

January 2024 Housing Market Report

Swale

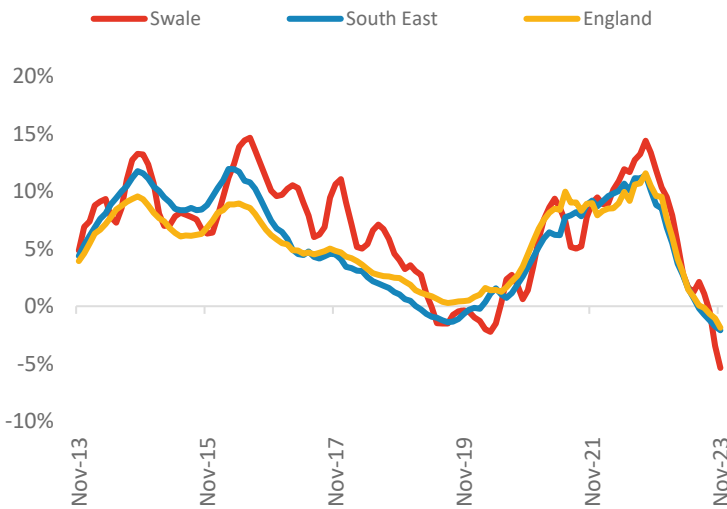
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	Current level	3 month	Annual	5 year	10 year
House prices	£292,942	-3.0%	-5.4%	16.6%	77.7%
Transactions	1,465	-15.3%	-28.5%	-38.4%	-24.2%

House Prices (November 2023 data)

Annual Change in House Prices



House prices in Swale fell by 5.4% in the 12 months to November 2023 (based on 3-month smoothed data). By comparison national house prices fell by 1.9% and prices in the South East fell by 2.1% over the same period.

Swale house prices are now 63.0% above their previous peak in 2007, compared to +62.7% for the South East and +56.6% across England.

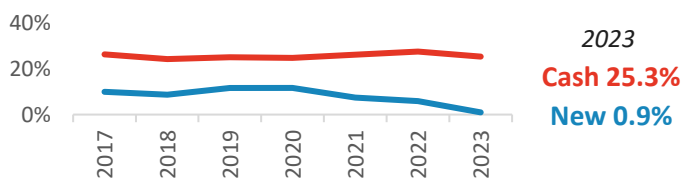
Local prices have fallen by 6.2% in 2023 so far, compared to growth of 9.4% over the same period in 2022.

Transactions (September 2023 data)

There were 1,465 transactions in Swale during the 12 months to September 2023. This is 46% of the average from 2001-05 and suggests activity is significantly below pre-downturn levels.

Transactions in Swale have fallen by 43.3% since 2014, compared to changes of -39.7% for the South East and -35.3% for England.

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

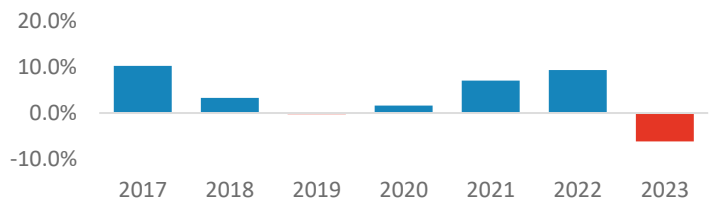


* The latest data here is subject to the 'Land Registry Lag'. For more details:

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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.

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



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

