Title: EU and UK Deadweight Cattle Prices - Heifers R3 Equivalent (€ Cents) week 21/2024

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 28.04.24)	Price this Mth (w/e 26.05.24)	Change on Mth (cents)
2	1	Italy	561.0	578.7	+17.7
1	2	Great Britain	569.3	566.6	-2.7
3	3	Northern Ireland	559.2	564.2	+5.0
4	4	France	550.0	553.0	+3.0
7	5	Portugal	521.9	528.0	+6.1
5	6	Spain	536.9	525.3	-11.6
6	7	Ireland	525.8	520.0	-5.8
8	8	Sweden	512.8	512.2	-0.5
9	9	Poland	498.8	500.1	+1.3
12	10	Austria	473.8	479.1	+5.3
10	11	Belgium	483.4	478.3	-5.1
11	12	Slovenia	477.7	473.3	-4.4
15	13	Romania	423.8	472.8	+48.9
13	14	Germany	454.0	469.6	+15.7
14	15	Denmark	435.8	437.6	+1.7
17	16	Czech Republic	380.3	398.4	+18.0
16	17	Lithuania	399.4	391.8	-7.6
18	18	Netherlands	257.0	278.0	+21.0
		EU Average	515.0	517.7	+3.2
Euro (€1=)		85.9	85.3	-0.6	

Key trends



In the w/e 26/05/24 the average R3 heifer price in the EU was 517.7c/kg, up 3.2c/kg from the w/e 28/04/24.



NI remained in third position on the EU league table with an equivalent price of 564.2c/kg, this was up 5c/kg from the w/e 28/04/24. In the w/e 28/04/24 the R3 heifer price in NI was 44.2c/kg above the EU average and 46.5c/kg above the EU average price in the w/e 26/05/24.



GB moved down one place to second position on the EU league table in the w/e 26/05/24. The equivalent R3 heifer price was 566.6c/kg, back 2.7c/kg from the w/e 28/04/24. GB was 54.3c/kg ahead of the EU average in the w/e 28/04/24 and 48.9c/kg ahead of the EU average price in the w/e 26/05/24.



In ROI the R3 heiter price was 520.0c/kg in the w/e 26/05/24, back 5.8c/kg from the w/e 28/04/24. ROI moved down one place to seventh position on the EU league table in the w/e 26/05/24. ROI was 2.3c/kg ahead of the EU average price and 44.2c/kg behind the same price in NI in the w/e 26/05/24.



The euro rate decreased to €1= 85.3p in the w/e 26/05/24.