## Title: EU and UK Deadweight Cattle Prices - Heifers R3 Equivalent (€ Cents) week 16/2024

Source: EU Commission (Weekly Deadweight Beef Carcase Prices), AHDB and LMC

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Position last Mth	Position this Mth	Country	Price last Mth (w/e 24.03.24)	Price this Mth (w/e 21.04.24)	Change on Mth (cents)
1	1	Great Britain	576.4	573.1	-3.3
2	2	Northern Ireland	557.9	564.0	+6.1
11	3	Italy	482.4	561.0	+78.6
3	4	France	549.0	548.0	-1.0
4	5	Spain	537.8	528.6	-9.2
5	6	Ireland	522.3	525.7	+3.4
7	7	Portugal	513.8	520.8	+6.9
6	8	Sweden	521.8	509.1	-12.6
8	9	Poland	503.4	498.9	-4.4
12	10	Belgium	477.6	484.6	+7.0
9	11	Austria	484.9	475.2	-9.8
10	12	Slovenia	483.9	472.2	-11.7
14	13	Germany	445.5	451.8	+6.3
15	14	Denmark	433.7	434.1	+0.5
17	15	Lithuania	373.1	404.5	+31.4
13	16	Romania	466.8	396.4	-70.4
16	17	Czech Republic	374.1	373.9	-0.2
18	18	Netherlands	206.0	224.0	+18.0
		EU Average	509.9	511.9	+2.0
	Euro (€1=)		85.6	85.5	-0.1

## **Key trends**



In the w/e 21/04/24 the average R3 heifer price in the EU was 511.9c/kg, up 2.0c/kg from the w/e 24/03/24.



NI remained in second position on the EU league table with an equivalent price of 564.0c/kg. This was up 6.1c/kg from the w/e 24/03/24. In the w/e 24/03/24 the R3 heifer price in NI was 48.0c/kg above the EU average and 52.1c/kg above the EU average price in the w/e 21/04/24.



GB remained in first position on the EU league table in the w/e 21/04/24. The equivalent R3 heifer price was 573.1c/kg, back 3.3c/kg from the w/e 24/03/24. GB was 66.5c/kg ahead of the EU average in the w/e 24/03/24 and 61.2c/kg ahead of the EU average price in the w/e 21/04/24.



In ROI the R3 heifer price was 525.7c/kg in the w/e 21/04/24, up 3.4c/kg from the w/e 24/03/24. ROI moved down one place to sixth position on the EU league table in the w/e 21/04/24. ROI was 13.8c/kg ahead of the EU average price and 38.3c/kg behind the same price in NI in the w/e 21/04/24.



The euro rate decreased to €1= 85.5p in the w/e 21/04/24.