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(Acts whose publication is obligatory)

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 405/78**of 28 February 1978****fixing the import levies on cereals and on wheat or rye flour groats and meal**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European
Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No
2727/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organiza-
tion of the market in cereals⁽¹⁾, as last amended by
Regulation (EEC) No 2560/77⁽²⁾, and in particular
Article 13 (5) thereof,

Whereas the import levies on cereals, wheat and rye
flour, and wheat groats and meal were fixed by Regula-
tion (EEC) No 1729/77⁽³⁾ and subsequent amending
Regulations;

Whereas it follows from applying the provisions
contained in Regulation (EEC) No 1729/77 to the

offer prices and today's quotations known to the
Commission that the levies at present in force should
be altered as shown in the Annex to this Regulation,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The import levies to be charged on products listed in
Article 1 (a), (b) and (c) of Regulation (EEC) No
2727/75 are hereby fixed as shown in the table
annexed to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 March
1978.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member
States.

Done at Brussels, 28 February 1978.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 303, 28. 11. 1977, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 191, 30. 7. 1977, p. 5.

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to the Commission Regulation of 28 February 1978 fixing the import levies on cereals and on wheat or rye flour groats and meal

(u.a./tonne)

CCT heading No	Description	Levies
10.01 A	Common wheat, and meslin	91.61
10.01 B	Durum wheat	116.18 ⁽¹⁾ ⁽⁵⁾
10.02	Rye	78.68 ⁽⁶⁾
10.03	Barley	82.37
10.04	Oats	78.94
10.05 B	Maize, other than hybrid maize for sowing	79.56 ⁽²⁾ ⁽³⁾
10.07 A	Buckwheat	0
10.07 B	Millet	82.14 ⁽⁴⁾
10.07 C	Grain sorghum	87.74 ⁽⁴⁾
10.07 D	Canary seed ; other cereals	0 ⁽⁵⁾
11.01 A	Wheat or meslin flour	140.04
11.01 B	Rye flour	121.92
11.02 A I a)	Durum wheat groats and meal	191.13
11.02 A I b)	Common wheat groats and meal	150.02

⁽¹⁾ Where durum wheat originating in Morocco is transported directly from that country to the Community, the levy is reduced by 0.50 u.a./tonne.

⁽²⁾ Where maize originating in the ACP or OCT is imported into the French overseas departments, the levy is reduced by 6 u.a./tonne as provided for in Regulation (EEC) No 706/76.

⁽³⁾ Where maize originating in the ACP or OCT is imported into the Community the levy is reduced by 1.50 u.a./tonne.

⁽⁴⁾ Where millet and sorghum originating in the ACP or OCT is imported into the Community the levy is reduced by 50 %.

⁽⁵⁾ Where durum wheat and canary seed produced in Turkey are transported directly from that country to the Community, the levy is reduced by 0.50 u.a./tonne.

⁽⁶⁾ The import levy charged on rye produced in Turkey and transported directly from that country to the Community is laid down in Council Regulation (EEC) No 1180/77 and Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2622/71.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 406/78**of 28 February 1978****fixing the premiums to be added to the import levies on cereals, flour and malt**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European
Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No
2727/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organ-
ization of the market in cereals⁽¹⁾, as last amended by
Regulation (EEC) No 2560/77⁽²⁾, and in particular
Article 15 (6) thereof,

Whereas the premiums to be added to the levies on
cereals and malt were fixed by Regulation (EEC) No
1730/77⁽³⁾ and subsequent amending Regulations ;

Whereas, on the basis of today's cif prices and cif
forward delivery prices, the premiums at present in
force, which are to be added to the levies, should be

altered as shown in the tables annexed to this Regula-
tion,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

The scale of the premiums to be added, pursuant to
Article 15 of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75, to the
import levies fixed in advance in respect of cereals
and malt is hereby fixed as shown in the tables
annexed to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 March
1978.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member
States.

Done at Brussels, 28 February 1978.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 303, 28. 11. 1977, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 191, 30. 7. 1977, p. 7.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 28 February 1978 fixing the premiums to be added to the import levies on cereals, flour and malt

A. Cereals and flour

(u.a./tonne)

CCT heading No	Description	Current 3	1st period 4	2nd period 5	3rd period 6
10.01 A	Common wheat, and meslin	0	2.57	2.57	2.90
10.01 B	Durum wheat	0	16.01	16.01	16.84
10.02	Rye	0	1.48	1.48	1.48
10.03	Barley	0	0	0	0
10.04	Oats	0	0	0	0
10.05 B	Maize, other than hybrid maize for sowing	0	0.49	0.49	0.66
10.07 A	Buckwheat	0	0	0	0
10.07 B	Millet	0	0	0	0
10.07 C	Grain sorghum	0	0	0	0
10.07 D	Other cereals	0	0	0	0
11.01 A	Wheat or meslin flour	0	3.59	3.59	4.06

B. Malt

(u.a./tonne)

CCT heading No	Description	Current 3	1st period 4	2nd period 5	3rd period 6	4th period 7
11.07 A I (a)	Unroasted malt, obtained from wheat, in the form of flour	0	4.57	4.57	5.16	5.16
11.07 A I (b)	Unroasted malt, obtained from wheat, other than in the form of flour	0	3.42	3.42	3.86	3.86
11.07 A II (a)	Unroasted malt, other than that obtained from wheat, in the form of flour	0	0	0	0	0
11.07 A II (b)	Unroasted malt, other than that obtained from wheat, other than in the form of flour	0	0	0	0	0
11.07 B	Roasted malt	0	0	0	0	0

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 407/78
of 28 February 1978
fixing the import levies on rice and broken rice

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European
Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No
1418/76 of 21 June 1976 on the common organiza-
tion of the market in rice ⁽¹⁾, as amended by Regula-
tion (EEC) No 1158/77 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 11
(2) thereof,

Whereas the import levies on rice and broken rice
were fixed by Regulation (EEC) No 87/78 ⁽³⁾, as last
amended by Regulation (EEC) No 364/78 ⁽⁴⁾;

Whereas it follows from applying the rules and other
provisions contained in Regulation (EEC) No 87/78 to
the offer prices and today's quotations known to the

Commission that the levies at present in force should
be altered as shown in the table annexed to this Regu-
lation,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The import levies to be charged on the products listed
in Article 1 (1) (a) and (b) of Regulation (EEC) No
1418/76 are hereby fixed as shown in the table
annexed to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 March
1978.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member
States.

Done at Brussels, 28 February 1978.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 166, 25. 6. 1976, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 136, 2. 6. 1977, p. 13.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 15, 19. 1. 1978, p. 5.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 52, 23. 2. 1978, p. 6.

to the Commission Regulation of 28 February 1978 fixing the import levies on rice and broken rice

CCT heading No	Description	Third countries	ACP or OCT ⁽¹⁾ / ₍₂₎
10.06	Rice :		
	A. Paddy rice ; husked rice :		
	I. Paddy rice :		
	a) Round grain	60.76	27.38
	b) Long grain	65.52	29.76
	II. Husked rice :		
	a) Round grain	75.95	34.98
	b) Long grain	81.90	37.95
	B. Semi-milled or wholly milled rice :		
	I. Semi-milled rice :		
	a) Round grain	142.17	61.19
	b) Long grain	198.99	89.63
	II. Wholly milled rice :		
	a) Round grain	151.41	65.46
	b) Long grain	213.32	96.41
	C. Broken rice :	65.51	30.26

(1) Subject to the application of the provisions of Article 9 of Regulation (EEC) No 706/76.

(2) In accordance with Regulation (EEC) No 706/76, the levies are not applied to imports into the French overseas departments of products originating in the African, Caribbean and Pacific States or in the 'overseas countries and territories'.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 408/78**of 28 February 1978****fixing the premiums to be added to the import levies on rice and broken rice**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European
Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No
1418/76 of 21 June 1976 on the common organiza-
tion of the market in rice ⁽¹⁾, as amended by Regula-
tion (EEC) No 1158/77 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 13
(6) thereof,

Whereas the premiums to be added to the levies on
rice and broken rice were fixed by Regulation (EEC)
No 1954/77 ⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC)
No 365/78 ⁽⁴⁾;

Whereas, on the basis of today's cif prices and cif
forward delivery prices, the premiums at present in

force, which are to be added to the levies, should be
altered as shown in the table annexed to this Regula-
tion,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The premiums to be added to the import levies fixed
in advance in respect of rice and broken rice are
hereby fixed as shown in the table annexed to this
Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 March
1978.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member
States.

Done at Brussels, 28 February 1978.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 166, 25. 6. 1976, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 136, 2. 6. 1977, p. 13.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 223, 1. 9. 1977, p. 8.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 52, 23. 2. 1978, p. 8.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 28 February 1978 fixing the premiums to be added to the import levies on rice and broken rice

(u.a. / tonne)					
CCT heading No	Description	Current 3	1st period 4	2nd period 5	3rd period 6
10.06	Rice :				
	A. Paddy rice ; husked rice :				
	I. Paddy rice :				
	a) Round grain	0	0	0	—
	b) Long grain	0	0	0	—
	II. Husked rice :				
	a) Round grain	0	0	0	—
	b) Long grain	0	0	0	—
	B. Semi-milled or wholly milled rice :				
	I. Semi-milled rice :				
	a) Round grain	0	0	0	—
	b) Long grain	0	0	0	—
	II. Wholly milled rice :				
	a) Round grain	0	0	0	—
	b) Long grain	0	0	0	—
	C. Broken rice	0	0	0	0

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 409/78

of 28 February 1978

fixing the export refunds on products processed from cereals and rice

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organization of the market in cereals⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2560/77⁽²⁾, and in particular the fourth subparagraph of Article 16 (2) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1418/76 of 21 June 1976 on the common organization of the market in rice⁽³⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1158/77⁽⁴⁾, and in particular the fourth subparagraph of Article 17 (2) thereof,

Having regard to the opinion of the Monetary Committee,

Whereas Article 16 of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 and Article 17 of Regulation (EEC) No 1418/76 provide that the difference between quotations or prices on the world market for the products listed in Article 1 of those Regulations and prices for those products within the Community may be covered by an export refund;

Whereas Article 2 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 2746/75 of 29 October 1975⁽⁵⁾, and Article 2 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 1431/76 of 21 June 1976⁽⁶⁾ laying down general rules for granting export refunds on cereals and rice respectively and criteria for fixing the amount of such refunds, provide that when refunds are being fixed account must be taken of the existing situation and the future trend with regard to prices and availabilities of cereals, rice and broken rice on the Community market on the one hand and prices for cereals, rice and broken rice on the world market on the other; whereas the same Articles provide that it is also important to ensure equilibrium and the natural development of prices and trade on the markets in cereals and rice and, furthermore, to take into account the economic aspect of the proposed exports, and the need to avoid disturbances on the Community market;

Whereas Article 6 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 2744/75 of 29 October 1975 on the import and export system for products processed from cereals and from rice⁽⁷⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No

2560/77, defines the specific criteria to be taken into account when the refund on these products is being calculated;

Whereas, on the basis of the criteria laid down in Regulation (EEC) No 2744/75, particular account should be taken of the prices and quantities of basic products used to calculate the variable component of the levy; whereas Article 8 of Regulation (EEC) No 2744/75 and Article 1 of Regulation (EEC) No 1077/68⁽⁸⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2764/71⁽⁹⁾, provide that the amount of the export refund should, for certain products, be reduced by an amount equal to the production refund granted in respect of the basic product;

Whereas it follows from applying these rules and criteria to the present situation on the market in products processed from cereals and rice that the export refund should be fixed at an amount which will cover the difference between Community prices and world market prices;

Whereas when the refund is being calculated account should be taken of the quantities of raw materials used to determine the variable component of the levy; whereas the quantities of raw materials used for certain processed products may vary according to the end use of the product; whereas, depending on the manufacturing process used, products other than the main product are obtained, the quantity and value of which may vary with the nature and quality of the main products being manufactured; whereas cumulation of the refunds on the various products manufactured by a single process from the same basic product may make it possible, in certain cases, to export to third countries at prices which are lower than world market prices; whereas the refund on certain products should therefore be limited to an amount which, while allowing access to the world market, will ensure that the aims of the common organization of the markets are respected;

Whereas the refund to be granted in respect of certain processed products should be graduated on the basis of the ash, crude fibre, tegument, protein, fat and starch content of the individual product concerned, this content being a particularly good indicator of the quantity of basic product actually incorporated in the processed product;

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 303, 28. 11. 1977, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 166, 25. 6. 1976, p. 1.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 136, 2. 6. 1977, p. 13.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 78.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 166, 25. 6. 1976, p. 36.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 65.

⁽⁸⁾ OJ No L 181, 27. 7. 1968, p. 1.

⁽⁹⁾ OJ No L 283, 24. 12. 1971, p. 30.

Whereas there is no need at present to fix an export refund for manioc, other tropical roots and tubers or flours obtained therefrom, given the economic aspect of potential exports and in particular the nature and origin of these products; whereas, for certain products processed from cereals, the insignificance of Community participation in world trade makes it unnecessary to fix an export refund at the present time;

Whereas the world market situation or the specific requirements of certain markets may make it necessary to vary the refund for certain products according to destination;

Whereas Regulation (EEC) No 2806/71 ⁽¹⁾ lays down additional rules for granting export refunds for certain products processed from cereals and rice;

Whereas, if the refund system is to operate normally, refunds should be calculated on the following basis:

- in the case of currencies which are maintained in relation to each other at any given moment within a band of 2.25 %, a rate of exchange based on their effective parity;
- for other currencies, an exchange rate based on the arithmetic mean of the spot market rates of each

of these currencies recorded for a given period in relation to the Community currencies referred to in the previous subparagraph;

Whereas the refund must be fixed once a month; whereas it may be altered in the intervening period;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Cereals,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The export refunds on the products listed in Article 1 (d) of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 and in Article 1 (1) (c) of Regulation (EEC) No 1418/76 and subject to Regulation (EEC) No 2744/75 are hereby fixed as shown in the Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 March 1978.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 28 February 1978.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 284, 28. 12. 1971, p. 9.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 28 February 1978 fixing the export refunds on products processed from cereals and rice

Number in nomenclature used for refunds	Nomenclature in simplified wording	Refund (u.a./tonne)
11.01 C (I)	Barley flour, of an ash content, referred to dry matter, not exceeding 0.9 % by weight and of a crude fibre content, referred to dry matter, not exceeding 0.9 % weight	109.67
11.01 C (II)	Barley flour not included under No 11.01 C (I)	0
11.01 D (I)	Oat flour, of an ash content, referred to dry matter, not exceeding 2.3 % by weight, of a crude fibre content, referred to dry matter, not exceeding 1.8 % by weight, of a moisture content not exceeding 11 % and of which the peroxydase is virtually inactivated	120.59
11.01 D (II)	Oat flour not included under No 11.01 D (I)	0
11.01 E (I)	Maize flour, of a fat content, referred to dry matter, not exceeding 1.3 % by weight and of a crude fibre content, referred to dry matter, not exceeding 0.8 % by weight	98.16
11.01 E (II)	Maize flour, of a fat content, referred to dry matter, exceeding 1.3 % but not exceeding 1.7 % by weight and of a crude fibre content, referred to dry matter, not exceeding 1 % by weight	84.14
11.01 E (III)	Maize flour not included under No 11.01 E (I) and (II)	61.00
11.01 F	Rice flour	66.39
11.02 A III (a)	Barley groats and meal, of an ash content, referred to dry matter, not exceeding 1 % by weight and of a crude fibre content, referred to dry matter, not exceeding 0.9 % by weight	113.33
11.02 A III (b)	Barley groats and meal not included under No 11.02 A III (a)	0
11.02 A IV (a)	Oat groats and meal, of an ash content, referred to dry matter, not exceeding 2.3 % by weight, of a tegument content not exceeding 0.1 %, of a moisture content not exceeding 11 % and of which the peroxydase is virtually inactivated	120.59
11.02 A IV (b)	Oat groats and meal not included under No 11.02 A IV (a)	0
11.02 A V (a)	Maize groats and meal, of a fat content, referred to dry matter, not exceeding 0.9 % by weight and a crude fibre content, referred to dry matter, not exceeding 0.6 % by weight ⁽¹⁾	140.24
11.02 A V (b)	Maize groats and meal, of a fat content, referred to dry matter, not exceeding 1.3 % by weight and of a crude fibre content, referred to dry matter, not exceeding 0.8 % by weight ⁽¹⁾	98.16
11.02 A V (c)	Maize groats and meal, of a fat content, referred to dry matter, exceeding 1.3 % by weight but not exceeding 1.7 % by weight and of a crude fibre content, referred to dry matter, not exceeding 1.0 % weight ⁽¹⁾	84.14
11.02 A VI	Rice groats and meal	66.39
11.02 B I a) 1 (aa)	Hulled (shelled or husked) barley, of an ash content, referred to dry matter, not exceeding 1 % by weight and of a crude fibre content, referred to dry matter, not exceeding 0.9 % by weight ⁽²⁾	109.67
11.02 B I a) 1 (bb)	Hulled (shelled or husked) barley not included under No 11.02 B I a) 1 (aa) ⁽²⁾	0
11.02 B I a) 2 (aa)	Clipped oats	—
11.02 B I a) 2 bb) (11)	Hulled (shelled or husked) oats, of an ash content, referred to dry matter, not exceeding 2.3 % by weight, of a tegument content not exceeding 0.5 % of a moisture content not exceeding 11 % and of which the peroxydase is virtually inactivated ⁽²⁾	107.19
11.02 B I a) 2 bb) (22)	Hulled (shelled or husked) oats, not included under No 11.02 B I a) 2 bb) (11) ⁽²⁾	0

Number in nomenclature used for refunds	Nomenclature in simplified wording	(u.a./tonne) Refund
11.02 B I b) 1 (aa)	Hulled and sliced or kibbled barley, of an ash content, referred to dry matter, not exceeding 1 % by weight and of a crude fibre content, referred to dry matter, not exceeding 0.9 % by weight ('Grütze' or 'Grutten') ⁽²⁾	109.67
11.02 B I b) 1 (bb)	Hulled and sliced or kibbled barley, not included under No 11.02 B I b) 1 (aa) ('Grütze' or 'Grutten') ⁽²⁾	0
11.02 B I b) 2 (aa)	Hulled and sliced or kibbled oats, of an ash content, referred to dry matter, not exceeding 2.3 % weight, of a tegument content not exceeding 0.1 %, of a moisture content not exceeding 11 % and of which the peroxydase is virtually inactivated ('Grütze' or 'Grutten') ⁽²⁾	113.90
11.02 B I b) 2 (bb)	Hulled and sliced or kibbled oats not included under No 11.02 B I b) 2 (aa) ('Grütze' or 'Grutten') ⁽²⁾	0
11.02 B II a) (1)	Hulled (shelled or husked) wheat, not sliced or kibbled ⁽²⁾	0
11.02 C III (a)	Pearled barley, of an ash content, referred to dry matter, not exceeding 1 % by weight (without talc) — 1st category ⁽³⁾	146.23
11.02 C III (b)	Pearled barley, of an ash content, referred to dry matter, not exceeding 1 % by weight (without talc) — 2nd category ⁽³⁾	116.98
11.02 C IV	Pearled oats ⁽³⁾	0
11.02 D II	Rye not otherwise worked than kibbled	—
11.02 E I b) 1 (aa)	Flaked oats, of an ash content, referred to dry matter, not exceeding 1 % by weight and of a crude fibre content, referred to dry matter, not exceeding 0.9 % by weight	109.67
11.02 E I b) 1 (bb)	Flaked barley not included under 11.02 E I b) 1 (aa)	—
11.02 E I b) 2 (aa)	Flaked oats, of an ash content, referred to dry matter, not exceeding 2.3 % by weight, of a tegument content not exceeding 0.1 %, of a moisture content not exceeding 12 % and of which the peroxydase is virtually inactivated	133.99
11.02 E I b) 2 (bb)	Flaked oats, of an ash content, referred to dry matter, not exceeding 2.3 % by weight, of a tegument content exceeding 0.1 % but not exceeding 1.5 %, of a moisture content not exceeding 12 % and of which the peroxydase is virtually inactivated	107.19
11.02 E I b) 2 (cc)	Flaked oats not included under Nos 11.02 E I b) 2 (aa) and 11.02 E I b) 2 (bb)	—
ex 11.02 E II c) (1)	Flaked maize, of a fat content, referred to dry matter, not exceeding 0.9 % by weight and of a crude fibre content, referred to dry matter, not exceeding 0.7 % by weight	112.19
ex 11.02 E II c) (2)	Flaked maize, of a fat content, referred to dry matter, not exceeding 1.3 % by weight and of a crude fibre content, referred to dry matter, not exceeding 0.8 % by weight	91.15
ex 11.02 E II c) (3)	Flaked maize, of a fat content, referred to dry matter, exceeding 1.3 % but not exceeding 1.7 % by weight and of a crude fibre content, referred to dry matter, not exceeding 1 % weight	—
11.02 E II d) 1	Flaked rice	66.39
11.02 F III	Barley pellets	—
11.02 F IV	Oat pellets	—
11.02 F V	Maize pellets	—
11.02 G I	Wheat germ, whole, rolled, flaked or ground	20.19
11.02 G II	Germ of cereals other than wheat, whole, rolled, flaked or ground	17.53

Number in nomenclature used for refunds	Nomenclature in simplified wording	Refund
		(u.a./tonne)
11.07 A I a)	Unroasted malt, obtained from wheat, in the form of flour	107.00
11.07 A II a)	Unroasted malt, other than that obtained from wheat, in the form of flour	96.89
11.08 A I	Maize starch	98.07
11.08 A II	Rice starch	74.02
11.08 A III	Wheat starch	143.95
11.08 A IV	Potato starch	98.07
11.08 A V	Starches other than maize, rice, wheat, or potato starch	98.07
11.09 A	Dried wheat gluten, of a protein content, referred to dry matter, not exceeding 82 % by weight ($N \times 6.25$)	130.86
17.02 B II a)	Glucose other than glucose containing, in the dry state, 99 % or more by weight of the pure product, in the form of white crystalline powder, whether or not agglomerated ⁽⁴⁾	127.91
17.02 B II b)	Glucose and glucose syrup not containing, in the dry state, 99 % or more by weight of the pure product, other than glucose in the form of white crystalline powder, whether or not agglomerated ⁽⁴⁾	98.07
21.07 F II	Flavoured or coloured glucose and glucose syrup, other than in the form of white crystalline powder, whether or not agglomerated	98.07
23.02 A I a)	Brans, sharps and other residues derived from the sifting, milling or working of maize or rice of a starch content not exceeding 35 % by weight	22.40
23.02 A I b) 2	Brans, sharps and other residues derived from the sifting, milling or working of maize or rice, of a starch content exceeding 35 % by weight, and not having undergone a denaturing process, or of a starch content exceeding 45 % by weight and having undergone denaturing process	22.40
23.02 A II a)	Brans, sharps and other residues derived from the sifting, milling or working of maize or rice, of a starch content not exceeding 28 % by weight and of which the percentage which passes through a sieve with an aperture of 0.2 mm does not exceed 10 % by weight or of which the sifted product has an ash content, calculated on dry matter, not exceeding 1.5 % by weight	22.40
23.02 A II b)	Brans, sharps and other residues derived from the sifting, milling or working of cereals other than maize or rice, not included under No 23.02 A II a)	22.40
23.03 A I	Residues from the manufacture of starch from maize (excluding concentrated steeping liquors), of a protein content, calculated on dry matter, not exceeding 63 % by weight ($N \times 6.25$)	121.82

⁽¹⁾ The export refund is paid in respect of maize, groats and meal:

- of which a percentage not exceeding 30 % passes through a sieve with an aperture of 315 microns,
- of which a percentage not exceeding 5 % passes through a sieve with an aperture of 150 microns.

⁽²⁾ 'Hulled grains' are grains corresponding to the definition given in the Annex to Regulation (EEC) No 821/68 (OJ No L 149, 29. 6. 1968, p. 46).

⁽³⁾ 'Pearled grains' are grains corresponding to the definition given in the Annex to Regulation (EEC) No 821/68 (OJ No L 149, 29. 6. 1968, p. 46).

⁽⁴⁾ Pursuant to Regulation (EEC) No 2730/75 the product falling within subheading 17.02 B I enjoys the same export refund as the product falling within subheading 17.02 B II.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 410/78**of 28 February 1978****fixing the export refunds on cereal-based compound feedingstuffs**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organization of the market in cereals⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2560/77⁽²⁾, and in particular the fourth subparagraph of Article 16 (2) thereof,

Having regard to the opinion of the Monetary Committee,

Whereas Article 16 of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 provides that the difference between quotations or prices on the world market for the products listed in Article 1 of that Regulation and prices for those products within the Community may be covered by an export refund;

Whereas Article 2 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 2746/75 of 29 October 1975 laying down general rules for granting export refunds on cereals and criteria for fixing the amount of such refunds⁽³⁾, provides that when refunds are being fixed account must be taken of the existing situation and the future trend with regard to prices and availabilities of cereals on the Community market on the one hand and prices for cereals and cereal products on the other; whereas the same Article provides that it is also important to ensure equilibrium and the natural development of prices and trade on the cereal markets;

Whereas it follows from applying rules and criteria to the present situation on the market in cereal-based compound feedingstuffs that the export refund should be fixed at an amount which will cover the difference between Community prices and world market prices;

Whereas Article 7 (1) of Council Regulation (EEC) No 2743/75 of 29 October 1975 on the system to be applied to cereal-based compound feedingstuffs⁽⁴⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2560/77, provides that, when export refunds on cereal-based compound feedingstuffs are being fixed, only the products normally used in the manufacture of compound

feedingstuffs for which a refund may be fixed should be taken into account;

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1913/69 of 29 September 1969 on the granting and the advance fixing of the export refund on cereal-based compound feedingstuffs⁽⁵⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3116/75⁽⁶⁾, provides that calculation of the export refund must be based on the levy applicable to maize; whereas this calculation must also take account of the cereal products content; whereas, therefore, in the interest of simplification, compound feedingstuffs should be placed in categories and the refund for each category should be fixed on the basis of a quantity of maize which is representative of the usual cereal products content for the category concerned; whereas, furthermore, the amount of the refund must also take into account the possibilities and conditions for the sale of those products on the world market, the need to avoid disturbances on the Community market and the economic aspect of the export;

Whereas the world market situation or the specific requirements of certain markets may make it necessary to vary the refund for compound feedingstuffs according to destination;

Whereas, if the refund system is to operate normally, refunds should be calculated on the following basis:

- in the case of currencies which are maintained in relation to each other at any given moment within a band of 2.25 %, a rate of exchange based on their effective parity;
- for other currencies, an exchange rate based on the arithmetic mean of the spot market rates of each of these currencies recorded for a given period in relation to the Community currencies referred to in the previous subparagraph;

Whereas the refund must be fixed once a month; whereas it may be altered in the intervening period;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Cereals,

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 303, 28. 11. 1977, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 78.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 60.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 246, 30. 9. 1969, p. 11.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 309, 29. 11. 1975, p. 64.

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

to Regulation (EEC) No 2743/75 are hereby fixed as shown in the Annex to this Regulation.

*Article 1**Article 2*

The export refunds on the compound feedingstuffs covered by Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 and subject

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 March 1978.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 28 February 1978.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 28 February 1978 fixing the export refunds on cereal-based compound feedingstuffs

(u.a./tonne)			
CCT heading No	Special specification for refund	Nomenclature in simplified wording	Refund
23.07 B I		Preparations of a kind used in animal feeding, covered by Regulation (EEC) No 2743/75, containing starch, glucose or glucose syrup falling within subheadings 17.02 B and 21.07 F II or milk products (falling within heading Nos 04.01, 04.02, 04.03 and 04.04 and subheadings 17.02 A and 21.07 F I):	
		of a milk powder content of less than 50 % by weight and of cereal products ⁽¹⁾ content by weight:	
	3010	— Exceeding 5 % but not exceeding 15 %	7.01
	4010	— Exceeding 15 % but not exceeding 30 %	17.53
	5010	— Exceeding 30 % but not exceeding 50 %	31.55
	6010	— Exceeding 50 % but not exceeding 65 %	42.08
	7010	— Exceeding 65 %	52.59

¹⁾ 'Cereal products' means the products falling within Chapter 10 and heading Nos 11.01 and 11.02 (excluding subheading 11.02 G) of the Common Customs Tariff.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 411/78

of 28 February 1978

fixing the basic amount of the import levy on syrups and certain other sugar products

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 3330/74 of 19 December 1974 on the common organization of the market in sugar⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2560/77⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 15 (7) thereof,

Having regard to the opinion of the Monetary Committee,

Whereas Article 15 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 3330/74 provides for charging a levy on imports of the products listed in Article 1 (1) of that Regulation;

Whereas the levy on the products listed in Article 1 (1) (d) of Regulation (EEC) No 3330/74 must be calculated, where appropriate, at a standard rate on the basis of the sucrose content (including other sugars expressed as sucrose) of the product concerned and of the levy on white sugar; whereas, however, the levies on maple sugar and maple syrup are limited to the amount resulting from application of the rate of duty bound within GATT;

Whereas Article 7 of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 837/68 of 28 June 1968 on detailed rules for the application of levies on sugar⁽³⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1491/70⁽⁴⁾, provides that the basic amount of the levy for 100 kilograms of product must be fixed per percentage of sucrose content;

Whereas the basic amount of the levy must be equal to one-hundredth of the average of the levies applicable to 100 kilograms of white sugar during the first 20 days of the month preceding the month for which the basic amount of the levy is fixed; whereas, however, the levy applicable to white sugar on the day of the fixing of the basic amount must be substituted for the average of the levies, where that levy differs by at least 0.40 unit of account from that average;

Whereas the basic amount must be fixed every month; whereas it must, however, be altered during the period between the day on which it is fixed and

the first day of the month following the month for which the basic amount is applicable, if the levy on white sugar differs by at least 0.40 unit of account from the average referred to above or from the levy on white sugar used to fix the basic amount; whereas, in this case, the basic amount must be equal to one-hundredth of the levy on white sugar used to calculate the alteration;

Whereas, if the levy system is to operate normally, levies should be calculated on the following basis:

- in the case of currencies which are maintained in relation to each other at any given moment within a band of 2.25 %, a rate of exchange based on their effective parity;
- for other currencies, an exchange rate based on the arithmetic mean of the spot market rates of each of these currencies recorded for a given period in relation to the Community currencies referred to in the previous subparagraph;

Whereas the basic amount thus fixed must be adjusted on the basis of variations in the threshold price for white sugar occurring between the month in which the basic amount is fixed and the period of application; whereas this adjustment, equal to one-hundredth of the difference between these two threshold prices, must be deducted from or added to the basic amount in the circumstances provided for in Article 7 (6) of Regulation (EEC) No 837/68,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The basic amount of the import levy on the products listed in Article 1 (1) (d) of Regulation (EEC) No 3330/74 is hereby fixed, per 100 kilograms of product, at 0.2450 unit of account per percentage point of sucrose content.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 March 1978.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 359, 31. 12. 1974, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 303, 28. 11. 1977, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 151, 30. 6. 1968, p. 42.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 165, 28. 7. 1970, p. 8.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 28 February 1978.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 412/78

of 28 February 1978

fixing the export refunds on syrups and certain other sugar products exported in the natural state

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 3330/74 of 19 December 1974 on the common organization of the market in sugar⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2560/77⁽²⁾, and in particular the first sentence of the last subparagraph of Article 19 (2) thereof,

Having regard to the opinion of the Monetary Committee,

Whereas Article 19 of Regulation (EEC) No 3330/74 provides that the difference between quotations or prices on the world market for the products listed in Article 1 (1) (d) of that Regulation and prices for those products within the Community may be covered by an export refund;

Whereas Article 8 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 766/68 of 18 June 1968 laying down general rules for granting export refunds on sugar⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1489/76⁽⁴⁾, provides that the export refund on 100 kilograms of the products listed in Article 1 (1) (d) of Regulation (EEC) No 3330/74 is equal to the basic amount multiplied by the sucrose content, including, where appropriate, other sugars expressed as sucrose; whereas the sucrose content of the product in question is determined in accordance with the provisions of Article 13 of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 394/70 of 2 March 1970 on detailed rules for granting export refunds on sugar⁽⁵⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1499/76⁽⁶⁾;Whereas Article 7 of Regulation (EEC) No 766/68 provides that the basic amount of the refund on sorbose exported in the natural state must be equal to the basic amount of the refund less one-hundredth of the production refund applicable pursuant to Council Regulation (EEC) No 765/68 of 18 June 1968 laying down general rules for the production refund on sugar used in the chemical industry⁽⁷⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2560/77, to the products listed in Annex I to the last mentioned Regulation;

Whereas the basic amount of the refund on the other products listed in Article 1 (1) (d) of Regulation (EEC) No 3330/74 exported in the natural state must be equal to one-hundredth of an amount which takes account, on the one hand, of the difference between the intervention price for white sugar for the Community area with the largest surplus for the month for which the basic amount is fixed and quotations or prices for white sugar on the world market and, on the other, of the need to establish a balance between the use of Community basic products in the manufacture of processed goods for export to third countries and the use of third country products brought in under inward processing arrangements;

Whereas the application of the basic amount may be limited to some of the products listed in Article 1 (1) (d) of Regulation (EEC) No 3330/74;

Whereas, if the refund system is to operate normally, refunds should be calculated on the following basis:

- in the case of currencies which are maintained in relation to each other at any given moment within a band of 2.25 %, a rate of exchange based on their effective parity;
- for other currencies, an exchange rate based on the arithmetic mean of the spot market rates of each of these currencies recorded for a given period in relation to the Community currencies referred to in the previous subparagraph;

Whereas the refunds referred to above must be fixed every month; whereas they may be altered in the intervening period;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Sugar,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The refund to be granted on the products listed in Article 1 (1) (d) of Regulation (EEC) No 3330/74, exported in the natural state, is hereby fixed as shown in the Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 March 1978.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 359, 31. 12. 1974, p. 1.⁽²⁾ OJ No L 303, 28. 11. 1977, p. 1.⁽³⁾ OJ No L 143, 25. 6. 1968, p. 6.⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 167, 26. 6. 1976, p. 13.⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 50, 4. 3. 1970, p. 1.⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 167, 26. 6. 1976, p. 29.⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 143, 25. 6. 1968, p. 1.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 28 February 1978.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 28 February 1978 fixing the export refunds on syrups and certain other sugar products exported in the natural state

(u.a./100 kg)

CCT heading No	Description	Basic amount per percentage point of sucrose content ⁽¹⁾
17.02	Other sugars in solid form ; sugar syrups, not containing added flavouring or colouring matter ; artificial honey, whether or not mixed with natural honey ; caramel : D. Other sugars and syrups (other than lactose, glucose and maple) : ex II Other, excluding sorbose E. Artificial honey, whether or not mixed with natural honey ex F. Caramel made from sugar falling within heading No 17.01	 0-2017 0-2017 0-2017
21.07	Food preparations not elsewhere specified or included : F. Flavoured or coloured sugar syrups : IV. Other (than lactose, glucose and isoglucose syrups)	 0-2017

⁽¹⁾ The basic amount is not applicable to syrups which are less than 85 % pure (Regulation (EEC) No 394/70). Sucrose content is determined in accordance with Article 13 of Regulation (EEC) No 394/70.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 413/78

of 28 February 1978

fixing the export refunds on olive oil

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation No 136/66/EEC of 22 September 1966 on the establishment of a common organization of the market in oils and fats⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2560/77⁽²⁾,

Having regard to Council Regulation No 162/66/EEC of 27 October 1966 on trade in oils and fats between the Community and Greece⁽³⁾,

Having regard to Council Regulation No 171/67/EEC of 27 June 1967 on export refunds and levies on olive oil⁽⁴⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2429/72⁽⁵⁾, and in particular the first sentence of Article 7 thereof,

Having regard to the opinion of the Monetary Committee,

Whereas Article 18 of Regulation No 136/66/EEC provides that, where prices within the Community are higher than world market prices, the difference between these prices may be covered by a refund when olive oil is exported to third countries;

Whereas Article 8 of Regulation No 162/66/EEC provides that Article 18 of Regulation No 136/66/EEC and the measures taken in application thereof apply, subject to the provisions of the Agreement establishing an Association between the European Economic Community and Greece, to trade between the Community and Greece;

Whereas the rules and other provisions for fixing and granting export refunds on olive oil are contained in Regulations No 171/67/EEC and (EEC) No 616/72⁽⁶⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 231/77⁽⁷⁾;

Whereas Article 2 of Regulation No 171/67/EEC provides that the refund must be the same for the whole Community;

Whereas Article 3 of Regulation No 171/67/EEC provides that when the refund on olive oil is being fixed account must be taken of:

— the existing situation and the future trend with regard to prices and availabilities of olive oil on the Community market and prices for olive oil on the world market;

— the aims of the common organization of the market in olive oil which are to ensure equilibrium and the natural development of prices and trade on this market;

— the need to avoid disturbances on the Community market; and

— the economic aspect of the proposed exports;

Whereas, furthermore, Article 4 of Regulation No 171/67/EEC provides that the said refund must be fixed in accordance with the following criteria:

— olive oil prices in the main producing areas of the Community;

— the most favourable quotations recorded on the various markets of importing third countries and Greece; and

— marketing costs and the most favourable transport charges from Community markets in the main producing areas to ports or other points of export in the Community, as well as costs incurred in placing the goods on the world market;

Whereas Article 5 of Regulation No 171/67/EEC provides that the refund on olive oil may be varied according to destination where the world market situation or the specific requirements of certain markets make this necessary;

Whereas Article 7 of Regulation No 171/67/EEC provides that the refund must be fixed at least once every month; whereas it may, if necessary, be altered in the intervening period;

Whereas it follows from applying these rules and other provisions to the present situation on the market in olive oil and in particular to olive oil prices within the Community and on the markets of third countries and Greece that the refund should be fixed at the amounts shown in the Annex to this Regulation;

⁽¹⁾ OJ No 172, 30. 9. 1966, p. 3025/66.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 303, 28. 11. 1977, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No 197, 29. 10. 1966, p. 3393/66.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No 130, 28. 6. 1967, p. 2600/67.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 264, 23. 11. 1972, p. 1.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 78, 31. 3. 1972, p. 1.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 31, 3. 2. 1977, p. 14.

Whereas, if the refund system is to operate normally, refunds should be calculated on the following basis :

- in the case of currencies which are maintained in relation to each other at any given moment within a band of 2.25 %, a rate of exchange based on their effective parity ;
- for other currencies, an exchange rate based on the arithmetic mean of the spot market rates of each of these currencies recorded for a given period in relation to the Community currencies referred to in the previous subparagraph ;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Oils and Fats,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

The refunds on the products listed in Article 1 (2) (c) of Regulation No 136/66/EEC, exported to third countries and Greece, are hereby fixed as shown in the Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 March 1978.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 28 February 1978.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

ANNEX

Export refunds applicable to olive oil from 1 March 1978

(u.a. / 100 kg)

CCT heading No	Description	Refund
15.07	Fixed vegetable oils, fluid or solid, crude, refined or purified :	
A	Olive oil :	
I	Untreated :	
(a)	Virgin olive oil :	
	In immediate packings of a net capacity of 5 kg or less :	
	— destinations mentioned in Article 3 of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 192/75 ⁽¹⁾ as well as on export to European third countries excluding Greece and third countries on the Mediterranean	24-00
	— on export to other third countries excluding Greece, European third countries and third countries on the Mediterranean	24-00
II	Other :	
(a)	Obtained by processing oils falling within subheading 15.07 A I a) or 15.07 A I b), whether or not blended with virgin olive oil :	
	In immediate packings of a net capacity of 5 kg or less :	
	— destinations mentioned in Article 3 of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 192/75 ⁽¹⁾ as well as on export to European third countries excluding Greece and third countries on the Mediterranean	24-00
	— on export to other third countries excluding Greece, European third countries and third countries on the Mediterranean	24-00

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 25, 17. 1. 1975, p. 1.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 414/78**of 28 February 1978****fixing the export refund on oil seeds**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European
Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation No 136/66/EEC
of 22 September 1966 on the establishment of a
common organization of the market in oils and
fats⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No
2560/77⁽²⁾,

Having regard to Council Regulation No 162/66/EEC
of 27 October 1966 on trade in oils and fats between
the Community and Greece⁽³⁾,

Having regard to Council Regulation No 142/67/EEC
of 21 June 1967 on export refunds on colza, rape and
sunflower seeds⁽⁴⁾, as last amended by Regulation
(EEC) No 2429/72⁽⁵⁾, and in particular the first
sentence of Article 2(3) thereof,

Having regard to the opinion of the Monetary
Committee,

Whereas Article 28 of Regulation No 136/66/EEC
provides that a refund may be granted on exports to
third countries of oil seeds harvested within the
Community; whereas the amount of this refund may
not exceed the difference between prices within the
Community and prices on the world market where
the former are higher than the latter; whereas Article
21 of Regulation No 136/66/EEC provides that, at
present, Article 28 of that Regulation applies only to
colza, rape and sunflower seeds;

Whereas Article 8 of Regulation No 162/66/EEC
provides that Article 28 of Regulation No 136/
66/EEC and measures taken in application thereof
apply, subject to the provisions of the Agreement esta-
blishing an Association between the European
Economic Community and Greece, to trade between
the Community and Greece;

Whereas Article 3 of Regulation No 142/67/EEC
provides that when the refund is being calculated
account must be taken of prices ruling on the various
Community markets which are representative from
the point of view of processing and exportation; the
most favourable quotations recorded on the various
markets of importing third countries and Greece, and
costs incurred in placing the goods on the world
market; whereas, when the amount of the refund is
being fixed, account must also be taken of the level of
market prices within the Community for the oil seeds
referred to in Article 21 of Regulation No 136/
66/EEC and the future trend of these prices; whereas,
furthermore, account should be taken of the economic
aspect of the proposed exports and the situation in the
Community regarding the supply of and demand for
these seeds;

Whereas Article 1 of Commission Regulation (EEC)
No 651/71 of 29 March 1971 on certain detailed rules
for the application of export refunds on oil seeds⁽⁶⁾,
provides that the amount of the refund must be calcu-
lated on the basis of the weight of exported seeds;
whereas this weight must be adjusted to take account
of any differences between the percentages of mois-
ture and impurities found to exist and those used to
define the standard quality for which the target price
is fixed; whereas, when this adjustment is being
made, the weight of the exported seeds must be
increased by the amount of the difference between the
actual moisture and impurities content and that used
to define the standard quality if the former is lower
than the latter; whereas, if the opposite applies, the
weight of the exported seeds must be reduced by the
same amount;

Whereas the standard quality referred to above was
defined in Article 2 of Council Regulation (EEC) No
1069/77 of 17 May 1977 fixing the target prices and
basic intervention prices for oil seeds for the 1977/78
marketing year⁽⁷⁾;

Whereas Article 2 of Regulation No 142/67/EEC
provides that the refund may be varied according to
destination where the world market situation or the
specific requirements of certain markets make this
necessary;

⁽¹⁾ OJ No 172, 30. 9. 1966, p. 3025/66.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 303, 28. 11. 1977, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No 197, 29. 10. 1966, p. 3393/66.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No 125, 26. 6. 1967, p. 2461/67.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 264, 23. 11. 1972, p. 1.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 75, 30. 3. 1971, p. 16.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 129, 25. 5. 1977, p. 5.

Whereas, if the refund system is to operate normally, refunds should be calculated on the following basis:

- in the case of currencies which are maintained in relation to each other at any given moment within a band of 2.25 %, a rate of exchange based on their effective parity;
- for other currencies, an exchange rate based on the arithmetic mean of the spot market rates of each of these currencies recorded for a given period in relation to the Community currencies referred to in the previous subparagraph;

Whereas it follows from applying these rules and criteria to the present situation on the market in oil seeds, and in particular to quotations or prices for these products within the Community and on the markets of third countries and Greece, that the refund should be fixed at the amounts shown in the Annex to this Regulation for those products for which the marketing year has already begun;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Oils and Fats,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The refund on the products referred to in Article 21 of Regulation No 136/66/EEC, exported to third countries and Greece, is hereby fixed as shown in the Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 March 1978.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 28 February 1978.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

ANNEX

Export refund applicable to oil seeds from 1 March 1978

(u.a./100 kg)		
CCT heading No	Description	Refund
ex 12.01	Colza and rape seed, other than for sowing	9.50
ex 12.01	Sunflower seed, other than for sowing	—

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 415/78

of 28 February 1978

fixing the amount of the subsidy on oil seeds

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European
Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation No 136/
66/EEC of 22 September 1966 on the establishment
of a common organization of the market in oils and
fats⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No
2560/77⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 27 (4) thereof,

Whereas the amount of the subsidy referred to in
Article 27 of Regulation No 136/66/EEC was fixed by
Regulation (EEC) No 190/78⁽³⁾, as last amended by
Regulation (EEC) No 374/78⁽⁴⁾;

Whereas, in the absence of the indicative price for the
1978/79 marketing year for colza and rape seed in
case of pre-fixation for the months of July and August
1978, the amount of subsidy on these products has
been obtainable only on the basis of the indicative
price for the months of July and August 1977;
whereas, therefore, this amount may be applied on a
temporary basis and should be confirmed or replaced
when the indicative price for the 1978/79 marketing
year is known;

Whereas it follows from applying the rules and other
provisions contained in Regulation (EEC) No 190/78
to the information at present available to the Commis-
sion, that the amount of the subsidy at present in
force should be altered as shown in the Annex to this
Regulation,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. The amount of the subsidy referred to in Article
27 of Regulation No 136/66/EEC is hereby fixed as
shown in the table annexed to this Regulation.
2. The amount of the subsidy for the months of
July and August 1978 will, however, for colza and
rape seed, be confirmed or replaced as from 1 March
1978 to take into account the indicative price which is
fixed for these products for the 1978/79 marketing
year.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 March
1978.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member
States.

Done at Brussels, 28 February 1978.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No 172, 30. 9. 1966, p. 3025/66.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 303, 28. 11. 1977, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 27, 1. 2. 1978, p. 24.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 53, 24. 2. 1978, p. 9.

*ANNEX***to the Commission Regulation of 28 February 1978 fixing the amount of the subsidy on oil seeds**

Subsidy applicable from 1 March 1978 to colza and rape seeds (CCT heading No ex 12.01) and sunflower seeds (CCT heading No ex 12.01) (u.a./100 kg)

	Colza and rape seed	Sunflower seed
Subsidy	11·808	13·761
Subsidy in the case of advance fixing :		
— for the month of March 1978	11·808	13·761
— for the month of April 1978	11·570	13·817
— for the month of May 1978	11·570	13·817
— for the month of June 1978	11·636	13·817
— for the month of July 1978	9·602	—
— for the month of August 1978	9·475 ⁽¹⁾	—

⁽¹⁾ Subject to confirmation.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 416/78
of 28 February 1978
fixing the world market price for colza and rape seed

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation No 136/56/EEC of 22 September 1966 on the establishment of a common organization of the markets in oils and fats⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2560/77⁽²⁾,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1569/72 of 20 July 1972 laying down special measures for colza and rape seed⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3477/73⁽⁴⁾,

Having regard to Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2300/73 of 23 August 1973 laying down detailed rules for applying differential amounts for colza and rape seed and repealing Regulation (EEC) No 1464/73⁽⁵⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1234/77⁽⁶⁾, and in particular Article 9 (4) thereof,

Having regard to the opinion of the Monetary Committee,

Whereas, pursuant to Article 9 (4) of Regulation (EEC) No 2300/73, the Commission must determine the world market price for colza and rape seed;

Whereas the world market price should be determined in accordance with the rules and the criteria set out in Commission Regulation (EEC) No 190/78 of 31 January 1978 fixing the amount of the subsidy

on oil seeds⁽⁷⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 415/78⁽⁸⁾;

Whereas, to enable the price system to operate normally, the world market price should be calculated on the following basis:

- in the case of currencies which are maintained in relation to each other at any given moment within a band of 2.25 %, a rate of exchange based on their effective parity;
- for other currencies, an exchange rate based on the arithmetic mean of the spot market rates of each of these currencies recorded for a given period in relation to the Community currencies referred to in the previous subparagraph;

Whereas, applying all these provisions, the world market price for colza and rape seed should be fixed as shown in the table annexed to this Regulation,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The world market price referred to in Article 9 (4) of Regulation (EEC) No 2300/73 and the rates to be used for converting them into national currencies shall be as shown in the table annexed to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 March 1978.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 28 February 1978.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No 172, 30. 9. 1966, p. 3025/66.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 303, 28. 11. 1977, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 167, 25. 7. 1972, p. 9.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 357, 28. 12. 1973, p. 6.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 236, 24. 8. 1973, p. 28.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 143, 10. 6. 1977, p. 9.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 27, 1. 2. 1978, p. 24.

⁽⁸⁾ See page 24 of this Official Journal.

ANNEX

World market price applicable from 1 March 1978 for colza and rape seed (CCT heading No ex 12.01)

	<i>u.a./100 kg⁽¹⁾</i>
World market price	18.850
World market price where the subsidy is fixed in advance :	
— for the month of March 1978	18.850
— for the month of April 1978	19.088
— for the month of May 1978	19.088
— for the month of June 1978	19.022
— for the month of July 1978	18.928
— for the month of August 1978	19.055

⁽¹⁾ The conversion rates from units of account into national currency as foreseen by Article 9 (5) (a) of Regulation (EEC) No 2300/73 are the following :

1 u.a. = DM	3.15665
1 u.a. = Fl	3.35507
1 u.a. = Bfr/Lfr	48.6572
1 u.a. = FF	7.29012
1 u.a. = Dkr	8.56656
1 u.a. = £	0.781732
1 u.a. = I £	0.781732
1 u.a. = Lit	1 292.81

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 417/78
of 28 February 1978
fixing the export refunds on isoglucose

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1111/77 of 17 May 1977 laying down common provisions for isoglucose⁽¹⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2560/77⁽²⁾, and in particular the first sentence of the third subparagraph of Article 4 (2) thereof,

Having regard to the opinion of the Monetary Committee,

Whereas, pursuant to Article 4 of Regulation (EEC) No 1111/77, provision may be made for an export refund for isoglucose;

Whereas the level of the refund must be determined, per 100 kilograms of dry matter, taking into account the following, in particular:

- the export refund applicable to products falling within subheading 17.02 B II a) of the Common Customs Tariff;
- any production refund granted for the basic product used in the manufacture of products falling within subheading 17.02 B II a),
- the production levy referred to in Article 9 of Regulation (EEC) No 1111/77 and the economic aspects of the proposed exports;

Whereas the refund must be the same throughout the Community; whereas it may be varied according to destination;

Whereas the refunds referred to above must be fixed every month; whereas they may be altered in the intervening period;

Whereas the refund is granted only in respect of isoglucose satisfying the conditions laid down in Article 3 of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1469/77 of 30 June 1977 laying down rules for applying the levy and the refund in respect of isoglucose and amending Regulation (EEC) No 192/75⁽³⁾;

Whereas, in order that the system of refunds can function normally, these should be calculated by applying:

- in the case of currencies which are maintained in relation to each other at any given moment within a band of 2.25 %, a rate of exchange based on their effective parity,
- for other currencies, an exchange rate based on the arithmetic mean of the spot market rates of each of these currencies recorded for a given period in relation to the Community currencies referred to in the previous subparagraph;

Whereas in view of the foregoing the refund for isoglucose should be fixed as shown in the Annex hereto;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Isoglucose,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The export refund on the products specified in Article 1 of Regulation (EEC) No 1111/77 shall be as indicated in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 March 1978.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 28 February 1978.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 134, 28. 5. 1977, p. 4.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 303, 28. 11. 1977, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 162, 1. 7. 1977, p. 9.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 28 February 1978 fixing the export refunds on isoglucose

(in u.a.)

CCT heading No	Description	Refund per 100 kg of dry matter
17.02	Other sugars in solid form ; sugar syrups, not containing added flavouring or colouring matter ; artificial honey, whether or not mixed with natural honey ; caramel : D. Other sugars and syrups : I. Isoglucose	17.54 ⁽¹⁾
21.07	Food preparations not elsewhere specified or included : F. Flavoured or coloured sugar syrups : III. Isoglucose	17.54 ⁽¹⁾

⁽¹⁾ Applicable only to products referred to in Article 3 of Regulation (EEC) No 1469/77.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 418/78

of 28 February 1978

altering the corrective amount applicable to the refund on cereals

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European
Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No
2727/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organiza-
tion of the market in cereals⁽¹⁾, as last amended by
Regulation (EEC) No 2560/77⁽²⁾, and in particular the
fourth sentence of the second subparagraph of Article
16 (4) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No
2746/75 of 29 October 1975 laying down general
rules for granting export refunds on cereals and
criteria for fixing the amount of such refunds⁽³⁾,

Whereas the corrective amount applicable to the
refund on cereals was fixed by Regulation (EEC) No
378/78⁽⁴⁾;

Whereas, on the basis of today's cif prices and cif
forward delivery prices, taking foreseeable develop-
ments on the market into account, the corrective
amount at present applicable to the refund on cereals
should be altered,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The corrective amount referred to in Article 16 (4) of
Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75, fixed in the Annex to
Regulation (EEC) No 378/78, which is applicable to
the export refunds fixed in advance in respect of
cereals, is hereby altered as shown in the table
annexed to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 March
1978.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member
States.

Done at Brussels, 28 February 1978.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 303, 28. 11. 1977, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 78.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 53, 24. 2. 1978, p. 16.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 28 February 1978 altering the corrective amount applicable to the refund on cereals

(u.a. / tonne)

CCT heading No	Description	Current 3	1st period 4	2nd period 5	3rd period 6	4th period 7	5th period 8	6th period 9
10.01 A	Common wheat, and meslin	0	0	0	—	—	—	—
10.01 B	Durum wheat	0	0	0	—	—	—	—
10.02	Rye	0	0	0	0	0	—	—
10.03	Barley	0	0	+ 2.00	+ 2.00	+ 2.00	—	—
10.04	Oats	0	0	0	—	—	—	—
10.05 B	Maize other than hybrid maize for sowing	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10.07 C	Grain sorghum	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
11.01 A	Common wheat flour	0	0	0	0	0	—	—
11.01 B	Rye flour	0	0	0	0	0	—	—
11.02 A I a)	Durum wheat groats and meal	0	0	0	0	0	—	—
11.02 A I b)	Common wheat groats and meal	0	0	0	0	0	—	—

N.B. The zones are those defined in Regulation (EEC) No 1124/77 (OJ No L 134, 28. 5. 1977).

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 419/78

of 28 February 1978

altering the corrective amount applicable to the refund on malt

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European
Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No
2727/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organiza-
tion of the market in cereals⁽¹⁾, as last amended by
Regulation (EEC) No 2560/77⁽²⁾, and in particular the
second sentence of the fourth subparagraph of Article
16 (4) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No
2746/75 of 29 October 1975 laying down general
rules for granting export refunds on cereals and
criteria for fixing the amount of such refunds⁽³⁾,

Whereas the corrective amount applicable to the
refund on malt was fixed by Regulation (EEC) No
320/78⁽⁴⁾;

Whereas, on the basis of today's cif prices and cif
forward delivery prices, taking foreseeable develop-
ments on the market into account, the corrective
amount at present applicable to the refund on malt
should be altered,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The corrective amount referred to in Article 16 (4) of
Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 which is applicable to
the export refunds fixed in advance in respect of malt
is hereby altered as shown in the table annexed to this
Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 March
1978.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member
States.

Done at Brussels, 28 February 1978.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 303, 28. 11. 1977, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 78.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 46, 17. 2. 1978, p. 19.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 28 February 1978 altering the corrective amount applicable to the refund on malt

(u.a./tonne)

CCT heading No	Current 3	1st period 4	2nd period 5	3rd period 6	4th period 7	5th period 8
11.07 A I a)	0	0	0	0	0	—
11.07 A I b)	0	0	0	0	0	—
11.07 A II a)	0	0	0	0	0	—
11.07 A II b)	0	0	0	0	0	0
11.07 B	0	0	0	0	0	0

(u.a./tonne)

CCT heading No	6th period 9	7th period 10	8th period 11	9th period 12	10th period 1	11th period 2
11.07 A I a)	—	—	—	—	—	—
11.07 A I b)	—	—	—	—	—	—
11.07 A II a)	—	—	—	—	—	—
11.07 A II b)	0	—75·00	—75·00	—75·00	—75·00	—75·00
11.07 B	0	—87·41	—87·41	—87·41	—87·41	—87·41

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 420/78**of 28 February 1978****altering the corrective amount applicable to the refund on rice and broken rice**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European
Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No
1418/76 of 21 June 1976 on the common organiza-
tion of the market in rice ⁽¹⁾, as amended by Regula-
tion (EEC) No 1158/77 ⁽²⁾, and in particular the
second subparagraph of Article 17 (4) thereof,

Whereas the corrective amount applicable to the
refund on rice and broken rice was fixed by Regula-
tion (EEC) No 229/78 ⁽³⁾;

Whereas it follows from applying the rules and other
provisions contained in Regulation (EEC) No 229/78
to the information at present available to the Commis-
sion that the corrective amount at present in force

should be altered as shown in the Annex to this Regu-
lation,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The corrective amount referred to in Article 17 (4) of
Regulation (EEC) No 1418/76, applicable to the
export refunds fixed in advance in respect of rice and
broken rice, as fixed in the Annex to Regulation
(EEC) No 229/78 is hereby altered as shown in the
Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 March
1978.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member
States.

Done at Brussels, 28 February 1978.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 166, 25. 6. 1976, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 136, 2. 6. 1977, p. 13.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 32, 3. 2. 1978, p. 7.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 28 February 1978 altering the corrective amount applicable to the refund on rice and broken rice

(u.a. / tonne)

CCT heading No	Description	Current 3	1st period 4	2nd period 5	3rd period 6	4th period 7	5th period 8
10.06	Rice :						
	A. Paddy rice ; husked rice :						
	I. Paddy rice :						
	a) Round grain	—	—	—	—	—	—
	b) Long grain	—	—	—	—	—	—
	II. Husked rice :						
	a) Round grain	0	0	0	0	0	0
	b) Long grain	0	0	0	0	0	0
	B. Semi-milled or wholly milled rice :						
	I. Semi-milled rice :						
	a) Round grain	—	—	—	—	—	—
	b) Long grain	—	—	—	—	—	—
	II. Wholly milled rice :						
	a) Round grain	0	0	0	0	0	0
	b) Long grain	0	0	0	0	0	0
	C. Broken rice	—	—	—	—	—	—

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 421/78

of 28 February 1978

fixing the special levy applicable to New Zealand butter imported into the United Kingdom

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty of Accession, and in particular Protocol 18 thereto,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1655/76 of 29 June 1976 extending the transitional arrangements for the import of New Zealand butter into the United Kingdom⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 8 thereof,

Whereas, in accordance with Article 3 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1655/76, a special levy is applied to New Zealand butter imported into the United Kingdom pursuant to this Regulation;

Whereas, under Article 3 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 1655/76, the special levy is fixed on the basis of the difference between :

- the market price of New Zealand butter in the United Kingdom, and
- the cif price fixed under Article 2 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 2157/77 of 27 September 1977 fixing the price to be observed at the cif stage for imports of New Zealand butter and cheese into the United Kingdom⁽²⁾, plus the total costs between the cif stage and the stage of initial sale;

Whereas Article 3 (3) of Regulation (EEC) No 1655/76 lays down that in order to ensure an effective turnover of yearly quantities, the special levy must be fixed at a level permitting the sale of butter at a consistent rate without disrupting the market in Community butter;

Whereas the application of these rules to the situation on the British market results in the special levy being fixed at the level given below;

Whereas, under Article 2 of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2856/77 of 21 December 1977 fixing the special levy applicable to New Zealand butter imported into the United Kingdom⁽³⁾, Commission Regulation (EEC) No 465/73 of 31 January 1973 laying down detailed rules for the application of the special system for the import of New Zealand butter and cheese into the United Kingdom⁽⁴⁾ is to be applicable to butter imported under Regulation (EEC) No 1655/76;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Milk and Milk Products,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

The special levy referred to in Article 3 of Regulation (EEC) No 1655/76 shall be 123.41 units of account per 100 kilograms of butter.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 March 1978.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 28 February 1978.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 185, 9. 7. 1976, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 250, 30. 9. 1977, p. 12.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 329, 22. 12. 1977, p. 34.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 53, 26. 2. 1973, p. 36.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 422/77**of 28 February 1978****amending Regulation (EEC) No 2796/77 as regards the period of application of reference prices for liqueur wines**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 816/70 of 28 April 1970 laying down additional provisions on the common organization of the market in wine⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2560/77⁽²⁾ and in particular Article 9 (6) thereof,

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2753/77 of 12 December 1977 fixing certain reference prices in the wine sector for the period 16 December 1977 to 15 December 1978⁽³⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2796/77⁽⁴⁾, fixed the reference prices referred to in the third subparagraph of Article 9 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 816/70 for liqueur wines within the meaning of Additional Note 4 (c) to Chapter 22 of the Common Customs Tariff and provided a revision clause therefore; whereas such revision was to have taken place no later than 28 February 1978;

Whereas the difficulties which led to the inclusion of such a clause could not be solved in time; whereas, consequently, it is necessary to amend Regulation (EEC) No 2796/77 to provide an extra two months so that the difficulties currently preventing the revision of these reference prices can be overcome;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Wine,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

In Article 2 of Regulation (EEC) No 2796/77 the date '28 February 1978' is amended to read '30 April 1978'.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 March 1978.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 28 February 1978.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 99, 5. 5. 1970, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 303, 28. 11. 1977, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 318, 13. 12. 1977, p. 24.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 321, 16. 12. 1977, p. 37.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 423/78

of 28 February 1978

amending for the second time Regulation (EEC) No 1297/77 amending for the fourth time Regulation (EEC) No 1019/70 on detailed rules for establishing free-at-frontier offer prices and fixing the countervailing charge in the wine sector

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 816/70 of 28 April 1970 laying down additional provisions for the common organization of the market in wine⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2560/77⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 9 (6) thereof,

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1297/77 of 16 June 1977 amending for the fourth time Regulation (EEC) No 1019/70 on detailed rules for establishing free-at-frontier offer prices and fixing the countervailing charge in the wine sector⁽³⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2888/77⁽⁴⁾, deleted Article 4 (4) of Regulation (EEC) No 1019/70 with effect from 1 March 1978 ;

Whereas, as 1 March 1978 draws near, it appears that the technical and monetary problems have not yet been solved and that there is little likelihood of a

definitive solution by that date though probably there will be within a period of two months ; whereas, to avoid any interruption in the traditional imports of certain liqueur wines from non-member countries, the application of Regulation (EEC) No 1297/77 should be postponed for this period ;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Wine,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

In Article 2 of Regulation (EEC) No 1297/77 the date '1 March 1978' is amended to read '1 May 1978'.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 March 1978.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 28 February 1978.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 99, 5. 5. 1970, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 303, 28. 11. 1977, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 149, 17. 6. 1977, p. 10.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 332, 24. 12. 1977, p. 33.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 424/78**of 28 February 1978**

re-establishing the levying of customs duties on gloves, mittens, mitts, stockings, socks and sockettes, not being knitted or crocheted goods, falling within heading No 61.10 and originating in developing countries to which the preferential tariff arrangements set out in Council Regulation (EEC) No 2706/77 apply

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2706/77 of 28 November 1977 opening, allocating and providing for the administration of Community tariff preferences for textile products originating in developing countries and territories⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 4 thereof,

Whereas Article 2 (1) of that Regulation provides that customs duties may, for each category of products listed in Annex C thereto, be suspended up to a Community ceiling equal to 87 % of the sum arrived at by adding together the tonnage of the products in question, imported into the Community in 1968 and coming from countries listed in Annex D, but not including products coming from countries already covered by various preferential tariff arrangements established by the Community, and 5 % of the 1970 tonnage of such imports coming from other countries and from countries already covered by such arrangements; whereas Article 3 (1) of the aforesaid Regulation provides that the levying of customs duties may be re-established at any time once the Community ceiling has been reached;

Whereas, in respect of gloves, mittens, mitts, stockings, socks and sockettes, not being knitted or crocheted goods, the ceiling, calculated as indicated above, should be 21 tonnes; whereas on 23 February

1978 the amounts of imports into the Community of the products in question, originating in countries covered by preferential tariff arrangements, reached that ceiling; whereas, bearing in mind the objectives of Regulation (EEC) No 2706/77, which provides that the ceiling should not be exceeded, customs duties should be re-established in respect of the products in question,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

As from 4 March 1978, the levying of customs duties, suspended in pursuance of Council Regulation (EEC) No 2706/77, shall be re-established in respect of the following products, imported into the Community:

CCT heading No	Description
61.10	Gloves, mittens, mitts, stockings, socks and sockettes, not being knitted or crocheted goods

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the third day following its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities*.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 28 February 1978.

For the Commission

Étienne DAVIGNON

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 324, 19. 12. 1977, p. 67.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 425/78

of 28 February 1978

re-establishing the levying of customs duties on spoons, forks, fish-eaters, etc., of stainless steel, falling within subheading 82.14 A and originating in developing countries to which the preferential tariff arrangements set out in Council Regulation (EEC) No 2705/77 apply

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2705/77 of 28 November 1977 establishing preferential tariffs in respect of certain products originating in developing countries ⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 4 (2) thereof,

Whereas Article 1 (3) of that Regulation provides that customs duties may, for each category of products, be suspended up to a Community ceiling, expressed in units of account, which will be equal — with the exception of certain products the value of the ceilings for which is given in Annex A thereto — to the sum arrived at by adding together the value of the products in question imported cif into the Community in 1974 and coming from countries and territories covered by those arrangements, but not including products coming from countries and territories already covered by various preferential tariff arrangements established by the Community, and 5 % of the value of 1975 cif imports coming from other countries and from countries and territories already covered by such arrangements; whereas, however, the ceiling resulting from the sum of this addition may in no case exceed 225 % of that fixed for 1976;

Whereas Article 2 (1) and (3) of the aforesaid Regulation provides that customs duties may be re-established at any time on imports of the products in question coming from any country or territory, with the exception of those listed in Annex C thereto, once the Community ceiling has been reached;

Whereas, in respect of spoons, forks, fish-eaters, etc., of stainless steel, falling within subheading 82.14 A,

the ceiling, calculated as indicated above, should be 4 437 000 units of account; whereas on 17 February 1978 the amounts of imports into the Community of the products in question, originating in countries and territories covered by preferential tariff arrangements, reached that ceiling; whereas, bearing in mind the objectives of Regulation (EEC) No 2705/77 which provides that the ceiling should not be exceeded, customs duties should be re-established in respect of the products in question,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

As from 4 March 1978, customs duties, suspended in pursuance of Council Regulation (EEC) No 2705/77, shall be re-established in respect of the following products, imported into the Community, coming from any beneficiary country or territory, with the exception of those listed in Annex C to Regulation (EEC) No 2705/77:

CCT heading No	Description
82.14	Spoons, forks, fish-eaters, butter-knives, ladles, and similar kitchen or tableware: A. Of stainless steel

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the third day following its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities*.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 28 February 1978.

For the Commission

Étienne DAVIGNON

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 324, 19. 12. 1977, p. 23.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 426/78

of 28 February 1978

introducing a countervailing charge on cucumbers originating in Greece

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1035/72 of 18 May 1972 on the common organization of the market in fruit and vegetables⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1034/77⁽²⁾, and in particular the second subparagraph of Article 27 (2) thereof,

Whereas Article 25 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1035/72 provides that, if the entry price of a product imported from a third country remains at least 0.50 unit of account below the reference price for two consecutive market days, a countervailing charge must be introduced in respect of the exporting country concerned, save in exceptional circumstances; whereas this charge is equal to the difference between the reference price and the arithmetic mean of the last two entry prices available for that exporting country;

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 244/78 of 6 February 1978 fixing the reference price for cucumbers for the months February to April 1978⁽³⁾ fixed the reference price for products of Class I for the period 21 to 28 February 1978 at 62.63 units of account per 100 kilograms net;

Whereas the entry price for a given exporting country is equal to the lowest representative prices recorded for at least 30 % of the quantities from the exporting country concerned which are marketed on all representative markets for which prices are available less the duties and the charges indicated in Article 24 (3) of Regulation (EEC) No 1035/72; whereas the meaning of representative price is defined in Article 24 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 1035/72;

Whereas, in accordance with Article 3 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2118/74⁽⁴⁾, as amended by Regulation

(EEC) No 385/75⁽⁵⁾, the prices to be taken into consideration must be recorded on the representative markets or, in certain circumstances, on other markets; whereas it is necessary to multiply the prices with the coefficients fixed in Article 1 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 244/78;

Whereas, for Greek cucumbers, the entry price calculated in this way has remained at least 0.50 unit of account below the reference price for two consecutive market days; whereas a countervailing charge should therefore be introduced for these cucumbers;

Whereas if the system is to operate normally the entry price should be calculated on the following basis:

- in the case of currencies which are maintained in relation to each other at any given moment within a band of 2.25 %, a rate of exchange based on their effective parity;
- for other currencies, an exchange rate based on the arithmetic mean of the spot market rates of each of these currencies recorded for a given period in relation to the Community currencies referred to in the previous subparagraph,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

A countervailing charge of 2.58 units of account per 100 kilograms net is applied to cucumbers (subheading ex 07.01 P of the Common Customs Tariff) originating in Greece.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 2 March 1978.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 118, 20. 5. 1972, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 125, 19. 5. 1977, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 37, 7. 2. 1978, p. 11.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 220, 10. 8. 1974, p. 20.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 44, 18. 2. 1975, p. 8.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 28 February 1978.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 427/78

of 28 February 1978

fixing the import levies on white sugar and raw sugar

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European
Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No
3330/74 of 19 December 1974 on the common organ-
ization of the market in sugar ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by
Regulation (EEC) No 2560/77 ⁽²⁾, and in particular
Article 15 (7) thereof,

Whereas the import levies on white sugar and raw
sugar were fixed by Regulation (EEC) No 1436/77 ⁽³⁾,
as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 403/78 ⁽⁴⁾;

Whereas it follows from applying the rules and other
provisions contained in Regulation (EEC) No 1436/77
to the information at present available to the Commis-

sion that the levies at present in force should be
altered as shown in the Annex to this Regulation,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

The levies referred to in Article 15 (1) of Regulation
(EEC) No 3330/74 are, in respect of white sugar and
standard quality raw sugar, hereby fixed as shown in
the Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 March
1978.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member
States.

Done at Brussels, 28 February 1978.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 359, 31. 12. 1974, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 303, 28. 11. 1977, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 161, 1. 7. 1977, p. 9.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 58, 28. 2. 1978, p. 32.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 28 February 1978 fixing the import levies on white sugar
and raw sugar

(u.a. / 100 kg)		
CCT heading No	Description	Levy
17.01	Beet sugar and cane sugar, in solid form :	
	A. White sugar ; flavoured or coloured sugar	24.62
	B. Raw sugar	20.50 ⁽¹⁾

⁽¹⁾ Applicable to raw sugar with a yield of 92 % ; if the yield is other than 92 %, the levy applicable is calculated in accordance with
the provisions of Article 2 of Regulation (EEC) No 837/68.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 428/78
of 28 February 1978
fixing the import levies on isoglucose

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1111/77 of 17 May 1977 laying down common provisions for isoglucose⁽¹⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2560/77⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 3 (4) thereof,

Having regard to the opinion of the Monetary Committee,

Whereas, pursuant to Article 3 of Regulation (EEC) No 1111/77, a levy is to be charged on imports of the products specified in Article 1 of that Regulation; whereas this levy is to consist of a fixed component and a variable component;

Whereas these components are defined in Article 3 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1111/77; whereas, pursuant to Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1469/77 of 30 June 1977 laying down rules for applying the levy and the refund in respect of isoglucose and amending Regulation (EEC) No 192/75⁽³⁾, the fixed component referred to in Article 3 of Regulation (EEC) No 1111/77 must be equal to that used for fixing the import levy on products falling within subheading 17.02 B II a) of the Common Customs Tariff;

Whereas the levy must be fixed each month;

Whereas, to enable the system of levies to function normally, the levies should be calculated using:

- in the case of currencies which are maintained in relation to each other at any given moment within a band of 2.25 %, a rate of exchange based on their effective parity;
- for other currencies, an exchange rate based on the arithmetic mean of the spot market rates of each of these currencies recorded for a given period in relation of the Community currencies referred to in the previous subparagraph;

Whereas in view of the foregoing the levies on isoglucose shall be fixed as shown in the Annex hereto,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The levies referred to in Article 3 (4) of Regulation (EEC) No 1111/77 shall be fixed as indicated in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 March 1978.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 28 February 1978.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 134, 28. 5. 1977, p. 4.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 303, 28. 11. 1977, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 162, 1. 7. 1977, p. 9.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 28 February 1978 fixing the import levies on isoglucose

CCT heading No	Description	(in u.a.) Levies per 100 kg of dry matter
17.02	Other sugars in solid form ; sugar syrups, not containing added flavouring or colouring matter ; artificial honey, whether or not mixed with natural honey ; caramel : D. Other sugars and syrups : I. Isoglucose	32.50
21.07	Food preparations not elsewhere specified or included : F. Flavoured or coloured sugar syrups : III. Isoglucose	32.50

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 429/78

of 28 February 1978

altering the import levies on products processed from cereals and rice

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European
Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No
2727/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organi-
zation of the market in cereals⁽¹⁾, as last amended by
Regulation (EEC) No 2560/77⁽²⁾, and in particular
Article 14 (4) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No
1418/76 of 21 June 1976 on the common organiza-
tion of the market in rice⁽³⁾, as amended by Regula-
tion (EEC) No 1158/77⁽⁴⁾, and in particular Article 12
(4) thereof,

Whereas the import levies on products processed
from cereals and rice were fixed by Regulation (EEC)
No 397/78⁽⁵⁾;

Whereas the levy on the basic product as last fixed
differs from the average levy by more than 2.5 units of

account per tonne of basic product ; whereas, pursuant
to Article 1 of Regulation (EEC) No 1579/74⁽⁶⁾, the
levies at present in force must therefore be altered as
shown in the table annexed to this Regulation,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

The import levies to be charged on products
processed from cereals and rice covered by Regulation
(EEC) No 2744/75⁽⁷⁾, as last amended by Regulation
(EEC) No 2560/77, as fixed in the Annex to Regula-
tion (EEC) No 397/78 are hereby altered as shown in
the table annexed to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 March
1978.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member
States.

Done at Brussels, 28 February 1978.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.
⁽²⁾ OJ No L 303, 28. 11. 1977, p. 1.
⁽³⁾ OJ No L 166, 25. 6. 1976, p. 1.
⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 136, 2. 6. 1977, p. 13.
⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 58, 28. 2. 1978, p. 18.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 168, 25. 6. 1974, p. 7.
⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 65.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 28 February 1978 altering the import levies on products processed from cereals and rice

CCT heading No	Levies in u.a./tonne	
	Third countries (other than ACP or OCT)	ACP or OCT
11.01 D ⁽²⁾	147.99	142.99
11.01 G ⁽²⁾	92.07	89.57
11.02 A IV ⁽²⁾	147.99	142.99
11.02 A VII ⁽²⁾	92.07	89.57
11.02 B I a) 2 aa)	83.53	81.03
11.02 B I a) 2 bb) ⁽²⁾	145.49	142.99
11.02 B I b) 2 ⁽²⁾	145.49	142.99
11.02 B II d) ⁽²⁾	143.00	140.50
11.02 C IV ⁽²⁾	129.60	127.10
11.02 C VI ⁽²⁾	143.00	140.50
11.02 D IV ⁽²⁾	83.53	81.03
11.02 D VI ⁽²⁾	92.07	89.57
11.02 E I a) 2 ⁽²⁾	83.53	81.03
11.02 E I b) 2 ⁽²⁾	163.88	158.88
11.02 E II d) 2 ⁽²⁾	163.06	158.06
11.02 F IV ⁽²⁾	147.99	142.99
11.02 F VII ⁽²⁾	92.07	89.57

⁽²⁾ For the purpose of distinguishing between products falling within heading Nos 11.01 and 11.02 and those falling within subheading 23.02 A, products falling within heading Nos 11.01 and 11.02 shall be those meeting the following specifications:

- a starch content (determined by the modified Ewers polametric method), referred to dry matter, exceeding 45 % by weight,
- an ash content, by weight, referred to dry matter (after deduction of any added minerals), not exceeding 1.6 % for rice, 2.5 % for wheat, 3 % for barley, 4 % for buckwheat, 5 % for oats and 2 % for other cereals.

Germ of cereals, whole, rolled, flaked or ground, falls in all cases within heading No 11.02.

COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 430/78

of 28 February 1978

on the arrangements applicable to fresh or chilled tomatoes falling within subheading ex 07.01 M of the Common Customs Tariff, originating in the African, Caribbean and Pacific States or in the overseas countries and territories

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular Articles 43 and 113 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament ⁽¹⁾,

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 706/76 of 30 March 1976 on the arrangements applicable to agricultural products and certain goods resulting from the processing of agricultural products originating in the African, Caribbean and Pacific States or in the overseas countries and territories ⁽²⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3013/77 ⁽³⁾, provides for the total or partial exemption from customs duties for such products; whereas, because of the significance of fresh and chilled tomatoes for the economies of these States, countries and territories, these products should be allowed to benefit from a partial exemption of customs duties for a fixed period of the year;

Whereas a Community tariff quota of 1 000 tonnes of fresh or chilled tomatoes falling under subheading ex 07.01 M I of the Common Customs Tariff should be opened for the period 15 November to 15 April; whereas the customs duty applicable within this quota may be fixed at 4.4 % with a minimum charge of two units of account per 100 kilograms net weight; whereas a quota of 300 tonnes should be opened for the period 1 March to 15 April 1978;

Whereas it is necessary in particular to ensure to all Community importers equal and uninterrupted access to the abovementioned quota, and uninterrupted application of the rates laid down for that quota to all imports of the products concerned into all Member States until the quota has been used up; whereas, however, since the tariff quota involved is of a relatively low volume and the period of application is very short, it seems possible to allocate the whole quota volume to the Community reserve and to provide for the possibility of those Member States in which needs might arise drawing appropriate quantities from that

reserve; whereas the shares thus drawn from the reserve must be valid until the end of the quota period; whereas this method of management requires close cooperation between the Member States and the Commission and the latter must in particular be able to monitor the rate at which the quota is used up and inform the Member States thereof;

Whereas, since the Kingdom of Belgium, the Kingdom of the Netherlands and the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg are united in and jointly represented by the Benelux Economic Union, all transactions concerning the administration of the shares allocated to that economic union may be carried out by any one of its members,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

From 1 March 1978 to 29 February 1980, the products listed below originating in the African, Caribbean and Pacific States or in the overseas countries and territories shall be imported subject to customs duties equal to 40 % of the Common Customs Tariff duties within a Community tariff quota of 1 000 tonnes with a minimum charge of two units of account per 100 kilograms net weight:

CCT heading No	Description
07.01	Vegetables, fresh or chilled : M. Tomatoes : I. From 1 November to 14 May : — From 15 November to 15 April

Article 2

1. From 1 March to 15 April 1978, a Community tariff quota of 300 tonnes shall be opened in the Community for fresh or chilled tomatoes falling within subheading ex 07.01 M I of the Common

⁽¹⁾ Opinion delivered on 17 February 1978 (not yet published in the Official Journal).

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 85, 31. 3. 1976, p. 2.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 355, 31. 12. 1977, p. 31.

Customs Tariff, originating in the African, Caribbean and Pacific States or in the overseas countries and territories.

2. Within this tariff quota the Common Customs Tariff duty applicable to these products shall be suspended at 4.4 % with a minimum charge of two units of account per 100 kilograms net weight.

3. The volume of the tariff quota referred to in paragraph 1 shall constitute a Community reserve.

4. If the need should arise for the products in question in a Member State, the latter shall draw an appropriate share from the reserve, providing that the size of the reserve so permits.

5. The shares drawn pursuant to paragraph 4 shall be valid until 15 April 1978.

Article 3

1. Member States shall take all measures necessary to ensure that shares drawn pursuant to Article 2 are opened in such a way that imports may be charged without interruption against their cumulative portions of the Community quota.

2. Each Member State shall ensure that importers of the products concerned established in its territory have free access to the shares allocated to it.

3. The extent to which a Member State has used up its shares shall be determined on the basis of the

imports of the products in question entered for home use.

Article 4

At the request of the Commission, Member States shall inform it of imports actually charged against their shares.

Article 5

The Member States and the Commission shall collaborate closely in order to ensure that this Regulation is observed.

Article 6

The rules of origin applicable to the products imported under this Regulation shall be, respectively, those of Protocol 1 annexed to the ACP-EEC Convention of Lomé concerning the definition of the concept of 'originating products' and the methods of administrative cooperation, and those of Annex II to Council Decision 76/568/EEC of 29 June 1976 on the association of the overseas countries and territories with the European Economic Community ⁽¹⁾.

Article 7

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 March 1978.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 28 February 1978.

For the Council

The President

P. DALSAGER

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 176, 1. 7. 1976, p. 8.

EURONORMS

The Commission of the European Communities (ECSC) has published the following new Euronorms in German, English, French, Italian and Dutch. The Euronorms which are available up to the present in English are indicated by an asterisk (*).

Sales prices valid from 1 July 1976.

			Price in £
	Circulaire d'information n° 1	Échantillons types pour les analyses chimiques des produits sidérurgiques, 2 ^e édition (1974)	1.45
EURONORM	20-74	Définitions et classification des nuances d'aciers, 2 ^e édition	0.85
EURONORM	27-74	Désignation conventionnelle des aciers, 3 ^e édition	1.20
(*) EURONORM	92-75	Hot-rolled flats for spring leaves	0.60
EURONORM	94-73	Aciers pour roulements — Prescriptions de qualité	0.60
(*) EURONORM	107-75	Grain oriented magnetic sheet and strip	2.20
(*) EURONORM	117-75	Calibration of reference blocks for use with Rockwell hardness testing machines (B, C, N and T scales)	1.70
EURONORM	118-75	Méthodes de détermination des caractéristiques magnétiques des tôles magnétiques à l'aide du cadre Epstein de 25 cm	1.70
EURONORM	119-74	Aciers pour frappe à froid et extrusion à froid — Prescriptions de qualité — fasc. 1 à fasc. 5	4.40
(*) EURONORM	122-75	Verification of Rockwell hardness testing machines (B, C, N and T scales)	1.70
(*) EURONORM	123-75	High temperature tests — Creep test for steel	1.10

The following is a list of all the Euronorms so far published :

EURONORM	1-55	Fontes et ferro-alliages	1.35
EURONORM	2-57	Essai de traction pour l'acier	0.85
EURONORM	3-55	Essai de dureté Brinell pour l'acier	0.60
EURONORM	4-55	Essai de dureté Rockwell échelles B et C pour l'acier	0.60
EURONORM	5-55	Essai de dureté Vickers pour l'acier	0.60
EURONORM	6-55	Essai de pliage pour l'acier	0.60
EURONORM	7-55	Essai de résilience Charpy pour l'acier	0.60
EURONORM	8-55	Valeurs de conversion approximatives de la durée et de la résistance à la traction de l'acier	0.60
EURONORM	9-55	Valeurs de conversion approximatives des allongements après rupture de l'acier	0.60
EURONORM	10-55	Valeurs de conversion approximatives des résiliences de l'acier	0.60
EURONORM	11-55	Essai de traction sur tôles et feuillards en acier d'une épaisseur de 0,5 mm inclus à 3 mm exclu	0.75
EURONORM	12-55	Essai de pliage des tôles et feuillards en acier d'épaisseur inférieure à 3 mm	0.60
EURONORM	13-55	Essai de pliage alterné des tôles et feuillards en acier d'épaisseur inférieure à 3 mm	0.60
EURONORM	14-67	Essai d'emboutissage à flans bloqués	0.60
EURONORM	15-70	Fil machine en acier non allié d'usage général, destiné au tréfilage ou à l'étrépage — Examen de la surface	0.60
EURONORM	16-70	Fil machine en acier non allié d'usage général, destiné au tréfilage ou à l'étrépage — Nuances et qualités	0.75
EURONORM	17-70	Fil machine en acier non allié d'usage général, destiné au tréfilage ou à l'étrépage — Dimensions et tolérances	1.60
EURONORM	18-57	Prélèvements et préparation des échantillons et des éprouvettes	0.60
EURONORM	19-57	Poutrelles IPE — Poutrelles à ailes parallèles	0.60
EURONORM	21-62	Conditions générales techniques de livraison pour les produits en acier	0.60
EURONORM	22-70	Détermination ou vérification de la limite d'élasticité de l'acier à température élevée	0.75
EURONORM	23-71	Essai de trempabilité par trempe en bout de l'acier — Essai Jominy	1.35
EURONORM	24-62	Poutrelles normales et profilés en U normaux — Tolérances de laminage	0.60
EURONORM	25-72	Aciers de construction d'usage général	1.85
EURONORM	26-63	Essais conventionnels de dureté Rockwell pour tôles et feuillards minces en acier	0.60
EURONORM	28-69	Tôles et bandes en aciers non alliés pour chaudières et appareils soumis à pression — Nuances et qualités	1.20

EURONORM	29-69	Tôles en acier laminées à chaud d'épaisseur égale ou supérieure à 3 mm — Tolérances sur les dimensions, la forme et le poids	0-85
EURONORM	30-69	Demi-produits pour forges en aciers de construction d'usage général — Nuances et qualités	1-00
EURONORM	31-69	Demi-produits pour forges — Tolérances sur les dimensions, la forme et le poids	0-60
EURONORM	32-66	Tôles minces en acier doux non allié pour emboutissage ou pliage à froid — Norme de qualité	1-10
EURONORM	33-70	Tôles et larges bandes d'épaisseur inférieure à 3 mm, en acier doux non allié pour emboutissage ou pliage à froid — Tolérances sur les dimensions et sur la forme	0-75
EURONORM	34-62	Poutrelles à larges ailes à faces parallèles — Tolérances de laminage	0-60
EURONORM	35-62	Barres et laminés marchands d'usage courant — Tolérances de laminage	0-60
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