

Title: EU and UK Deadweight Cattle Prices - Heifers R3 Equivalent (€ Cents) week 34/2023

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Position last Mth	Position this Mth	Country	Price last Mth (w/e 30.07.23)	Price this Mth (w/e 27.08.23)	Change on Mth (cents)
4	1	Luxembourg	529.5	545.5	+16.1
2	2	Great Britain	543.0	543.4	+0.4
12	3	Denmark	465.3	541.8	+76.6
3	4	Northern Ireland	537.3	536.0	-1.3
1	5	France	546.0	533.0	-13.0
6	6	Italy	507.5	530.8	+23.3
7	7	Sweden	495.7	522.2	+26.5
15	8	Germany	448.4	516.6	+68.2
10	9	Poland	479.8	492.7	+12.9
11	10	Belgium	477.5	492.0	+14.5
9	11	Ireland	481.4	483.2	+1.7
14	12	Austria	458.0	476.7	+18.7
5	13	Spain	529.3	468.6	-60.7
8	14	Portugal	493.8	465.0	-28.7
13	15	Slovenia	460.2	401.9	-58.3
16	16	Romania	427.6	394.0	-33.6
17	17	Lithuania	385.5	384.5	-1.1
18	18	Netherlands	230.0	364.0	+134.0
		EU Average	501.3	504.2	+2.9
		Euro (€1=)	85.9	85.6	-0.4

Key trends



In the w/e 27/08/23 the average R3 heifer price in the EU was 504.2c/kg, up 2.9c/kg from the w/e 30/07/23.



NI moved down one place to fourth position on the EU league table with an equivalent price of 536.0c/kg. This was back 1.3c/kg from the w/e 30/07/23. In the w/e 30/07/23 the R3 heifer price in NI was 36.0c/kg above the EU average and 31.8c/kg above the EU average price in the w/e 27/08/23.



GB remained in second position on the EU league table in the w/e 27/08/23. The equivalent R3 heifer price was 543.4c/kg up 0.4c/kg from the w/e 30/07/23. GB was 41.7c/kg ahead of the EU average in the w/e 30/07/23 and 39.2c/kg ahead of the EU average price in the w/e 27/08/23.



In ROI the R3 heifer price was 483.2c/kg in the w/e 27/08/23, which is a 1.7c/kg increase from the w/e 30/07/23. ROI moved down two places to eleventh place on the EU league table in the week ending 27/08/23. ROI was 21c/kg behind the EU average price and 52.8c/kg behind the same price in NI in the w/e 27/08/23.



The euro rate decreased to €1= 85.6p in the w/e 27/08/23.