

WEEKLY UPDATE

BEEF & LAMB MARKETS



NI DEADWEIGHT CATTLE & SHEEP BASE QUOTES (P/KG)

Grade	19/03/2025	26/03/2025
U-3	610 - 626	622 - 626
R-3	604 - 620	616 - 620
O+3	598 - 614	610 - 614
Cows O+3	480 - 510	498 - 515
R3 Hoggets (23kg)	675 - 685	680 - 685

Base quotes are for in-spec U-3 steers and heifers and O+3 cows received from 5 of 7 major NI cattle slaughter plants.

NI AVERAGE PAID CATTLE PRICES (P/KG)

22/03/2025					Young				
	Steers	Change	Heifers	Change	Bulls	Change	Cows	Change	
U-3	645.9	↑ +8.9	645.7	↑ +9.2	629.5	↑ +11.3	576.7	↑ +12.0	
R-3	641.6	↑ +10.5	639.5	↑ +8.0	626.0	↑ +10.4	553.8	↑ +18.0	
O+3	637.4	↑ +8.7	636.3	↑ +10.5	621.4	↑ +9.8	541.0	↑ +15.9	
P+3	592.0	↑ +10.3	586.8	↑ +7.8	578.2	↑ +4.2	499.6	↑ +11.2	
Average	635.7	↑ +9.1	635.1	↑ +10.1	619.2	↑ +11.1	485.0	↑ +10.0	

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Prices based on weekly data for period shown

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REGIONAL AVERAGE R3 CATTLE PRICES (P/KG)

22/03/2025	Young					
	Steers	Change	Heifers	Change	Bulls	Change
NI	642.8	↑ +10.5	641.9	↑ +9.5	624.8	↑ +6.1
Scotland	692.8	↑ +8.2	691.1	↑ +9.8	678.2	↑ +22.3
Northern England	681.4	↑ +8.5	683.2	↑ +11.3	666.9	↑ +6.7
Midlands / Wales	679.7	↑ +11.2	679.6	↑ +9.8	664.8	↑ +5.4
Southern England	682.4	↑ +12.3	682.6	↑ +13.4	674.8	↑ +12.7
GB Overall	683.0	↑ +9.8	682.5	↑ +10.9	668.1	↑ +8.5
ROI (Stg equivalent)	601.1	↑ +16.7	603.9	↑ +16.9	588.9	↑ +13.5

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Exchange Rate: 0.8395

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NI AVERAGE CATTLE PRICES (P/KG)

22/03/2025	Steers	Change	Heifers	Change	Cows	Change	Young Bulls	Change
U2	645.0	↑ +9.7	644.9	↑ +11.4	614.4		631.3	↑ +12.3
U3	647.9	↑ +10.4	647.1	↑ +9.3	583.6	↑ +25.1	633.1	↑ +14.5
U4	641.5	↑ +11.9	648.3	↑ +13.7	586.7	↑ +32.6	600.0	↑ +11.5
R3	642.8	↑ +10.6	641.9	↑ +9.5	554.8	↑ +10.5	624.8	↑ +6.1
R4	643.4	↑ +15.0	641.7	↑ +10.3	551.7	↑ +9.5	622.4	↑ +14.0
O3	631.4	↑ +6.7	631.0	↑ +11.2	520.6	↑ +14.7	617.7	↑ +11.5
O4	636.6	↑ +2.3	633.4	↑ +10.8	519.9	↑ +11.2	626.5	↑ +4.5

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