WEEKLY UPDATE BEEF & LAMB MARKETS



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

Grade	19/02/2025	26/02/2025
U-3	570 - 588	570 - 598
R-3	564 - 582	564 - 592
O+3	558 - 576	558 - 586
Cows O+3	455 - 470	470 - 480
R3 Hoggets (23kg)	705	695 - 705

Base quotes are for in-spec U-3 steers and heifers and O+3 cows received from 6 of 7 major NI cattle slaughter plants.

NI AVERAGE PAID CATTLE PRICES (P/KG)

					Young			
22/02/2025	Steers	Change	Heifers	Change	Bulls	Change	Cows	Change
U-3	610.3	+14.1	608.8	+ +11.2	580.4	+1.6	532.1	+27.7
R-3	606.7	+13.8	605.0	+14.1	589.4	+16.1	518.7	+8.1
O+3	602.3	+14.0	602.1	1 +15.8	581.6	+14.4	502.2	+5.8
P+3	556.9	+14.1	547.0	+4.8	530.0		461.3	+7.0
Average	599.7	+13.8	598.1	+ 13.8	574.8	+9.4	448.7	+5.9

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Prices based on weekly data for period shown

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REGIONAL AVERAGE R3 CATTLE PRICES (P/KG)

					Young	
22/02/2025	Steers	Change	Heifers	Change	Bulls	Change
NI	607.7	+15.8	606.0	+ +15.0	587.4	+13.1
Scotland	653.6	+6.3	650	+5.3	629.4	-7.0
Northern England	645.2	→ 0.0	643.2	+2.1	624.1	-2.6
Midlands / Wales	639.5	+0.6	639.3	+2.6	630.5	+1.1
Southern England	641.1	+2.5	639.7	+ 1.1	627.7	- 7.1
GB Overall	643.7	+1.7	641.5	+2.4	628.3	-1.8
ROI (Stg equivalent)	540.8	+13.0	540.4	+11.0	533.2	+11.9

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NI AVERAGE CATTLE PRICES (P/KG)

							Young	
22/02/2025	Steers	Change	Heifers	Change	Cows	Change	Bulls	Change
U2	606.4	+11.6	609.4	+14.4	534.6	+8.6	577.4	-3.2
U3	610.8	+13.6	609.8	+12.5	532.1	+28.8	593.8	+13.3
U4	610.0	+18.7	610.1	+17.2	544.1	+32.3	591.6	+23.6
R3	607.7	+15.8	606.0	+15.0	524.3	+13.5	587.4	+13.1
R4	606.7	+13.2	605.7	+13.8	511.7	+10.1	583.1	+18.7
O3	596.1	+ +13.7	596.0	+15.7	484.2	+7.6	578.4	+17.3
04	595.8	+ +5.9	596.4	+11.6	487.2	+10.2		

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NI & GB REPORTED AVERAGE SHEEP PRICES (P/KG)

Week Ending	15/02/2025	Change	22/02/2025	Change
NI D/W R3 Hogget	693.2	+7.1	695.8	+2.6
NI D/W Hogget	695.6	+7.9	696.7	+1.1
NI L/W Hogget	669.9	+15.5	640.9	-29.0
GB D/W Hogget	736.9	+7.5	729.5	-7.4

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