

Title: EU Deadweight Cattle Prices - Heifers R3 Equivalent (€ Cents) week 16/2020

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Position last Mth	Position this Mth	Country	Price last Mth (w/e 22.03.20)	Price this Mth (w/e 19.04.20)	Change on Mth (cents)
2	1	Sweden	398.0	400.8	+2.8
3	2	France	390.0	389.0	-1.0
4	3	Luxembourg	387.0	388.2	+1.2
5	4	Portugal	381.5	378.6	-2.9
7	5	Great Britain	373.1	374.8	+1.7
8	6	Northern Ireland	373.1	371.9	-1.2
6	7	Spain	379.4	361.6	-17.8
1	8	Italy	443.6	361.1	-82.5
9	9	Ireland	371.5	346.6	-24.9
11	10	Denmark	342.5	328.2	-14.3
13	11	Germany	320.2	317.4	-2.8
10	12	Austria	347.4	315.6	-31.8
14	13	Belgium	317.5	308.5	-9.0
12	14	Slovenia	326.8	304.5	-22.2
16	15	Poland	291.8	286.0	-5.8
17	16	Czech Republic	257.2	252.9	-4.3
15	17	Lithuania	305.8	232.2	-73.6
EU Average			363.2	352.3	-11.0
Euro (€1=)			91.6	87.2	-4.4

Key trends



In the w/e 19/04/20 the average R3 heifer price in the EU was 352.3c/kg, a decrease of 11.0c/kg from 363.2c/kg in the w/e 22/03/20.



NI moved up to sixth place in the EU league table with the equivalent price of 371.9c/kg, a 1.2c/kg decrease from the 373.1c/kg paid during the w/e 22/03/20. The differential between the R3 heifer price in NI and the EU average widened from 9.9c/kg to 19.6c/kg in the w/e 19/04/20.



GB moved up to fifth position on the league table with an equivalent R3 heifer price of 374.8c/kg, a 1.7c/kg increase from the 373.1c/kg paid in the w/e 22/03/20. The differential between GB and the EU average widened from 9.9c/kg to 22.5c/kg in the w/e 19/04/20.



In ROI the R3 heifer price was 346.6c/kg in the w/e 19/04/20, a decrease of 24.9c/kg from the w/e 22/03/20. This placed it in ninth position in the league table, 5.7c/kg below the EU average price and 25.3c/kg lower than the same price in NI.



The euro decreased to €1= 87.2p in the w/e 19/04/20.

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