

## **NI Beef Industry Key Performance Indicators (April Snapshot)**

## Weeks 1-4

NI Beef Industry Key Performance Indicators (April Snapshot)			
	Apr-15	Apr-16	% Change
Finished Cattle Prices (p/kg)			
Average Prime Cattle Price	329.6	298.7	-9.4%
Average Cow Price	221.0	209.9	-5.0%
Average R3 Steer Price (NI)	343.0	308.3	-10.1%
Average R3 Steer Price (ROI)	297.4	307.6	3.4%
Average R3 Steer Price (GB)	347.7	320.5	-7.8%
Slaughterings			
Total Clean Slaughterings (Head)	23,431	25,539	9.0%
Total Cow Slaughterings (Head)	4,941	6,754	36.7%
Average Clean Carcase Weight (kg)	335	338	0.7%
Average Cow Carcase Weight (kg)	300	306	1.8%
Trade (Head)			
Live Imports for Direct Slaughter	1,775	998	-43.8%
Live Exports for Direct Slaughter	1,067	2,308	116.3%
Availability (Head)			
No. Cattle on the Ground*	420,332	440,526	4.8%
Beef Sired	379,189	397,603	4.9%
Dairy Sired (Male Only)	41,143	42,923	4.3%
Calf Births Registrations (Head)			
Calf Births	53,882	54,917	1.9%
Beef Sired	46,409	48,437	4.4%
Dairy Sired (Male Only)	7,473	6,480	-13.3%
Euro / Stg Exchange Rate (€ / £)	72.11	79.22	9.9%
* Aged between 12-30 mths (Beef + Dairy Male Only)			
All NI Figures Unless Otherwise Stated			