## Title: EU and UK Deadweight Cattle Prices - Heifers R3 Equivalent (€ Cents) week 15/2021

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 21.03.21)	Price this Mth (w/e 18.04.21)	Change on Mth (cents)
2	1	Great Britain	457.0	469.1	+12.1
1	2	Sweden	466.7	464.8	-1.9
3	3	Northern Ireland	440.5	449.6	+9.1
5	4	France	414.0	415.0	+1.0
6	5	Luxembourg	391.8	402.1	+10.3
7	6	Ireland	385.8	400.2	+14.4
9	7	Spain	365.6	381.8	+16.2
8	8	Portugal	377.1	375.3	-1.8
10	9	Austria	361.5	368.5	+7.0
12	10	Netherlands	347.0	360.0	+13.0
11	11	Germany	349.8	351.1	+1.3
13	12	Denmark	324.6	335.5	+10.9
4	13	Italy	433.0	328.4	-104.6
15	14	Poland	312.3	326.0	+13.7
14	15	Belgium	316.0	322.5	+6.5
16	16	Slovenia	303.8	313.3	+9.5
17	17	Lithuania	281.9	291.0	+9.1
18	18	Romania	276.5	273.0	-3.5
19	19	Czech Republic	264.6	264.2	-0.4
		EU Average	379.3	383.0	+3.7
		Euro (€1=)	85.7	86.7	+1.0

## **Key trends**



In the w/e 18/04/21 the average R3 heifer price in the EU was 383c/kg, a 3.7c/kg increase from the w/e 21/03/21.



NI stayed in third place on the EU league table with an equivalent price of 449.6c/kg. This was an increase of 9.1c/kg from the w/e 21/03/21. The differential between the R3 heifer price in NI and the EU average widened from 61.2c/kg to 66.6c/kg in the w/e 18/04/21.



GB moved in to first place on the EU league table in the w/e 18/04/21. The equivalent R3 heifer price was 469.1c/kg in GB, a 12.1c/kg increase from the w/e 21/03/21. The differential between GB and the EU average widened from 77.7c/kg to 86.1c/kg in the w/e 18/04/21.



In ROI the R3 heifer price was 400.2c/kg in the w/e 18/04/21, which is a 14.4c/kg increase from the w/e 21/03/21. This placed ROI in sixth place on the league table, up one position from the w/e 21/03/21. ROI was 17.2c/kg above the EU average price and 49.4c/kg lower than the same price in NI in the w/e 18/04/21.



The euro increased to €1= 86.7p in the w/e 18/04/21.