Title: EU and UK Deadweight Cattle Prices - Heifers R3 Equivalent (€ Cents) week 14/2023

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Position last Mth	Position this Mth	Country	Price last Mth (w/e 12.03.23)	Price this Mth (w/e 09.04.23)	Change on Mth (cents)
4	1	Great Britain	550.3	563.6	+13.3
6	2	Northern Ireland	540.5	558.7	+18.2
2	3	France	551.0	551.0	0.0
3	4	Luxembourg	550.7	540.2	-10.5
5	5	Spain	546.3	534.5	-11.8
7	6	Ireland	528.2	530.9	+2.7
1	7	Italy	556.9	523.5	-33.4
11	8	Portugal	496.7	505.6	+8.9
9	9	Sweden	505.0	504.8	-0.2
10	10	Poland	501.4	495.5	-5.9
8	11	Germany	508.1	484.9	-23.2
13	12	Belgium	475.5	479.0	+3.5
12	13	Austria	489.2	472.8	-16.4
14	14	Slovenia	460.8	458.2	-2.6
15	15	Denmark	449.9	455.0	+5.1
19	16	Romania	384.6	426.5	+41.9
17	17	Czech Republic	413.3	419.7	+6.4
16	18	Lithuania	420.8	386.0	-34.8
18	19	Netherlands	391.0	261.0	-130.0
		EU Average	527.2	519.6	-7.6
	Euro (€1=)		88.7	87.6	-1.2

Key trends



In the w/e 09/04/23 the average R3 heifer price in the EU was 519.6c/kg, back 7.6c/kg from the w/e 12/03/23.



NI climbed four places on the EU league table with an equivalent price of 558.7c/kg. This was up 18.2c/kg from the w/e 12/03/23. In the w/e 12/03/23 the R3 heifer price in NI was 13.3c/kg above the EU average and 39.1c/kg above the EU average price in the w/e 09/04/23.



GB placed top position on the EU league table in the w/e 09/04/23. The equivalent R3 heifer price was 563.6c/kg up 13.3c/kg from the w/e 12/03/23. GB was 23.1c/kg ahead of the EU average in the w/e 12/03/23 and 44c/kg ahead of the EU average price in the w/e 09/04/23.



In ROI the R3 heifer price was 530.9c/kg in the w/e 09/04/23, which is a 2.7c/kg increase from the w/e 12/03/23. ROI moved down one place to sixth position on the EU league table in the week ending 09/04/23. ROI was 11.3c/kg above the EU average price and 27.8c/kg behind the same price in NI in the w/e 09/04/23.



The euro rate decreased to €1= 87.6p in the w/e 09/04/23.