

Title: EU and UK Deadweight Cattle Prices - Heifers R3 Equivalent (€ Cents) week 08/2024


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Position last Mth	Position this Mth	Country	Price last Mth (w/e 28.01.24)	Price this Mth (w/e 25.02.24)	Change on Mth (cents)
2	1	Great Britain	580.4	584.8	+4.3
1	2	Italy	588.8	575.5	-13.3
3	3	Northern Ireland	559.6	557.5	-2.1
4	4	France	548.0	549.0	+1.0
7	5	Sweden	515.4	525.3	+9.9
5	6	Spain	525.1	524.6	-0.6
6	7	Ireland	521.7	519.2	-2.6
9	8	Portugal	499.7	501.6	+1.8
8	9	Poland	509.5	498.7	-10.7
11	10	Austria	466.2	477.5	+11.4
12	11	Belgium	464.8	466.1	+1.4
10	12	Slovenia	468.4	460.8	-7.5
13	13	Germany	453.5	452.5	-1.0
14	14	Romania	441.3	434.0	-7.2
15	15	Denmark	432.1	428.1	-4.0
16	16	Lithuania	380.8	386.6	+5.8
17	17	Czech Republic	363.8	365.2	+1.5
18	18	Netherlands	264.0	189.0	-75.0
		EU Average	511.7	510.9	-0.8
		Euro (€1=)	85.5	85.5	+0.0


Key trends

 In the w/e 25/02/24 the average R3 heifer price in the EU was 510.9c/kg, back 0.8c/kg from the w/e 28/01/24.

 NI remained in third position on the EU league table with an equivalent price of 557.5c/kg. This was back 2.1c/kg from the w/e 28/01/24. In the w/e 28/01/24 the R3 heifer price in NI was 47.9c/kg above the EU average and 46.6c/kg above the EU average price in the w/e 25/02/24.

 GB moved up one place to first position on the EU league table in the w/e 25/02/24. The equivalent R3 heifer price was 584.8c/kg, up 4.3c/kg from the w/e 28/01/24. GB was 68.7c/kg ahead of the EU average in the w/e 28/01/24 and 73.9c/kg ahead of the EU average price in the w/e 25/02/24.

 In ROI the R3 heifer price was 519.2c/kg in the w/e 25/02/24, back 2.6c/kg from the w/e 28/01/24. ROI moved down one place to seventh position on the EU league table in the w/e 25/02/24. ROI was 8.3c/kg above the EU average price and 38.3c/kg behind the same price in NI in the w/e 25/02/24.

 The euro rate remained at €1= 85.5p in the w/e 25/02/24.