

## MANUFACTURER PRICE INCREASES.

We have recently been advised by our suppliers of price increases across some key product ranges from 4th January 2021. If you have any questions or concerns about these increases, please speak to a colleague in branch.

NUMBER	CATEGORY	PERCENTAGE INCREASE	REASON FOR INCREASE
1	CLS, Battens and Loose Fencing	14.0 - 15.0%	
2	Carcassing	5.0%	The price increase reflects the increase in demand and the shortfall in supply due to the reduction in log availability coupled with an increase in global demand.
3	PSE and Mouldings (inc. MDF)	5.0 - 7.5%	
4	Panels (OSB, MDF & Chipboard)	5.0 - 10.0%	
5	Aerated Blocks	4.0%	These increases are a direct consequence of higher raw material costs including fire clays, aggregates, cement, electricity and carbon credits.
6	Dense Blocks	3 - 6.5%	
7	Bricks	2 - 5%	
8	Decorative	3.0%	
9	Doors	6.0%	
10	Drainage	3 - 5%	
11	Tools and Equipment	2 - 5%	
12	Insulation	4.5 - 7.5%	
13	Ironmongery	6.0%	
14	Lintels	2.5%	
15	PHS	3 - 5%	
16	Plaster/Plasterboard	2.5 - 5%	Increases in plaster and plasterboard are the result, in the main, of an increase in the cost of the raw material gypsum which is used in their creation.
1 <i>7</i>	Roofing	2 - 6%	
18	Cladding	8.0%	
19	Landscaping	4%	
20	Cement	2.0 - 3.0%	