

Title: EU and UK Deadweight Cattle Prices - Heifers R3 Equivalent (€ Cents) week 20/2023

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Position last Mth	Position this Mth	Country	Price last Mth (w/e 23.04.23)	Price this Mth (w/e 21.05.23)	Change on Mth (cents)
1	1	Great Britain	560.2	571.9	+11.7
2	2	Northern Ireland	557.5	568.3	+10.8
4	3	France	548.0	548.0	0.0
5	4	Luxembourg	547.3	544.3	-3.0
6	5	Spain	538.3	527.5	-10.9
7	6	Ireland	531.9	526.8	-5.0
3	7	Italy	554.5	520.2	-34.3
9	8	Poland	503.4	510.3	+6.9
10	9	Sweden	501.9	508.7	+6.8
8	10	Portugal	515.9	506.3	-9.6
11	11	Germany	486.3	483.6	-2.7
12	12	Belgium	478.5	478.5	0.0
14	13	Denmark	469.9	475.6	+5.6
13	14	Romania	472.4	475.0	+2.6
15	15	Austria	467.6	470.9	+3.3
16	16	Slovenia	456.8	460.5	+3.8
17	17	Lithuania	406.2	414.1	+7.8
18	18	Czech Republic	394.9	402.7	+7.8
19	19	Netherlands	351.0	337.0	-14.0
EU Average			521.3	518.3	-3.0
Euro (€1=)			88.3	86.9	-1.4

Key trends



In the w/e 21/05/23 the average R3 heifer price in the EU was 518.3c/kg, back 3.0c/kg from the w/e 23/04/23.



NI remained in second position on the EU league table with a price of 568.3c/kg. This was up 10.8c/kg from the w/e 23/04/23. In the w/e 23/04/23 the R3 heifer price in NI was 36.2c/kg above the EU average and 50c/kg above the EU average price in the w/e 21/05/23.



GB remained in top position on the EU league table in the w/e 14/05/23. The equivalent R3 heifer price was 570.7c/kg up 10.0c/kg from the w/e 16/04/23. GB was 38.4c/kg ahead of the EU average in the w/e 16/04/23 and 50.6c/kg ahead of the EU average price in the w/e 14/05/23.



In ROI the R3 heifer price was 526.8c/kg in the w/e 21/05/23, which is a 5c/kg decrease from the w/e 23/04/23. ROI moved up a place to sixth position on the EU league table in the week ending 21/05/23. ROI was 8.5c/kg above the EU average price and 41.5c/kg behind the same price in NI in the w/e 21/05/23.



The euro rate decreased to €1= 86.9p on the w/e 21/05/23.