## Title: EU and UK Deadweight Cattle Prices - Heifers R3 Equivalent (€ Cents) week 47/2023

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| Position<br>last Mth | Position<br>this Mth | Country          | Price last Mth (w/e 29.10.23) | Price this Mth (w/e 26.11.23) | Change on Mth (cents) |
|----------------------|----------------------|------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------|
| 3                    | 1                    | Italy            | 543.9                         | 560.5                         | +16.6                 |
| 1                    | 2                    | Great Britain    | 554.6                         | 555.5                         | +0.9                  |
| 2                    | 3                    | France           | 552.0                         | 545.0                         | -7.0                  |
| 4                    | 4                    | Luxembourg       | 540.4                         | 535.4                         | -5.0                  |
| 5                    | 5                    | Northern Ireland | 528.6                         | 528.5                         | -0.0                  |
| 6                    | 6                    | Spain            | 513.5                         | 518.2                         | +4.7                  |
| 7                    | 7                    | Poland           | 493.4                         | 504.8                         | +11.3                 |
| 8                    | 8                    | Sweden           | 492.9                         | 497.4                         | +4.6                  |
| 10                   | 9                    | Portugal         | 490.3                         | 488.1                         | -2.2                  |
| 14                   | 10                   | Ireland          | 463.4                         | 476.4                         | +13.0                 |
| 13                   | 11                   | Slovenia         | 465.7                         | 474.6                         | +8.9                  |
| 11                   | 12                   | Austria          | 477.3                         | 473.9                         | -3.4                  |
| 12                   | 13                   | Belgium          | 471.5                         | 467.0                         | -4.5                  |
| 15                   | 14                   | Germany          | 457.0                         | 451.1                         | -5.9                  |
| 9                    | 15                   | Romania          | 491.4                         | 445.7                         | -45.7                 |
| 16                   | 16                   | Denmark          | 435.7                         | 434.1                         | -1.6                  |
| 18                   | 17                   | Lithuania        | 340.8                         | 390.7                         | +49.9                 |
| 17                   | 18                   | Czech Republic   | 374.6                         | 362.7                         | -12.0                 |
| 19                   | 19                   | Netherlands      | 259.0                         | 205.0                         | -54.0                 |
|                      |                      | EU Average       | 502.7                         | 501.9                         | -0.8                  |
|                      | Euro (€1=)           |                  | 87.1                          | 87.1                          | +0.0                  |

## **Key trends**



In the w/e 26/11/23 the average R3 heifer price in the EU was 501.9c/kg, back 0.8c/kg from the w/e 29/10/23.



NI remained in fifth position on the EU league table with an equivalent price of 528.5c/kg. This was unchanged from the w/e 29/10/23. In the w/e 29/10/23 the R3 heifer price in NI was 25.9c/kg above the EU average and 26.6c/kg above the EU average price in the w/e 26/11/23.



GB moved down one place to second position on the EU league table in the w/e 26/11/23. The equivalent R3 heifer price was 555.5c/kg, up 0.9c/kg from the w/e 29/10/23. GB was 51.9c/kg ahead of the EU average in the w/e 29/10/23 and 53.6c/kg ahead of the EU average price in the w/e 26/11/23.



In ROI the R3 heifer price was 476.4c/kg in the w/e 26/11/23, up 13.0c/kg from the w/e 29/10/23. ROI moved up four places to tenth position on the EU league table in the w/e 26/11/23. ROI was 25.5c/kg behind the EU average price and 26.6c/kg behind the same price in NI in the w/e 26/11/23.



The euro rate remained at €1= 87.1p in the w/e 26/11/23.