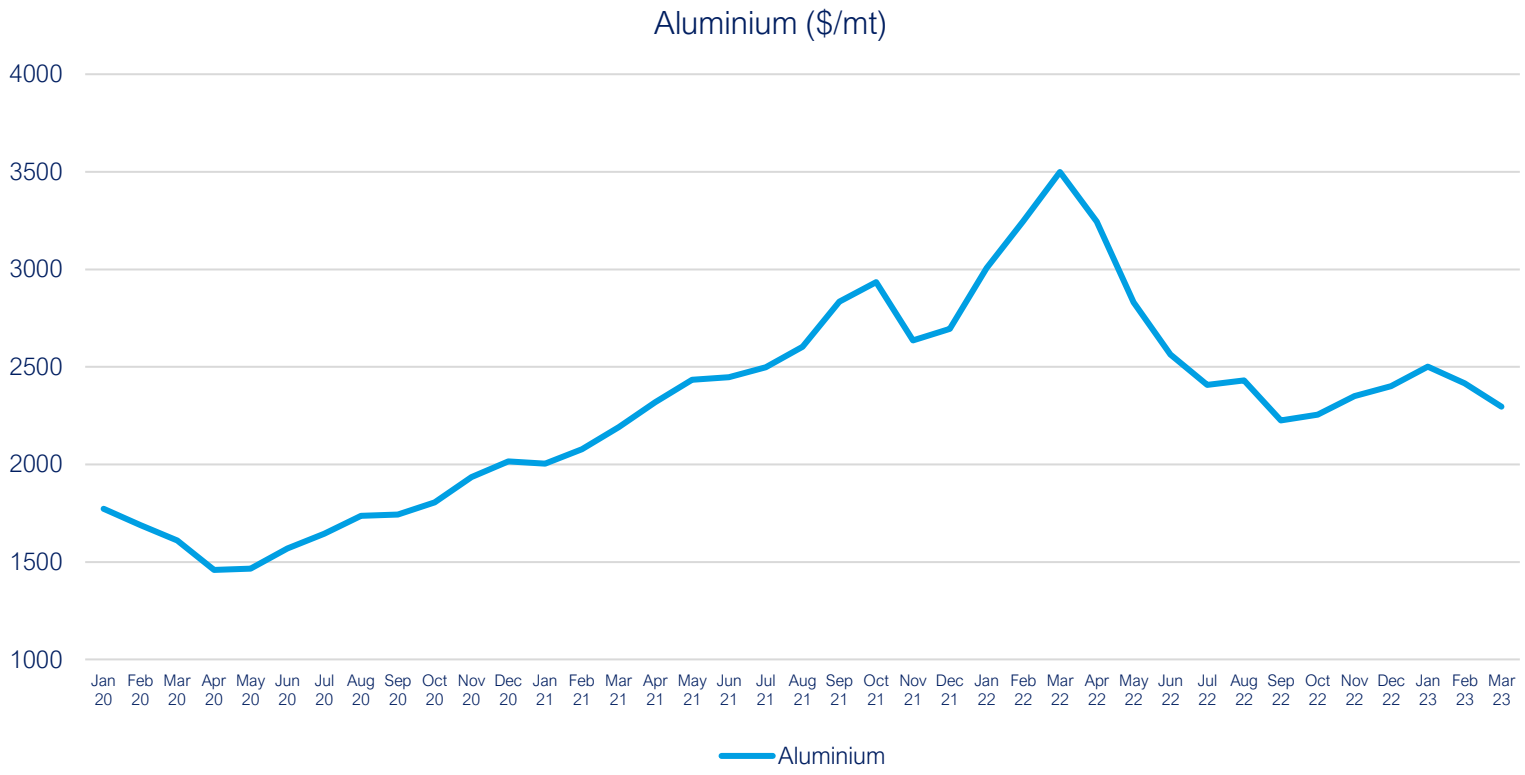

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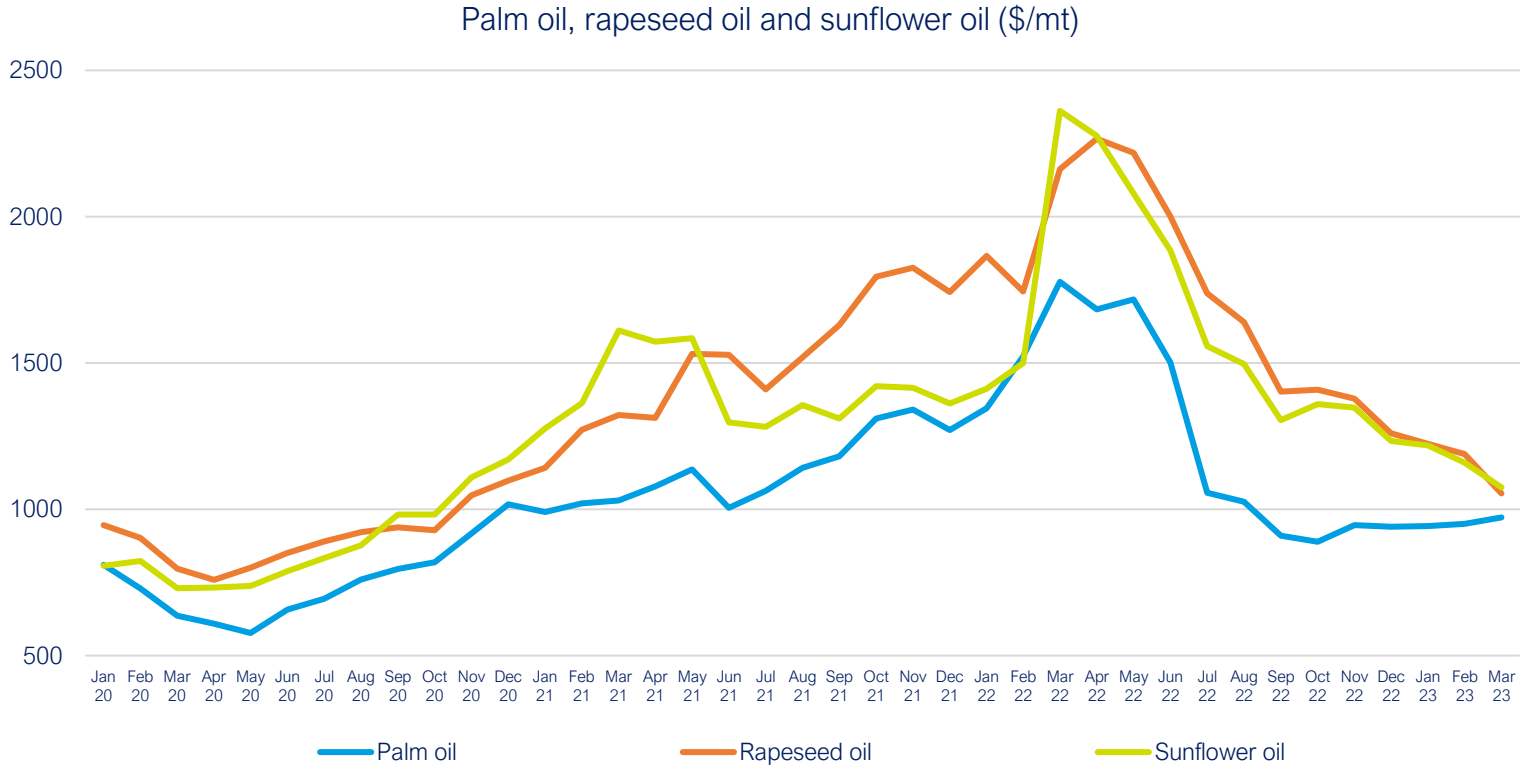
Agricultural raw materials



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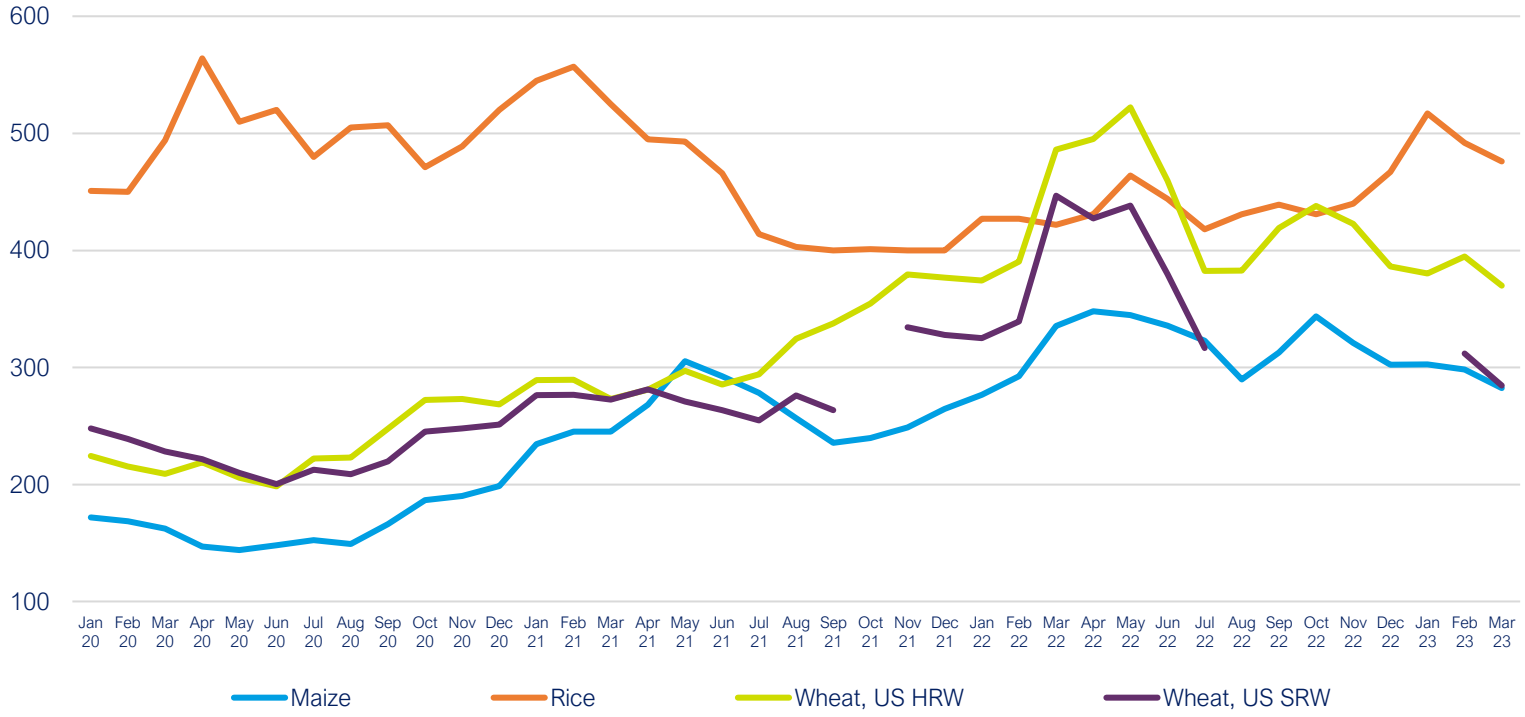
Maize, rice and wheat ($/mt)



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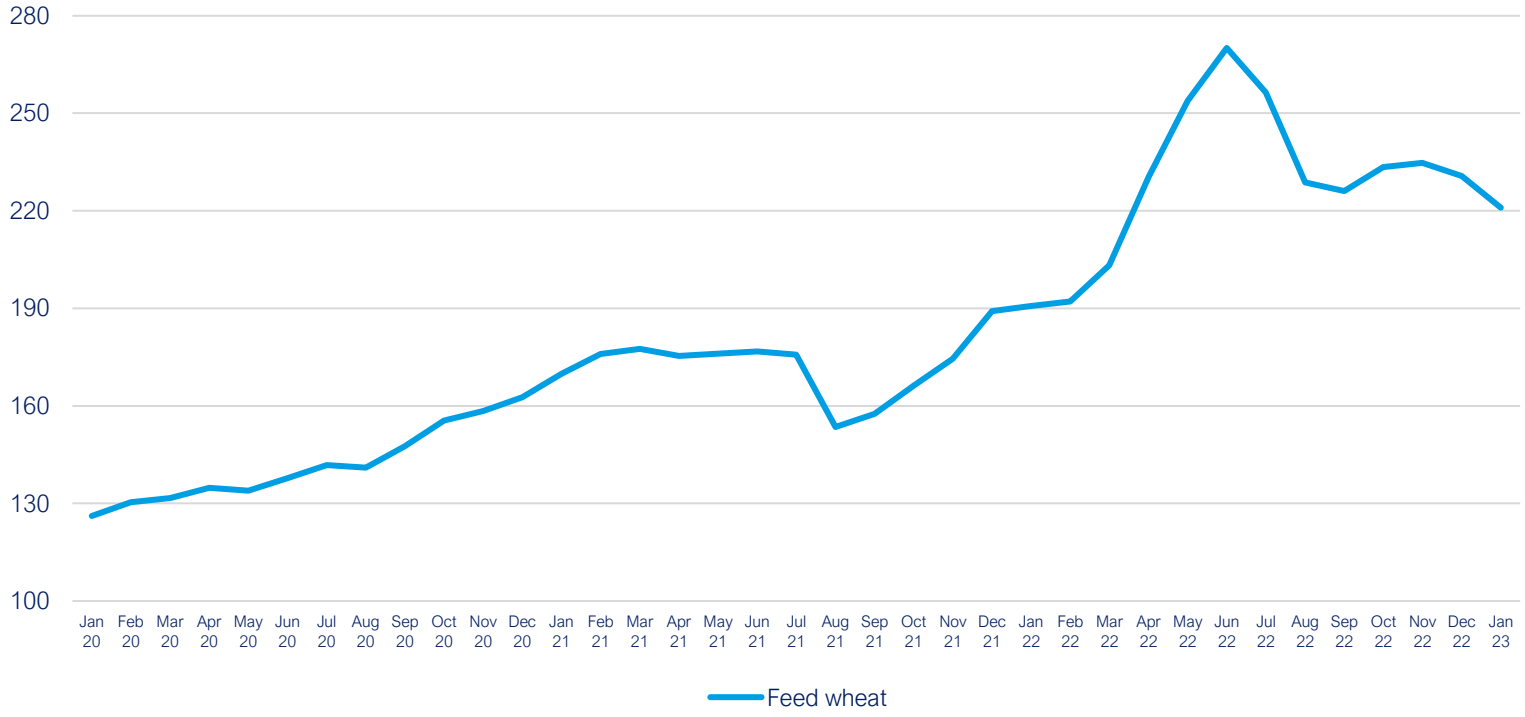
Note: Gaps in the Wheat, US SRW line are as a result of missing data for October 2021 and August, September, October, November, December 2022, January 2023.

Feed wheat, 2015 = 100



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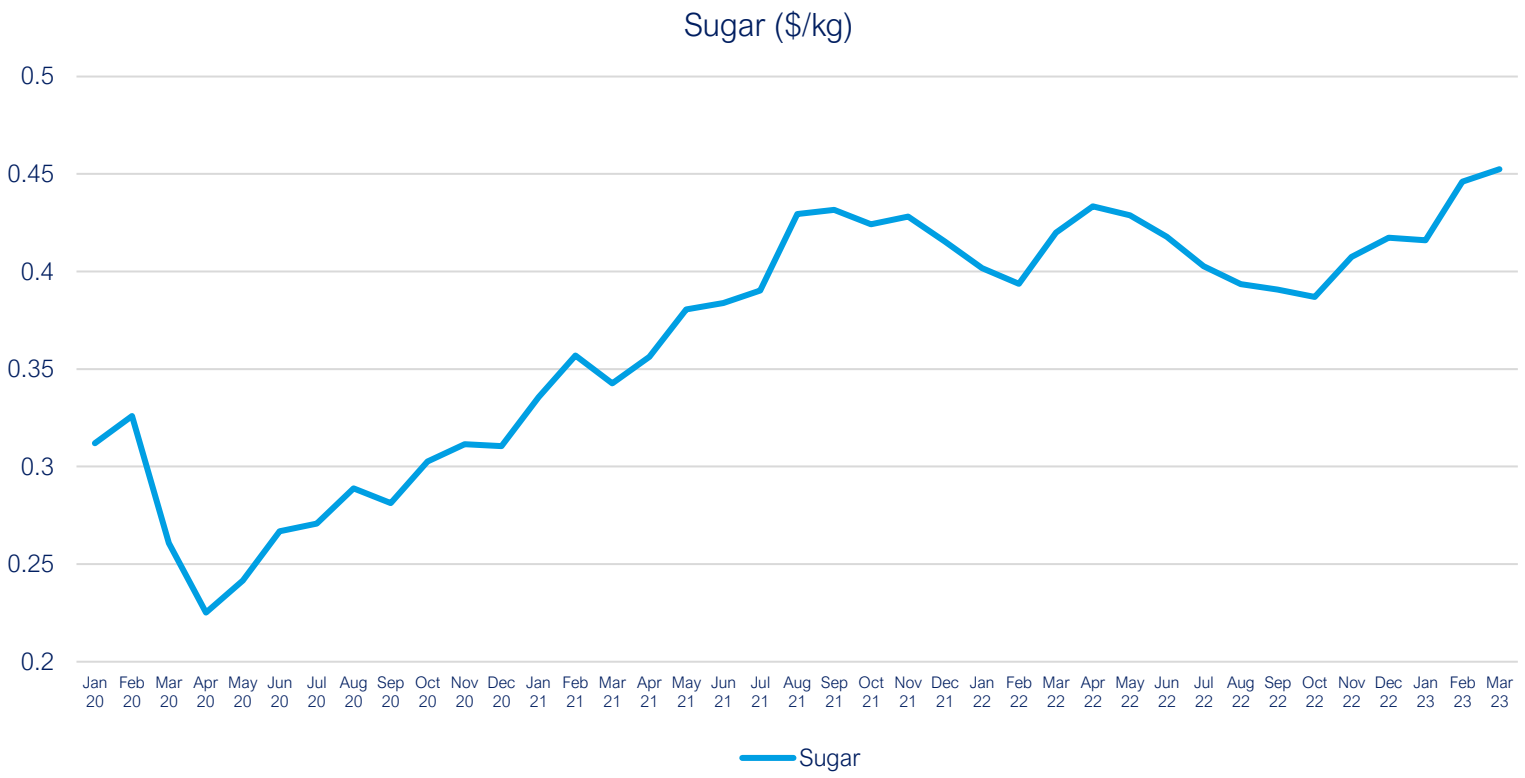

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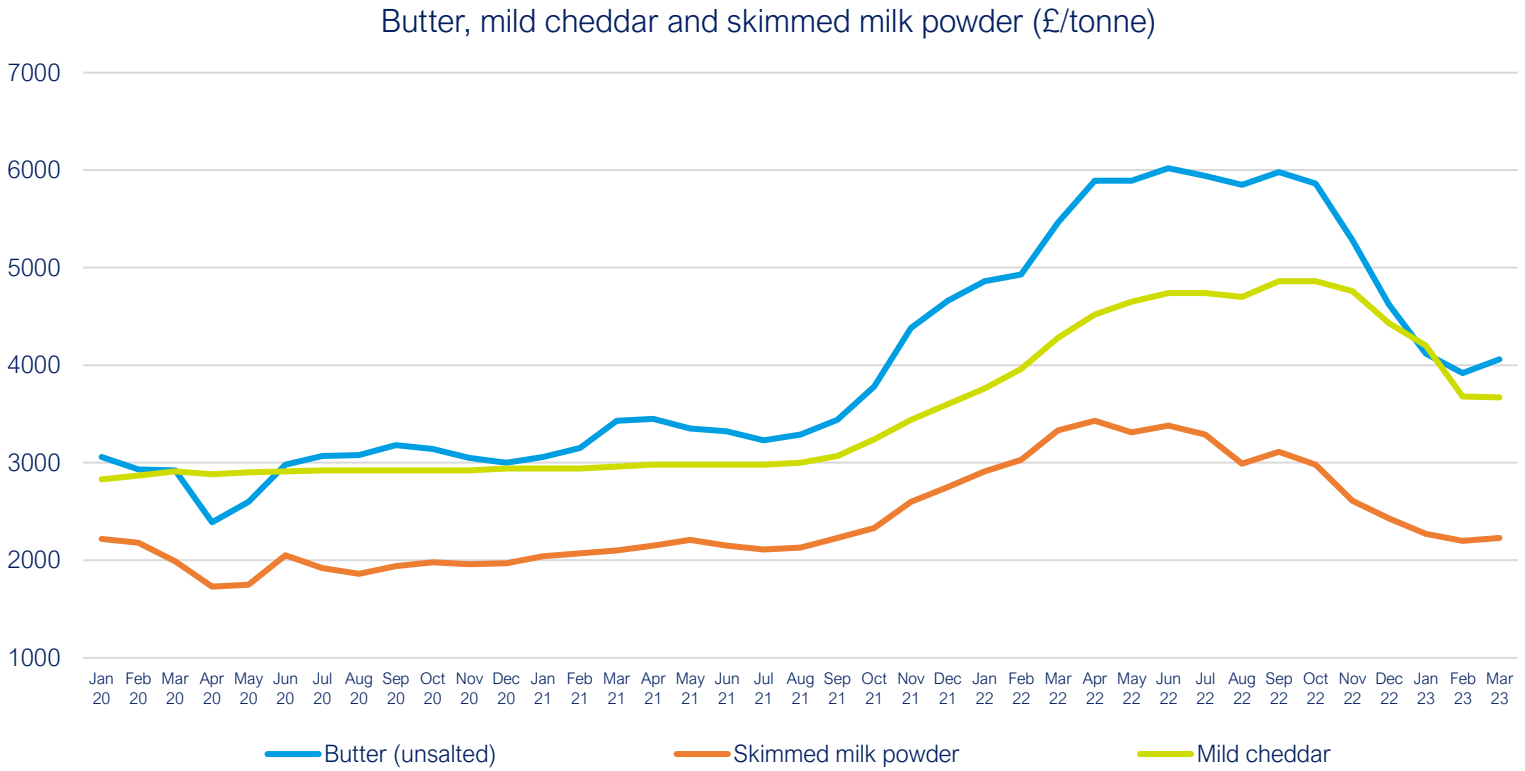

Source: Agriculture and Horticulture Development Board (AHDB)

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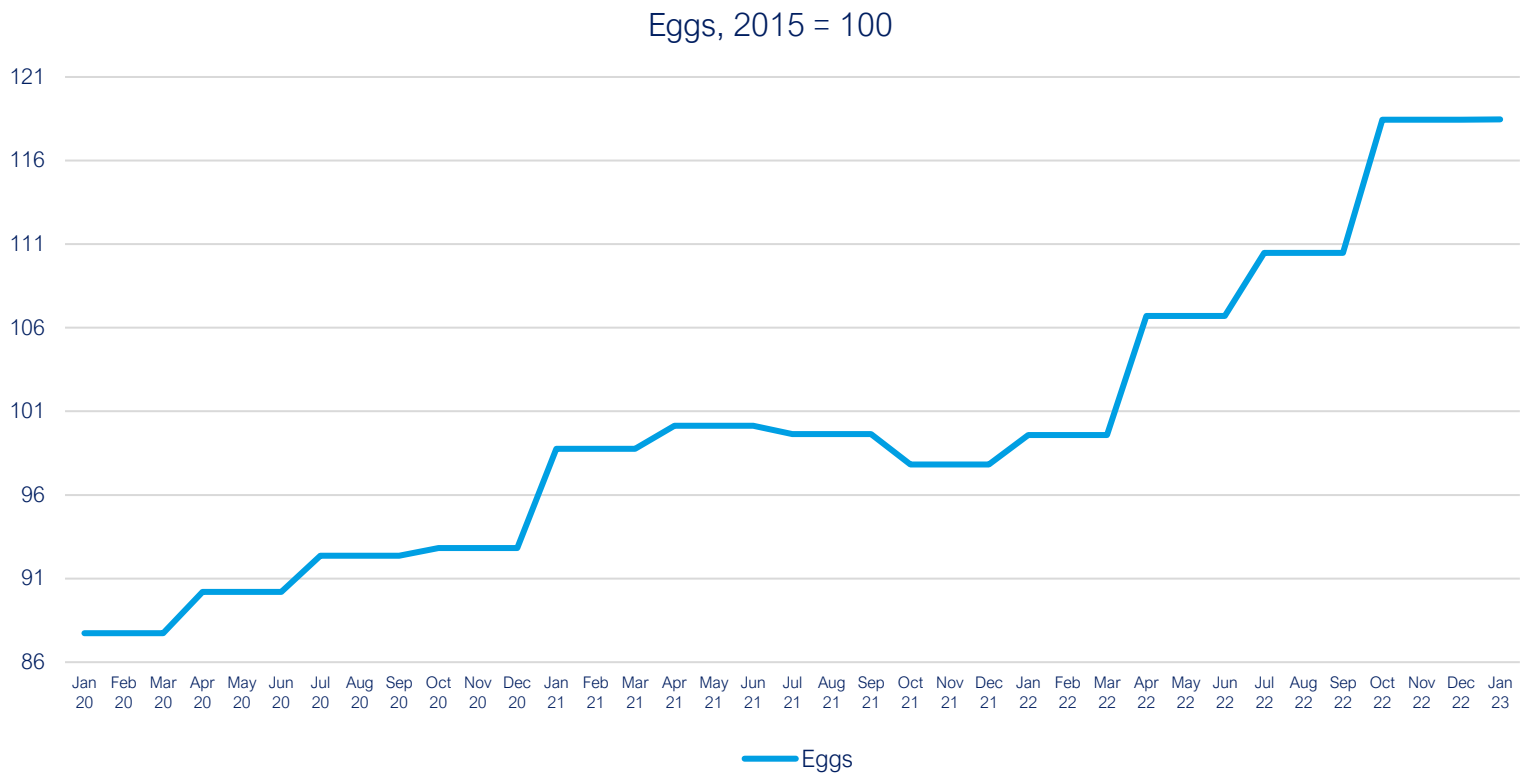

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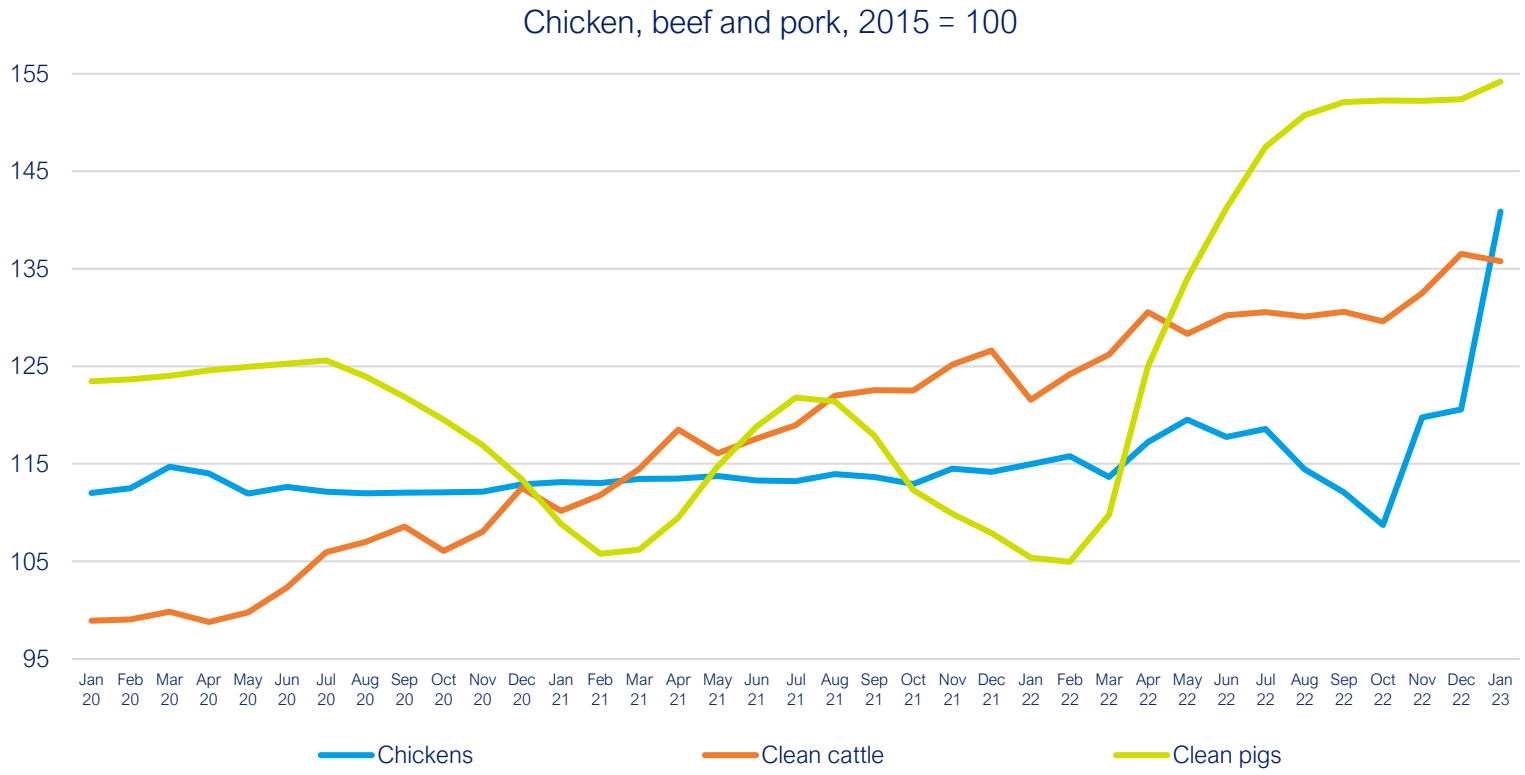

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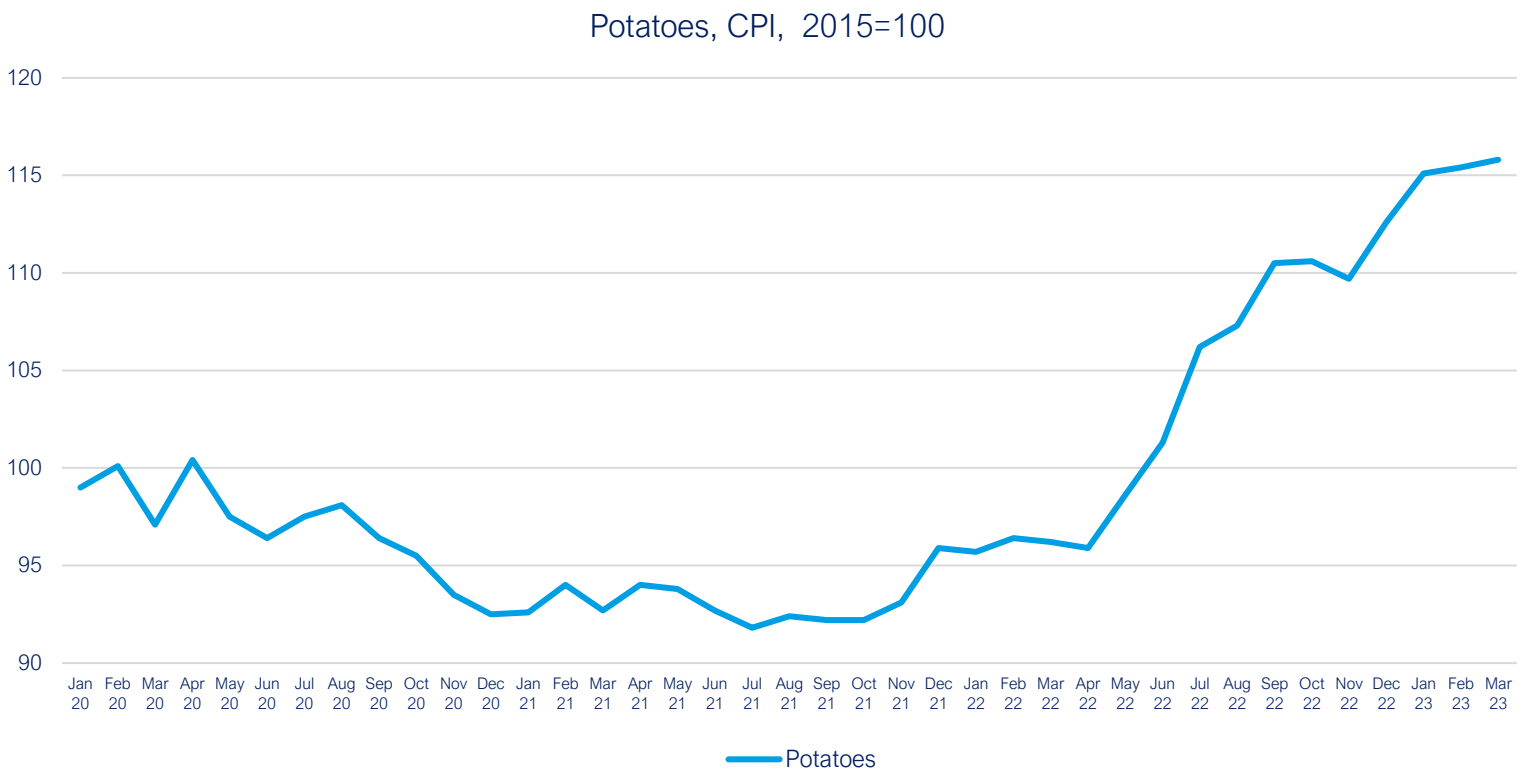

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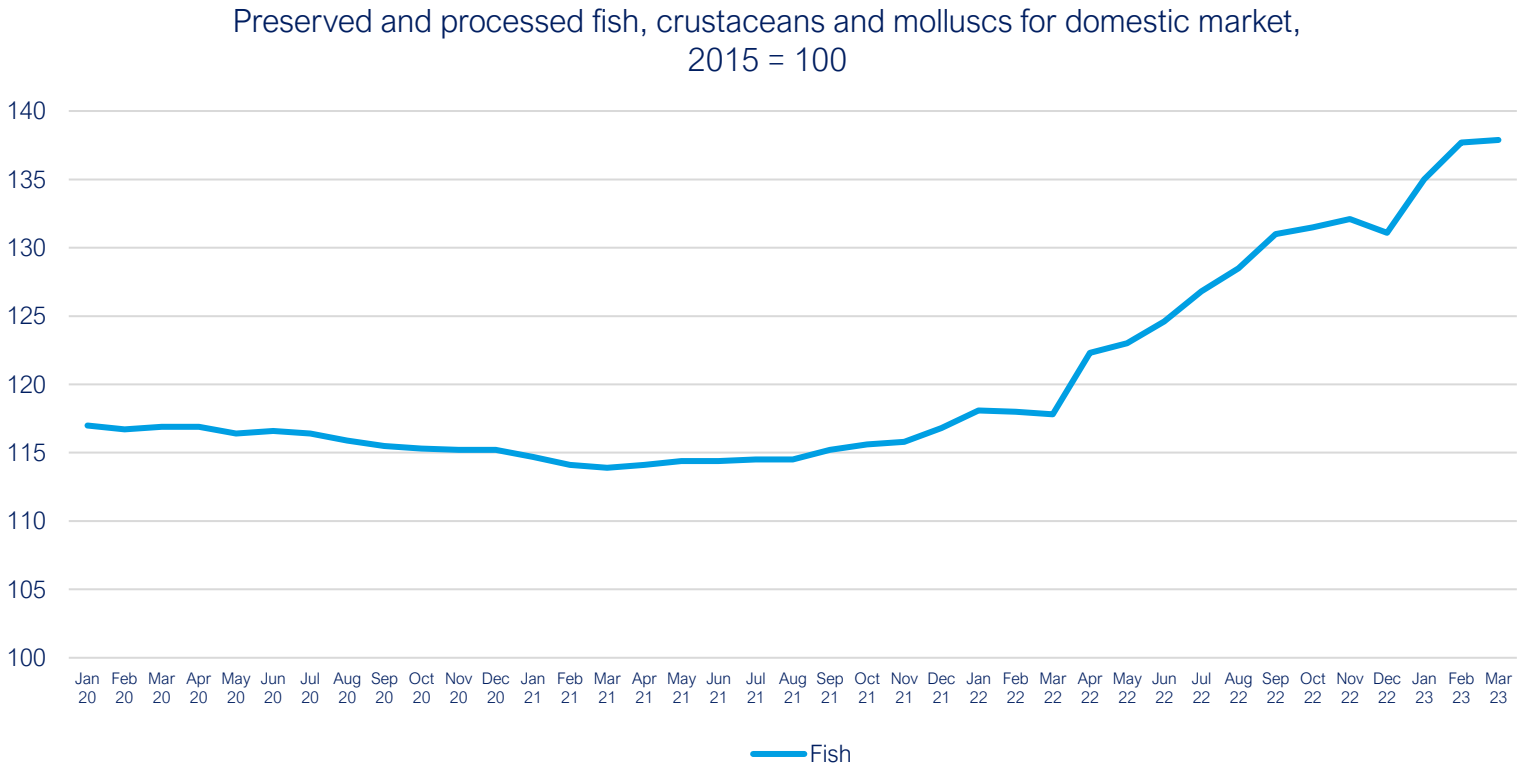

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Office for National Statistics, Consumer Price Inflation & Producer Price Inflation

The World Bank, Commodity Markets, Monthly Prices

Trading Economics, Commodity Prices

Transport Exchange Group, Road Transport Price Index

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