Title: EU and UK Deadweight Cattle Prices - Heifers R3 Equivalent (€ Cents) week 38/2023

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 27.08.23)	Price this Mth (w/e 24.09.23)	Change on Mth (cents)
2	1	Great Britain	543.5	557.1	+13.6
1	2	France	550.0	554.0	+4.0
4	3	Luxembourg	535.8	551.3	+15.5
5	4	Italy	517.9	546.5	+28.6
3	5	Northern Ireland	536.1	535.3	-0.8
6	6	Spain	502.3	515.5	+13.2
9	7	Portugal	470.3	492.4	+22.1
11	8	Sweden	466.1	482.4	+16.3
10	9	Austria	468.7	476.4	+7.8
8	10	Belgium	473.5	474.0	+0.5
13	11	Ireland	462.9	472.6	+9.6
7	12	Poland	487.5	468.5	-18.9
15	13	Romania	462.3	467.1	+4.8
14	14	Slovenia	462.7	466.4	+3.7
12	15	Germany	465.5	465.0	-0.5
16	16	Denmark	453.4	448.8	-4.6
17	17	Czech Republic	389.3	393.9	+4.6
18	18	Lithuania	350.6	357.8	+7.3
19	19	Netherlands	177.0	208.0	+31.0
		EU Average	499.4	504.7	+5.3
	Euro (€1=)		85.5	86.5	+0.9

Key trends



In the w/e 24/09/23 the average R3 heifer price in the EU was 504.7c/kg, up 5.3c/kg from the w/e 27/08/23.



NI moved down two places to fifth position on the EU league table with an equivalent price of 535.3c/kg. This was back 0.8c/kg from the w/e 27/08/23. In the w/e 27/08/23 the R3 heifer price in NI was 36.7c/kg above the EU average and 30.6c/kg above the EU average price in the w/e 24/09/23.



GB moved up one place to first position on the EU league table in the w/e 24/09/23. The equivalent R3 heifer price was 557.1c/kg, up 13.6c/kg from the w/e 27/08/23. GB was 44.1c/kg ahead of the EU average in the w/e 27/08/23 and 52.4c/kg ahead of the EU average price in the w/e 24/09/23.



In ROI the R3 heifer price was 472.6c/kg in the w/e 24/09/23, up 9.6c/kg from the w/e 27/08/23. ROI moved up two places to eleventh position on the EU league table in the w/e 24/09/23. ROI was 32.1c/kg behind the EU average price and 62.7c/kg behind the same price in NI in the w/e 24/09/23.



The euro rate increased to €1= 86.5p in the w/e 24/09/23.