Title: EU Deadweight Cattle Prices - Heifers R3 Equivalent (€ Cents) week 25/2020

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Position last Mth	Position this Mth	Country	Price last Mth (w/e 24.05.20)		Change on Mth (cents)
2	1	Italy	420.1	420.8	+0.7
1	2	Sweden	420.9	419.3	-1.6
3	3	France	396.0	407.0	+11.0
5	4	Great Britain	382.8	406.4	+23.7
4	5	Northern Ireland	385.1	399.9	+14.8
7	6	Luxembourg	369.7	393.6	+23.9
6	7	Portugal	375.4	373.2	-2.2
8	8	Ireland	365.7	364.8	-0.9
9	9	Spain	352.9	345.4	-7.5
12	10	Austria	312.3	337.6	+25.3
11	11	Germany	314.3	330.0	+15.7
10	12	Denmark	321.1	323.1	+2.1
13	13	Belgium	308.0	308.0	+0.0
14	14	Slovenia	300.5	302.1	+1.6
17	15	Netherlands	263.0	302.0	+39.0
15	16	Poland	287.5	296.2	+8.6
16	17	Romania	283.7	294.4	+10.7
19	18	Czech Republic	234.0	257.8	+23.8
18	19	Lithuania	241.6	229.7	-12.0
		EU Average	357.2	364.8	+7.7
		Euro (€1=)	89.5	89.8	+0.3

Key trends



In the w/e 21/06/20 the average R3 heifer price in the EU was 364.8c/kg, an increase of 7.7c/kg from 357.2c/kg in the w/e 24/05/20.



NI moved down to fifth place in the EU league table with the equivalent price of 399.9c/kg. This was a 14.8c/kg increase from the 385.1c/kg paid during the w/e 24/05/20. The differential between the R3 heifer price in NI and the EU average widened from 27.9c/kg to 35.1c/kg in the w/e 21/06/20.



GB moved up to fourth position on the league table with an equivalent R3 heifer price of 406.4c/kg, a 23.7c/kg increase from the 382.8c/kg paid in the w/e 24/05/20. The differential between GB and the EU average widened from 25.6c/kg to 41.6c/kg in the w/e 21/06/20.



In ROI the R3 heifer price was 364.8c/kg in the w/e 21/06/20, a decrease of 0.9c/kg from the w/e 24/05/20. This placed it in eighth position in the league table, reporting an equivalent price to the EU average price and 35.1c/kg lower than the same price in NI.



The euro slightly increased to €1= 89.8p in the w/e 21/06/20.