

August 2023 Housing Market Report

Luton

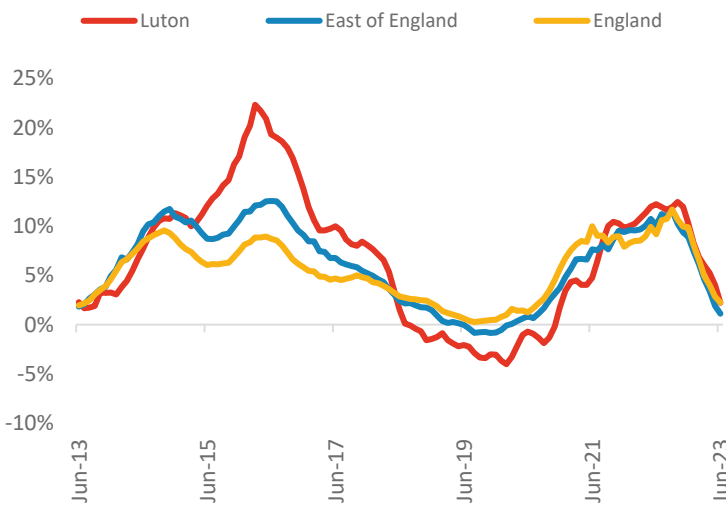
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	Current level	3 month	Annual	5 year	10 year
House prices	£274,959	-1.6%	2.2%	16.9%	88.1%
Transactions	1,869	-10.5%	-23.5%	-33.1%	5.5%

House Prices (June 2023 data)

Annual Change in House Prices

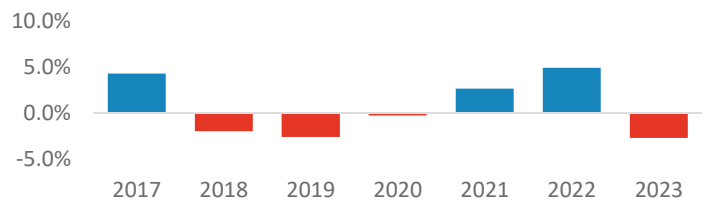


House prices in Luton grew by 2.2% in the 12 months to June 2023 (based on 3-month smoothed data). By comparison national house prices grew by 2.2% and prices in the East of England grew by 1.1% over the same period.

Luton house prices are now 66.9% above their previous peak in 2007, compared to +66.5% for the East of England and +56.6% across England.

Local prices have fallen by 2.7% in 2023 so far, compared to growth of 5.0% over the same period last year.

Year-To-Date Change in House Prices, December to June

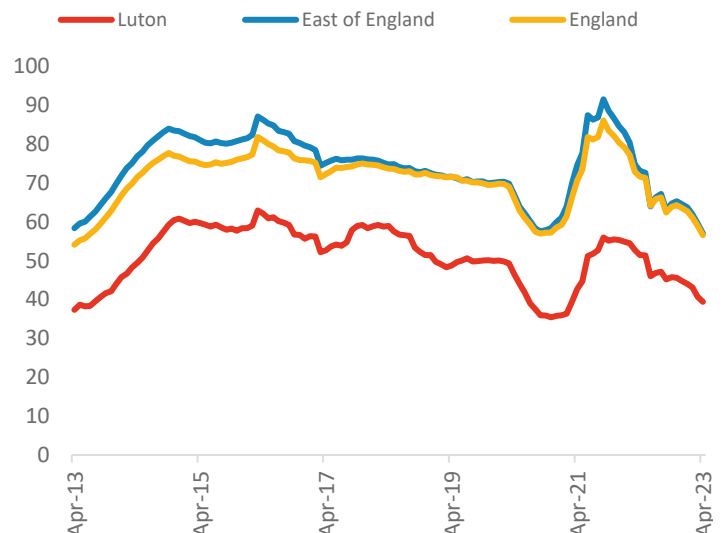


Transactions (April 2023 data)

There were 1,869 transactions in Luton during the 12 months to April 2023. This is 39% of the average from 2001-05 and suggests activity is significantly below pre-downturn levels.

Transactions in Luton have fallen by 35.2% since 2014, compared to changes of -31.6% for the East of England and -26.4% for England.

Annual Transactions, Indexed (2001-05 average = 100)



Cash and New Build Sales as % of Total, by Year*



* The latest data here is subject to the 'Land Registry Lag'. For more details:

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Note: These transaction counts do not include those identified as transfers under a power of sale/repossessions, buy-to-lets (where they can be identified by a mortgage), and transfers to non-private individuals.