

Christmas Markets Barometer 2025

Costs for a two-night break during the Christmas Markets

ITEMS	1 VILNIUS Lithuania	2 RIGA Latvia	3 BRATISLAVA Slovakia	4 GDANSK Poland	5 WARSAW Poland
4 cups of coffee (café/bar)	£8.33	£11.49	£10.42	£14.08	£13.20
2 three-course meals for two (including a bottle of wine)	£137.81	£132.89	£152.64	£135.93	£205.00
2 return bus/train transfers from airport to city centre	£3.59	£7.18	£3.95	£5.28	£3.17
4 glasses of mulled wine, punch or glühwein at Christmas Market	£17.96	£14.37	£10.77	£14.96	£17.60
4 pieces of cake/gingerbread/stollen at Christmas Market	£14.37	£12.57	£14.37	£17.60	£22.00
COST OF LIVING TOTALS	£182.06	£178.50	£192.15	£187.85	£260.97
2-nights' B&B accommodation & direct flights or Eurostar for two	£327.00	£377.00	£376.00	£398.00	£328.00
TOTAL COSTS	£509.06	£555.50	£568.15	£585.85	£588.97

ITEMS	6 BUDAPEST Hungary	7 KRAKOW Poland	8 BERLIN Germany	9 STOCKHOLM Sweden	10 ZAGREB Croatia
4 cups of coffee (café/bar)	£12.76	£17.60	£14.01	£12.50	£9.34
2 three-course meals for two (including a bottle of wine)	£159.00	£177.73	£142.23	£216.30	£178.50
2 return bus/train transfers from airport to city centre	£21.60	£5.28	£16.88	£14.53	£14.37
4 glasses of mulled wine, punch or glühwein at Christmas Market	£14.24	£22.00	£17.96	£16.90	£14.37
4 pieces of cake/gingerbread/stollen at Christmas Market	£14.73	£10.56	£10.77	£0.00	£17.96
COST OF LIVING TOTALS	£222.33	£233.17	£201.85	£260.23	£234.54
2-nights' B&B accommodation & direct flights or Eurostar for two	£442.00	£441.00	£490.00	£457.00	£522.00
TOTAL COSTS	£664.33	£674.17	£691.85	£717.23	£756.54



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ITEMS	11 LILLE France	12 TALLINN Estonia	13 PRAGUE Czech Republic	14 VIENNA Austria	15 COPENHAGEN Denmark
4 cups of coffee (café/bar)	£12.57	£12.57	£10.14	£23.35	£17.45
2 three-course meals for two (including a bottle of wine)	£159.47	£224.84	£151.25	£240.64	£305.30
2 return bus/train transfers from airport to city centre	£6.46	£7.18	£6.24	£16.52	£17.94
4 glasses of mulled wine, punch or glühwein at Christmas Market	£14.37	£19.75	£14.81	£21.55	£27.41
4 pieces of cake/gingerbread/stollen at Christmas Market	£17.96	£14.37	£14.81	£23.35	£17.45
COST OF LIVING TOTALS	£210.83	£278.71	£197.25	£325.41	£385.55
2-nights' B&B accommodation & direct flights or Eurostar for two	£585.00	£563.00	£704.00	£601.00	£671.00
TOTAL COSTS	£795.83	£841.71	£901.25	£926.41	£1,056.55

Source: Post Office Travel Money. Exchange rates used relate to purchases of £500-£999 online on 6 November 2025. The Post Office European Christmas Markets Barometer was compiled using prices sourced from the tourist offices of participating cities (except Lille, researched online), cross-checked with online research. Prices for accommodation (two sharing) were sourced from Hotels.com and for flights/train travel from British Airways, easyJet, Eurostar, LastMinute.com, Ryanair, Skyscanner and Wizz Air.