

## EU and UK Deadweight Cattle Prices - Heifers R3 Equivalent (€ Cents) week 10/2023

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| Position last Mth | Position this Mth | Country           | Price last Mth (w/e 12.02.23) | Price this Mth (w/e 12.03.23) | Change on Mth (cents) |
|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1                 | 1                 | Italy             | 548.4                         | 556.9                         | +8.5                  |
| 3                 | 2                 | France            | 544.0                         | 551.0                         | +7.0                  |
| 2                 | 3                 | Luxembourg        | 547.2                         | 550.7                         | +3.5                  |
| 4                 | 4                 | Great Britain     | 533.5                         | 549.7                         | +16.1                 |
| 7                 | 5                 | Spain             | 519.2                         | 546.3                         | +27.1                 |
| 6                 | 6                 | Northern Ireland  | 529.0                         | 539.9                         | +10.8                 |
| 5                 | 7                 | Ireland           | 531.0                         | 528.2                         | -2.8                  |
| 9                 | 8                 | Germany           | 500.1                         | 508.1                         | +8.0                  |
| 8                 | 9                 | Sweden            | 500.7                         | 505.0                         | +4.4                  |
| 12                | 10                | Poland            | 490.3                         | 501.4                         | +11.1                 |
| 10                | 11                | Portugal          | 498.4                         | 496.7                         | -1.7                  |
| 11                | 12                | Austria           | 491.2                         | 489.2                         | -2.0                  |
| 13                | 13                | Belgium           | 475.0                         | 475.5                         | +0.5                  |
| 15                | 14                | Slovenia          | 440.2                         | 460.8                         | +20.6                 |
| 14                | 15                | Denmark           | 448.2                         | 449.9                         | +1.7                  |
| 18                | 16                | Lithuania         | 376.4                         | 420.8                         | +44.5                 |
| 16                | 17                | Czech Republic    | 403.3                         | 413.3                         | +10.1                 |
| 19                | 18                | Netherlands       | 343.0                         | 391.0                         | +48.0                 |
| 17                | 19                | Romania           | 390.8                         | 384.6                         | -6.2                  |
|                   |                   | <b>EU Average</b> | <b>518.3</b>                  | <b>527.2</b>                  | <b>+8.8</b>           |
|                   |                   | Euro (€1=)        | <b>88.7</b>                   | <b>88.9</b>                   | <b>+0.1</b>           |

### Key trends



In the w/e 12/03/23 the average R3 heifer price in the EU was 527.2c/kg, up 8.8c/kg from the w/e 12/02/23.



NI remained in sixth place on the EU league table with an equivalent price of 539.9c/kg. This was up 10.8c/kg from the w/e 12/02/23. In the w/e 12/02/23 the R3 heifer price in NI was 10.7c/kg above the EU average, with NI 12.7c/kg ahead of the EU average price in the w/e 12/03/23.



GB remained in fourth position on the EU league table in the w/e 12/03/23. The equivalent R3 heifer price was 549.7c/kg up 16.1c/kg from the w/e 12/02/23. GB was 15.2c/kg ahead of the EU average in the w/e 12/02/23 and was 22.5c/kg ahead of the EU average price in the w/e 12/03/23.



In ROI the R3 heifer price was 528.2c/kg in the w/e 12/03/23, which is a 2.8c/kg decrease from the w/e 12/02/23. ROI moved down two places to seventh position on the EU league table in the week ending 12/03/23. ROI was 1c/kg ahead of the EU average price and 11.7c/kg behind the same price in NI in the w/e 12/03/23.



The euro rate increased to €1= 88.9p in the w/e 12/03/23.