

Title: EU and UK Deadweight Cattle Prices - Heifers R3 Equivalent (€ Cents) week 13/2024

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Position last Mth	Position this Mth	Country	Price last Mth (w/e 03.03.24)	Price this Mth (w/e 31.03.24)	Change on Mth (cents)
2	1	Italy	563.3	583.0	+19.7
1	2	Great Britain	584.7	573.7	-11.0
3	3	Northern Ireland	556.3	558.1	+1.8
4	4	France	549.0	548.0	-1.0
7	5	Ireland	515.9	523.5	+7.5
5	6	Spain	541.7	520.7	-21.0
8	7	Portugal	511.9	514.5	+2.6
6	8	Sweden	519.4	508.4	-11.0
9	9	Poland	501.1	500.4	-0.7
12	10	Belgium	478.5	479.7	+1.2
10	11	Austria	486.2	474.3	-11.9
13	12	Slovenia	469.0	472.6	+3.5
14	13	Germany	451.3	446.3	-5.0
15	14	Denmark	425.9	442.2	+16.3
11	15	Romania	484.9	436.0	-48.9
16	16	Lithuania	380.1	374.9	-5.2
17	17	Netherlands	227.0	231.0	+4.0
		EU Average	512.8	510.2	-2.6
		Euro (€1=)	85.6	85.7	+0.1

Key trends



In the w/e 31/03/24 the average R3 heifer price in the EU was 510.2c/kg, back 2.6c/kg from the w/e 03/03/24.



NI remained in third position on the EU league table with an equivalent price of 558.1c/kg. This was up 1.8c/kg from the w/e 03/03/24. In the w/e 03/03/24 the R3 heifer price in NI was 43.5c/kg above the EU average and 47.9c/kg above the EU average price in the w/e 31/03/24.



GB moved down one place to second position on the EU league table in the w/e 31/03/24. The equivalent R3 heifer price was 573.7c/kg, back 11c/kg from the w/e 03/03/24. GB was 71.9c/kg ahead of the EU average in the w/e 03/03/24 and 63.5c/kg ahead of the EU average price in the w/e 31/03/24.



In ROI the R3 heifer price was 523.5c/kg in the w/e 31/03/24, up 7.5c/kg from the w/e 03/03/24. ROI moved up two places to fifth position on the EU league table in the w/e 31/03/24. ROI was 13.3c/kg above the EU average price and 34.6c/kg behind the same price in NI in the w/e 31/03/24.



The euro rate increased to €1= 85.7p in the w/e 31/03/24.