



NI Beef Industry Key Performance Indicators (December Snapshot)

Weeks 36-39

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	Dec-14	Dec-15	% Change
Finished Cattle Prices (p/kg)			
Average Prime Cattle Price	347.0	307.2	-11.5%
Average Cow Price	210.1	202.0	-3.9%
Average R3 Steer Price (NI)	358.9	316.5	-11.8%
Average R3 Steer Price (ROI)	302.1	275.7	-8.7%
Average R3 Steer Price (GB)	362.5	345.4	-4.7%
Slaughterings			
Total Clean Slaughterings (Head)	23,838	25,697	+7.8%
Total Cow Slaughterings (Head)	7,039	7,413	+5.3%
Average Clean Carcase Weight (kg)	334.0	344.0	+3.0%
Average Cow Carcase Weight (kg)	297.3	302.2	+1.6%
Trade (Head)			
Live Imports for Direct Slaughter	2,429	1,819	-25.1%
Live Exports for Direct Slaughter	1,403	1,798	+28.2%
Availability (Head)			
No. Cattle on the Ground*	374,068	382,857	+2.3%
Beef Sired	329,539	339,478	+3.0%
Dairy Sired (Male Only)	44,529	43,379	-2.6%
Calf Births Registrations (Head)			
Calf Births	22,593	23,852	+5.6%
Beef Sired	14,363	15,865	+10.5%
Dairy Sired (Male Only)	8,230	7,987	-3.0%
Euro / Stg Exchange Rate (€ / £)			
	78.8	72.6	-7.9%
* Aged between 12-30 mths (Beef + Dairy Male Only)			
All NI Figures Unless Otherwise Stated			