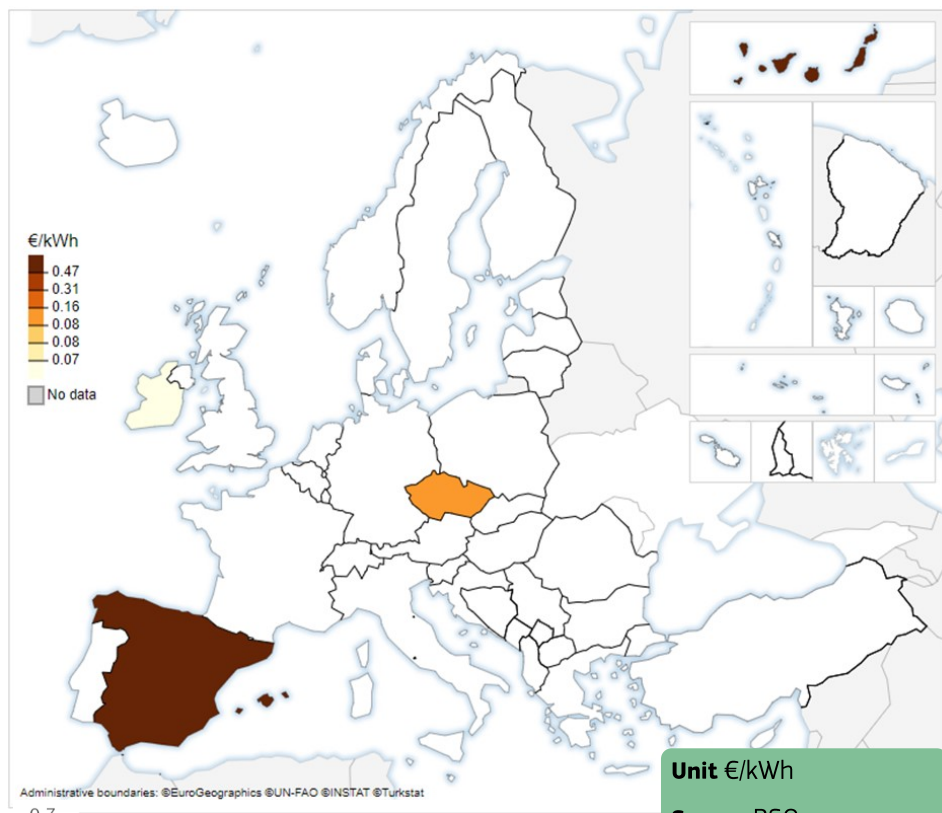
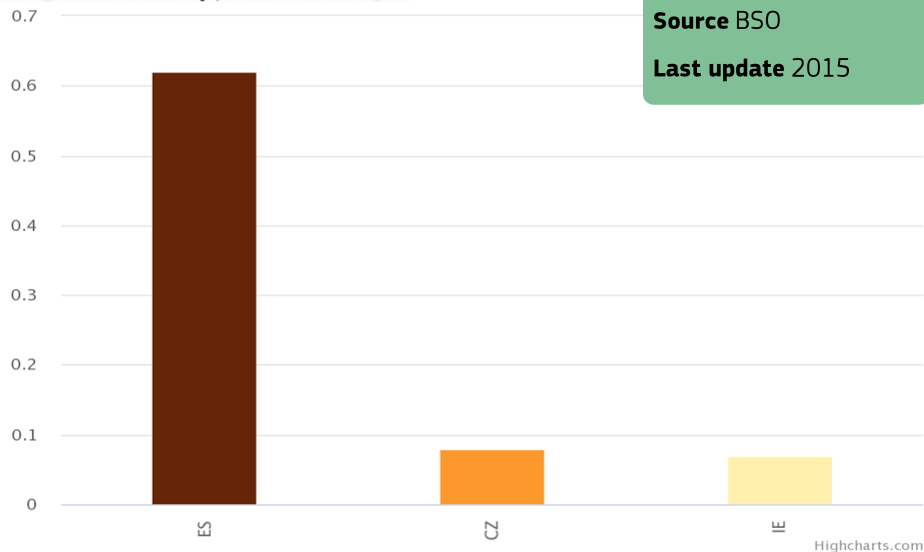


## National indicator - Fuel oil prices



Unit €/kWh  
Source BSO  
Last update 2015



The “*fuel oil prices*” indicator represents the average household prices per kWh generated from fuel oil used at the household level in boilers or other space heating, cooking, and water heating equipment.

### DEFINITION

The indicator is linked to one of the three major causes of energy poverty: the cost of energy, as higher prices are connected with increase in energy poverty. However, it contains **limits**:

### LIMITS



- For comparison between countries, it should be analysed in Purchasing Power Standard currency unit
- It should be cross analysed with data on fuel/ technology mixes in the country
- It should be supplemented with other indicators portraying the social, infrastructural, and behavioral dimensions

More details and additional insights on the indicator are available in the EPAH report “[Energy Poverty National Indicators: Insights for a more effective measuring](#)”.

