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Proposal for
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of
fixing cereal prices for the 1983/1984 marketing year

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

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

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 Council Regulation (EEC) No 1451/82 (2), and in particular Article
3(6) and Article 4 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,
Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament (3),
Having regard to the opinion of the Economic and Social Committee (4),

Whereas the markets and prices policy, based on modern farms, is the main
instrument of the incomes policy in agriculture; whereas full advantage
cannot be drawn from such a policy unless it is integrated into the
common agricultural policy as a whole, including a dynamic social and
structural policy and the application of the rules on competition
contained in the Treaty;

Whereas, however, that policy must also reflect more strictly the
Community's budgetary constraints; whereas, in many cases, export
markets are the only outlets for surplus production; whereas those
markets can be reached only with the aid of export refunds; whereas, in
order to reduce the resulting budgetary expenditure, the fixing of prices
for the 1983/1984 marketing year must represent a first step towards
narrowing the gap between Community prices and those of the main exporter
countries;

(1) OJ No L 281, 1.11.1975, p. 1
(2) OJ No L 164, 14.06.1982, p. 1

(3) OJ No C
(4) OJ No C

Whereas pursuant to Article 3a of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 a guarantee threshold should be set for cereals other than durum wheat; whereas, having regard to the prices system, that threshold should be an overall figure for these cereals;

Whereas the guarantee threshold must form part of a medium-term goal; whereas, with the prospect of exports being maintained at the present volume and some increase in domestic use, the 1988/1989 guarantee threshold can be put at 126 million tonnes for all cereals other than durum wheat;

Whereas, having regard to the medium-term goal, the guarantee threshold for the 1983/1984 marketing year should be fixed at 120,56 million tonnes for all cereals other than durum wheat;

Whereas the application of the above-mentioned Article 3a leads, for the 1983/1984 marketing year, to a 1% decrease in the intervention prices for all cereals except durum wheat and in the reference price;

Whereas the intervention prices and target prices for the principal cereals and the reference price for common wheat of bread-making quality must be fixed in such a way as to promote a balance between the different sections of production on the basis of actual market requirements;

Whereas as far as common wheat of bread-making quality is concerned there has been an increase in the quantities with inferior quality characteristics; whereas, in view of this development, in the case of the application of special intervention measures concerning common wheat which meets the minimum requirements for bread-making, the reference price should be reduced more significantly;

Whereas, for the purpose of fixing the target price for common wheat, the reference price for this product is to be fixed at a level corresponding to the medium bread-making quality; whereas, in calculating this price, account should be taken of the difference between the return on production of common wheat of medium bread-making quality and that of common wheat of non-bread-making quality, which is at present taken to be 16.64% ,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

For the 1983/1984 marketing year, cereal prices shall be those fixed in the Annex.

Article 2

For the 1983/1983 marketing year the guarantee threshold referred to in Article 3a of Regulation (EEC)No 2727/75 shall be 120.56 million tonnes for all the products listed in Article 1(a) of the said Regulation.

Article 3

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

It shall apply as regards durum wheat and durum wheat groats and meal with effect from 1 July 1983 and as regards the other products with effect from 1 August 1983.

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

Done

For the Council
The President

Annex

<u>COMMON WHEAT, RYE, BARLEY AND MAIZE</u>	Ecu/t
Single common intervention price	184.58
<u>COMMON WHEAT</u>	
Reference Price (1)	215.29
Target Price	261.41
<u>RYE, BARLEY AND MAIZE</u>	
Target Price	238.17
<u>DURUM WHEAT</u>	
Single intervention price	312.08
Target Price	355.42
	11.62

(1) This price is reduced by 11.62 ECU/tonne in case of application of special intervention measures at the level of the minimum bread-making quality

Proposal
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of
fixing the monthly price increases for cereals, wheat and rye flour
and wheat groats and meal for the 1983/1984 marketing year

THE COUNCIL 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 organisation of the market in cereals (1), as last amended by Council Regulation (EEC) No 1451/82 (2), and in particular Article 6(2) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas, when the number and amount of the monthly increases and the first month during which these are to apply are fixed, account should be taken of the storage costs and financing charges for storing cereals in the Community and of the need to ensure that the disposal of stocks of cereals conforms to market requirements,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

For the 1983/1984 marketing year, the monthly increases to be applied to the target price, threshold price and intervention price for the products listed in Article 1(a), (b) and (c) of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 and to the reference price for common wheat of bread-making quality, shall be as set out in this Regulation.

(1) OJ No L 281, 1.11.1975, p.1

(2) OJ No L 164, 14.6.1982, p.1

Article 2

The monthly increases to be applied to the target price, threshold price and intervention price for common wheat, rye, barley and maize and durum wheat and to the reference price for common wheat of bread-making quality, operative for the first month of the marketing year, shall be as follows:

(ECU/tonne)

Period	: Common wheat, rye	:	Durum wheat	:
	: barley and maize	:		:
August 1983	: -	:	2.76	:
September	: 2.57	:	5.52	:
October	: 5.14	:	8.28	:
November	: 7.71	:	11.04	:
December	: 10.28	:	13.80	:
January 1984	: 12.85	:	16.56	:
February	: 15.42	:	19.32	:
March	: 17.99	:	22.08	:
April	: 20.56	:	24.84	:
May	: 23.13	:	(27.60)	:
June	: (25.70)	:	(27.60)	:
July	: (25.70)	:	-	:

The monthly increases indicated in brackets shall apply to neither the reference price for common wheat of bread-making quality nor intervention prices.

Article 3

The monthly increases to be applied to the threshold price for meslin, oats, buckwheat, millet, canary seed and sorghum operative for the first month of the marketing year shall be the same as those applicable to cereals other than durum wheat.

Article 4

The monthly increases to be applied to the threshold price for wheat, meslin and rye flour and to the threshold price for groats and meal of common and of durum wheat operative for the first month of the marketing year shall be as follows:

(ECU/tonne)

Period	: Wheat, meslin and rye : flour, common wheat : groats and meal	:	Groats and meal of durum wheat	:
August 1983	: -	:	4,36	:
September	: 3.88	:	8.72	:
October	: 7.76	:	13.08	:
November	: 11.64	:	17.44	:
December	: 15.52	:	21.80	:
January 1984	: 19.40	:	26.16	:
February	: 23.28	:	30.52	:
March	: 27.16	:	34.88	:
April	: 31.04	:	39.24	:
May	: 34.92	:	43.60	:
June	: 38.80	:	43.60	:
July	: 38.80	:	-	:

Article 5

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

It shall apply as regards durum wheat and durum wheat groats and meal with effect from 1 July 1983 and as regards the other products with effect from 1 August 1983.

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

Done

For the Council
The President

Proposal for
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of
fixing for the 1983/1984 marketing year the amount of the
aid for durum wheat

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

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

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 Council Regulation (EEC) No 1451/82 (2), and in particular Article 10 (3) thereof,

Having regard to the 1979 Act of Accession,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament (3),

Having regard to the opinion of the Economic and Social Committee (4),

Whereas the purpose of the aid for durum wheat is to ensure a fair standard of living for farmers in regions of the Community where such production constitutes a traditional and important part of agricultural production;

Whereas these areas were specified by Council Regulation (EEC) No 3103/76 of 16 December 1976 on aid for durum wheat (5), as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1455/82 (6);

Whereas the rules regarding the alignment of aid as laid down in Article 68 of the 1979 Act of Accession apply to the aid for durum wheat applicable in Greece,

(1) OJ No L 281, 01.11.1975, p. 1

(2) OJ No L 164, 14.06.1982, p. 1

(3) OJ No C

(4) OJ No C

(5) OJ No L 351, 21.12.1976, p. 1

(6) OJ No L 164, 14.06.1982, p. 16

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

For the 1983/1984 marketing year, the aid for durum wheat referred to in Article 10 of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 is hereby fixed at:

- for the Italian and French regions listed in the Annex to Regulation (EEC) No 3103/76: 97.96 ECU per hectare,
- for the Greek regions listed in the Annex to Regulation (EEC) No 3103/76:
 - 76.75 ECU per hectare in areas entitled to national aid as being mountain areas within the meaning of the regulations applicable until 31 December 1980,
 - 48.13 ECU per hectare in those areas of the same Greek regions which did not qualify for national aid.

Article 2

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

It shall apply from 1 July 1983.

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

Done

For the Council
The President

Proposal
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of
fixing rice prices for the 1983/1984 marketing year

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

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

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1418/76 of 21 June 1976 on the
common organization of the market in rice (1), as last amended by the 1979
Act of Accession, and in particular Article 3(3) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament (2),

Having regard to the opinion of the Economic and Social Committee (3),

Whereas the markets and prices policy, based on modern farms, is the main
instrument of the incomes policy in agriculture; whereas full advantage
cannot be drawn from such a policy unless it is integrated into the common
agricultural policy as a whole, including a dynamic social and structural
policy and the application of the rules on competition contained in the
Treaty;

Whereas the intervention price for paddy rice must be fixed at a rate which
takes simultaneous account of the policy in respect of rice production and
the use of rice and of improved farm incomes;

Whereas the target price for husked rice should be derived from the
intervention price for paddy rice, in accordance with the criteria set out
in Article 4(3) of Regulation (EEC) No 1418/76;

(1) OJ No L 166, 25. 6.1976, p.1

(2) OJ No C

(3) OJ No C

Whereas, for the products referred to in this Regulation, the application of the criteria for the fixing of the different prices and the application of the measures provided for in respect of the exchange rates to be applied in agriculture entail fixing those prices at the levels indicated herein,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

For the 1983/1984 marketing year, the rice prices shall be as follows:

- (a) intervention price, paddy rice: 306.53 ECU per tonne;
- (b) target price, husked rice: 523.16 ECU per tonne.

Article 2

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

It shall apply from 1 September 1983.

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

Done

For the Council
The President

PROPOSAL
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of
fixing the monthly price increases for paddy rice and husked rice for
the 1983/1984 marketing year.

THE COUNCIL 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 organization of the market in rice (1), as last amended by the 1979 Act of Accession, and in particular Article 7(2) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas, when the number and amount of the monthly increases and the first month during which these increases are to apply are fixed, account should be taken of the storage costs and financing charges for storing rice in the Community and of the need to ensure that the disposal of stocks of rice conforms to market requirements,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

(1) OJ No L 166, 25. 6.1976, p.1

Article 1

1. For the 1983/1984 marketing year, the amount of each of the monthly increases provided for in Article 7 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1418/76 shall be as follows:

- 3.19 ECU per tonne for the intervention price,
- 3.98 ECU per tonne for the target price.

2. These monthly increases shall apply from 1 October 1983 to 1 July 1984, the prices thus obtained for July 1984 remaining valid until 31 August 1984.

Article 2

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

It shall apply from 1 September 1983.

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

Done at

For the Council
The President

Proposal
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of
amending Regulation (EEC) No 1418/76 on the common organization
of the market in rice

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

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

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

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

Having regard to the opinion of the Economic and Social Committee (2),

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 1418/76 (3), as last amended by the Act of Accession of Greece, does not contain the provisions necessary to ensure provision of detailed knowledge of production and availabilities; whereas such knowledge is essential to the proper management of the market in rice; whereas the provisions of the said Regulation must therefore be supplemented by providing for harvest and stock declarations to be made annually at the start of the marketing year by growers and rice mills,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

The following Article is hereby inserted in Regulation (EEC) No 1418/76:

"Article 25a

1. Each year rice growers shall make harvest and stock declarations to the competent authorities of the Member States. Such declarations shall distinguish between round-grained and long-grained rice and shall identify:
 - the stocks of rice from the previous harvest
 - the quantities of rice from the new harvest
 - where appropriate, the varietal groups.

(1) OJ No C

(2) OJ No C

(3) OJ No L 166, 25.6.1976, p. 1.

2. Each year rice mills shall make declarations concerning the stocks of rice they hold to the competent authorities of the Member States. Such declarations shall distinguish between round-grained and long-grained rice and shall identify the different processing stages (paddy, husked, milled).

Products imported from third countries shall be mentioned separately.

3. The information supplied pursuant to paragraphs 1 and 2 shall be made known to the Commission.

4. Detailed rules for the application of this Article shall be adopted in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 27."

Article 2

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

It shall apply from 1 September 1983.

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

Done at

For the Council
The President

Proposal
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of
amending Regulation (EEC) No 2742/75 on production refunds in the
cereals and rice sectors

THE COUNCIL 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 1451/82 (2), and in particular Article 11(4) 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 last amended by the Act of the Accession of Greece, and in particular Article 9(2) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas production refunds for starch products and the minimum price to be paid by the starch manufacturer to the producer should be fixed, taking into account in particular the situation of the prices of the raw materials used for manufacturing starch, at the beginning of the 1983/84 marketing year; whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 2742/75 (4), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1460/82 (5), should be further amended;

Whereas, since the relative situation of the starch industries has not significantly changed, the premium for the potato starch sector should be maintained at its present level,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

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- (1) OJ No L 281, 1.11.1975, p.1
(2) OJ No L 164, 14. 6.1982, p.1
(3) OJ No L 166, 25. 6.1976, p.1
(4) OJ No L 281, 1.11.1975, p.57
(5) OJ No L 164, 14. 6.1982, p.25

Article 1

Article 1 of Regulation (EEC) No 2742/75 is hereby amended as follows:

1. In paragraph 1, "19.41 ECU" shall be substituted for "18.61 ECU".
2. In paragraph 2, "27.79 ECU" shall be substituted for "26.64 ECU".
3. In paragraph 3, "23.91 ECU" shall be substituted for "22.92 ECU".

Article 2

Article 2 of Regulation (EEC) No 2742/75 is hereby replaced by the following:

"Article 2

Member States shall grant a production refund of 31.25 ECU per tonne of potato starch."

Article 3

In Article 3(1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2742/75, the amount "269.50 ECU" shall be substituted for "259.15 ECU".

Article 4

In Article 3a of Regulation (EEC) No 2742/75, the expression "for the duration of the 1982/83 cereals marketing year" is hereby replaced by the expression "for the 1983/1984 cereals marketing year".

Article 5

Article 4 of Regulation (EEC) No 2742/75 is hereby amended as follows:

1. In paragraph 1, "23.87 ECU" is substituted for "22.89 ECU".
2. In paragraph 2, "19.41 ECU" is substituted for "18.61 ECU".
3. In paragraph 3, "23.91 ECU" is substituted for "22.92 ECU".

Article 6

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

It shall apply from 1 August 1983 for products covered by Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 and from 1 September 1983 for products covered by Regulation (EEC) No 1418/76.

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

Done at

For the Council

The President

Proposal
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of
fixing, for the 1983/1984 marketing year, the sugar prices and the standard
quality of beet

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

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

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1785/81 of 30 June 1981 on the common organization of the markets in the sugar sector (1) as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 606/82 (2), and in particular Articles 2(3), 3(4) and 4(3) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament (3),

Having regard to the opinion of the Economic and Social Committee (4),

Whereas, when sugar prices are fixed, account should be taken of the objectives of the common agricultural policy and of the contribution which the Community intends to make to the harmonious development of world trade; whereas the objectives of the common agricultural policy are in particular to ensure a fair standard of living for the agricultural community, to ensure that supplies are available and that they reach consumers at reasonable prices;

Whereas, in order to attain these objectives, the target price for sugar must be fixed at a level which, taking into account, in particular, the resultant level of the intervention price, ensures a fair remuneration for beet and sugar cane producers while at the same time respecting consumers interest, and which is likely to maintain the balance between the prices of the principal agricultural products;

(1) OJ No L 177, 1. 7.1981, p.4

(2) OJ No L 74, 18. 3.1982, p.1

(3) OJ No C

(4) OJ No C

Whereas, as a result of the characteristics of the sugar market, the risks involved in this trade are relatively slight; whereas, consequently, when the intervention price for sugar is fixed, the difference between the target price and the intervention price may be fixed at a relatively low level;

Whereas the basic price for beet must take account of the intervention price and of the costs of processing and delivering the beet to factories and be based on an estimated Community yield of 130 kilograms of white sugar per tonne of beet with a 16% sugar content;

Whereas, the abovementioned costs may be estimated at a flat-rate amount of 22.02 ECU per 100 kilograms of white sugar; whereas that flat rate amount is made up of the sum of the processing margin, estimated at 20.18 ECU, and the costs of delivering the beet to factories, estimated at 3.73 ECU, less a flat rate amount of 1.89 ECU representing factories' receipts from the sale of molasses calculated on the basis of a yield of 38.5 kilograms per tonne of beet processed and an ex-factory price for molasses of 6.40 ECU per 100 kilograms of molasses;

Whereas the standard quality chosen for beet should be a quality which takes account of production characteristics in the main beet-production areas of the Community,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

The target price for white sugar shall be 56.28 ECU per 100 kilograms.

The intervention price for white sugar shall be 53.47 ECU per 100 kilograms for the non-deficit areas of the Community.

Article 2

The basic price for beet shall be 40.89 ECU per tonne delivered at the collection centre.

Article 3

Standard quality beet shall:

- (a) be of sound, genuine and merchantable quality;
- (b) have a sugar content of 16% at the reception point.

Article 4

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

It shall apply for the 1983/1984 marketing year.

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

Done at

For the Council
The President

Proposal
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of

fixing, for the 1983/1984 marketing year, the derived intervention prices for white sugar, the intervention price for raw sugar, the minimum prices for A and B beet, the threshold prices and the amount of compensation for storage costs

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1785/81 of 30 June 1981 on the common organization of the markets in the sugar sector (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 606/82 (2), and in particular Articles 3(5), 5(5), 8(4) and 14(5) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No of fixing, for the 1983/1984 marketing year, the sugar prices and the standard quality of beet (3), fixed the intervention price for white sugar at 53.47 ECU per 100 kilograms;

Whereas Article 3(1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1785/81 provides that derived intervention prices for white sugar are to be fixed for each of the deficit areas; whereas, for such fixing, it is appropriate that account be taken of the regional variations which, given a normal harvest and free movement of sugar, might be expected to occur in the price of sugar under natural conditions of price formation on the market;

Whereas a deficit supply situation is to be foreseen in the areas of production in Italy, Ireland and the United Kingdom;

(1) OJ No L 177, 1. 7.1981, p. 4

(2) OJ No L 74, 18. 3.1982, p. 2

(3) See page of this Official Journal

Whereas Article 3(5) of Regulation (EEC) No 1785/81 provides that an intervention price for raw sugar shall be fixed; whereas such price shall be established on the basis of the intervention price for white sugar, account being taken of a uniform processing margin and a standard yield, as well as transport costs for the supply of raw sugar;

Whereas Regulation (EEC) No fixed the basis price for beet at 40.89 ECU per tonne; whereas Article 5(2) of Regulation (EEC) No 1785/81 provides that the minimum price to be fixed for A beet shall be 98% of the basic price of the beet and the minimum price to be fixed for B beet shall in principle be 68% of the said basic price;

Whereas Article 14(2) of Regulation (EEC) No 1785/81 provides that the threshold price for white sugar shall be equal to the target price, plus costs, calculated at a flat rate, of transport from the Community area having the largest surplus to the most distant deficit consumption area in the Community, plus a flat-rate amount which takes into account the storage levy which, for 1983/84, can be estimated at 4.25 ECU per 100 kilograms of white sugar; whereas, given the state of supplies within the Community, account should be taken of transport charges between the departments of northern France and Palermo;

Whereas the threshold price for raw sugar is to be derived from the threshold price for white sugar by reference to a processing margin and a standard yield;

Whereas the threshold price for molasses should be fixed in such a way that the receipts from sales of molasses may reach the level of receipts of undertakings taken into account in the fixing of basic prices for beet;

Whereas Article 5 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 1358/77(4) provides that the amount of repayment in the context of the compensation for storage costs shall be fixed per month and per unit of weight, taking account of financing, insurance and specific storage costs,

(4) OJ No L 156, 25. 6.1977, p.4

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

For the deficit areas of the Community the derived intervention price for white sugar shall be fixed at, per 100 kilograms:

- (a) 54.68 ECU for all the areas in the United Kingdom;
- (b) 54.68 ECU for all the areas in Ireland
- (c) 55.41 ECU for all the areas in Italy.

Article 2

The intervention price for 100 kilograms of raw sugar shall be 44.34 ECU.

Article 3

1. The minimum price for A beet shall be 40.07 ECU per tonne.
2. Without prejudice to application of Article 28 of Regulation (EEC) No 1785/81 the minimum price for B beet shall be 27.81 ECU per tonne.

Article 4

The threshold price shall be:

- (a) 66.33 ECU per 100 kilograms of white sugar;
- (b) 56.90 ECU per 100 kilograms of raw sugar;
- (c) 6.90 ECU per 100 kilograms of molasses.

Article 5

The amount of the reimbursement referred to in Article 8 of Regulation (EEC) No 1785/81 shall be 0.57 ECU per month per 100 kilograms of white sugar.

Article 6

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

It shall apply for the 1983/1984 marketing year.

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

Done at

For the Council

Proposal
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of

fixing the production target price, the production aid and the intervention price for olive oil for the 1983/1984 marketing year.

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

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

Having regard to Council Regulation No 136/66/EEC of 22 September 1966 on the common organization of the market in oils and fats (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No (2), and in particular Articles 4(4) and 5(1) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament (3),

Having regard to the opinion of the Economic and Social Committee (4),

Whereas, when the production target price for olive oil is fixed, account should be taken of the objectives of the common agricultural policy and of the contribution which the Community desires to make to the harmonious development of world trade; whereas the objectives of the common agricultural policy are, in particular, to ensure a fair standard of living for the agricultural community, to ensure that supplies are available and that they reach consumers at reasonable prices;

(1) OJ No 172, 30. 9.1966, p.3025/66

(2) OJ No L

(3) OJ No C

(4) OJ No C

Whereas the target price referred to above must be fixed in accordance with the criteria laid down in Articles 4 and 6 of Regulation No 136/66/EEC;

Whereas, if the producer is to receive a fair income, the production aid must be fixed in the light of the impact which the consumption aid has on part of the production;

Whereas the intervention price must be fixed in accordance with the criteria laid down in Article 8 of Regulation No 136/66/EEC;

Whereas Article 81 of the 1979 Act of Accession laid down the criteria for fixing the production aid applicable in Greece; whereas, on these criteria, the abovementioned aid should be fixed at the level indicated below;

Whereas the production target price and the intervention price are fixed for a specific standard quality; whereas the reasons which led to the determination of the standard quality for the 1981/1982 marketing year are still valid; whereas that standard quality should therefore remain unchanged,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

For the 1983/1984 marketing year, the production target price, the production aid and the intervention price of olive oil shall be as follows:

- (a) production target price : 319.42 ECU per 100 kilograms;
- (b) production aid :
 - for Greece: 40.52 ECU per 100 kilograms;
 - for the other Member States: 70.26 ECU per 100 kilograms;
- (c) intervention price 229.92 ECU per 100 kilograms.

Article 2

The prices specified in Article 1 relate to semi-fine virgin olive oil with a free fatty acid content, expressed as oleic acid, of 3.3 grams per 100 grams.

Article 3

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

It shall apply from 1 November 1983.

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

Done at

For the Council

Proposal
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of

fixing the monthly increases in the representative market price, the intervention price and the threshold price for olive oil for the 1983/1984 marketing year.

THE COUNCIL 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 (2), and in particular Article 10 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas, under Article 10 of Regulation No 136/66/EEC, the representative market price, the intervention price and the threshold price for olive oil must be increased each month for a period of at least five months beginning on 1 January 1984; whereas these increases must be the same for all three prices;

Whereas, in fixing these increases the same for each of these months, account being taken of average storage costs and interest charges in the Community, the average storage costs should be established on the basis of the cost of storing oil in the appropriate premises and of the handling required for preserving the oil in good condition; whereas the interest charges can be calculated with reference to the average price of olive oil valid in production areas;

(1) OJ No 172, 30. 9.1966, p.3025/66
(2) OJ No L

Whereas, to ensure orderly marketing of the production, in view of the prospects for production and consumption, it is sufficient to provide for seven increases for olive oil,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

For the 1983/1984 marketing year, the amount of the monthly increases referred to in Article 10 of Regulation No 136/66/EEC and applicable for seven months with effect from 1 January 1984 shall be 1.79 ECU per 100 kilograms.

Article 2

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

It shall apply from 1 November 1983.

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

Done

For the Council
The President

Proposal
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of

fixing for the 1983/1984 marketing year the guarantee threshold for
colza and rape seed and certain factors relating thereto

THE COUNCIL 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 (2), and in particular Article 24a thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas the fixing of a guarantee threshold for colza and rape seed is required under Article 24a of Regulation No 136/66/EEC;

Whereas the guarantee threshold should be in keeping with a medium-term policy; whereas, in the light of market prospects for colza and rape seed, the guarantee threshold for 1989/1990 can be put at 3 300 000 tonnes;

Whereas, in the light of this medium-term policy and the level of production in recent years, the guarantee threshold for the 1983/1984 marketing year should be fixed at 2 290 000 tonnes;

Whereas the consequences as regards the level of the target prices and intervention prices in the event of the guarantee threshold being exceeded should also be stated,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

(1) OJ No 172, 30. 9.1966, p. 3025/66

(2) OJ No L

Article 1

1. For the 1983/1984 marketing year, the guarantee threshold for colza and rape seed referred to in Article 24a of Regulation No 136/66/EEC is hereby fixed at 2 290 000 tonnes.
2. If the Community production recorded, in accordance with Article 24a of Regulation No 136/66/EEC, is greater than the guarantee threshold, there shall be a 1% reduction in the 1984/1985 target prices and intervention prices for every 50 000 tonnes in excess of the guarantee threshold, up to a maximum of 5%.

Article 2

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

It shall apply from 1 July 1983.

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

Done

For the Council

Proposal
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of

fixing the target prices and intervention prices for colza and rape seed
and sunflower seed for the 1983/1984 marketing year

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

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

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 (2) and in
particular Article 22(4) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament (3),

Having regard to the opinion of the Economic and Social Committee (4),

Whereas, when the target prices and intervention prices for colza and
rape seed and sunflower seed are fixed, account should be taken of the
objectives of the common agricultural policy and of the contribution
which the Community desires to make to the harmonious development of
world trade; whereas the objectives of the common agricultural policy
are, in particular, to ensure a fair standard of living for the
agricultural Community, to ensure that supplies are available and that
they reach consumers at reasonable prices;

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

(2) OJ No L

(3) OJ No C

(4) OJ No C

Whereas the intervention price must be fixed in accordance with the criteria laid down in Article 24(1) of Regulation No. 136/66/EEC;

Whereas, pursuant to Article 1(2) of Council Regulation (EEC) No 1417/82 (5), if Community production of colza and rape seed recorded in accordance with Article 24a of Regulation No 136/66/EEC exceeds a guarantee threshold, there is to be a 1% reduction in the 1983/84 target and intervention prices for every 50 000 tonnes in excess of the guarantee threshold, up to a maximum of 5%; whereas Article 1(1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1417/82 fixes the guarantee threshold for the 1982/83 marketing year at 2 150 000 tonnes; whereas the actual average production recorded over the past three marketing years is 2 218 000 tonnes; whereas the target and intervention prices for the products in question should therefore be reduced by 1% for the 1983/84 marketing year;

Whereas application of these criteria entails fixing the target price and intervention price for colza and rape seed and for sunflower seed at a higher level than that adopted for the preceding marketing year;

Whereas the prices of colza and rape seed and sunflower seed must be fixed for specific standard qualities; whereas the latter should be laid down in relation to the average qualities of the seeds harvested in the Community; whereas, for colza and rape seed and sunflower seed, the quality laid down for the 1982/1983 marketing year meets these requirements and can accordingly be used for the following marketing year,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

For the 1983/1984 marketing year, the target prices and the intervention prices for colza and rape seed and sunflower seed shall be as follows:

(ECU/100 kg)

(a) Colza and rape seeds:	
- target price	48.45
- intervention price	44.01
(b) Sunflower seeds:	
- target price	57.98
- intervention price	52.96

Article 2

The prices referred to in Article 1 relate to seeds in bulk of sound, fair and marketable quality:

- (a) with an impurity content of 2% and, for seeds as such, humidity and oil contents of 9% and 40% respectively in the case of colza and rape seeds;
- (b) with an impurity content of 2% and, for seeds as such, humidity and oil contents of 10% and 40% respectively in the case of sunflower seeds.

Article 3

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

It shall apply:

- from 1 July 1983 as regards colza and rape seed,
and
- from 1 August 1983 as regards sunflower seed.

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

Done at

For the Council

PROPOSAL
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) N°
of

fixing for the 1983/1984 marketing year the monthly increases in the target
and intervention prices for colza and rape seed and sunflower seed

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation N° 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) N° (2), and in particular Article 25 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas, in accordance with Article 25 of Regulation N° 136/66/EEC, the amount by which the target and intervention prices for colza, rape seed and sunflower seed are increased monthly from the beginning of the third month of the marketing year should be fixed for the 1983/1984 marketing year, and the number of months during which such increases are to be applied should be determined ; whereas such amount must be the same for both prices ;

Whereas such increases must be the same for each month and be fixed by reference to average storage and interest charges recorded in the Community ; whereas average storage charges should be determined on the basis of the cost of storing the seed in suitable premises and of the handling charges necessary to keep the seed in good condition ; whereas interest charges may be calculated on the basis of the rate considered as normal for the production areas ;

(1) OJ N° 172, 30.9.1966, p. 3025/66

(2) OJ N° L

Whereas, taking into account the aforesaid requirements, the monthly increases for the 1983/1984 marketing year should be fixed at a higher level than that for the preceding marketing year,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

1. For the 1983/1984 marketing year, the amount of the monthly increases in the target and intervention prices for colza and rape seed shall be 0.52 ECU per 100 kilograms.
2. These increases shall apply for eight months.

Article 2

1. For the 1983/1984 marketing year, the amount of the monthly increases in the target and intervention prices for sunflower seed shall be 0.615 ECU per 100 kilograms.
2. These increases shall apply for six months.

Article 3

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

It shall apply:

- from 1 July 1983 as regards colza and rape seed,
and
- from 1 August 1983 as regards sunflower seed.

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

Proposal of
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of
fixing the guide price for soya beans for the 1983/1984 marketing year

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

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

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1614/79 of 24 July 1979 laying down special measures for soya beans (1), as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1984/82 (2), and in particular Article 1(1) and (3) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament (3),

Having regard to the opinion of the Economic and Social Committee (4),

Whereas, when the guide price for soya beans is fixed on an annual basis, account should be taken of the objectives of the common agricultural policy and of the contribution which the Community desires to make to the harmonious development of world trade; whereas the objectives of the common agricultural policy are, in particular, to ensure a fair standard of living for the agricultural community and to ensure that supplies are available and reach consumers at reasonable prices;

Whereas the second subparagraph of Article 1(1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1614/79 provides more specifically that this price shall be fixed at a fair level for producers, having regard to the supply requirements of the Community; whereas, to this end, a balanced relationship should be maintained between this price and the price of other oil seeds;

(1) OJ No L 190, 28.7.1979, p. 8

(2) OJ No L 215, 23.7.1982, p. 7

(3) OJ No C

(4) OJ No C

Whereas in accordance with these criteria the guide price should be fixed at the level indicated below;

Whereas the guide price must be fixed for a standard quality to be determined by reference to the average quality of beans harvested in the Community; whereas the quality laid down for the 1982/1983 marketing year meets this requirement and can accordingly be used for the following marketing year,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

For the 1983/1984 marketing year, the guide price for soya beans shall be 56.17 ECU per 100 kilograms.

Article 2

The price referred to in Article 1 relates to beans:

- in bulk, of sound, genuine and merchantable quality,
- and
- with an impurity content of 2% and, for beans as such, humidity and oil contents of 14% and 18% respectively.

Article 3

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

It shall apply from 1 September 1983.

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

Done

For the Council

PROPOSAL
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of
fixing the minimum price for soya beans for the
1983/1984 marketing year

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1614/79 of 24 July 1979 laying down special measures in respect of soya beans (1), as amended by Regulation (EEC) N° 1984/82 (2), and in particular Article 2(4) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas Article 2(4) of Regulation (EEC) No 1614/79 provides that the Council shall each year fix a minimum price for soya beans; whereas the price is fixed so as to guarantee sales for bean producers at a price as close as possible to the guide price, taking into account market fluctuations and the cost of transporting the beans from the production areas to the processing areas;

Whereas, in order to achieve the abovementioned objective, this minimum price must be fixed for a standard quality and a well-defined marketing stage,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

(1) OJ No L 190, 28. 7.1979, p.8

(2) OJ No L 215, 23. 7.1982, p.7

Article 1

For the 1983/1984 marketing year, the minimum price for soya beans referred to in Article 2(4) of Regulation (EEC) No 1614/79 shall be 49.43 ECU per 100 kilograms.

Article 2

The price referred to in Article 1 shall apply to beans which meet the criteria referred to in Article 2 of Council Regulation (EEC) No _____ of _____ fixing the guide price for soya beans for the 1983/1984 marketing year (3).

The said price shall relate to goods ready for dispatch from the production areas.

Article 3

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

It shall apply from 1 September 1983.

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

Done

For the Council
The President

(3) See page _____ of this Official Journal

Proposal
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of

fixing the guide price for flax seed for the 1983/1984 marketing year

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

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

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 569/76 of 15 March 1976 laying down special measures for flax seed (1), and in particular Article 1(1) and (3) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament (2),

Having regard to the opinion of the Economic and Social Committee (3),

Whereas, when the guide price for flax seed is fixed on an annual basis, account should be taken both of the objectives of the common agricultural policy and of the contribution which the Community desires to make to the harmonious development of world trade; whereas the objectives of the common agricultural policy are, in particular, to ensure a fair standard of living for the agricultural community and to ensure that supplies are available and reach consumers at reasonable prices;

Whereas the first subparagraph of Article 1(1) of Regulation (EEC) No 569/76 provides more specifically that this price shall be fixed at a level which is fair to producers, account being taken of the supply requirements of the Community; whereas to this end, a balanced relationship should be maintained between this price and the price of other oil seeds;

(1) OJ No L 67, 15. 3.1976, p.29

(2) OJ No C

(3) OJ No C

Whereas in accordance with these criteria the guide price should be fixed at a higher level than that adopted for the preceding marketing year;

Whereas the guide price must be fixed for a standard quality to be determined by reference to the average quality of seeds harvested in the Community; whereas the quality laid down for the 1982/1983 marketing year meets this requirement and can accordingly be used for the following marketing year,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

For the 1983/1984 marketing year, the guide price for flax seed shall be 54.59 ECU per 100 kilograms.

Article 2

The price referred to in Article 1 relates to seed:

- in bulk, of sound, genuine and merchantable quality,
and
- with an impurity content of 2% and, for seeds as such, humidity and oil contents of 9% and 38% respectively.

Article 3

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

It shall apply from 1 August 1983.

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

Done

For the Council

Proposal
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of

fixing the guide price of castor seeds for the 1983/1984 marketing year

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

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

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2874/77 of 19 December 1977 laying down special measures in respect of castor seeds (1), and in particular Article 1(1) and (3) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament (2),

Having regard to the opinion of the Economic and Social Committee (3),

Whereas subparagraph 1 of Article 1(1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2874/77 provides that a guide price for castor seeds falling within subheading 12.01 B of the Common Customs Tariff shall be fixed annually;

Whereas, when this price is fixed, account should be taken of the objectives of the common agricultural policy and of the contribution which the Community desires to make to the harmonious development of world trade; whereas the objectives of the common agricultural policy are in particular to ensure a fair standard of living for the agricultural community, and to ensure that supplies are available and reach consumers at reasonable prices;

(1) OJ No L 332, 24.12.1977, p.1
(2) OJ No C
(3) OJ No C

Whereas the third subparagraph of Article 1(1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2874/77 provides more specifically that this price shall be fixed at a fair level for producers, having regard to the supply requirements of the Community; whereas, to this end, a balanced relationship should be maintained between this price and the price which may be obtained for substitute crops and, in particular, from other oil seeds;

Whereas the guide price must be fixed for a standard quality to be determined taking into account the average quality of the seeds harvested in the Community; whereas the quality laid down for the 1982/1983 marketing year meets this requirement and can accordingly be used for the following marketing year,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

For the 1983/1984 marketing year, the guide price for castor seeds shall be 66.39 ECU per 100 kilograms.

Article 2

The price referred to in Article 1 shall relate to seeds:

- in bulk, of sound, genuine and merchantable quality,
and
- with an impurity content of 2% and, for the seeds as such, humidity and oil contents of 14% and 45% respectively.

Article 3

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

It shall apply from 1 October 1983.

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

Done

For the Council

Proposal
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of
fixing the minimum price for castor seeds for the 1983/1984
marketing year

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2874/77 of 19 December 1977 laying down special measures in respect of castor seeds (1), and in particular Article 2(4) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas Article 2(4) of Regulation (EEC) No 2874/77 provides that the Council shall each year fix a minimum price for castor seeds; whereas that price must be fixed so as to guarantee sales for seed producers at a price as close as possible to the guide price, taking into account market fluctuations and the cost of transporting the seeds from the production areas to the processing areas;

Whereas, in order to achieve the abovementioned objective, this minimum price must be fixed for a standard quality and a well-defined marketing stage,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION,

(1) OJ No L 332, 24.12.1977, p.1

Article 1

For the 1983/1984 marketing year, the minimum price for castor seeds referred to in Article 2 (4) of Regulation (EEC) No 2874/77 shall be 63.23 ECU per 100 kilograms.

Article 2

The price referred to in Article 1 shall apply to seeds which meet the criteria referred to in Article 2 of Council Regulation (EEC) No of fixing the guide price for castor seeds for the 1983/1984 marketing year (2).

The said price shall relate to goods ready for dispatch from the production areas.

Article 3

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

It shall apply from 1 October 1983.

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

Done at

For the Council
The President

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Proposal
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of
fixing, for the 1983/1984 marketing year, the activating price
for the aid, the guide price and the minimum price
for peas and field beans

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

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

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1431/82 of 18 May 1982 laying
down special measures for peas and field beans (1), and in particular
Article 2(1) and (5) and Article 3(3) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission ,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament (2),

Having regard to the opinion of the Economic and Social Committee (3),

Whereas Article 2(2) of Regulation (EEC) No 1431/82 provides that a price
activating the aid for peas and field beans must be fixed for soya cake at
a level which, while ensuring a fair income for producers, enables peas
and field beans to compete normally with soya cake for use in animal feed;

Whereas this activating price for aid for peas and field beans must relate
to a standard quality of soya cake which is representative of the average
quality sold on the Community market;

Whereas Article 2(3) of the same Regulation provides that the guide price
for peas and field beans for human consumption must be fixed at a level
which is fair to producers, taking account of the Community's supply
requirements; whereas this price must relate to a standard quality;

(1) OJ No L 162, 12. 6.1982, p.28

(2) OJ No C

(3) OJ No C

Whereas Article 3 of the same Regulation provides for the fixing of a minimum price which, allowing for market fluctuations and for the cost of transport of the products from producer to processor, enables producers to obtain a fair return,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

For the 1983/1984 marketing year, the activating price for aid for peas and field beans, as referred to in Article 2 of Regulation (EEC) No 1431/82, shall be 51.76 ECU per 100 kilograms.

This price shall relate to soya cake having:

- a total crude protein content of 44%;
- a moisture content of 11%.

Article 2

For the 1983/1984 marketing year, the guide price for peas and field beans, as referred to in Article 2 of Regulation (EEC) No 1431/82, shall be 33.44 ECU per 100 kilograms.

This price shall relate to the product supplied in bulk, of sound, genuine and merchantable quality, with 3% impurities and 14% moisture before processing.

Article 3

For the 1983/1984 marketing year, the minimum purchase price for peas and field beans shall be 29.19 ECU per 100 kilograms.

Article 4

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

It shall apply from 1 October 1983.

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

Done

For the Council
The President

Proposal
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of
fixing the flat-rate production aid and the guide price
for dried fodder for the 1983/1984 marketing year

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

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

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1117/78 of 22 May 1978 on
the common organization of the market in dried fodder (1), as last
amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1433/82 (2) and in particular Articles 3
(3), 4 (1) and (3) and 5 (2) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament (3),

Having regard to the opinion of the Economic and Social Committee (4),

Whereas Article 3 of Regulation (EEC) No 1117/78 stipulates that the
level of the flat-rate production aid for dried fodder must be such as to
bring about an improvement in the Community's protein supplies;

Whereas, under Article 4 of the same Regulation, a guide price must be
set for certain dried fodder products at a level which is fair to
producers; whereas this price must be set for a standard quality
representative of the average quality of dried fodder produced in the
Community;

(1) OJ No L 142, 30. 5.1978, p.1

(2) OJ No L 162, 12. 6.1982, p.32

(3) OJ No C

(4) OJ No C

Whereas, under Article 5(2) of Regulation (EEC) No 1117/78, the supplementary aid provided for in paragraph 1 of that Article must be equal to a percentage of the difference between the guide price and the average world market price for the products in question; whereas, in view of the characteristics of the market in question, the percentage should be set at 100% for the products referred to in Article 1(b), first indent, and (c) of Regulation (EEC) No 1117/78 and at 50% for the products referred to in Article 1(b), second indent, of that Regulation;

Whereas Article 104 of the 1979 Act of Accession established the criteria for fixing the flat-rate aid and guide price applicable in Greece,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

For the 1983/1984 marketing year, the flat-rate production aid provided for in Article 3 of Regulation (EEC) No 1117/78 shall be:

- (a) for the products referred to in Article 1(a) of that Regulation:
- for Greece: 9.08 ECU per tonne,
 - for the other Member States: 5.78 ECU per tonne;
- (b) for the products referred to in Article 1(b) and (c) of that Regulation: for all Member States : 8.49 ECU per tonne.

Article 2

For the 1983/1984 marketing year, the guide price for the products referred to in Article 1(b), first indent, of Regulation (EEC) No 1117/78 shall be:

- for Greece: 174.58 ECU per tonne
- for the other Member States: 178.94 ECU per tonne.

This price refers to a product with:

- a moisture content of 11%;
- a total gross protein content of 18% of the dry weight.

Article 3

For the 1983/1984 marketing year, the percentages to be used to calculate the supplementary aid referred to in Article 5 of Regulation (EEC) No 1117/78 shall be:

- 100% for the products referred to in Article 1(b), first indent, and (c) of that Regulation, and
- 50% for the products referred to in Article 1(b), second indent, of that Regulation.

Article 4

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

It shall apply;

- as from 1 July 1983 as regards the products referred to in Article 1(a) of Regulation (EEC) No 1117/78, and
- as from 1 April 1983 as regards the products referred to in Article 1(b) and (c) of that Regulation.

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

Done at

For the Council
The President

PROPOSAL
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) N°
of

amending Regulation (EEC) N° 1117/78 on the common organization
of the market in dried fodder

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,
and in particular Articles 42 and 43 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

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

Having regard to the opinion of the Economic and Social Committee (2),

Whereas the Commission has submitted to the Council a proposal for a
Regulation on the common organization of the market in potatoes,
providing in particular for a system of aid for the dehydrated potatoes
referred to in Article 1 of Council Regulation (EEC) N° 1117/78 of 22 May
1978 on the common organization of the market in dried fodder (3), as
last amended by Regulation (EEC) N° 1433/82 (4) ; whereas it is envisaged
that the draft Regulation will not enter into force on 1 July 1983 ;
whereas, in order not to jeopardize the continuity of the system of aid
for dehydrated potatoes, the existing arrangements should be continued
for the 1983/84 marketing year,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

(1) OJ N° C

(2) OJ N° C

(3) OJ N° L 142, 30. 5.1978, p. 1

(4) OJ N° L 162, 12. 6.1982, p. 32

Article 1

In the third paragraph of Article 17 of Regulation (EEC) N° 1117/78 "30 June 1983" is hereby replaced by "30 June 1984".

Article 2

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

It shall apply from 1 July 1983.

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

Done

For the Council
The President

Proposal for a
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of
fixing the amounts of aid for fibre flax and hemp and the amounts
withheld to finance measures to promote the use of flax fibre
for the 1983/84 marketing year

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

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

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1308/70 of 29 June 1970 on the common organization of the market in flax and hemp (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1430/82 (2), and in particular Article 4(3) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1423/82 of 18 May 1982 concerning measures to promote the use of flax fibre for the marketing years from 1982/83 to 1986/87 (3), and in particular the second subparagraph of Article 2(2) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament (4),

Having regard to the opinion of the Economic and Social Committee (5),

Whereas Article 4 of Regulation (EEC) No 1308/70 provides that the amounts of aid for flax grown mainly for fibre and for hemp grown in the Community are to be fixed each year;

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- (1) OJ No L 146, 4. 7.1970, p. 1
(2) OJ No L 162, 12. 6.1982, p. 27
(3) OJ No L 162, 12. 6.1982, p. 19
(4) OJ No C
(5) OJ No C

Whereas Article 4(2) provides that the amount is to be so fixed per hectare of area sown and harvested as to ensure an even balance between the volume of production required in the Community and the amount that can be marketed; whereas it is to be fixed taking into account the price for flax and hemp fibres and hemp seed on the world market, the price for other competing natural products and the guide price for flax seed;

Whereas the second subparagraph of Article 2(2) of Regulation (EEC) No 1423/82 provides that for marketing years subsequent to the 1982/83 marketing year the portion of aid for financing Community measures to encourage the use of fibre flax is to be fixed at the time when the aid is fixed for the marketing year in question; whereas it is to be fixed in the light of trends on the market in flax, the amount of the aid for flax and the cost of the measures to be introduced;

Whereas Article 68 of the 1979 Act of Accession laid down the criteria for fixing the amount of aid for fibre flax and for hemp in Greece;

Whereas application of the above-mentioned criteria entails fixing the amount of aid and the portion of the aid to be used for financing measures to promote the use of flax fibre at the levels set out below,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

For the 1983/84 marketing year, the aid provided for in Article 4 of Regulation (EEC) No 1308/70 shall be:

(a) as regards flax:

- 118.37 ECU per hectare for Greece,
- 355.12 ECU per hectare for the other Member States;

(b) as regards hemp:

- 107.51 ECU per hectare for Greece,
- 322.52 ECU per hectare for the other Member States.

Article 2

For the 1983/84 marketing year, the following portions of the aid for flax shall be used to finance the measures to promote the use of flax fibre referred to in Article 1 of Regulation (EEC) No 1423/82:

- for Greece: 7.69 ECU per hectare,
- for the other Member States: 23.08 ECU per hectare.

Article 3

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

It shall apply from 1 August 1983.

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

Done

For the Council
The President

Proposal
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of

fixing, for the 1983/1984 marketing year, the guide price for unginned cotton and the quantity of cotton for which aid may be granted in full

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to the 1979 Act of Accession, and in particular paragraphs 8 and 9 of Protocol 4 on cotton,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

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

Having regard to the opinion of the Economic and Social Committee (2),

Whereas paragraph 8 of Protocol 4 states that the guide price for cotton that has not been ginned is to be fixed annually by reference to the criteria laid down in paragraphs 2 and 3 of that Protocol; whereas paragraph 9 states that the quantity of cotton for which aid shall be granted in full is to be fixed annually by reference to the criteria laid down in paragraph 3;

Whereas reference to these criteria gives the guide price and the quantity of cotton indicated below,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

(1) OJ No C
(2) OJ No C

Article 1

1. For the 1983/1984 marketing year the guide price for unginned cotton shall be 91,89 ECU per 100 kilograms.
2. The price referred to in paragraph 1 shall be for cotton:
 - containing 14% moisture and 3% of inorganic extraneous matter,
 - with the characteristics required to yield, after ginning, 54% of seed and 32% of fibres of grade N° 5, as defined in Greece, with a length of 28 mm.

Article 2

1. For the 1983/1984 marketing year, the quantity of cotton referred to in subparagraph (a) of the second paragraph of Article 9 of Protocol 4 shall be 450 000 tonnes.
2. The quantity of cotton referred to in paragraph 1 shall be unginned cotton of the quality indicated in Article 1(2).

Article 3

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

It shall apply from 1 August 1983.

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

Done at

For the Council
The President

Proposal
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of
fixing the minimum price for unginmed cotton for the 1983/1984
marketing year

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2169/81 of 27 July 1981 laying down the general rules for the system of aid for cotton (1), as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1982/82 (2), and in particular Article 9 (1) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas Article 9(1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2169/81 provides that the Council shall each year fix a minimum price for unginmed cotton; whereas that price must be fixed so as to guarantee sales for producers at a price as close as possible to the guide price, taking into account market fluctuations and the cost of transporting unginmed cotton from the production areas to the ginning areas;

Whereas, in order to achieve the abovementioned objective, this minimum price must be fixed for a well-defined standard quality and marketing stage,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

(1) OJ No L 211, 31.7.1981, p. 2

(2) OJ No L 215, 23.7.1982, p. 5

Article 1

For the 1983/1984 marketing year, the minimum price for unginced cotton referred to in Article 9 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2169/81 shall be 87.30 ECU per 100 kilograms.

Article 2

The price referred to in Article 1 shall apply to unginced cotton which meets the criteria referred to in Article 1 of Council Regulation (EEC) No of fixing for the 1983/1984 marketing year the guide price for unginced cotton and the quantity of cotton for which the aid may be granted in full (3).

The said price shall relate to goods at the farm gate.

Article 3

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

It shall apply from 1 August 1983.

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

Done

For the Council
The President

(3) See page of this Official Journal

Proposal
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of
fixing the amount of aid in respect of silkworms for the
1983/1984 rearing year

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

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

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 845/72 of 24 April 1972 laying down special measures to encourage silkworm rearing (1), and in particular Article 2(3) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament (2),

Having regard to the opinion of the Economic and Social Committee (3),

Whereas Article 2 of Regulation (EEC) No 845/72 provides that the amount of aid for silkworms reared within the Community must be fixed each year in such a way as to help ensure a fair income for silkworm rearers, taking into account the state of the market in cocoons and raw silk, of foreseeable trends on that market and of import policy;

Whereas Article 68 of the 1979 Act of Accession lays down the criteria for fixing the amount of aid for silkworms in Greece;

Whereas application of the abovementioned criteria entails fixing the amount of aid at the level mentioned below,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

(1) OJ No L 100, 27. 4.1972, p.1

(2) OJ No

(3) OJ No

Article 1

For the 1983/1984 rearing year, the amount of aid in respect of silkworms as referred to in Article 2 of Regulation (EEC) No 845/72 shall be fixed per box of silkworm eggs used:

- for Greece, at 84.01 ECU
- for the other Member States, at 106 ECU.

Article 2

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

It shall apply from 1 April 1983.

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

Done

For the Council
The President

Proposal for
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of
amending Regulation (EEC) No 337/79 on the common organization of the
market in wine

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES;

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

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

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

Having regard to the opinion of the Economic and Social Committee (2),

Whereas experience gained in managing the market in wine has brought to light
the difficulties which arise from the fact that the price system applies from
16 December each year whereas the wine-growing year runs from 1 September of
the year in question to 31 August of the following year; whereas, moreover,
the application of several management measures, in particular compulsory
distillation and preventive distillation, coincides with the start of the
wine-growing year:

(1) OJ No C

(2) OJ No C

Whereas, therefore, in order to make the management of the market more consistent and the intervention measures more effective, the marketing year for wine products should be defined in Council Regulation (EEC) No 337/79 of 5 February 1979 on the common organization of the market in wine (3), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3082/82 (4), and the price system should be made to apply for the same period;

Whereas information and promotional campaigns for table wines on internal and external markets could open new outlets for those products and help to absorb surpluses;

Whereas, in order to facilitate the change to using the same period for the wine-growing year and the price year, there should be a procedure to enable the Commission to adopt any necessary transitional measures,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Regulation (EEC) No 337/79 is hereby amended as follows:

1. The following paragraph is added to Article 1:

"6. The marketing year for the products specified in paragraph 2 (hereinafter also called the "wine-growing year") shall begin on 1 September each year and end on 31 August of the following year".

2. Article 2 is replaced by the following:

"Article 2

1. For each type of table wine representative of Community production a guide price shall be fixed for each marketing year before 1 August.

(3) OJ No L 54, 5. 3.1979, p.1

(4) OJ No L 326, 23.11.1982, p.1

2. The guide price shall be fixed on the basis of average prices recorded for the type of wine in question during the two marketing years preceding the date of fixing and on the basis of price trends during the current marketing year.

These quotations shall be recorded at the production stage on the markets in Community wine-growing regions which market a substantial proportion of their own table wine production.

3. The guide price shall be fixed at the production stage and shall be expressed, according to the type of wine, either in ECU per % vol/hl or in ECU per hl.
4. The guide prices and the types of wine to which they apply shall be determined in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 3 of the Treaty."

3. In Article 3:

- a) paragraph 1 is replaced by the following:

"1. The Council, acting by a qualified majority on a proposal from the Commission, shall fix annually before the start of the marketing year a threshold price activating the intervention system (hereinafter called the 'activating price') for each type of wine for which a guide price is fixed."

- b) paragraph 2(d) is replaced by the following:

"(d) The harvest forecasts and the information contained in the latest forward estimates as provided for in Article 5".

- c) paragraph 3 is replaced by the following:

"3. The activating price shall be fixed at the same stage as the guide price and shall be valid for the whole of the marketing year."

4. In Article 3a the first paragraph is replaced by the following:

"The aim of the set measures referred to in this Title shall be to ensure equilibrium on the market in table wines and a minimum guaranteed price on the market for such wines equal to at least 82% of the guide price".

5. The first subparagraph of Article 11(2) is replaced by the following:
- "2. Subject to the third paragraph, the buying-in price for wine delivered for distillation under paragraph 1 shall be:
- 60% of the guide price for each type of table wine fixed for the marketing year in question for table wines of these types and table wines having a close economic relationship with each type of table wine,
 - 60% of the guide price for table wines of type A I fixed for the marketing year in question for wines suitable for yielding table wine".
6. In Article 17(1):
- a) the first subparagraph is replaced by the following:
- " 1. A reference price shall be fixed before the start of each marketing year for the following products in bulk form:
- red wine,
 - white wine,
- falling within subheading 22.05 C of the Common Customs Tariff."
- b) the last subparagraph is replaced by the following:
- "Reference prices shall be valid for the whole of the marketing year."
7. The first subparagraph of Article 40 (3) is replaced by the following:
- "3. The buying-in price for wine delivered for distillation under paragraphs 1 and 2 shall be 50% of the guide price for table wine of type A I fixed for the marketing year in question".
8. The following Article is inserted:

"Article 12b

1. Measures to promote expansion of the markets for table wine may be adopted.

The measures referred to in the preceding paragraph shall concern:

- the expansion of markets within the Community;
- the expansion of markets outside the Community.

2. The Commission shall communicate to the Council before the start of the marketing year the programme of measures as referred to in paragraph 1 which it intends to adopt for the marketing year in question.

3. As regards the financing of the common agricultural policy, the measures referred to in paragraph 1 shall be regarded as intervention intended to stabilize the agricultural markets.

Notwithstanding Article 3(1) of Regulation (EEC) No 729/70, the financing of these measures may be limited to part of the expenditure concerned.

4. The measures referred to in paragraph 1 and detailed rules for the application of this Article shall be adopted in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 67."

Article 2

The transitional measures necessary to mitigate the difficulties which might arise at first from the wine-growing year and the marketing year beginning on the same date shall be adopted in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 67 of Regulation (EEC) No 337/79. They shall apply until 31 August 1984 at the latest.

Article 3

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

It shall apply from 1 September 1983.

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

Done at

For the Council

COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) N°
of
fixing the guide prices for wine for the 1983/1984 marketing year

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community, and in particular Article 43 thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) N° 337/79 of 5 February 1979 on the common organization of the market in wine (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) N° (2), and in particular Article 2 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament (3),

Having regard to the opinion of the Economic and Social Committee (4),

Whereas, when the guide prices for the various types of table wine are fixed, account should be taken both of the objectives of the common agricultural policy and of the contribution which the Community wishes to make to the harmonious development of world trade; whereas the objectives of the common agricultural policy are, in particular, to ensure a fair standard of living for the agricultural community, to ensure that supplies are available and that they reach consumers at reasonable prices;

(1) OJ N° L 54, 5.3.1979, p. 1

(2) OJ N° L

(3) OJ N° C

(4) OJ N° C

Whereas, to that end, the prices valid for the 1983/1984 marketing year should be fixed at higher levels than those adopted for the preceding period, particularly in view of trends in production costs;

Whereas the guide prices must be fixed for each type of table wine representative of Community production as defined in Council Regulation (EEC) N° 340/79 (5);

Whereas, as a result of the amendment made to Article 3 of Regulation (EEC) N° 337/79 by Regulation (EEC) N° , the guide prices apply from 1 September each year; whereas Council Regulation (EEC) N° 1434/82 of 18 May 1982 fixing for the period 16 December 1982 to 15 December 1983 the guide prices for wine (6) should therefore be repealed,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

For the 1983/1984 marketing year, the guide prices for table wines shall be:

Type of wine	Guide price
R I	3.45 ECU per % vol/hl
R II	3.45 ECU per % vol/hl
R III	53.84 ECU/hl
A I	3.19 ECU per % vol/hl
A II	71.74 ECU/hl
A III	81.93 ECU/hl

(5) OJ N° L 54, 5.3.1979, p. 60

(6) OJ N° L 162, 12.6.1982, p. 33

Article 2

Regulation (EEC) N° 1434/82 is hereby repealed.

Article 3

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

It shall apply from 1 September 1983.

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

Done at

For the Council

Proposal
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of

fixing certain prices and other amounts applicable in the fruit and
vegetables sector for the 1983/1984 marketing year

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

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

Having regard to the 1979 Act of Accession, and in particular Article 72(1)
thereof,

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 1738/82(2), and in particular Article 16(1) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2511/69 of 9 December 1969 laying
down special measures for improving the production and marketing of Community
citrus fruit (3), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1204/82(4), and in
particular Article 7 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission (5),

Having regard to the Opinion of the European Parliament (6),

Having regard to the Opinion of the Economic and Social Committee (7),

Whereas, pursuant to Article 16(1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1035/72, a basic
price and a buying-in price are to be fixed for each marketing year for each
of the products listed in Annex II to the said Regulation;

(1) OJ No L 118, 20. 5.1972, p.1
(2) OJ No L 190, 1. 7.1982, p.7
(3) OJ No L 318, 18.12.1969, p.1
(4) OJ No L 140, 20. 5.1982, p.38
(5) OJ No C
(6) OJ No C
(7) OJ No C

whereas, in accordance with Article 1(3) of the above Regulation, the marketing years for the products in question are as follows:

- for cauliflowers, from 1 May to 30 April,
- for tomatoes, from 1 January to 31 December,
- for peaches, from 1 May to 31 October,
- for lemons, from 1 June to 31 May,
- for pears, from 1 June to 31 May,
- for table grapes, from 1 May to 30 April,
- for apples, from 1 July to 30 June,
- for mandarins, from 1 October to 15 May,
- for oranges, from 1 October to 15 July:
- for aubergines, from 1 January to 31 December,
- for apricots, from 1 May to 31 August;

Whereas, however, pursuant to the third subparagraph of Article 16(1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1035/72, no basic price or buying-in price must be fixed for the slack marketing periods at the beginning and at the end of the marketing year;

Whereas, when the basic prices and buying-in prices for fruit and vegetables are fixed, account should be taken of the aims of the common agricultural policy and the contribution which the Community desires to make to the harmonious development of world trade; whereas the objectives of the common agricultural policy are, in particular, to ensure a fair standard of living for the agricultural community, to assure the availability of supplies and to ensure that supplies reach consumers at reasonable prices;

Whereas the basic prices must be fixed by reference to the trend in the average prices recorded during the three preceding years on the most representative producer markets within the Community for a product with defined commercial characteristics, such as a variety or type, quality class, size and packaging; whereas the buying-in prices must be fixed by reference to the basic price in accordance with Article 16(3) of Regulation (EEC) No 1035/72;

Whereas in order to facilitate the application of Article 19 of Regulation (EEC) No 1035/72 in certain Member States in which the most representative varieties of oranges are different from those taken as the reference for calculating the basic prices and buying-in prices, these representative varieties should also be taken into consideration for the purpose of applying the said Article 19;

Whereas, as regards Greece, in accordance with Article 74 of the Act of Accession, moves towards alignment of basic prices and buying-in prices should be made in accordance with Article 59 (2)(a), (3)(a) and (b) of that Act, with the exception of pears to which, pursuant to Article 60 of that Act, common prices apply as from the 1983/1984 marketing year;

Whereas the amount of the financial compensation for oranges, mandarins, clementines and lemons must be fixed in accordance with the criteria laid down in Article 7 of Regulation (EEC) No 2511/69; whereas, pursuant to Article 76 of the Act of Accession, such compensation is to be introduced in Greece according to the timetable laid down in Article 68(2)(b) of the said Act,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

For the 1983/1984 marketing year, the basic prices and the buying-in prices for fruit and vegetables, the periods during which they apply and the standard qualities to which they relate shall be as set out in Annex I.

Article 2

For the 1983/1984 marketing year, the financial compensation for oranges, mandarins, clementines and lemons shall be as set out in Annex II.

Article 3

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

For the Council
The President

A N N E X I

BASIC PRICES AND BUYING-IN PRICES

CAULIFLOWERS

For the period from 1 May 1983 to 30 April 1984

		ECU/100 kg net
	Basic price	Buying-in price
May	20.61	8.98
June	23.91	10.37
July	21.12	9.10
August	21.12	9.10
September	22.89	9.74
October	23.78	10.11
November	19.85	8.59
December	19.85	8.59
January	19.85	8.59
February	18.45	7.96
March	19.46	8.34
April	19.71	8.59

These prices relate to the following packed products:

- cauliflowers 'with leaves' of Quality Class I, for the months of May, November, December, January, February, March and April,
- 'trimmed' cauliflowers of Quality Class I, for the months of June, July, August, September and October.

TOMATOES

For the period from 1 June to 30 November 1983

	ECU/100 kg net			
	Basic price		Buying-in price	
	<u>Greece</u>	<u>Other Member States</u>	<u>Greece</u>	<u>Other Member States</u>
June: first ten days	-	-	-	-
second ten days	22.13	29.48	9.25	12.28
third ten days	20.61	26.94	8.79	11.52
July	19.09	24.40	7.96	10.13
August	17.64	21.99	7.42	9.24
September	18.40	23.26	7.72	9.74
October	18.84	24.60	7.81	10.15
November	22.06	29.35	9.55	12.79

These prices relate to packed 'round' and 'ribbed' tomatoes of Quality Class I, size 57/67 mm.

AUBERGINES

For the period from 1 July to 31 October 1983

	ECU/100 kg net	
	Basic price	Buying-in price
July to October	16.91	6.78

These prices relate to the following packed products:

- elongated aubergines of Quality Class I, size over 40 mm.
- globus aubergines of Quality Class I, size over 70 mm.

PEACHES

(excluding nectarines)

For the period from 1 June to 30 September 1983

	Basic price		ECU/100 kg net Buying-in price	
	<u>Greece</u>	<u>Other Member States</u>	<u>Greece</u>	<u>Other Member States</u>
June	38.20	47.61	23.36	29.08
July to September	36.68	45.32	22.61	27.95

These prices relate to the following packed products:

- peaches of the Fior di Maggio (May Flower) variety, Quality Class I, size 51/61 mm, for the month of June,
- peaches of the Amsden, Charles Ingouf and Sant'Anna varieties, Quality Class I, size 61/67 mm, for the month of July,
- peaches of the Red Haven and Fair Haven varieties, Quality Class I, size 61/67 mm, for the month of August,
- peaches of the J.H. Hale variety, Quality Class I, size 61/67 mm for the month of September.

APRICOTS

For the period from 1 June to 31 July 1983

	Basic price	ECU/100 kg net Buying-in price
	June and July	44.64

These prices relate to packed products of Quality Class I of a size over 30mm.

LEMONS

For the period from 1 June 1983 to 31 May 1984

	Basic price	ECU/100 kg net Buying-in price
June	45.38	27.45
July	46.39	28.08
August	48.26	27.95
September	41.57	26.55
October	39.40	26.30
November	38.39	23.25
December	37.76	23.-
January	38.77	23.51
February	37.51	22.88
March	38.90	23.51
April	40.55	24.52
May	41.43	25.03

These prices relate to packed lemons of Quality Class J, size 53/62 mm.

PEARS

(other than perry pears)

For the period from 1 July 1983 to 30 April 1984

	Basic price	ECU/100 kg net Buying-in price
July	29.06	14.96
August	27.16	14.57
September	26.01	13.95
October	27.03	13.95
November	27.42	14.20
December	27.79	14.57
January to April	28.04	14.83

These prices relate to the following packed products:

- (a) - pears of the Dr Jules Guyot and Coscia varieties, Quality Class I, size 60 mm or more, for the month of July;
- (b) - pears of the Dr Jules Guyot, Clapp's favourite, Bon Chrétien Williams, Coscia and Crystallis varieties, Quality Class I, size 60 mm or more, for the month of August;
- (c) - pears of the Bon Chrétien Williams, Conférence and Crystallis varieties, Quality Class I, size 60 mm or more, for the months of September and October,
 - pears of the Passe-Crassane variety, Quality Class I, size 70 mm or more, for the months of September and October;
- (d) - pears of the Conférence, Alexandrine Douillard and Crystallis varieties, Quality Class I, size 60 mm or more, for the month of November,
 - pears of the Passe-Crassane variety, Quality Class I, size 70 mm or more, for the month of November;
- (e) - pears of the Conférence and Crystallis variety, Quality Class I, size 60 mm or more, for the months December to April,
 - pears of the Passe-Crassane variety, Quality Class I, size 70 mm or more, for the months December to April.

TABLE GRAPES

For the period from 1 August to 31 October 1983

	Basic price	ECU/100 kg net Buying-in price
August	35.33	22.75
September and October	31.53	19.32

These prices relate to packed table grapes of the Regine dei Vigneti, Soultanine and Regine (Mennavacca bianca, Rosaki, Dattier de Beyrouth) varieties, Quality Class I.

APPLES

(other than cider apples)

For the period from 1 August 1983 to 31 May 1984

	Basic price	ECU/100 kg net Buying-in price
August	26.93	13.71
September	26.93	13.71
October	26.93	13.83
November	27.64	14.26
December	30.03	15.37
January to May	32.43	16.47

These prices relate to the following packed products:

- (a) apples of the James Grieve variety, Quality Class I, size 70 mm or more, for the month of August;
- (b) - apples of the James Grieve, Golden Delicious, Red Delicious and Starking Delicious varieties, Quality Class I, size 70 mm or more, for the month of September,
 - apples of the Reine des reinettes variety, Quality Class I, size 65 mm or more, for the month of September;

- (c) - apples of the Golden Delicious, Red Delicious and Starking Delicious varieties, Quality Class I, size 70 mm or more, for the months October to March;
- (d) - apples of the Golden Delicious variety, Quality Class I, size 70 mm or more, for the months of April and May.

MANDARINS

For the period from 16 November 1983 to 28 February 1984

	Basic price		ECU/100 kg net Buying-in price	
	<u>Greece</u>	<u>Other Member States</u>	<u>Greece</u>	<u>Other Member States</u>
16 to 30 November	42.84	46.46	28.14	30.55
December	42.54	46.08	27.73	30.04
January	42.13	45.58	27.11	29.28
February	40.78	43.92	26.70	28.77

These prices relate to packed mandarins of Quality Class I, size 54/64 mm.

SWEET ORANGES

For the period from 1 December 1983 to 31 May 1984

	Basic price		ECU/100 kg net Buying-in price	
	<u>Greece</u>	<u>Other Member States</u>	<u>Greece</u>	<u>Other Member States</u>
December	36.09	41.73	23.49	27.17
January	33.68	38.18	22.29	25.40
February	34.11	38.80	22.64	25.91
March	35.40	40.71	22.81	26.16
April and May	35.83	41.34	22.98	26.41

These prices refer to the following packed products:

- oranges of the Moro, Quality Class I, size 67/80 mm, for the month of December;

However, the recordings referred to in Article 19(1) and (3) of Regulation (EEC) No 1035/72 shall also be made on the basis of prices registered in representative markets at production, for packed oranges of the Navel variety, Quality Class I, size 67/80 mm; in such a case the prices, possibly reduced by the cost of packaging which is included, shall be subject to a coefficient of 1.11;

- oranges of the Sanguinello and Navel varieties, Quality Class I, size 67/80 mm, for the months January to May.

However, for the months of January and February, the recordings referred to in Article 19(1) and (3) of Regulation (EEC) No 1035/72 shall also be made on the basis of the prices registered in representative markets at production for packed oranges of the Moro variety, Quality Class I, size 67/80 mm; in such a case the prices, possible reduced by the cost of packaging which is included, shall be subject to a coefficient of 0.90.

N.B. The prices quoted in this Annex do not include the cost of packaging in which the product is presented.

A N N E X I I

Amount of financial compensation for the 1983/1984 marketing year

<u>Greece</u>	<u>Other Member States</u>	
8.73	15.16	ECU per 100 kilograms net for oranges of the Moro, Tarocco, Ovale Calabrese, Belladonna, Navel and Valencia late varieties,
7.49	13.01	ECU per 100 kilograms net for oranges of the Sanguinello variety,
4.94	8.57	ECU per 100 kilograms net for oranges of the Sanguigno and Biondo comune varieties,
7.44	12.89	ECU per 100 kilograms net for mandarins,
3.33	4.82	ECU per 100 kilograms net for clementines,
4.06	5.89	ECU per 100 kilograms net for lemons.

N.B. financial compensation is granted only in respect of products belonging to Quality Classes Extra and I.

Proposal

COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) N°

of

amending Regulation (EEC) N° 1461/82 amending Regulation (EEC) N° 727/70 on
the common organization of the market in raw tobacco

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

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

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

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

Having regard to the opinion of the Economic and Social Committee (2),

Whereas under Council Regulation (EEC) N° 1461/82 of 18 May 1982 amending
Regulation (EEC) N° 727/70 on the common organization of the market in raw
tobacco (1) the intervention price is fixed at 85% of the corresponding norm
price; whereas that measure applies to tobacco of the 1982 harvest only;

Whereas the reasons for amending the second subparagraph of Article 2(2) of
Regulation (EEC) N° 727/70 (2) are still applicable and are likely to remain
so in the future; whereas, accordingly, all restrictions in respect of the
period of validity of that measure should be removed,

(1) OJ N° C

(2) OJ N° C

(3) OJ N° L 164, 14.6.1982, p. 27

(4) OJ N° L 94, 28.4.1970, p. 1

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The second paragraph of Article 2 of Regulation (EEC) N° 1461/82 is hereby deleted.

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

For the Council

Proposal
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of

fixing for the 1983 harvest the norm and intervention prices and the premiums granted to purchasers of leaf tobacco, the derived intervention prices for baled tobacco and the reference qualities

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

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

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 727/70 of 21 April 1970 on the common organization of the market in raw tobacco (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1461/82(2), and in particular Articles 2(5), 4(4) and 6(8) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament (3),

Having regard to the opinion of the Economic and Social Committee (4),

Having regard to the opinion of the Monetary Committee,

Whereas, when fixing the prices for raw tobacco, account should be taken both of the objectives of the common agricultural policy and of the contribution which the Community desires to make to the harmonious development of world trade; whereas the objectives of the common agricultural policy are, in particular, to ensure a fair standard of living for the agricultural community, to assure the availability of supplies and to ensure that supplies reach consumers at reasonable prices;

Whereas the norm and intervention prices for leaf tobacco must be fixed in accordance with the criteria laid down in Article 2(2) of Regulation (EEC) No 727/70 in order, in particular, to encourage producers to convert to the cultivation of those varieties which are most competitive and most in demand;

(1) OJ No L 94, 28. 4.1970, p.1
(2) OJ No L 164, 14. 6.1982, p.27

(3) OJ No C
(4) OJ No C

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 1535/81 of 19 May 1981 laying down special measures for certain varieties of raw tobacco from the 1981, 1982 and 1983 harvests (1), provides for a reduction in the intervention price for the said varieties;

Whereas it is again desirable to fix, in respect of the 1983 harvest, derived intervention prices both for the varieties which, before the common organization of the market came into force, or in the case of varieties grown in Greece, prior to accession, qualified for a price guarantee at the baled tobacco stage, and for the varieties which are mainly grown in the Federal Republic of Germany, in order to take account of marketing practices in that country; whereas, to this end, both increased costs and increased productivity should be taken into consideration;

Whereas the premium granted to purchasers of Community tobacco is intended to enable them to pay producers of leaf tobacco a price which is at the level of the norm price, account being taken of the trend in world market prices and the level of prices established by the interaction of supply and demand on the Community market;

Whereas the abovementioned prices and the amount of the premium must be fixed for each variety in relation to a reference quality defined in such a way that as objective an assessment as possible can be made of the quality of the tobacco; whereas the definitions of the reference qualities for the 1983 harvest should be those laid down in Council Regulation (EEC) No 1462/82 of 18 May 1982 fixing for the 1982 harvest the norm and intervention prices and the premiums granted to purchasers of leaf tobacco, the derived intervention prices for baled tobacco and the reference qualities (2);

Whereas Article 87(3) of the 1979 Act of Accession provides that the norm prices in Greece shall be fixed in accordance with the criteria laid down in the first subparagraph of Article 2(2) of Regulation (EEC) No 727/70, increased in four stages by the incidence of the reduction in national aids that the Hellenic Republic is authorized to maintain in a degressive fashion for tobacco pursuant to Article 69, of the said Act of Accession, the second increase occurring for the third harvest following accession;

(1) OJ L 156, 15. 6.1981, p.19

(2) OJ L 164, 14. 6.1982, p.28

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No /83 (1) provides that for the tobacco sector, from 1983, a new representative rate shall be applied to the currencies of certain Member States; whereas that provision should lead, as from that date, to a reduction, in terms of national currencies, of the premium fixed in units of account for a substantial part of the harvest in those Member States whose representative rate is revalued; whereas, however, it is more appropriate to the nature of this sector that the same conditions should apply to the entire harvest in a given year; whereas this objective could be achieved if the previous rates of exchange for the Member States concerned were to be applicable to premiums paid for the 1982 harvest,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

For the 1983 harvest the reference qualities for each of the varieties of leaf tobacco of Community production, referred to in Article 2(3) (c) of Regulation (EEC) No 727/70, shall be as set out in Annex I.

Article 2

For the 1983 harvest the reference qualities referred to in Article 6(3)(c) of Regulation (EEC) No 727/70, for each of the varieties of baled tobacco of Community production in respect of which a derived intervention price is fixed, shall be as set out in Annex II.

Article 3

For the 1983 harvest, the norm and intervention prices and the amounts of the premium granted to purchasers of leaf tobacco referred to in Articles 2 and 3 of Regulation (EEC) No 727/70, and the derived intervention prices for baled tobacco referred to in Article 6 of the said Regulation, shall be as set out in Annex III.

Article 4

The conversion rate to be applied in the Federal Republic of Germany for the purposes of premiums in force for the 1982 tobacco harvest shall be the representative rate valid for the currency in question before 1983.

(1) OJ No L

Article 5

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

For the Council

ANNEX I

Leaf tobacco: varieties and their reference qualities for the 1983 harvest

Serial No	Variety	Reference quality
1	Badischer Geudertheimer	<p>Class 1 Hauptgut (top quality leaf)</p> <p>Class 1: leaf ripe, sound, without blemish, dark brown to mottled brown, of uniform length</p> <p>Packaging: tobacco graded, tied in hands or in temporary bales with non-tobacco material</p> <p>Moisture: 26 %</p>
2	Badischer Burley E	<p>Class 1 Hauptgut (top quality leaf)</p> <p>Class 1: leaf ripe, sound, without blemish, fleshy, reddish brown to light brown, of uniform length</p> <p>Packaging: tobacco graded, tied in hands or in temporary bales with non-tobacco material</p> <p>Moisture: 25 %</p>
3	Virgin D	<p>Class 1 Leaf</p> <p>Class 1: leaf ripe, sound, without blemish, yellow to reddish yellow; variations in colour such as brownish to greenish yellow are allowed up to a third of the leaf's surface</p> <p>Packaging: tobacco graded, tied in hands or in temporary bales with non-tobacco material</p> <p>Moisture: 19 %</p>
4	<p>a) Paraguay and hybrids thereof</p> <p>b) Dragon vert and hybrids thereof, Philippin. Petit Grammont (Flobecq), Semois, Appelterre</p>	<p>Class 2 Middle leaf</p> <p>Class 2: leaf sound, with minor defects as regards colour, texture, or ripeness but with satisfactory combustibility</p> <p>Packaging: tobacco graded and tied in hands or straight laid (loose leaf)</p> <p>Moisture: 27 %</p>
5	Nijkerk	<p>Class 2 Tips</p> <p>Class 2: — either leaf of second length (not exceeding 45 cm) with very gummy texture, fleshy, still undamaged; strong and elastic, without prominent veins, well ripened producing a lively brown to dark brown colour,</p> <p>— or leaf of first length (exceeding 45 cm) with a texture still gummy, fleshy and still undamaged; strong, with relatively prominent veins, of all colours except bottle green</p> <p>Packaging: tobacco graded and tied in hands or straight laid (loose leaf)</p> <p>Moisture: 27 %</p>

Serial No	Variety	Reference quality
6	a) Misionero and hybrids thereof b) Rio Grande and hybrids thereof	2nd quality leaf 2nd quality leaf fully developed over 45 cm, not coarse grained, lively to fairly lively light somewhat yellowish colour, reasonably firm and undamaged; reasonably good combustibility Packaging: tobacco graded and tied in hands or straight laid (loose leaf) Moisture: 27 %
7	Bright	Leaf in Category A Category A: leaf sufficiently ripe, without curing defects, open texture, with stems (midribs) and veins not too prominent, sound, of various shades of yellow Packaging: in temporary bales of 30 to 40 kg Moisture: 16 %
8	Burley I	Leaf in Category A Category A: leaf sufficiently ripe, without curing defects, of open possibly firm texture, stems (midribs) and veins not too prominent, sound, of a more or less lively nut-brown colour Packaging: in temporary bales of 30 to 40 kg or tied in hands of 25 to 30 leaves with non-tobacco material (fascicoli) Moisture: 19 %
9	Maryland	Leaf in Category A Category A: leaf sufficiently ripe, with slight curing defects and only slightly mottled, of average texture with stems (midribs) and veins not too prominent, sound, of a rather lively reddish brown colour Packaging: in temporary bales of 30 to 40 kg or tied in hands of 25 to 30 leaves with non-tobacco material (fascicoli) Moisture: 19 %
10	a) Kentucky and hybrids thereof b) Moro di Cori c) Salento	Leaf in Category B Category B: leaf fully ripe, of firm texture, without curing and condition defects, brown in colour, with some damage, with good combustibility Packaging: in hands of 25 to 30 leaves tied with a non-tobacco material (fascicoli) Moisture: 23 %

Serial No	Variety	Reference quality
11	a) Forchheimer Havanna II c b) Nostrano del Brenta c) Resistente 142 d) Gojano	Class I Hauptgut (top quality leaf) Class 1: leaf ripe, sound, without blemish, dark brown to mottled brown, of uniform length Packaging: tobacco graded, tied in hands or in temporary bales with non-tobacco material Moisture: 26 %
12	a) Beneventano b) Brasile Selvaggio and similar varieties	Leaf in Category B Category B: leaf sufficiently ripe, firm texture or possibly coarse or thin, with minor defects as regards curing and fermentation and damage Packaging: in hands of 25 to 30 leaves tied with non-tobacco material (fascicoli) Moisture: 24 %
13	Xanti-Yakà	Leaf in Category B Category B: leaf reasonably sound and ripe, sessile, of oval or elliptical shape, stems (midribs) not too prominent and well-spaced veins, with some curing defects, mainly of light texture, from yellow to brown in colour, with marked damage but in good condition, taken from all positions on the stalk, with discreet flavour, sufficient aroma and good combustibility The length of the middle leaves not to exceed 20 cm Packaging: in temporary bales of 15 to 20 kg or 'stringed' in cases of 30 to 40 kg Moisture: 17 %
14	a) Perustitza b) Samsun	Leaf in Category B Category B: leaf reasonably sound and ripe, sessile (Perustitza) or with leaf stalks (Samsun), of elliptical-lanceolate shape with fine points (Perustitza) or elliptical and rounded (Samsun), without prominent stems (midribs) and with veins at a rather acute angle, with slight curing defects, generally of light texture, in colour from yellow to brown (Perustitza), or reddish (Samsun), with marked damage but in good condition, taken from all positions on the stalk, with discreet flavour, sufficient aroma and good combustibility The length of the middle leaves not to exceed 25 cm Packaging: in temporary bales of 15 to 20 kg or 'stringed' in cases of 30 to 40 kg Moisture: 17 %

Serial No	Variety	Reference quality
15	Erzegovina and similar varieties	<p>Leaf in Category B</p> <p>Category B: leaf reasonably sound and ripe, sessile, of oval or elliptical shape, with fairly prominent stems (midribs) and fairly open veins, with some curing defects, mainly of light texture, from yellow to brown in colour, with marked damage but in good condition, taken from all positions on the stalk, with discreet flavour, sufficient aroma and good combustibility</p> <p>The length of the middle leaves not to exceed 35 cm</p> <p>Packaging: in temporary bales of 15 to 20 kg or 'stringed' in cases of 30 to 40 kg</p> <p>Moisture: 17 %</p>
16	<p>a) Round Tip</p> <p>b) Scafati</p> <p>c) Sumatra I</p>	<p>Leaf in Category B</p> <p>Category B: lower middle leaf, sorted by length in the following proportions:</p> <p>first length (38 cm and over) 60 %</p> <p>second length (from 32 to under 38 cm) 35 %</p> <p>third length (from 25 to under 32 cm) 5 %</p> <p>leaf of convenient size, fully ripe and of uniform colour, sound, without damage, fine texture, tensile and elastic, stems and veins not prominent, well fermented and in good condition, good combustibility, of typical flavour and aroma, suitable for wrapping cigars, including about 25 % broken leaf</p> <p>Packaging: in hands tied with a non-tobacco material (fascicoli)</p> <p>Moisture: 22 %</p>
17	Basma	<p>Quality I/III leaves</p> <p>Quality I/III: leaf ripe, undamaged, sound, well cured, from all positions on the plant except the first 'protomana', up to 15 cm long, colour golden-yellow, orange to yellow-red, with good elasticity, shiny, fairly bodied, porous structure and fine texture, with strong, typical aroma, good combustibility</p> <p>Leaf as described above constitutes 45 % of quality I/III.</p> <p>Leaf ripe showing slight damage and/or curing defects, with slight disease blemishes, from all positions on the plant, up to 20 cm long, colour light yellow, yellow-green, reddish or light brown, with fairly porous structure and fine texture, medium elasticity moderately shiny and bodied, with strong, typical aroma, very good combustibility</p> <p>Leaf as described above constitutes 55 % of quality I/III</p> <p>Packaging: growers' bales of 15 to 25 kg, formed in the traditional way from two rows of pastals (leaves straight laid). In the districts of Astakos and Chrysoupolis packing is in 'armethodema'</p> <p>Moisture: 17 %</p>

Serial No	Variety	Reference quality
18	Katerini and similar varieties	<p>Quality I/III leaves</p> <p>Quality I/III: leaf ripe, undamaged, sound, well cured, from all positions on the plant except the first 'protomana', up to 20 cm long, colour light yellow or orange to reddish, of porous structure, good elasticity, shiny, fairly bodied, fine texture and very good combustibility.</p> <p>Leaf as above constitutes 45 % of quality I/III</p> <p>Leaf ripe with slight damage and/or curing defects, with slight disease blemishes, from all positions on the plant, up to 25 cm long, colour yellow, orange, yellow-green, reddish or light brown, of porous structure, moderately bodied, medium elasticity and shiny, fine texture and very good combustibility</p> <p>Leaf as described above constitutes 55 % of quality I/III</p> <p>Packaging: strings are usually bulked using the 'Baski' system before packing. Packing is in bales of 25 to 35 kg using traditional 'Kaloup' system</p> <p>Moisture: 16 %</p>
19	Kaba-Koulak classic	<p>Quality I/III leaves</p> <p>Quality I/III: leaf ripe, undamaged, sound, well cured, from all positions on the plant except top leaves, up to 25 cm long for Macedonia Kaba-Koulak and to 20 cm long for Karatzova and Kontoula, of moderate to deep yellow colour, good elasticity, shiny, of porous structure, fine texture and excellent combustibility</p> <p>Leaf as described above constitutes 47 % of quality I/III</p> <p>Leaf ripe, with some slight damage and/or curing defects, with slight disease blemishes, from all positions on the plant, up to 30 cm long for Macedonia Kaba-Koulak and 25 cm long for Karatzova and Kontoula, colour yellow, yellow-green, reddish, of fairly porous structure and fairly fine texture, medium elasticity and moderately shiny, excellent combustibility.</p> <p>Leaf as described above constitutes 53 % of quality I/III.</p> <p>Packaging: growers' bales of 15 to 30 kg, made up in the traditional form of two rows of 'armathodema'</p> <p>Moisture: 17 %</p>
20	<p>a) Kaba-Koulak non-classic</p> <p>b) Elassona, Myrodata Smyrnis Trapezous, Phi 1</p>	<p>Quality I/III leaves</p> <p>Quality I/III: leaf ripe, undamaged, sound, well cured, from all positions on the plant except the top leaves, up to 30 cm long for Macedonia Kaba-Koulak and Trapezous, 20 cm long for Elassona and Phi 1 and 15 cm long for Myrodata Smyrnis, of light yellow to reddish colour, good elasticity, shiny, fairly porous structure, fine texture and excellent combustibility</p> <p>Leaf as described above constitutes 47 % of quality I/III.</p>

Serial No	Variety	Reference quality
20 (cont'd)	a) Kaba-Koulak non-classic b) Elassona, Myrodata Smyrnis Trapezous, Phi 1	<p>Leaf ripe and reasonably undamaged, with slight curing defects, with slight disease blemishes, from all positions on the plant, up to 35 cm long for Macedonia Kaba-Koulak and Trapezous, 25 cm long for Elassona and Phi 1 and 20 cm long for Myrodata Smyrnis, of yellow, yellow-green or light brown colour, of fairly porous structure, fairly fine texture, fairly elastic and shiny, very good combustibility</p> <p>Leaf as described above constitutes 53 % of quality I/III</p> <p>Packaging: growers' bales of 25 to 35 kg, made up using the traditional 'armathodema' system or of 35 to 50 kg using the 'Kaloup' system</p> <p>Moisture: 17 %</p>
21	Myrodata Agrinion	<p>Quality I/III leaves</p> <p>Quality I/III: leaf ripe, undamaged, sound, without curing defects, from all positions on the plant except the first 'protomana', up to 25 cm long, of yellow to deep orange colour, of good elasticity, shiny, porous structure, fine texture and excellent combustibility</p> <p>Leaf as described above constitutes 47 % of quality I/III</p> <p>Leaf ripe and reasonably undamaged, with slight curing defects, with slight disease blemishes, from all positions on the plant, up to 30 cm long, of yellow, yellow-green or light reddish colour, fairly porous structure and fairly fine texture, fairly elastic and shiny, excellent combustibility</p> <p>Leaf as described above constitutes 53 % of quality I/III</p> <p>Packaging: growers' bales of 15 to 30 kg made up in the traditional way in two rows of 'armathodema'</p> <p>Moisture: 15 %</p>
22	Zichnomyrodata	<p>Quality I/III leaves</p> <p>Quality I/III: leaf ripe, undamaged, sound, without curing defects, from all positions on the plant except top leaves, up to 20 cm long, light yellow to light orange colour, good elasticity, shiny, porous structure, fine texture; excellent combustibility</p> <p>Leaf as described above constitutes 47 % of quality I/III</p> <p>Leaf ripe and reasonably undamaged, with slight curing defects, with slight disease blemishes, from all positions on the plant, up to 25 cm long, colour yellow, yellow-green or light reddish, fairly porous structure and fairly fine texture, fairly elastic and shiny; excellent combustibility</p> <p>Leaf as described above constitutes 53 % of quality I/III</p> <p>Packaging: growers' bales of 15 to 30 kg made up in the traditional way in two rows of 'armathodema'</p> <p>Moisture: 17 %</p>
23	Tsebelia	<p>Quality I/III leaves</p> <p>Quality I/III: leaf ripe, undamaged, sound, without curing defects, from all positions on the plant except the first 'protomana', up to 35 cm long, colour yellow-red, orange to reddish, of porous structure, good elasticity and shiny, fairly bodied, fine texture and very good combustibility</p> <p>Leaf as described above constitutes 45 % of quality I/III</p>

Serial No	Variety	Reference quality
23 (cont'd)	Tsebelia	<p>Leaf ripe and reasonably undamaged, with minor curing defects, from all positions on the plant, up to 40 cm long, colour light yellow, yellow-green, reddish or light brown, fairly porous structure, fairly elastic and shiny, fairly bodied, fairly fine texture, very good combustibility; includes leaves with slight disease blemishes and/or minor damage.</p> <p>Leaf as described above constitutes 55 % of quality I/III</p> <p>Packaging: growers' bales of 30 to 40 kg, made up in two rows of 'armathodema'</p> <p>Moisture: 14 %</p>
24	Mavra	<p>Quality I/III leaves</p> <p>Quality I/III: leaf ripe, undamaged, sound, without curing defects, from all positions on the plant except the first 'protomana', up to 30 cm long, colour yellow-reddish or orange to reddish, with porous structure, fine texture, good elasticity and shiny, fairly bodied, good combustibility</p> <p>Leaf as described above constitutes 45 % of quality I/III</p> <p>Leaf ripe and reasonably undamaged, showing minor curing defects, from all positions on the plant, up to 40 cm long, colour yellowish, yellow-green (lemon), reddish or light brown, fairly porous structure and fairly fine texture, fairly elastic and shiny, fairly bodied, of good combustibility; includes also leaves with slight disease blemishes and/or minor damage</p> <p>Leaf as described above constitutes 55 % of quality I/III</p> <p>Packaging: growers' bales of 30 to 50 kg made up in two rows of 'armathodema'</p> <p>Moisture: 14 %</p>
25	Burley GR	<p>Quality A leaves</p> <p>Quality A: leaf fully ripe, fully developed, undamaged, sound, without curing defects, from the middle stalk position, of uniform medium nut brown to nut-red colour, porous structure, fine texture, excellent combustibility</p> <p>Packaging: growers' bales of 40 kg, made up in two rows of 'armathodema', no strings (leaves loose)</p> <p>Moisture: 22 %</p>
26	Virginia GR	<p>Quality A leaves</p> <p>Quality A: leaf fully ripe, fully developed, sound, undamaged, without curing defects, of uniform lemon yellow to medium orange colour, well bodied, fine texture and good combustibility, mainly from the middle stalk position</p> <p>Packaging: growers' bales of 30 to 40 kg, made up in two rows of 'armathodema', no strings (leaves loose)</p> <p>Moisture: 19 %</p>

ANNEX II

Baled tobacco: varieties and their reference qualities for the 1988 harvest

Serial No	Variety	Reference quality
1	Badischer Geudertheimer	<p>Class 1 Hauptgut (top quality leaf)</p> <p>Class 1: leaf ripe, sound, without blemish, dark brown to mottled brown, of uniform length, fermented normally</p> <p>Packaging: in bales, cases or cartons of approximately 75 to 200 kg or in barrels of approximately 225 to 450 kg</p> <p>Moisture: 16 %</p>
2	Badischer Burley E	<p>Class 1 Hauptgut (top quality leaf)</p> <p>Class 1: leaf ripe, sound, without blemish, fleshy light brown to reddish or dark brown, of uniform length, fermented normally</p> <p>Packaging: in bales or cases of approximately 75 to 175 kg or in barrels of approximately 225 to 450 kg</p> <p>Moisture: 15 %</p>
3	Virgin D	<p>Class 1 leaf</p> <p>Class 1: leaf, ripe, sound, without blemish, yellow to reddish or brownish yellow, fermented normally</p> <p>Packaging: in bales or cases of approximately 75 to 175 kg or in barrels of approximately 225 to 450 kg</p> <p>Moisture: 13 %</p>
7	Bright	<p>Leaf in Category A</p> <p>Category A: leaf sufficiently ripe, without curing defects, open texture, with stems (midribs) and veins not too prominent, sound, of various shades of yellow</p> <p>Packaging: in barrels of approximately 280 to 450 kg or cartons of approximately 150 to 210 kg</p> <p>Moisture: 13 %</p>
8	Burley I	<p>Leaf in Category A</p> <p>Category A: leaf sufficiently ripe, without curing defects, of open possibly firm texture, stems (midribs) and veins not too prominent, sound, of a more or less lively nut-brown colour</p> <p>Packaging: in barrels of approximately 280 to 450 kg or cartons of approximately 150 to 210 kg</p> <p>Moisture: 13 %</p>

Serial No	Variety	Reference quality
9	Maryland	<p>Leaf in Category A</p> <p>Category A: leaf sufficiently ripe, with slight curing defects and only slightly mottled, of average texture, stems (midribs) and veins not too prominent, sound, of a rather lively reddish brown colour</p> <p>Packaging: in barrels of approximately 280 to 450 kg or cartons of approximately 150 to 210 kg</p> <p>Moisture: 13 %</p>
10	<p>a) Kentucky and hybrids thereof</p> <p>b) Moro di Cori</p> <p>c) Salento</p>	<p>Leaf in Category B</p> <p>Category B: leaf fully ripe, of firm texture, without curing and condition defects, brown in colour, with some damage, of good combustibility</p> <p>Packaging: in barrels of approximately 280 to 450 kg or bags of approximately 170 to 200 kg</p> <p>Moisture: 16 %</p>
11	<p>a) Forchheimer Havanna IIc</p> <p>b) Nostrano del Brenta</p> <p>c) Resistente 142</p> <p>d) Gojano</p>	<p>Class 1 Hauptgut (top quality leaf)</p> <p>Class 1: leaf ripe, sound, without blemish, dark brown to mottled brown, of uniform length, fermented normally</p> <p>Packaging: in bales, cases or cartons of approximately 75 to 200 kg or in barrels of approximately 225 to 450 kg</p> <p>Moisture: 16 %</p>
12	<p>a) Beneventano</p> <p>b) Brasile Selvaggio and similar varieties</p>	<p>Leaf in Category B</p> <p>Category B: leaf sufficiently ripe, firm texture or possibly coarse or thin, with minor defects as regards curing and fermentation and damage</p> <p>Packaging: in bales of approximately 120 kg or barrels of approximately 330 kg</p> <p>Moisture: 16 %</p>
13	Xanti-Yakà	<p>Leaf in Category B</p> <p>Category B: leaf reasonably sound and ripe, sessile, of oval or elliptical shape, stems (midribs) not too prominent and well-spaced veins, with some curing defects, mainly of light texture, from yellow to brown in colour, with marked damage but in good condition, taken from all positions on the stalk, with discreet flavour, sufficient aroma and good combustibility</p> <p>The length of the middle leaves not to exceed 20 cm</p> <p>Packaging: in small bales of approximately 18 to 50 kg</p> <p>Moisture: 13 %</p>

Serial No	Variety	Reference quality
14	a) Perustitza b) Samsun	<p>Leaf in Category B</p> <p>Category B: leaf reasonably sound and ripe, sessile (Perustitza) or with leaf, stalks (Samsun) of elliptical lanceolate shape with fine points (Perustitza) or elliptical and rounded (Samsun) without prominent stems (midribs) and with veins at a rather acute angle, with slight curing defects, generally of light texture, in colour from yellow to brown (Perustitza) or reddish (Samsun), with marked damage but in good condition, taken from all positions on the stalk with discreet flavour, sufficient aroma and good combustibility</p> <p>The length of the middle leaves not to exceed 25 cm</p> <p>Packaging: in small bales of approximately 18 to 50 kg</p> <p>Moisture: 13 %</p>
15	Erzegovina and similar varieties	<p>Leaf in Category B</p> <p>Category B: leaf reasonably sound and ripe, sessile, of oval or elliptical shape, with fairly prominent stems (midribs) and fairly open veins, with some curing defects, mainly of light texture, from yellow to brown in colour, with marked damage but in good condition, taken from all positions on the stalk, with discreet flavour, sufficient aroma and good combustibility</p> <p>The length of the middle leaves not to exceed 35 cm</p> <p>Packaging: in small bales of approximately 18 to 50 kg</p> <p>Moisture: 13 %</p>
16	a) Round Tip b) Scafati c) Sumatra I	<p>Leaf in Category B</p> <p>Category B: lower middle leaf, sorted by length in the following proportions:</p> <p>first length (38 cm and over) 60 % second length (from 32 to under 38 cm) 35 % third length (from 25 to under 32 cm) 5 %</p> <p>leaf of convenient size, fully ripe and of uniform colour, sound, without damage, fine texture, tensile and elastic, stems and veins not prominent, well fermented and in good condition, good combustibility, of typical flavour and aroma, suitable for wrapping cigars, including about 25 % broken leaf</p> <p>Packaging: in bales of approximately 70 to 90 kg or cartons of approximately 180 to 210 kg</p> <p>Moisture: 16 %</p>

Serial No	Variety	Reference quality
17	Basma	<p>Quality I/III leaves</p> <p>Quality I/III: leaf ripe, undamaged, sound, well cured, from all positions on the plant except the first 'protomana', up to 15 cm long, colour golden-yellow, orange to yellow-red, with good elasticity and shiny, fairly bodied, porous structure and fine texture, with strong, typical aroma, good combustibility</p> <p>Leaf as described above (I/II) constitutes 45% of quality I/III</p> <p>Leaf ripe and reasonably undamaged, with slight curing defects and slight disease blemishes, up to 20 cm long, colour light yellow, reddish or light brown, with fairly porous structure and fine texture, medium elasticity, moderately shiny and bodied, with strong, typical aroma, very good combustibility</p> <p>Leaf as described above (III) constitutes 55 % of quality I/III</p> <p>Packaging: bales ('Tongas') of approximately 30 kg</p> <p>Moisture: 13 %</p>
18	Katerini and similar varieties	<p>Quality I/III leaves</p> <p>Quality I/III: leaf ripe, undamaged, sound, well cured, from all positions on the plant except the first 'protomana', up to 20 cm long, colour light yellow or orange to reddish, of porous structure, good elasticity, shiny, fairly bodied, fine texture and very good combustibility</p> <p>Leaf as described above (I/II) constitutes 45 % of quality I/III</p> <p>Leaf ripe with slight damage and curing defects, with slight disease blemishes, from all positions on the plant, up to 25 cm long, colour yellow, orange, yellow-green, reddish or light brown, of porous structure, medium elasticity and shiny, fairly bodied, fine texture and very good combustibility</p> <p>Leaf as described above constitutes 55 % of quality I/III</p> <p>Packaging: bales ('Tongas') of approximately 30 kg</p> <p>Moisture: 13 %</p>
19	Kaba-Koulak (classic)	<p>Quality I/III leaves</p> <p>Quality I/III: leaf ripe, undamaged, sound, well cured, from all positions on the plant except top leaves, up to 25 cm long for Macedonia Kaba-Koulak and to 20 cm long for Karatzova and Kontoula, of moderate to deep yellow colour, good elasticity, shiny, of porous structure, fine texture and excellent combustibility</p> <p>Leaf as described above constitutes 47 % of quality I/III</p> <p>Leaf ripe with some slight damage and/or curing defects, with slight disease blemishes, from all positions on the plant, up to 30 cm long for Macedonia Kaba-koulak and 25 cm long for Karatzova and Kontoula, of yellow to reddish colour, of fairly porous structure and fairly fine texture, medium elasticity, shiny, excellent combustibility</p> <p>Leaf as described above constitutes 53 % of quality I/III</p> <p>Packaging: bales ('Tongas') of approximately 30 kg</p> <p>Moisture: 13 %</p>

Serial No	Variety	Reference quality
20	a) Kaba-Koulak (non-classic) b) Elassona, Myrodata Smyrnis, Trapezous, Phi 1	<p>Quality I/III leaves</p> <p>Quality I/III: leaf ripe, undamaged, sound, well cured, from all positions on the plant except top leaves, up to 30 cm long for Macedonia Kaba-Koulak and Trapezous, 20 cm long for Elassona and Phi 1, and 15 cm long for Myrodata Smyrnis, of light yellow to reddish colour, good elasticity, shiny, fairly porous structure, fine texture and excellent combustibility</p> <p>Leaf as described above (I/II) constitutes 47 % of quality I/III</p> <p>Leaf ripe and reasonably undamaged, with slight curing defects, with slight disease blemishes, from all positions on the plant, up to 35 cm long for Macedonia Kaba-Koulak and Trapezous, 25 cm long for Elassona and Phi 1, and 20 cm long for Myrodata Smyrnis, of yellow to light brown colour, fairly porous structure, fairly fine texture, fairly elastic and shiny, very good combustibility</p> <p>Leaf as described above (III) constitutes 53 % of quality I/III</p> <p>Packaging: bales ('Tongas') of approximately 30 kg</p> <p>Moisture: 13 %</p>
21	Myrodata Agrinion	<p>Quality I/III leaves</p> <p>Quality I/III: leaf ripe, undamaged, sound, well cured, from all positions on the plant except the first 'protomana', up to 25 cm long, of yellow to deep orange colour, of good elasticity, shiny, porous structure, fine texture and excellent combustibility</p> <p>Leaf as described above (I/II) constitutes 47 % of quality I/III</p> <p>Leaf ripe and reasonably undamaged, with slight curing defects, with slight disease blemishes, from all positions on the plant, up to 30 cm long, of yellow to light reddish colour, fairly porous structure and fairly fine texture, fairly elastic and shiny, excellent combustibility</p> <p>Leaf as described above (III) constitutes 53 % of quality I/III</p> <p>Packaging: bales ('Tongas') of approximately 30 kg</p> <p>Moisture: 14 %</p>
22	Zichnomyrodata	<p>Quality I/III leaves</p> <p>Quality I/III: leaf ripe, undamaged, sound, well cured, from all positions on the plant except top leaves, up to 20 cm long, from light yellow to light orange in colour, good elasticity, shiny, porous structure, fine texture and excellent combustibility</p> <p>Leaf as described above constitutes 47 % of quality I/III</p> <p>Leaf ripe and reasonably undamaged, with slight curing defects, with slight disease blemishes, from all positions on the plant, up to 25 cm long, of yellow to light reddish colour, fairly porous structure and fairly fine texture, fairly elastic and shiny, excellent combustibility</p> <p>Leaf as described above (III) constitutes 53 % of quality I/III</p> <p>Packaging: bales ('Tongas') of approximately 30 kg</p> <p>Moisture: 13 %</p>

Serial No	Variety	Reference quality
23	Tsebelia	<p>Quality I/III leaves</p> <p>Quality I/III: leaf ripe, undamaged, sound, well cured, from all positions on the plant except the first 'protomana', up to 30 cm long, colour yellow-red, orange to reddish, of porous structure, elastic and shiny, fairly bodied, fine texture and very good combustibility</p> <p>Leaf as described above (I/II) constitutes 45 % of quality I/III</p> <p>Leaf ripe and reasonably undamaged, with minor curing defects, from all positions on the plant, up to 40 cm long, colour from light yellow to reddish or light brown, fairly porous structure, fairly elastic and shiny, fairly bodied, fairly fine texture, very good combustibility; includes also leaves with slight disease blemishes and/or minor damage</p> <p>Leaf as described above constitutes 55 % of quality I/III</p> <p>Packaging: bales ('Tongas') of approximately 30 kg</p> <p>Moisture: 13 %</p>
24	Mavra	<p>Quality I/III leaves</p> <p>Quality I/III: leaf ripe, undamaged, sound, well cured, from all positions on the plant except the first 'protomana', up to 30 cm long, colour yellow-reddish or orange to reddish, with porous structure, fine texture, elastic and shiny, fairly bodied, good combustibility</p> <p>Leaf as described above constitutes 45 % of quality I/III</p> <p>Leaf ripe and reasonably undamaged, with minor curing defects, from all positions on the plant, up to 40 cm long, colour from yellowish to reddish or light brown, fairly porous structure and fairly fine texture, fairly elastic and shiny, fairly bodied, of good combustibility; includes also leaves with slight disease blemishes and/or minor damage</p> <p>Leaf as described above constitutes 55 % of quality I/III</p> <p>Packaging: bales ('Tongas') of approximately 30 kg</p> <p>Moisture: 13 %</p>
25	Burley GR	<p>Quality A leaves</p> <p>Quality A: leaf fully ripe, fully developed, undamaged, sound, well cured, from the middle stalk position, of uniform medium nut-brown, to nut-red colour, porous structure, fine texture, excellent combustibility</p> <p>Packaging: bales of approximately 100 kg, cases of approximately 200 kg or barrels of 240 to 280 kg</p> <p>Moisture: 13 %</p>
26	Virginia GR	<p>Quality A leaves</p> <p>Quality A: leaf fully ripe, fully developed, from the middle stalk position, sound, undamaged, well cured, of a uniform lemon yellow to medium orange colour, fine texture and good combustibility</p> <p>Packaging: bales of approximately 100 kg</p> <p>Moisture: 13 %</p>

ANNEX III

Norm prices, intervention prices and premiums for leaf tobacco for the 1983 crop

Derived intervention prices for baled tobacco of the 1983 harvest

(ECU/kg)

Serial No	Varieties	Norm price	Intervention price	Premiums	Derived intervention prices
1	Badischer Geudertheimer	3.759	3.195	2.613	4.764
2	Badischer Burley E	4.514	3.837	2.820	5.428
3	Virgin D	4.403	3.743	2.653	4.969
4	a) Paraguay and its hybrids b) Dragon vert and its hybrids, Philippin, Petit Grammont (Flobecq), Semois, Appelierre	3.490	2.967	2.415	--
5	Nijkerk	3.463	2.944	2.199	--
6	a) Misionero and its hybrids b) Rio Grande and its hybrids	3.227	2.743	2.227	--
7	Bright	3.874	3.293	2.230	4.577
8	Burley I	2.849	2.422	1.574	3.566
9	Maryland	3.248	2.761	1.749	3.951
10	a) Kentucky and its hybrids b) Moro di Cori c) Salento	2.729	(1) 2.183	1.705	3.127
11	a) Forchheimer Havanna II c b) Nostrano del Brenta c) Resistente 142 d) Gojano	3.521	2.993	2.469	4.458
12	a) Beneventano b) Brasile Selvaggio and similar varieties	1.901	1.616	1.394	2.436
13	Xanti-Yakà	3.645	2.916 ⁽¹⁾	2.685	4.691
14	a) Perustitza b) Samsun	3.452	2.762 ⁽¹⁾ 2.934	2.556 2.488	4.087 4.308
15	Erzegovina and similar varieties	3.101	2.481 ⁽¹⁾	2.302	3.685
16	a) Round Tip b) Scafati c) Sumatra I	16.410	13.949	9.912	21.273
17	Basmas	5.503	4.678	2.785	6.362
18	Katerini and similar varieties	4.673	3.972	2.477	5.803
19	Kaba-Koulak classic	4.145	3.523	2.190	5.042

(1) Pursuant to Regulation (EEC) No 1535/81 of 19 May 1981 laying down special measures for certain varieties of raw tobacco from the 1982 and 1983 harvests.

(ECU/kg)

Serial No	Varieties	Norm price	Intervention price	Premiums	Derived intervention prices
20	a) Kaba-Koulak non-classic b) Elassona, Myrodata Smyrne, Trapezous and Phi 1	3.240	2.754	1.593	4.179
21	Myrodata Agrinion	4.160	3.536	2.256	4.993
22	Zichnomyrodata	4.285	3.642	2.332	5.175
23	Tsebelia	4.114	3.497	3.319	5.013
24	Mavra	4.015	3.413	2.713	4.918
25	Burley GR	2.173	1.847	0.943	2.950
26	Virginia GR	3.321	2.823	1.681	4.002

Proposal
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) N°

of

fixing the target price for milk, the intervention prices for
butter, skimmed-milk powder and Grana Padano and Parmigiano Reggiano
cheeses and the guarantee threshold for the 1983/1984 milk year

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

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

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) N° 804/68 of 27 June 1968 on the common organization of the market in milk and milk products (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1183/82 (2) and in particular Articles 3(4), 5(1) and 5b(1) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament (3),

Having regard to the opinion of the Economic and Social Committee (4),

Whereas, when fixing the common agricultural prices, account should be taken of the objectives of the common agricultural policy and of the contribution which the Community wishes to make to the harmonious development of world trade ; whereas the objectives of the common agricultural policy are in particular to secure a fair standard of living for the agricultural community and to ensure that supplies are available and that they reach the consumers at reasonable prices ;

Whereas the target price for milk should bear a balanced relationship to the prices for other agricultural products and in particular to the prices for beef and veal, and be consistent with the desired general pattern of cattle farming; whereas it is also necessary, in fixing that price, to take account

(1) OJ No L 148, 28.6.1968, p. 13
(2) OJ No L 140, 20.5.1982, p. 1

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of the Community's efforts to establish a long-term balance between supply and demand on the milk market, allowing for external trade in milk and milk products ;

Whereas the intervention prices for butter and for skimmed-milk powder are intended to contribute to the achievement of the target price for milk ;
whereas it is necessary to determine price levels in the light of the overall supply and demand situation on the Community market in milk and the opportunities for disposal of butter and skimmed-milk powder on the Community and world markets ;

Whereas the intervention prices for Grana Padano and Parmigiano Reggiano cheeses must be fixed in accordance with the criteria laid down in Article 5 (2) of Regulation (EEC) N° 804/68;

Whereas milk deliveries to the dairies in 1982 have exceeded the guarantee threshold fixed in Article 2 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 1184/82 (5) for the 1982 calendar year; whereas the excess quantity has been estimated at 2.2%; whereas the intervention prices should therefore be reduced by that percentage;

Whereas, in accordance with Article 5b of Regulation (EEC) No 804/68, a guarantee threshold is to be fixed for milk at a level equal to the quantity of milk supplied to undertakings treating or processing milk in 1981 plus an annual increment of 0.5%, which may be considered a normal increase;

Whereas provision should be made for appropriate measures to be adopted if the guarantee threshold is exceeded, in the interests of covering the cost of marketing the excess milk collected,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

(5) OJ No L 140, 20.5.1982, p. 2

Article 1

For the 1983/1984 milk year, the target price for milk and the intervention prices for milk products shall be as follows :

	<u>ECU/100 kg</u>
(a) target price for milk	28.28
(b) intervention price :	
butter	360.81
skimmed-milk powder	150.87
Grana Padano cheese :	
- of an age of between 30 to 60 days	364.27
- of an age of at least six months	443.16
Parmigiano Reggiano cheese of an age of at least six months	484.22

Article 2

In calendar year 1983, the guarantee threshold referred to in Article 5b of Regulation (EEC) No 804/68 shall be fixed at the level of the quantity of milk supplied to undertakings treating or processing milk in the calendar year 1981, increased by 1%.

Article 3

If it is found that the quantity of milk supplied by Community producers supplied exceeds the guarantee threshold referred to in Article 2, the Council, acting on a proposal from the Commission, shall adopt appropriate measures to offset the additional expenditure.

Article 4

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

It shall apply from 1 April 1983.

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

Done

For the Council
The President

Proposal
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) N°
of
fixing the threshold prices for certain milk products
for the 1983/1984 milk year

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) N° 804/68 of 27 June 1968 on the common organization of the market in milk and milk products (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1183/82 (2), and in particular Article 4 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas threshold prices should be fixed so that, taking account of the protection required for the Community processing industry, the prices of imported milk products correspond to the level of the target price for milk ; whereas, consequently the threshold price should be fixed on the basis of the target price for milk, taking into account the relationship which should be established between the value of milkfat and that of skimmed milk, as well as the standardized costs and yields for each of the milk products in question ; whereas a fixed amount should be included to ensure adequate protection of the Community processing industry,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

1. The threshold prices for the 1983/1984 milk year shall be as follows :

(1) OJ N° L 148, 28. 6.1968, p. 13

(2) OJ No L 140, 20. 5.1982, p.1

<u>Pilot products of the group of products</u>	<u>ECU/100 kg</u>
1	55.40
2	176.85
3	273.19
4	105.54
5	136.99
6	405.23
7	402.29
8	322.84
9	540.94
10	357.99
11	320.61
12	98.51

2. The pilot products referred to in paragraph 1 are those specified in Annex I to Council Regulation (EEC) N° 2915/79 of 18 December 1979 determining the groups of products and the special provisions for calculating levies on milk and milk products (3), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) N° /82 (4).

Article 2

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

It shall apply from 1 April 1983.

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

Done

For the Council
The President

(3) OJ N° L 329, 24.12.1979, p. 1

(4) OJ N° L

Proposal
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of
amending Regulation (EEC) No 1269/79 as regards the conditions for the
marketing of reduced-price butter for direct consumption during the
1983/1984 milk year

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

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

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 804/68 of 27 June 1968 on the
common organization of the market in milk and milk products (1), as last
amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1183/82 (2), and in particular Article 12(2)
thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament (3),

Having regard to the opinion of the Economic and Social Committee (4),

Whereas the system established by Council Regulation (EEC) No 1269/79 of
25 June 1979 on the marketing of reduced-price butter for direct consumption
(5), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1186/82 (6), applies only until
the end of the 1982/1983 milk year on the conditions laid down in the third
subparagraph of Article 6 of the said Regulation;

(1) OJ No L 148, 28. 6.1968, p.13

(2) OJ No L 140, 20. 5.1982, p.1

(3) OJ No C

(4) OJ No C

(5) OJ No L 161, 29. 6.1979, p.8

(6) OJ No L 140, 20. 5.1982, p.5

Whereas, given the situation on the butter market, measures are still needed which reduce the price of butter to the final private consumer; whereas it is therefore appropriate to authorize the Member States to apply, on a permanent or temporary basis, Scheme A referred to in Regulation (EEC) No 1269/79 during the 1983/1984 milk year, and to extend the special arrangements hitherto applicable in the United Kingdom; whereas, in order to take account of Community budget resources and constraints, it is appropriate to make no change in the level of Community financing for the 1983/1984 milk year,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

In the third paragraph of Article 6 of Regulation (EEC) No 1269/79 the words "During the 1982/83 milk year" are hereby replaced by the words "During the 1983/1984 milk year".

Article 2

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

It shall apply from 1 April 1983.

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

Done

For the Council
The President

Proposal
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of
amending Regulation (EEC) No 1079/77 in respect of the co-responsibility
levy on milk and milk products

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

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

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

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

Having regard to the opinion of the Economic and Social Committee (2),

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 1079/77 (3), as last amended by Regulation
(EEC) No 1189/82 (4), introduced a co-responsibility levy to apply until the
end of the 1983/1984 milk year and covering, in principle, all milk supplied
to dairies and certain sales of milk products at the farm;

Whereas the object of that levy was to establish a better balance on the
market for milk by creating a more direct connection between production and
the scope for disposal of milk products, in view of the importance of the
public interests involved; whereas the data and forecasts at present
available show that the abovementioned objectives will probably not be reached
at the end of the period laid down; whereas it is therefore necessary, first,
to extend application of the said levy to cover the 1984/1985 milk year and,
secondly, for the 1983/1984 milk year, to keep the rate of the levy at its
present level;

(1) OJ No C

(2) OJ No C

(3) OJ No L 131, 26. 5.1977, p.6

(4) OJ No L 140, 20. 5.1982, p.8

Whereas, to take account of varying conditions of production, it seems equitable to provide for the adoption of measures to support the incomes of small-scale milk producers,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Regulation (EEC) No 1079/77 is hereby amended as follows:

1. In Article 1(1), 'During the 1980/1981, 1981/1982, 1982/1983 and 1983/1984 milk years' is replaced by 'During the 1980/1981, 1981/1982, 1982/1983, 1983/1984 and 1984/1985 milk years'.
2. In Article 2 the following paragraph is added:
"5. For the 1983/1984 milk year, the levy shall be 2% of the target price for milk."
3. Article 2a is replaced by the following:

"Article 2a

For the 1983/84 milk year, the Council, acting by a qualified majority on a proposal from the Commission, shall adopt measures to support the incomes of small-scale milk producers.

The cost of such measures may not exceed 120 million ECU.

By way of derogation from Article 6, the rules for the application of this Article shall be adopted by the Commission."

Article 2

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

It shall apply from 1 April 1983.

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

Done

For the Council
The President

Proposal
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of
laying down special measures concerning the exclusion of butter
from inward processing arrangements and repackaging operations

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 804/68 (1) of 27 June 1968 on the common organization of the market in milk and milk products, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1183/82(2), and in particular Articles 12(2) and 18(1) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas, pursuant to Article 18(1) of Regulation (EEC) No 804/68, the use of inward processing arrangements may, to the extent necessary for the proper working of the common organization of the market in milk and milk products, in special cases be prohibited in whole or in part in respect of the products referred to in Article 1 of that Regulation which are intended for the manufacture of products referred to in the latter Article or of the goods referred to in the Annex to that Regulation; whereas Council Directive No 69/73/EEC (3), as last amended by The Act of Accession of Greece provides for the harmonization of provisions laid down by law, regulations or administrative action in respect of inward processing;

Whereas, the present Community situation is marked by the existence of surpluses of butter; whereas only a very limited number of outlets is available on the world market and opportunities for the export of this product are consequently reduced; whereas it is, therefore, necessary to restrict to Community production as much of the capacity available to absorb surpluses as possible;

(1) OJ No L 148, 28. 6.1968, p. 13
(2) OJ No L 140, 20. 5.1982, p. 1

(3) OJ No L 58, 8. 3.1969, p. 1

Whereas, however, certain outlets on the world market exist for butter both exported in the form of products not covered by Annex II of the Treaty and incorporated with the products listed in Article 1 of Regulation (EEC) No 804/68; whereas, for the manufacture of the aforesaid products, the Community processing industries have obtained products from third countries which are then processed under the inward processing arrangements;

Whereas the Community surplus situation enables Community butter to be made available to the industries concerned; whereas, therefore, the use of butter from third countries is unnecessary and is likely to disturb the proper working of the common organization of the market in milk and milk products; whereas, therefore, it is advisable to prohibit temporarily the use of inward processing arrangements in respect of butter;

Whereas for the above reasons certain usual forms of handling, within the meaning of Council Directive 71/235/EEC of 21 June 1971 on harmonization of the provisions laid down by law, regulation or administrative action relating to the usual forms of handling which may be carried out in customs warehouses and in free zones (4), in the geographical territory of the Community of butter from third countries in respect of which a levy applicable on importation into the Community has not been charged must also be prohibited temporarily,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

1. The use of inward processing arrangements shall be prohibited in respect of products falling under heading 04.03 of the Common Customs Tariff when they are intended for the manufacture of products referred to in Article 1 of Regulation (EEC) No 804/68 or of goods listed in the Annex to that Regulation.
2. Butter from non-member countries, falling within Common Customs Tariff heading No 04.03, in respect of which customs duties or agricultural levies have been suspended, shall be temporarily excluded from the usual forms of handling referred to in points 7, 8, 12 and 19 of Article 1 (1) of Directive 71/235/EEC in the geographical territory of the Community.

(4) OJ No L 143, 29. 6.1971 p.28

Article 2

1. Article 1 shall not apply to imports made under inward processing arrangements or to handling operations as referred to in paragraph 2 thereof during a period of 30 days from the date of entry into force of this Regulation, pursuant to authorizations valid at that date.
2. Member States shall inform the Commission of the authorizations issued, valid at that date.

Article 3

Any rules for the application of this Regulation shall be adopted in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 30 of Regulation (EEC) No 804/68.

Article 4

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

It shall apply from 1 April 1983.

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

Done at

For the Council
The President

Proposal for a
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of
on provisions to support the incomes of small-scale milk producers
during the 1983/84 milk year

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1079/77 of 17 May 1977 on a co-responsibility levy and on measures for expanding the markets in milk and milk products (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1189/82 (2), and in particular Article 2a thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas Article 2a of Regulation (EEC) No 1079/77 provides for the adoption of measures in order to support the incomes of small-scale milk producers and lays down that the expenditure of these measures may not exceed 120 million ECU;

Whereas it is appropriate to divide this amount between the Member States, taking into account the amount of milk supplied in 1981 to undertakings treating and processing milk by all producers up to a limit of 60 000 kilograms per producer,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

For the 1983/84 milk year the allocation to the Member States of the amount referred to in Article 2a of Regulation (EEC) No 1079/77 shall be carried out in accordance with the division referred to in the Annex.

(1) OJ No L 131, 26.5.1977, p. 6

(2) OJ No L 140, 20.5.1982, p. 8

Article 2

1. The Commission shall lay down the objective criteria with a view to the division of the amounts referred to in the Annex between the small-scale milk producers.

On the basis of these criteria each Member State shall divide, between the small-scale milk producers, the amount which is allocated to it.

2. Member States shall communicate to the Commission in good time the provisions they envisage taking for the division between the small-scale milk producers of the amounts fixed in the Annex.

The Commission shall approve these provisions on the basis of the objective criteria referred to in paragraph 1.

Article 3

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

It shall apply from 1 April 1983.

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

Done

For the Council
The President

A N N E X

Division of 120 million ECU between the Member States
(pursuant to Article 1)

Member State	:	(million ECU)

Belgium	:	4.7
Denmark	:	4.8
Germany	:	34.9
Greece	:	0.8
France	:	39.6
Ireland	:	6.5
Italy	:	13.4
Luxembourg	:	0.3
Netherlands	:	8.0
United Kingdom	:	7.0

Total	:	120.0

Proposal
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of
amending Regulation (EEC) No 805/68 on the common organization
of the market in beef and veal

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

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

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

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

Having regard to the opinion of the Economic and Social Committee (2),

Whereas Article 6 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 805/68 (3), as last amended by the 1979 Act of Accession, lays down the rules governing buying in by intervention agencies;

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 1358/80 (4) introduces, and Council Regulation (EEC) No 1208/81 (5) determines, a Community scale for the classification of carcasses of adult bovine animals for the purposes of recording market prices and implementing intervention measures; whereas the said scale should be applied by fixing identical buying-in prices in the Community in respect of carcasses, forequarters and hindquarters of certain qualities of adult bovine animal when such presentations are offered for intervention,

(1) OJ No C
(2) OJ No C
(3) OJ No L 148, 28. 6.1968, p.24
(4) OJ No L 140, 5. 6.1980, p.4
(5) OJ No L 123, 7. 5.1981, p.3

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Regulation (EEC) No 805/68 is hereby amended as follows:

1. Article 3 is replaced by the following:

"Article 3

1. Before 1 August of each year a guide price and an intervention price for adult bovine animals shall be fixed for the marketing year beginning during the following calendar year.

2. These prices shall be fixed with particular reference to:
 - (a) forecast trends in the production and consumption of beef and veal;
 - (b) the situation on the market in milk and milk products;
 - (c) past experience.

3. The guide price and the intervention price shall be fixed in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 43(2) of the Treaty."

2. Article 6 is replaced by the following:

"Article 6

1. The intervention agencies appointed by the Member States shall buy in fresh or chilled meat of adult bovine animals originating in the Community and presented in the form of carcasses, half-carcasses, compensated quarters, forequarters or hindquarters.
2. The buying-in prices for carcasses, forequarters and hindquarters of certain qualities of adult bovine animal, classified in accordance with the Community scale for the classification of carcasses of adult bovine animals, shall be established each year at the beginning of the marketing year. The buying-in price for each quality shall be calculated in the light of the ratio between the price of that quality and the intervention price.
3. The following shall be determined in respect of each quality and presentation referred to in paragraph 2:
 - a maximum buying-in price established in accordance with paragraph 2;
 - a minimum buying-in price, taking into account the normal spread of prices on the market.
4. The following shall be decided in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 27:
 - (a) the products bought in and their prices;
 - (b) the intervention measures and their date of expiry;
 - (c) detailed rules for the application of this Article."

Article 2

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

It shall apply from 4 April 1983.

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

Done at

For the Council

Proposal
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of
fixing the guide price and the intervention price for adult bovine
animals for the 1983/1984 marketing year

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

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

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 805/68 of 27 June 1968 on the
common organization of the market in beef and veal (1), as last amended by
Regulation (EEC) No (2), and in particular Article 3(3) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament (3),

Having regard to the opinion of the Economic and Social Committee (4),

Whereas, when the guide price for adult bovine animals is fixed, account
should be taken both of the objectives of the common agricultural policy and
of the contribution which the Community desires to make to the harmonious

(1) OJ No L 148, 28. 6.1968, p.24
(2) OJ No L
(3) OJ No C
(4) OJ No C

development of world trade; whereas the common agricultural policy aims inter alia to ensure a fair standard of living for the agricultural community, to guarantee the availability of supplies and to ensure that supplies reach consumers at reasonable prices;

Whereas the guide price must be fixed in accordance with the criteria laid down in Article 3(2) of Regulation (EEC) No 805/68; whereas, for the 1983/1984 marketing year, it should be fixed at a higher level than that adopted for the preceding marketing year;

Whereas in view of the current economic situation on the beef and veal market, the intervention price for adult bovine animals for the 1983/1984 marketing year should be fixed at the same level in relation to the guide price as that adopted for the preceding marketing year,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

For the 1983/1984 marketing year, the guide price shall be 207.09 ECU per 100 kilograms live weight.

Article 2

For the 1983/1984 marketing year, the intervention price shall be 186.33 ECU per 100 kilograms live weight.

Article 3

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

It shall apply from 4 April 1983.

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

Done

For the Council
The President

Proposal
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of

amending Regulation (EEC) No 1202/82 on the implementation of the
Community scale for the classification of carcasses of adult bovine
animals for recording market prices in the beef and veal sector

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 805/68 of 27 June 1968 on
the common organization of the market in beef and veal, (1) as last
amended by Regulation (EEC) No (2),

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 1202/82 (3) lays down that for the
period 28 June 1982 until the end of the 1982/1983 marketing year Member
States are to record market prices on the basis of the Community scale
for the classification of carcasses of adult bovine animals as established
by Council Regulation (EEC) No 1208/81 (4) in parallel with recording
based on the live weight; whereas since there has not been a
sufficiently long experimental period and having regard to the
improvements still needed in the system of monitoring carcass weight
prices, the application of the present dual price recording system should
be extended for a further marketing year,

(1) OJ No L 148, 28. 6.1968, p. 24

(2) OJ No L

(3) OJ No L 140, 20. 5.1982, p.35

(4) OJ No L 123, 7. 5.1981, p. 3.

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

In Article 1 of Regulation (EEC) No 1202/82 "1982/1983 marketing year" is hereby replaced by "1983/1984 marketing year".

Article 2

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

It shall apply from 4 April 1983.

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

Done

For the Council
The President

PROPOSAL
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No

of

on the grant of a premium for the birth of calves in Greece, Ireland, Italy
and Northern Ireland and amending Regulation (EEC) No 1201/82

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

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

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

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

Having regard to the opinion of the Economic and Social Committee (2),

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 1201/82 (3) provided for the grant of a
premium for the birth of calves in Greece, Ireland, Italy and Northern Ireland
during the 1982/1983 marketing year;

Whereas the situation of farmers in those Community regions did not improve
appreciably during the said marketing year and a similar measure should
accordingly be adopted for the 1983/1984 marketing year; whereas Article 1(1)
of Regulation (EEC) No 1201/82 should consequently be amended,

(1) OJ No C

(2) OJ No C

(3) OJ No L 140, 20.5.1982, p. 34.

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

In Article 1(1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1201/82 "1982/83 marketing year" is hereby replaced by "1983/1984 marketing year".

Article 2

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

It shall apply from 4 April 1983.

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

Done at

For the Council
The President

Proposal
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of

on the grant of an additional premium for maintaining suckler cows in
Ireland and Northern Ireland and amending Regulation (EEC) No 1199/82

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

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

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

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

Having regard to the opinion of the Economic and Social Committee (2),

Whereas provision was made in Council Regulation (EEC) No 1199/82 (3) for the
granting of an additional premium for maintaining suckler cows in Ireland and
Northern Ireland, in so far as the Member States concerned did not grant
nationally the additional premium referred to in Article 3 (2) of Council
Regulation (EEC) No 1357/80 of 5 June 1980 introducing a system of premiums
for maintaining suckler cows (4), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No
1198/82 (5);

Whereas the situation of farmers in those regions of the Community has not
improved appreciably during the marketing year and an identical measure should
accordingly be adopted for the 1983/1984 marketing year;

(1) OJ No C

(2) OJ No C

(3) OJ No L 140, 20. 5.1982, p.30

(4) OJ No L 140, 5. 6.1980, p.1

(5) OJ No L 140, 20. 5.1982, p.28

Whereas Article 1 of Regulation (EEC) No 1199/82 should therefore be amended,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

In the second paragraph of Article 1 of Regulation (EEC) No 1199/82 "1982/1983 marketing year" is hereby replaced by "1983/1984 marketing year".

Article 2

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

It shall apply from 4 April 1983.

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

Done at

For the Council

The President

Proposal
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of
extending, for the 1983/1984 marketing year, the grant of a premium
provided for in Regulation (EEC) No 1200/82 for the slaughter of
certain adult bovine animals for slaughter in the United Kingdom

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

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

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

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

Having regard to the opinion of the Economic and Social Committee (2),

Whereas the United Kingdom has in recent marketing years applied the system of
slaughter premiums in respect of certain adult bovine animals for slaughter;
whereas it should be authorized to continue to grant the premium for a further
marketing year and the application of the provisions of Council Regulation
(EEC) No 1200/82 (3) should therefore be extended,

(1) OJ No C

(2) OJ No C

(3) OJ No L 140, 20. 5.1982, p.32

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The application of Regulation (EEC) No 1200/82 is hereby extended for the 1983/1984 marketing year.

Article 2

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

It shall apply from 4 April 1983.

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

Done at

For the Council

The President

Proposal
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of

fixing for the 1983/1984 marketing year the basic price,
the intervention prices and the reference prices for sheepmeat

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) N° 1837/80 of 27 June 1980 on the common organization of the market in sheepmeat and goatmeat (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1195/82 (2), and in particular Articles 3 (1) and 7 (6) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament (3),

Having regard to the opinion of the Economic and Social Committee (4),

Whereas, when the basic price for sheep carcasses is fixed, account should be taken both of the objectives of the common agricultural policy and of the contribution the Community wishes to make to the harmonious development of world trade ; whereas the main objectives of the common agricultural policy are to ensure a fair standard of living for the agricultural community, to guarantee the availability of supplies and to ensure that supplies reach consumers at reasonable prices ;

Whereas the basic price must be fixed in accordance with the criteria laid down in Article 3 (2) of Regulation (EEC) N° 1837/80 ; whereas it should be fixed for the 1983/1984 marketing year at a level exceeding that fixed for the preceding marketing year; whereas the intervention prices correspond to a percentage of the basic price ;

(1) OJ N° L 183, 16.7.1980, p. 1

(2) OJ N° L 140, 20.5.1982 p.22

(3)

(4)

Whereas the reference prices must be fixed in accordance with the criteria laid down in Article 3 (4)(b) of Regulation (EEC) N° 1837/80, which provides inter alia for the convergence of those prices in order to achieve a single Community reference price after a certain period,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

For the 1983/84 marketing year, in the sheepmeat sector :

1. the basic price is hereby fixed at ^{432.36} ECU per 100 kilograms carcass weight;
2. the intervention price shall be ^{367.51} ECU per 100 kilograms carcass weight;
3. the derived intervention price applicable in region 4 is hereby fixed at 347.70 ECU per 100 kilograms carcass weight;
4. the reference prices are hereby fixed at :
 - 441.76 ECU per 100 kilograms carcass weight for region 1,
 - 432.36 ECU per 100 kilograms carcass weight for region 2,
 - 422.96 ECU per 100 kilograms carcass weight for region 3,
 - 421.40 ECU per 100 kilograms carcass weight for region 4,
 - 416.07 ECU per 100 kilograms carcass weight for region 5,
 - 416.07 ECU per 100 kilograms carcass weight for region 6,
 - 441.76 ECU per 100 kilograms carcass weight for region 7.

Article 2

The prices referred to in Article 1 (1), (2) and (3) shall be seasonally adjusted in accordance with the table given in the Annex.

Article 3

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

It shall apply from 4 April 1983.

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

Done at

For the Council

A N N E X

(ECU/100 kg - carcase weight)

Week beginning	Week No	Basic price	Intervention price	Derived inter- vention price
4 April 1983	1	471.26	400.57	380.76
11 "	2	475.64	404.29	384.48
18 "	3	475.28	403.99	384.18
25 "	4	474.81	403.59	383.78
2 May	5	472.92	401.98	382.17
9 "	6	471.13	400.46	380.65
16 "	7	467.60	397.46	377.65
23 "	8	466.42	396.46	376.65
30 "	9	462.63	393.24	373.43
6 June	10	459.80	390.83	371.02
13 "	11	456.95	388.41	368.60
20 "	12	454.38	386.22	366.41
27 "	13	450.49	382.92	363.11
4 July	14	444.97	378.22	358.41
11 "	15	439.21	373.33	353.52
18 "	16	434.52	369.34	349.53
25 "	17	429.32	364.92	345.11
1 August	18	424.55	360.87	341.06
8 "	19	419.71	356.75	336.94
15 "	20	412.49	350.62	330.81
22 "	21	408.15	346.93	327.12
29 "	22	403.14	342.67	322.86
5 September	23	399.00	339.15	319.34
12 "	24	395.45	336.13	316.32
19 "	25	392.68	333.78	313.97
26 "	26	391.80	333.03	313.22
3 October	27	390.50	331.93	312.12
10 "	28	389.81	331.34	311.53
17 "	29	389.81	331.34	311.53
24 "	30	389.81	331.34	311.53
31 "	31	391.43	332.72	312.91
7 November	32	393.79	334.72	314.91
14 "	33	396.28	336.84	317.03
21 "	34	398.94	339.10	319.29
28 "	35	401.90	341.62	321.81
5 December	36	405.90	345.02	325.21
12 "	37	410.95	349.31	329.50
19 "	38	416.82	354.30	334.49
26 "	39	421.23	358.05	338.24
2 January 1984	40	424.80	361.08	341.27
9 "	41	428.30	364.06	344.25
16 "	42	431.06	366.40	346.59
23 "	43	434.27	369.13	349.32
30 "	44	439.06	373.20	353.39
6 February	45	443.80	377.23	357.42
13 "	46	446.55	379.57	359.76
20 "	47	451.36	383.66	363.85
27 "	48	457.02	388.47	368.66
5 March	49	461.73	392.47	372.66
12 "	50	466.58	396.59	376.78
19 "	51	471.32	400.62	380.81
26 "	52	475.64	404.29	384.48

PROPOSAL FOR A
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of
fixing the basic price and the standard quality for slaughtered pigs
for the period 1 November 1983 to 31 October 1984

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

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

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2759/75 of 29 October 1975 on
the common organization of the market in pigmeat (1), as last amended by
Regulation (EEC) No 2966/80 (2), and in particular Article 4(4) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament (3),

Having regard to the opinion of the Economic and Social Committee (4),

Whereas, when the basic price for slaughtered pigs is fixed, account should
be taken of the objectives of the common agricultural policy and of the
contribution which the Community desires to make to the harmonious
development of world trade; whereas the objectives of the common
agricultural policy are in particular to ensure a fair standard of living
for the agricultural community, to ensure that supplies are available and
that they reach consumers at reasonable prices;

Whereas the basic price must be fixed in accordance with the criteria laid
down in Article 4(1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2759/75 for a standard quality
defined according to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2760/75 of 29 October 1975
determining the Community scale for grading pig carcasses (5);

(1) OJ No L 282, 1.11.1975, p. 1

(2) OJ No L 307, 18.11.1980, p. 5

(3) OJ No C

(4) OJ No C

(5) OJ No L 282, 1.11.1975, p. 10

Whereas the most representative class and categories of weight in Community production should be taken as the standard quality;

Whereas the application of those criteria results in the basic price being fixed at a level higher than that adopted for the previous period,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

For the period 1 November 1983 to 31 October 1984 the basic price for slaughtered pigs of the standard quality shall be 2053.87 ECU per tonne.

Article 2

The standard quality shall be the quality for pig carcasses of Class II of the Community scale for grading pig carcasses laid down by Regulation (EEC) No 2760/75, excluding those carcasses with a weight of less than 70 kilograms and those with a weight equal to or greater than 160 kilograms.

Article 3

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

It shall apply as from 1 November 1983.

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

Done at

For the Council

Proposal
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of
amending the Annex to Regulation (EEC) No 2358/71 on the common
organization of the market in seeds

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2358/71 of 26 October 1971 on the common organization of the market in seeds (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3808/81 (2), and in particular Article 3(4) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas the cultivation of certain grasses of the genus *Agrostis* and the species *Phleum bertolonii*, certain legumes (*Trifolium alexandrinum*, *Trifolium incarnatum*, *Trifolium resupinatum*, *Trifolium hybridum* and *Medicago lupulina*) and certain species of *Cruciferae* is of considerable economic importance in some regions of the Community;

Whereas the production of such seeds is facing competition from other seeds which qualify for Community aid;

Whereas, because of that competition, the cultivation of the seeds referred to above cannot ensure a fair return to producers and may decline, despite the demand for all of those seeds which exists on the market;

(1) OJ No L 246, 5.11.1971, p. 1

(2) OJ No L 382, 31.12.1981, p. 37

Whereas, provision should therefore be made, through the granting of aid, for encouraging the production of basic and certified seed of the species referred to above; whereas these species should accordingly be included in the Annex to Regulation (EEC) No 2358/71;

Whereas it has been ascertained that there has been a substantial increase in recent marketing years in the production of seeds of the species *Pisum sativum* and *Vicia faba* such as to disrupt the Community market in fodder seeds; whereas, with effect from the 1984/1985 marketing year, these two species should accordingly be deleted from the Annex to Regulation (EEC) No 2358/71 listing the species qualifying for production aid,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

The Annex to Regulation (EEC) No 2358/71 is hereby replaced by the Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

With effect from the 1984/1985 marketing year the species *Pisum sativum* and *Vicia faba* shall be deleted from the Annex referred to in Article 1.

Article 3

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

It shall apply from 1 July 1983.

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

Done at

For the Council
The President

ANNEX

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: CCT Heading No	:	Description	:
:	:	1. CERES	:
: 10.01 A	:	Triticum spelta L.	:
: 10.06 A	:	Oryza sativa L.	:
:	:		:
:	:	2. OLEAGINEAE	:
: ex 12.01 A	:	Linum usitatissimum L. (textile flax)	:
:	:	Linum usitatissimum L. (linseed)	:
:	:	Cannabis sativa L. (monoica)	:
:	:		:
:	:	3. GRAMINEAE	:
: ex 12.03 C	:	Agrostis canina L.	:
:	:	Agrostis gigantea Roth.	:
:	:	Agrostis stolonifera L.	:
:	:	Agrostis tenuis Sibth.	:
:	:	Arrhenatherum elatius (L.) Beauv. ex. J. et C. Presl.	:
:	:	Dactylis glomerata L.	:
:	:	Festuca arundinacea Schreb.	:
:	:	Festuca ovina L.	:
:	:	Festuca pratensis Huds.	:
:	:	Festuca rubra L.	:
:	:	Lolium multiflorum Lam.	:
:	:	Lolium perenne L.	:
:	:	- of high persistence, late or medium late	:
:	:	- new varieties and others	:
:	:	- of low persistence, medium late, medium early	:
:	:	or early	:
:	:	Lolium x hybridum Hausskn.	:
:	:	Phleum Bertolonii (PC)	:
:	:	Phleum pratense L.	:
:	:	Poa nemoralis L.	:
:	:	Poa pratensis L.	:
:	:	Poa trivialis L.	:

: CCT Heading No	:	Description	:
:	:	4. LEGUMINOSAE	:
: ex 07.05 A I	:	Pisum sativum L. (partim) (field peas)	:
: ex 07.05 A III	:	Vicia faba L. (partim) (field beans)	:
: ex 12.03 C	:	Medicago lupulina L.	:
:	:	Medicago sativa L. (ecotypes)	:
:	:	Medicago sativa L. (varieties)	:
:	:	Trifolium alexandrinum L.	:
:	:	Trifolium hybridum L.	:
:	:	Trifolium pratense L.	:
:	:	Trifolium repens L.	:
:	:	Trifolium repens L. var. giganteum	:
:	:	Trifolium resupinatum L.	:
:	:	Vicia sativa L.	:
:	:		:
:	:	<u>CRUCIFERACEAE</u>	:
: ex 12.03 D	:	Brassica napus L. var. napobrassica (L) Peterm.	:
:	:	Brassica oleracea L. convar. acephala (DC)	:
:	:	Raphanus sativus L. spp. oleifera (DC) Metzg.	:
:	:		:

Proposal
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of
amending Regulation (EEC) No 1660/81 fixing the amounts of aid
granted for seeds for the 1982/1983 and 1983/1984 marketing years

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

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

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2358/71 of 26 October 1971 on the common organization of the market in seeds (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3808/81 (2), and in particular Article 3(3) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament (3),

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 1660/81 (4), as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3809/81 (5), fixes the amounts of aid granted for seeds for the 1982/1983 and 1983/1984 marketing years; whereas for those marketing years the amounts of aid in respect of Greece are laid down in accordance with Council Regulation (EEC) No 699/81 (6); whereas in the case of products which did not qualify for Community aid in Greece on the day of accession the amounts of aid applicable in that country in respect of the 1982/1983 and 1983/1984 marketing years are fixed at a quarter and a third respectively of the Community aid applicable for the marketing years in question;

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- (1) OJ No L 246, 5.11.1971, p. 1
(2) OJ No L 382, 31.12.1981, p. 37
(3) OJ No L
(4) OJ No L 166, 24. 6.1981, p. 3
(5) OJ No L 382, 31.12.1981, p. 41
(6) OJ No L 74, 20. 3.1981, p. 1

Whereas it is not possible, with the method of calculation chosen, to ensure that the move towards alignment of the amounts of aid for Greece on those for other Member States will be the same for all products; whereas, indeed, the application of that method results in an unfavourable situation for products which did not qualify for Community aid in Greece on the day of accession; whereas, if Article 68 of the 1979 Act of Accession is to be interpreted correctly and the amounts of aid in respect of the different products allowed to move towards alignment in a uniform manner, the amounts of aid fixed for Greece should be those laid down in the Annex hereto,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

The Annex to Regulation (EEC) No 1660/81 is hereby replaced by the Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

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

It shall apply from 1 July 1982.

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

Done at

For the Council

ANNEX
1982/1983 and 1983/1984 marketing years

(ECU per 100 kg)

CCT heading Number	Description	Amount of aid		
		Community of Nine	Greece	
			1982/1983	1983/1984
	1. CERES			
10.01 A	Triticum spelta L.	10.0	10.0	10.0
10.06 A	Oryza sativa L.	13.3	5.1	7.8
	2. OLEAGINEAE			
ex 12.01 A	Linum usitatissimum L. (textile flax)	19.6	7.6	11.6
	Linum usitatissimum L. (linseed)	15.5	6.0	9.2
	Cannabis sativa L. (monoica)	14.2	5.5	8.4
	3. GRAMINEAE			
ex 12.03 C	Arrhenatherum elatius(L): Beauv.ex. J. et C.Presl.:	46.6	17.7	27.3
	Dactylis glomerata L.	37.8	14.6	22.3
	Festuca arundinacea Schreb.	40.9	15.6	24.0
	Festuca ovina L.	29.7	11.3	17.4
	Festuca pratensis Huds.	29.7	11.5	17.6
	Festuca rubra L.	25.6	9.9	15.1
	Lolium multiflorum Lam.	14.6	5.7	8.7
	Lolium perenne L.			
	- of high persistence, late or medium late	24.3	9.4	14.3
	- new varieties and others	18.9	7.3	11.2
	- of low persistence, medium late, medium early or early	13.3	5.2	7.9
	Lolium x hybridum Hauskn.	14.6	5.7	8.7
	Phleum pratense L.	60.8	23.5	35.9
	Poa nemoralis L.	27.0	10.4	16.0
	Poa pratensis L.	27.0	10.4	16.0
	Poa trivialis L.	27.0	10.4	16.0
	4. LEGUMINOSAE			
ex 07.05 A I	Pisum sativum L.(partim): (field pea)	5.4	5.4	5.4
ex 07.05 A III:	Vicia faba L. (partim) (field beans)	6.1	2.4	4.9
ex 12.03 C	Medicago sativa L. (ecotypes)	13.5	5.2	8.0
	Medicago sativa L. (varieties)	24.3	9.4	14.4
	Trifolium pratense L.	35.1	13.6	20.8
	Trifolium repens L.	47.0	17.9	27.6
	Trifolium repens L. var. giganteum	47.0	17.9	27.6
	Vicia sativa L.	21.6	14.0	16.5

Proposal
Council Regulation (EEC) No
of
amending Regulation (EEC) No 1660/81 fixing the amounts of aid
granted for seeds for the 1982/1983 and 1983/1984 marketing years

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

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

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2358/71 of 26 October 1971 on the common organization of the market in seeds (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No (2), and in particular Article 3(3) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament (3),

Having regard to the opinion of the Economic and Social Committee (4),

Whereas Regulation (EEC) No /83 extended the list of products qualifying for production aid to include certain Gramineae, Leguminosae and certain species of Cruciferae falling within Common Customs Tariff heading 12.03;

Whereas the market situation in the Community and its probable future development are not such as to provide a fair income for growers of the species referred to in Regulation (EEC) No /83 which will be sold during the 1983/1984 marketing year; whereas part of the production costs should therefore be offset by aid;

(1) OJ No L 246, 5.11.1971, p. 1

(2) OJ No L

(3) OJ No C

(4) OJ No C

Whereas Article 3(2) of Regulation (EEC) No 2358/71 provides that the aid shall be fixed taking into account, on the one hand, the need to ensure a balance between the volume of production required in the Community and the possible outlets for that production and, on the other hand, the prices obtaining for the product concerned on external markets;

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 1660/81 (5) fixed the amounts of aid granted for seeds for the 1982/1983 and 1983/1984 marketing years; whereas that Regulation should accordingly be supplemented to include the aid levels applicable, for the 1983/1984 marketing year, to seed of the new species added to the Annex to Regulation (EEC) No 2358/71,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The Annex to Regulation (EEC) No 1660/81 is hereby supplemented as follows:

		(ECU per 100 kg)	
:-----:-----:-----:-----:			
:	:	Amount of aid	:
:	:	:-----:-----:	
:	:	Community :	<u>Greece</u> :
:	:	of Nine :	1982/1983: 1983/1984:
:-----:-----:-----:-----:			
: ex 12.03 C	: 3. GRAMINEAE	:	:
:	: Agrostis canina L.	:)	:
:	: Agrostis gigantea Roth	: 60.8	: 60.8
:	: Agrostis stolonifera L.	:)	:
:	: Agrostis tenuis Sibth.	:)	:
:	: Phleum bertolonii (DC)	: 40.9	: 40.9
: ex 12.03 C	: 4. LEGUMINOSAE	:	:
:	: Medicago lupulina L.	: 24.3	: 24.3
:	: Trifolium incarnatum K. :	:)	:
:	: Trifolium alexandrinum L.:	: 35	: 35
:	: Trifolium resupinatum L.:	:)	:
:	: Trifolium hybridum L.	: 35.1	: 35.1
:-----:-----:-----:-----:			

(5) OJ No L 166, 24.6.1981, p. 3

		Amount of aid	
		Community	Greece
		of Nine	1982/1983: 1983/1984:
ex 12.03 D	5. CRUCIFERACEAE		
	-Brassica napus L. var. napobrassica (L) Peterm.		
	-Brassica oleracea L. convar. Acephala (DC)	18	18
	-Raphanus sativus L. spp. oleifera (DC) Metzg.		

Article 2

Notwithstanding Article 3 of Regulation (EEC) No 2358/71 the aids fixed in Article 1 of this Regulation shall be applicable for the 1983/1984 marketing year only.

Article 3

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

It shall apply from 1 July 1983.

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

Done at

For the Council

COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No
of
on the exchange rates to be applied in agriculture

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

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

Having regard to Council Regulation No 129 on the value of the unit of account and the exchange rates to be applied for the purposes of the common agricultural policy (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2543/73 (2), and in particular Article 3 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament (3),

Having regard to the opinion of the Monetary Committee,

Whereas the situation referred to in Article 3 (1) of Regulation No 129, in respect of which derogations may be made from the principle of using parities for converting one currency into another, now obtains in various Member States;

Whereas it has been possible to solve the problems posed by such a situation by applying monetary compensatory amounts and representative conversion rates for the purposes of the common agricultural policy; whereas this arrangement leads to divergent price levels in the Member States concerned; whereas, however, in order to prevent the maintenance of unchanged rates for the common agricultural policy from leading to an increase in the difference between price levels expressed in national currencies when prices are increased and in view of the fact that certain adjustments may be made to the rates to adapt

(1) OJ No 106, 30.10.1962, p. 2553/62.

(2) OJ No L 263, 19.09.1973, p. 1.

(3) OJ No L , , p. .

them to the real economic situation in the Member States, representative rates for the currencies of the Member States concerned should be fixed at levels more closely related to the actual economic situation; whereas, at the same time, all the representative rates should be republished in a new text; whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 878/77 (4), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2792/82 (5), must accordingly be repealed;

Whereas, however, the impact of this measure on the economies of the Member States concerned should be moderated as far as possible; whereas, for this reason, the new rates should be applied within a reasonable period, coinciding if possible with the beginning of the marketing year or with a change in prices; whereas derogations must be made notably for certain amounts contained in Council Regulation (EEC) No 337/79 of 5 February 1979 on the common organisation of the market in wine (6), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No (7), in order to guarantee equality of treatment for the parties concerned during the period of application of a given intervention of distillation measure;

Whereas, in order to avoid differing treatment of interdependent products, provision should be made for the new rates to apply in the cereals and the eggs and poultrymeat, ovalbumin and lactalbumin sectors with effect from the same date;

Whereas fixing a representative rate leads to an adjustment of agricultural prices; whereas the problems raised by the modification of exchange rates are the subject of Community provisions, in particular Council Regulation (EEC) No 1134/68 of 30 July 1968 laying down rules for the implementation of Regulation (EEC) No 653/68 on conditions for alterations to the value of the unit of account used for the common agricultural policy (8) as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No (9); whereas these provisions

(4) OJ No L 106, 29.04.1977, p. 27

(5) OJ No L 295, 21.10.1982, p. 6.

(6) OJ No L 54, 05.02.1979, p. 1.

(7) OJ No L

(8) OJ No L 188, 01.08.1968, p. 1.

(9) OJ No L

only cover the case of a change in the parity of a currency; whereas they should also be applied in this case; whereas, however, in so far as the parties concerned may request the cancellation of documents or certificates, such application would be justified only if they are placed at a disadvantage as a result of the fixing of the new representative rates; whereas, however, provision should be made for this right to be replaced by another giving rise to compensation for the disadvantage suffered;

Whereas it may be necessary, following changes in the representative rates, to adjust the amounts which are not connected with the price-fixing but are fixed in ECU, notably for the purposes of the socio-structural measures; whereas, however, such adjustment must be limited to the level necessary to avoid a reduction in such amounts in national currency in the Member State where the revaluation of the representative rate is highest,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

When transactions to be carried out in pursuance of instruments relating to the common agricultural policy, or specific rules laid down by virtue of Article 235 of the Treaty, require the currencies referred to in Article 2 to be expressed in another currency or in ECU, the rate of exchange shall, notwithstanding Article 2 (1) of Regulation No 129, be that corresponding to the representative rate for that currency.

Article 2

1. The representative rates and the dates with effect from which they shall apply are given in Annexes I to IX.
2. Other dates may be fixed, in accordance with the procedure provided for in Article 6, for the amounts referred to in Articles 10, 11, 12a, 14, 14a, 15, 39, 40 and 41 of Regulation (EEC) No 337/79.

Article 3

The provisions of this Regulation shall apply subject to the provisions of Regulation (EEC) No 129/78 (10).

Article 4

1. The provisions of Regulation (EEC) No 1134/68 in respect of an alteration of the relationship between the parity of the currency of a Member State and the value of the unit of account shall apply.
2. However, the second subparagraph of Article 4(1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1134/68 shall apply only if the application of the new representative rates is disadvantageous to the party concerned.

Before the date of application of the new rate it may be decided, in accordance with the procedure provided for in Article 6, to offset this disadvantage by an appropriate measure. In this case, advance fixing and the certificate or document attesting thereto may not be cancelled.

3. It may be decided, in accordance with the procedure provided for in Article 6, to derogate from the provisions referred to in paragraph 1.

(10) OJ No L 20, 25.01.1978, p. 16.

Article 5

1. In the event of one or several agricultural representative rates being revalued, the amounts fixed in ECU which are not connected with the price-fixing may be increased in accordance with the procedure referred to in Article 6.
2. With regard to the amounts fixed by the Member States within maximum and minimum limits, the increase shall apply to the maximum and minimum amounts.

In the case of the maximum limit, the increase may not be higher than the amount necessary to avoid any reduction, in national currency, in the amounts actually applied in the Member State in which the impact of revaluation on these amounts is the greatest.

In the case of the minimum limit, the provisions of paragraph 3 shall apply.

3. With regard to the other amounts referred to in paragraph 1, the increase may not be higher than the amount necessary to avoid a reduction, in national currency, in the amounts concerned in the Member State in which the revaluation is the greatest.

Article 6

The detailed rules for implementing this Regulation shall be adopted in accordance with the procedure provided for in:

- a) Article 26 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organization of the market in cereals (11), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1451/82 (12),
or
- b) the corresponding article of the other regulations on the common organization of the agricultural markets

(11) OJ No L 281, 01.11.1975, p. 1.

(12) OJ No L 164, 14.06.1982, p. 1.

or, where appropriate,

c) Article 18 of Council Directive 72/159/EEC (13), as last amended by Directive 82/436/EEC (14)

or

d) the corresponding article in other Community provisions establishing a similar procedure.

Article 7

Regulation (EEC) No 878/77 is hereby repealed.

Article 8

This Regulation shall enter into force on .

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

Done at

For the Council

(13) OJ No L 96, 23.04.1972, p. 1.

(14) OJ No L 193, 03.07.1982, p. 37.

ANNEX I

BELGIUM/LUXEMBOURG

1 ECU = 44.9704 Belgian francs/Luxembourg francs.

This rate shall apply from 1983.

ANNEX II

DENMARK

1 ECU = 8.23400 Danish krone.

ANNEX III
FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY

1. 1 ECU = 2.49870 German marks.

This rate shall apply from:

- 1 April 1983 for the milk and milk products sector,
- 4 April 1983 for the beef and veal sector,
- 4 April 1983 for the sheepmeat and goatmeat sector,
- 1 July 1983 for the sugar and isoglucose sector, and for durum wheat and durum wheat groats and meal,
- 1 August 1983 for the cereals, with the exception of durum wheat and durum wheat groats and meal, eggs and poultrymeat, ovalbumin and lactalbumin sectors,
- 1 November 1983 for the pigmeat sector,
- 16 December 1983 for the wine sector,
- 1 January 1984 for the fishery products sector,
- 1 July 1985 for the seeds sector,
- the beginning of the 1983/84 marketing year for other products for which there is a marketing year which has not yet started by 1 April 1983,
- 1 April 1983 in all other cases.

2. Until the dates given in point 1, the following rate shall apply:

1 ECU = 2.57524 German marks.

ANNEX IV

FRANCE

1. 1 ECU = 6.37174 French francs.

This rate shall apply from:

- 1 April 1983 for the milk and milk products sector,
- 4 April 1983 for the beef and veal sector,
- 4 April 1983 for the sheepmeat and goatmeat sector,
- 1 July 1983 for the sugar and isoglucose sector, and for durum wheat and durum wheat groats and meal,
- 1 August 1983 for the cereals, with the exception of durum wheat and durum wheat groats and meal, eggs and poultrymeat, ovalbumin and lactalbumin sectors,
- 1 July 1984 for the seeds sector,
- the beginning of the 1983/84 marketing year for other products which have a marketing year,
- 1 April 1983 in all other cases.

2. Until the dates given in point 1, the following rate shall apply:

1 ECU = 6.19564 French francs.

ANNEX V

GREECE

1. 1 ECU = 66.5526 Greek drachmas.

ANNEX VI

IRELAND

1 ECU = 0.691011 Irish pound.

ANNEX VII

ITALY

1 ECU = 1289.00 Italian lire.

ANNEX VIII
NETHERLANDS

1. 1 ECU = 2.69000 Dutch guilders.

This rate shall apply from:

- 1 April 1983 for the milk and milk products sector,
- 4 April 1983 for the beef and veal sector,
- 4 April 1983 for the sheepmeat and goatmeat sector,
- 1 July 1983 for the sugar and isoglucose sector, and for durum wheat and durum wheat groats and meal,
- 1 August 1983 for the cereals, with the exception of durum wheat and durum wheat groats and meal, eggs and poultrymeat, ovalbumin and lactalbumin sectors,
- 1 November 1983 for the pigmeat sector,
- 16 December 1983 for the wine sector,
- 1 January 1984 for the fishery products sector,
- 1 July 1985 for the seeds sector,
- the beginning of the 1983/84 marketing year for other products for which there is a marketing year which has not yet started by 1 April 1983,
- 1 April 1983 in all other cases.

2. Until the dates given in point 1, the following rate shall apply:

1 ECU = 2.75563 Dutch guilders.

ANNEX IX
UNITED KINGDOM

1. 1 ECU = 0.604167 pound sterling. (1)

This rate shall apply from:

- 1 April 1983 for the milk and milk products sector,
- 4 April 1983 for the beef and veal sector,
- 4 April 1983 for the sheepmeat and goatmeat sector,
- 1 July 1983 for the sugar and isoglucose sector, and for durum wheat and durum wheat groats and meal,
- 1 July 1983 for the seeds sector,
- 1 August 1983 for the cereals, with the exception of durum wheat and durum wheat groats and meal, eggs and poultrymeat, ovalbumin and lactalbumin sectors,
- 1 November 1983 for the pigmeat sector,
- 16 December 1983 for the wine sector,
- 1 January 1984 for the fishery products sector,
- the beginning of the 1983/84 marketing year for other products for which there is a marketing year which has not yet started by 1 April 1983,
- 1 April 1983 in all other cases.

2. Until the dates given in point 1, the following rate shall apply:

1 ECU = 0.618655 pound sterling.

(1) Calculated on the basis of the reference period 15 to 21 December 1982.

