

## Title: EU Deadweight Cattle Prices - Heifers R3 Equivalent (€ Cents) week 13/2020

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Position last Mth	Position this Mth	Country	Price last Mth (w/e 01.03.20)	Price this Mth (w/e 29.03.20)	Change on Mth (cents)
1	1	Italy	414.2	423.0	+8.7
2	2	Sweden	410.0	401.7	-8.2
5	3	Luxembourg	399.9	392.8	-7.2
6	4	France	390.0	389.0	-1.0
7	5	Portugal	382.0	381.2	-0.9
8	6	Spain	381.3	378.7	-2.5
3	7	Great Britain	405.3	372.6	-32.6
4	8	Northern Ireland	402.0	370.1	-31.9
9	9	Ireland	374.7	367.8	-6.9
12	10	Denmark	345.9	338.9	-7.0
14	11	Slovenia	332.5	323.8	-8.7
13	12	Austria	345.2	320.7	-24.5
10	13	Germany	352.3	317.0	-35.3
16	14	Belgium	317.0	315.5	-1.5
17	15	Romania	284.0	290.0	+6.1
11	16	Netherlands	352.0	289.0	-63.0
15	17	Poland	319.2	287.9	-31.2
18	18	Czech Republic	274.1	250.8	-23.3
19	19	Lithuania	267.0	218.5	-48.6
		<b>EU Average</b>	<b>371.3</b>	<b>359.2</b>	<b>-12.1</b>
		<b>Euro (€1=)</b>	<b>84.4</b>	<b>91.5</b>	<b>+7.1</b>

### Key trends



In the w/e 29/03/20 the average R3 heifer price in the EU was 359.2c/kg, a decrease of 12.1c/kg from 371.3c/kg in the w/e 01/03/20.



NI moved down to eighth place in the EU league table with the equivalent price of 370.1c/kg, a 31.9c/kg decrease from the 402.0c/kg paid during the w/e 01/03/20. The differential between the R3 heifer price in NI and the EU average narrowed from 30.7c/kg to 10.9c/kg in the w/e 29/03/20.



GB moved down to seventh position on the league table with an equivalent R3 heifer price of 372.6c/kg, a 32.6c/kg decrease from the 405.3c/kg paid in the w/e 01/03/20. The differential between GB and the EU average narrowed from 34.0c/kg to 13.4c/kg in the w/e 29/03/20.



In ROI the R3 heifer price was 367.8c/kg in the w/e 29/03/20, a decrease of 6.9c/kg from the w/e 01/03/20. This placed it in ninth position in the league table, 8.6c/kg above the EU average price and 2.3c/kg lower than the same price in NI.



The euro increased to €1= 91.5p in the w/e 29/03/20.

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