

Title: EU and UK Deadweight Cattle Prices - Heifers R3 Equivalent (€ Cents) week 41/2023

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| Position last Mth | Position this Mth | Country | Price last Mth (w/e 17.09.23) | Price this Mth (w/e 15.10.23) | Change on Mth (cents) |
|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------|
| 4 | 1 | Italy | 541.0 | 565.7 | +24.7 |
| 1 | 2 | Great Britain | 556.1 | 561.0 | +4.9 |
| 2 | 3 | France | 554.0 | 553.0 | -1.0 |
| 5 | 4 | Northern Ireland | 540.8 | 536.5 | -4.3 |
| 3 | 5 | Luxembourg | 543.4 | 533.1 | -10.3 |
| 6 | 6 | Spain | 506.7 | 531.2 | +24.5 |
| 8 | 7 | Sweden | 481.4 | 497.9 | +16.5 |
| 7 | 8 | Portugal | 493.9 | 494.1 | +0.2 |
| 13 | 9 | Poland | 467.6 | 478.0 | +10.4 |
| 11 | 10 | Belgium | 473.0 | 472.5 | -0.5 |
| 10 | 11 | Austria | 473.5 | 470.2 | -3.3 |
| 14 | 12 | Germany | 467.6 | 466.6 | -1.0 |
| 12 | 13 | Ireland | 472.5 | 463.2 | -9.3 |
| 9 | 14 | Slovenia | 477.7 | 460.3 | -17.4 |
| 16 | 15 | Romania | 409.4 | 455.6 | +46.2 |
| 15 | 16 | Denmark | 439.9 | 437.2 | -2.7 |
| 17 | 17 | Czech Republic | 390.7 | 373.1 | -17.6 |
| 18 | 18 | Lithuania | 364.2 | 343.3 | -21.0 |
| 19 | 19 | Netherlands | 198.0 | 251.0 | +53.0 |
| | | EU Average | 503.5 | 506.8 | +3.3 |
| | | Euro (€1=) | 85.9 | 86.4 | +0.5 |

Key trends



In the w/e 15/10/23 the average R3 heifer price in the EU was 506.8c/kg, up 3.3c/kg from the w/e 17/09/23.



NI moved up one place to fourth position on the EU league table with an equivalent price of 536.5c/kg. This was back 4.3c/kg from the w/e 17/09/23. In the w/e 17/09/23 the R3 heifer price in NI was 37.3c/kg above the EU average and 29.7c/kg above the EU average price in the w/e 15/10/23.



GB moved down one place to second position on the EU league table in the w/e 15/10/23. The equivalent R3 heifer price was 561.0c/kg, up 4.9c/kg from the w/e 17/09/23. GB was 52.6c/kg ahead of the EU average in the w/e 17/09/23 and 54.2c/kg ahead of the EU average price in the w/e 15/10/23.



In ROI the R3 heifer price was 463.2c/kg in the w/e 15/10/23, back 9.3c/kg from the w/e 17/09/23. ROI moved down one place to thirteenth position on the EU league table in the w/e 15/10/23. ROI was 43.6c/kg behind the EU average price and 73.3c/kg behind the same price in NI in the w/e 15/10/23.



The euro rate increased to €1= 86.4p in the w/e 15/10/23.