## Title: EU and UK Deadweight Cattle Prices - Heifers R3 Equivalent (€ Cents) week 43/2023

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 01.10.23)	Price this Mth (w/e 29.10.23)	Change on Mth (cents)
1	1	Great Britain	558.4	554.6	-3.7
2	2	France	553.0	552.0	-1.0
3	3	Italy	546.5	543.9	-2.6
4	4	Luxembourg	538.0	540.4	+2.4
5	5	Northern Ireland	535.9	528.6	-7.3
6	6	Spain	528.9	513.5	-15.4
10	7	Poland	471.9	493.4	+21.5
7	8	Sweden	490.5	492.9	+2.3
16	9	Romania	415.2	491.4	+76.2
8	10	Portugal	487.2	490.3	+3.1
11	11	Austria	471.3	477.3	+6.1
9	12	Belgium	473.5	471.5	-2.0
14	13	Slovenia	462.3	465.7	+3.4
12	14	Ireland	470.8	463.4	-7.4
13	15	Germany	464.0	457.0	-7.0
15	16	Denmark	447.8	435.7	-12.1
17	17	Czech Republic	367.9	374.6	+6.8
18	18	Lithuania	348.9	340.8	-8.1
19	19	Netherlands	240.0	259.0	+19.0
		EU Average	505.8	502.7	-3.1
	Euro (€1=)		86.7	87.1	+0.4

## **Key trends**



In the w/e 29/10/23 the average R3 heifer price in the EU was 502.7c/kg, back 3.1c/kg from the w/e 01/10/23.



NI remained in fifth position on the EU league table with an equivalent price of 528.6c/kg. This was back 7.3c/kg from the w/e 01/10/23. In the w/e 01/10/23 the R3 heifer price in NI was 30.1c/kg above the EU average and 25.9c/kg above the EU average price in the w/e 29/10/23.



GB remained in first position on the EU league table in the w/e 29/10/23. The equivalent R3 heifer price was 554.6c/kg, back 3.7c/kg from the w/e 01/10/23. GB was 52.6c/kg ahead of the EU average in the w/e 01/10/23 and 51.9c/kg ahead of the EU average price in the w/e 29/10/23.



In ROI the R3 heifer price was 463.4c/kg in the w/e 29/10/23, back 7.4c/kg from the w/e 01/10/23. ROI moved down two places to fourteenth position on the EU league table in the w/e 29/10/23. ROI was 39.3c/kg behind the EU average price and 65.2c/kg behind the same price in NI in the w/e 29/10/23.



The euro rate increased to €1= 87.1p in the w/e 29/10/23.