

# Prices of agricultural products in May 2023

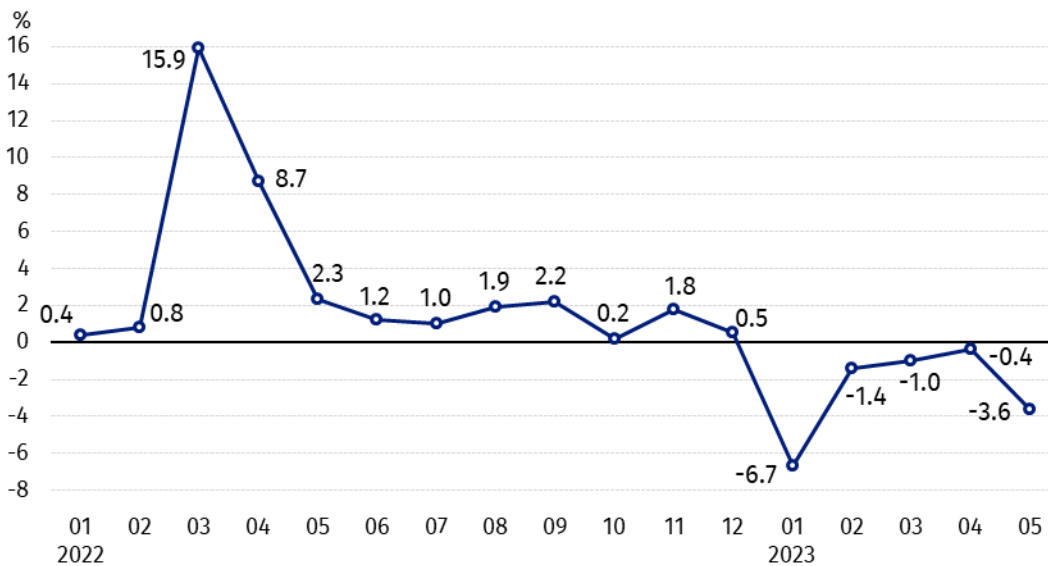
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**↓ 4.6%**

a decrease in procurement prices of basic agricultural products in comparison with May 2022

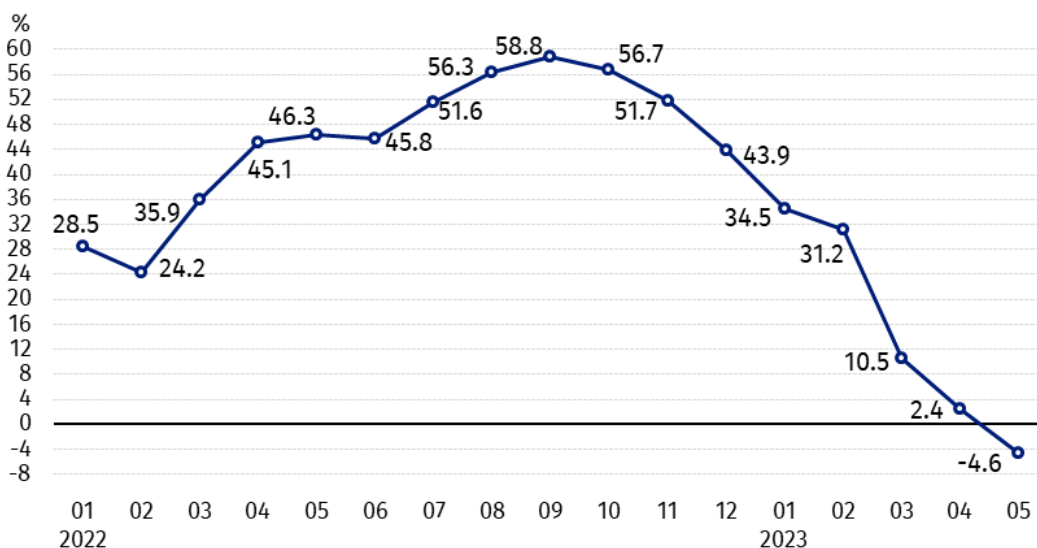
Procurement prices of basic agricultural products<sup>1</sup> decreased in May 2023 in comparison with the previous month (by 3.6%) as well as while compared to the corresponding period of the last year (by 4.6%).

**Chart 1. Changes in procurement prices of basic agricultural products in relation to the previous month**



In May 2023, compared to April 2023, the procurement prices of all basic agricultural products except cattle for slaughter decreased

**Chart 2. Changes in procurement prices of basic agricultural products in relation to the corresponding month of the previous year**



Procurement prices of basic agricultural products, except pigs for slaughter, in May 2023 were lower than those recorded in May 2022

<sup>1</sup> Wheat, rye, cattle for slaughter, pigs for slaughter, poultry, cows' milk

## Procurement prices and marketplace prices received by farmers

In May 2023, in comparison with the previous month, as well as compared to the corresponding period of the last year, both in procurement and on marketplaces, prices of agricultural products were lower. On a monthly basis only an increase in prices of potatoes on marketplaces and cattle for slaughter on both markets was noted, while on an annual basis – pigs for slaughter in procurement and potatoes (in procurement and on marketplaces).

**Table 1. Prices of agricultural products (excluding VAT) in May 2023**

Specification	Procurement prices			Marketplaces prices		
	05 2023					
	in zloty	04 2023=100	05 2022=100	in zloty	04 2023=100	05 2022=100
<b>Cereal grain<sup>2</sup> – per 1 dt</b>						
Wheat	96.61	87.6	57.7	139.06	97.2	77.2
Rye	77.57	85.2	55.5	110.60	96.6	83.6
Barley	86.75	92.3	59.3	132.20	96.3	83.8
Triticale	88.17	86.6	58.3	123.71	96.5	81.5
Oat	88.27	94.3	74.0	122.60	95.8	94.8
Maize	94.66	90.1	67.3	151.05	99.8	86.8
<b>Potatoes<sup>3</sup>– per 1 dt</b>	121.82	98.4	143.5	181.21	102.3	116.9
<b>Animals for slaughter – per kg</b>						
Cattle (excl. calves) <sup>4</sup>	11.14	102.9	95.1	10.36	103.8	94.4
of which young cattle	11.40	103.4	96.5	10.83	102.5	94.8
Pigs <sup>a</sup>	8.99	97.8	134.2	8.08	.	.
Poultry	6.22	99.2	95.5	.	.	.
<b>Cows' milk – per 1 hl</b>	206.52	95.3	93.4	.	.	.

a – No data.

Data on procurement prices were calculated on the basis of information on value and quantity of procurement by legal persons and independent organizational entities without legal personality (without natural persons). Indices of procurement prices and prices received by farmers on marketplaces were calculated on the basis of absolute data expressed with more precision than in the tables.

<sup>2</sup> Procurement prices – excluding sowing seed.

<sup>3</sup> Procurement prices – total (of which: edible early kinds, seed, edible late, industrial, of which starch). Marketplaces prices – edible excluding early kinds.

<sup>4</sup> Marketplaces prices – average weighted price of cattle for slaughter calculated with the adoption of the structure of procurement quantity of young cattle and cows for slaughter.

### Prices of major agricultural products in May 2023

In May 2023 procurement price of **wheat** (96.61 PLN per dt) decreased in comparison with the previous month (by 12.4%), and also on an annual basis (by 42.3%). On marketplaces, wheat was sold for 139.06 PLN per dt, i.e. by 2.8% cheaper than in April this year and by 22.8% – than in May 2022.

The price of **rye** in procurement amounted to 77.57 PLN per dt and was lower compared to both April this year (by 14.8%) and May 2022 (by 44.5%). The transaction price of rye on marketplace (110.60 PLN per dt) decreased by 3.4% on a monthly basis and by 16.4% on an annual basis.

In May 2023 121.82 PLN was paid per dt of **potatoes** in procurement, i.e. by 1.6% less than in the previous month, but by 43.5% more than in the corresponding period 2022. The price of potatoes on marketplaces (181.21 PLN per dt) increased as related to April this year (by 2.3%), as well as compared to May 2022 (by 16.9%).

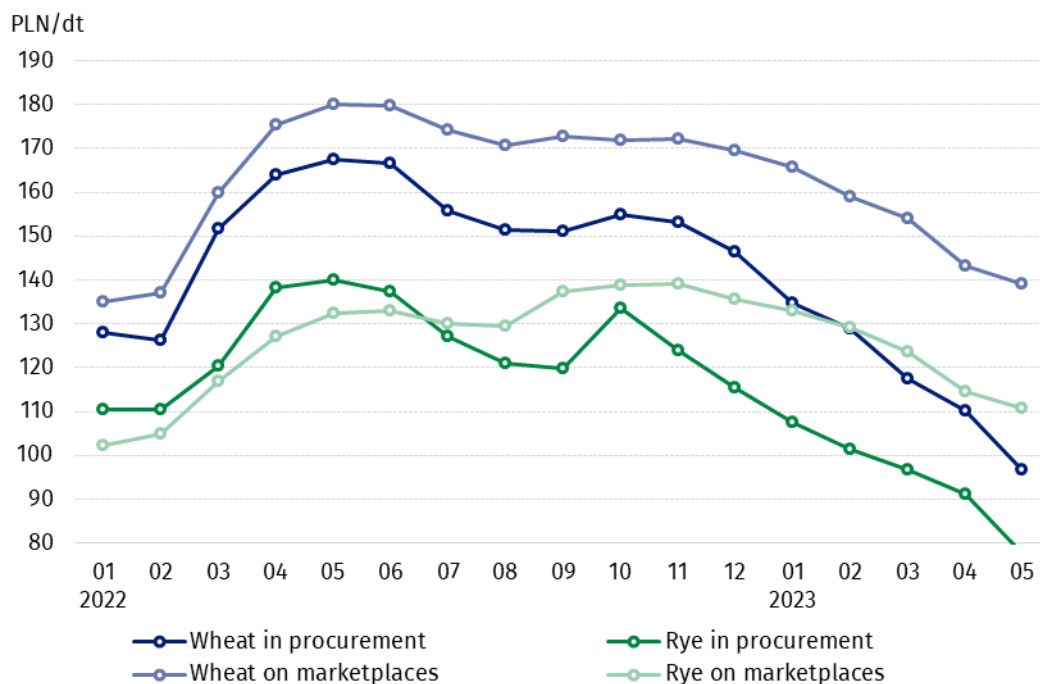
The procurement price of **cattle for slaughter** (11.14 PLN per kg) increased on a monthly basis (by 2.9%), but decreased on an annual basis (by 4.9%). On marketplaces cattle for slaughter (10.36 PLN per kg) was sold more expensive than in April this year (by 3.8%), but cheaper than in the corresponding period of the last year (by 5.6%).

In May 2023 8.99 PLN was paid per kg of **pigs for slaughter** in procurement, i.e. by 2.2% less than a month ago, but by 34.2% more than a year ago.

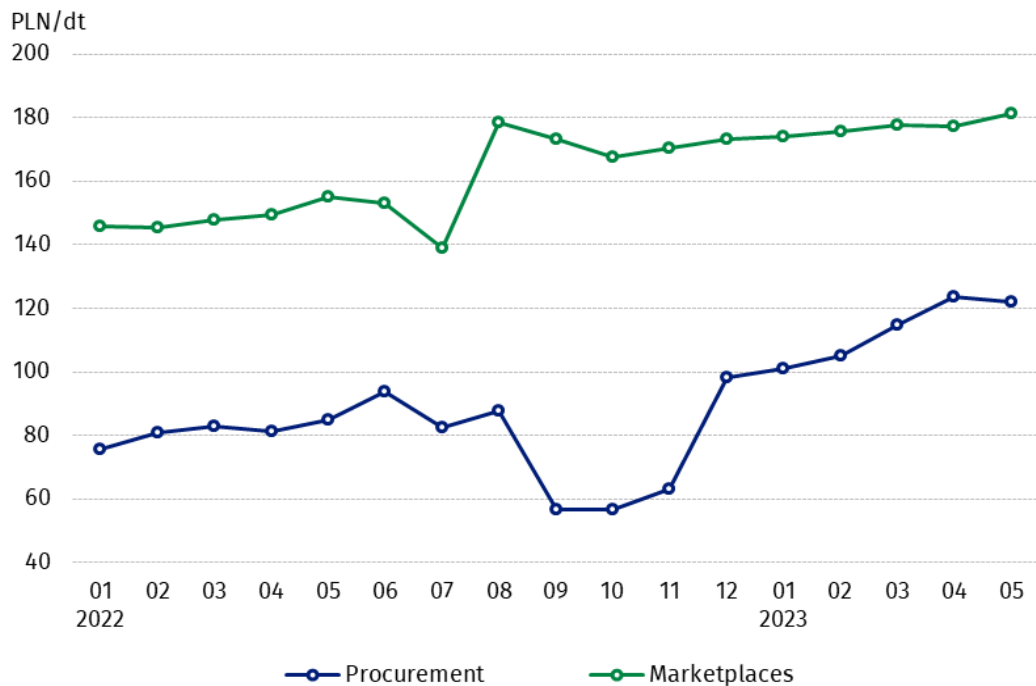
The procurement price of **poultry for slaughter** (6.22 PLN per kg) decreased in comparison with April this year (by 0.8%), as well as compared to the same period 2022 (by 4.5%).

206.52 PLN was paid in procurement per hl of **cows' milk**, i.e. by 4.7% less than in the previous month and by 6.6% – than in May 2022.

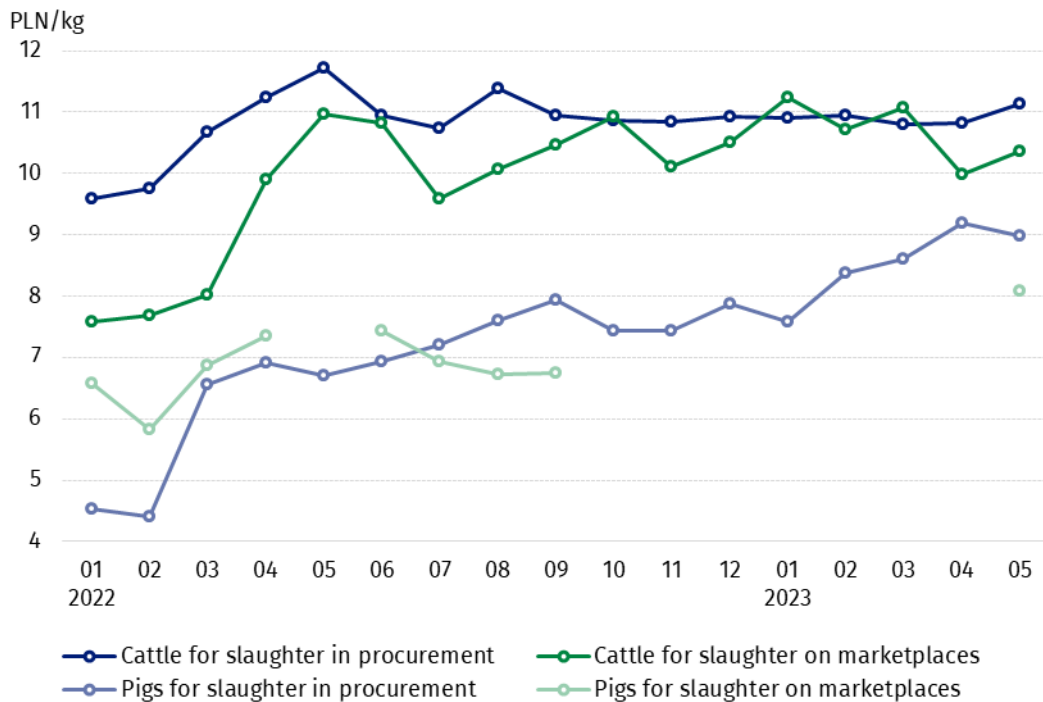
**Chart 3. Procurement and marketplaces prices of wheat and rye**



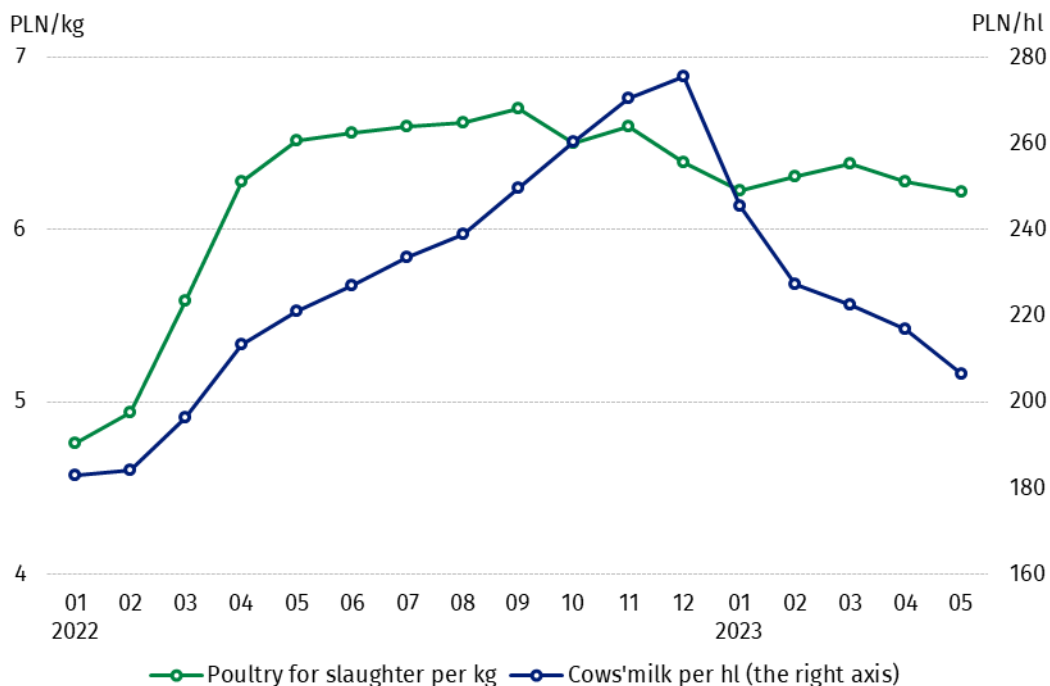
**Chart 4. Procurement and marketplaces prices of potatoes**



**Chart 5. Procurement and marketplaces prices of cattle for slaughter and pigs for slaughter**



**Chart 6. Procurement prices of poultry for slaughter and cows' milk**



The differentiation of the level of prices of basic agricultural products in particular voivodships is presented in Table 2 for procurement prices and in Table 3 for prices obtained by farmers on marketplaces (Excel sheet).

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