

Title: EU and UK Deadweight Cattle Prices - Heifers R3 Equivalent (€ Cents) week 08/2023

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Position last Mth	Position this Mth	Country	Price last Mth (w/e 29.01.23)	Price this Mth (w/e 26.02.23)	Change on Mth (cents)
1	1	Italy	556.6	554.3	-2.3
6	2	Great Britain	525.0	548.8	+23.8
2	3	Luxembourg	545.8	546.5	+0.7
3	4	France	544.0	544.0	0.0
7	5	Spain	512.5	540.0	+27.5
4	6	Northern Ireland	526.4	537.3	+10.9
5	7	Ireland	525.2	529.4	+4.1
8	8	Sweden	507.2	518.6	+11.3
9	9	Germany	503.2	506.9	+3.7
10	10	Portugal	502.3	504.6	+2.3
11	11	Poland	497.4	493.4	-4.0
12	12	Austria	489.9	480.1	-9.8
13	13	Belgium	476.5	476.0	-0.5
14	14	Denmark	462.9	445.9	-16.9
15	15	Slovenia	462.0	436.9	-25.1
17	16	Lithuania	404.8	429.6	+24.9
18	17	Czech Republic	393.8	412.7	+18.9
16	18	Netherlands	427.0	392.0	-35.0
19	19	Romania	387.7	366.4	-21.3
		EU Average	518.5	522.8	+4.3
		Euro (€1=)	88.1	88.2	+0.1

Key trends



In the w/e 26/02/23 the average R3 heifer price in the EU was 522.8c/kg, up 4.3c/kg from the w/e 29/01/23.



NI moved down two places to sixth place on the EU league table with an equivalent price of 537.3c/kg. This was up 10.9c/kg from the w/e 29/01/23. In the w/e 29/01/23 the R3 heifer price in NI was 7.9c/kg above the EU average, with NI 14.5c/kg ahead of the EU average price in the w/e 26/02/23.



GB climbed four places to second position on the EU league table in the w/e 26/02/23. The equivalent R3 heifer price was 548.8c/kg up 23.8c/kg from the w/e 29/01/23. GB was 6.5c/kg ahead of the EU average in the w/e 29/01/23 and was 26c/kg ahead of the EU average price in the w/e 26/02/23.



In ROI the R3 heifer price was 529.4c/kg in the w/e 26/02/23, which is an 4.1c/kg increase from the w/e 29/01/23. ROI moved down two places to seventh position on the EU league table in the week ending 26/02/23. ROI was 6.6c/kg ahead of the EU average price and 7.9c/kg behind the same price in NI in the w/e 26/02/23.



The euro rate increased to €1= 88.2p in the w/e 26/02/23.