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(Acts whose publication is obligatory)

REGULATION (EEC) No 596/73 OF THE COUNCIL
of 26 February 1973

amending Regulation (EEC) No 1675/72 for the purpose of fixing aid for seed for
the 1972/73 marketing year

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community ;

Having regard to the Treaty ⁽¹⁾ concerning the Accession of the new Member States to the European Economic Community and to the European Atomic Energy Community, signed at Brussels on 22 January 1972, and in particular Article 62 (1) of the Act ⁽²⁾ annexed thereto, hereinafter called the 'Act' ;

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission ;

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 1675/72 ⁽³⁾ fixed the amount of aid for seed in respect of the 1972/73 marketing year for the Community as originally constituted ; whereas, in accordance with Article 151 (1) of the Act, the aforesaid Regulation shall be applicable in the new Member States from 1 February 1973 ;

Whereas, Article 96 of the Act provides, however, that, where aid is granted for the production of seed, the amount of such aid may, in the case of the

new Member States, be fixed at a level different from that fixed for the Community as originally constituted ;

Whereas the income of producers in Ireland and the United Kingdom under the former national scheme was practically the same as that of producers in the Community as originally constituted ; whereas, on the contrary, in Denmark this income was appreciably different ; whereas it is opportune to fix the particular amount of such aid for this Member State, taking into account, on the one hand, the former income of seed producers and, on the other, the need to avoid all distortion in production patterns ;

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

With effect from 1 February 1973 the Annex to Regulation (EEC) No 1675/72 shall be replaced by the Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

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

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

Done at Brussels, 26 February 1973.

For the Council
The President
E. GLINNE

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 73, 27. 3. 1972, p. 5.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 73, 27. 3. 1972, p. 14.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 177, 4. 8. 1972, p. 3.

ANNEX

CCT heading No	Description of products	Amount of aid (u.a./100 kg)	
		Denmark	Other Member States
ex 12.03 C	(I) GRAMINEAE		
	Dactylis glomerata L.	22.5	25
	Festuca arundinacea Schreb.	22.5	25
	Festuca ovina L.	16	18
	Festuca pratensis Huds.	18	20
	Festuca rubra L.	16	18
	Lolium multiflorum Lam.	7	8
	Lolium perenne L. (late)	16	18
	Lolium perenne L. (other)	12.5	14
	Lolium × hybridum Hausskn.	7	8
	Phleum pratense L.	27	30
	Poa nemoralis L.	16	18
	Poa pratensis L.	16	18
	(II) LEGUMINOSAE		
	Medicago sativa L. (ecotypes)	4.5	5
	Medicago sativa L. (varieties)	5.5	6
	Trifolium pratense L.	9	10
	Trifolium repens L.	18	20
	Vicia sativa L.	7	8

REGULATION (EEC) No 597/73 OF THE COUNCIL
of 26 February 1973

**amending the Annex to Regulation (EEC) No 2358/71 on the common organization
of the market in seed and Regulation (EEC) No 1674/72 laying down general rules
for granting and financing aid for seed**

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the Euro-
pean Economic Community ;

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No
2358/71 ⁽¹⁾ of 26 October 1971 on the common
organization of the market in seeds, and in parti-
cular Article 3 (4) thereof ;

Having regard to the proposal from the Commis-
sion ;

Whereas Council Directive of 30 June 1969 ⁽²⁾ on
the marketing of seed of oil and fibre plants, as last
amended by the Directive of 6 December
1972 ⁽³⁾, lays down in Article 3 (1) that the seeds of
Linum usitatissimum L. partim-flax may be
marketed only if officially certified as 'basic seed' or
'certified seed' ;

Whereas the production of certified seeds is particu-
larly costly to the breeder because of the limited
market, and to the seed grower because of the poor
return on seed and of the problems involved in
ripping ; whereas, therefore, growers too often use
poor quality seed grown by themselves ;

Whereas, moreover, tall oakgrass (*Arrhenatherum
elatius* (L) J. et C. Presl.) falling under heading No
12.03 of the Common Customs Tariff is of consider-
able economic interest in certain areas ;

Whereas provision should therefore be made for
encouraging the production of basic and certified
seed of flax and tall oakgrass by granting aid ;
whereas this product should for that reason be
included in the Annex to Regulation (EEC) No
2358/71 ;

Whereas it is also necessary to amend Article 1 (1),
first indent, of Council Regulation (EEC) No
1674/72 ⁽⁴⁾ of 2 August 1972 laying down general

rules for granting and financing aid for seed, by
adding to it a reference to the Directive of 30 June
1969 referred to above ;

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

The Annex to Regulation (EEC) No 2358/71 is
amended by addition of the following headings :

CCT heading No	Description of goods
ex 12.01	<i>Linum usitatissimum</i> L. partim Flax
ex 12.03 C	<i>Arrhenatherum elatius</i> (L) J. et C. Presl. Tall oakgrass

Article 2

1. The following shall be substituted for the first
indent of Article 1 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1674/
72 :

— as defined in the Council Directive of 14
June 1966 ⁽³⁾ on the marketing of fodder
plant seed and by the Council Directive of
30 June 1969 ⁽⁴⁾ on the marketing of seed of
oil and fibre plants, as last amended by the
Council Directive of 6 December 1972 ⁽⁵⁾.

2. The footnote (4) in Regulation (EEC) No 1674/
72 is replaced by the following footnotes :

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 169, 10. 7. 1969, p. 3.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 287, 26. 12. 1972, p. 22'.

Article 3

This Regulation shall apply from 1 July 1973.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 246, 5. 11. 1971, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 169, 10. 7. 1969, p. 3.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 287, 26. 12. 1972, p. 22.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 177, 4. 8. 1972, p. 1.

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

Done at Brussels, 26 February 1973.

For the Council
The President
E. GLINNE

REGULATION (EEC) No 598/73 OF THE COMMISSION

of 26 February 1973

amending Regulation (EEC) No 1204/72 laying down detailed rules for the application
of the subsidy system for oil seedsTHE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,Having regard to the Treaty establishing the Euro-
pean Economic Community ;Having regard to Council Regulation No 136/
66/EEC ⁽¹⁾ of 22 September 1966 on the establish-
ment of a common organization of the market in
oils and fats, as last amended by the Act ⁽²⁾
annexed to the Treaty ⁽³⁾ concerning the Accession
of new Member States to the European Economic
Community and the European Atomic Energy
Community, signed at Brussels on 22 January 1972,
and in particular Article 27 (5) thereof ;Having regard to Council Regulation No 162/
66/EEC ⁽⁴⁾ of 27 October 1966 on trade in oils and
fats between the Community and Greece, and in
particular Article 8 thereof ;Whereas Article 28 (1) of Commission Regulation
(EEC) No 1204/72 ⁽⁵⁾ of 7 June 1972 laying down
rules for the application of the subsidy system for
oil seeds, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No
1559/72 ⁽⁶⁾, fixed the amount of the deposit referredto in Article 9 (2) of Council Regulation (EEC) No
2114/71 ⁽⁷⁾ of 28 September 1971 on the subsidy for
oil seeds, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No
2730/71 ⁽⁸⁾, whereas taking into account the level of
aid fixed during recent months it would be desirable
to reduce the amount required for the deposit ;Whereas the measures provided for in this Regula-
tion are in accordance with the Opinion of the
Management Committee for Oils and Fats ;

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

*Article 1*The figure of 12 units of account given in Article 28
(1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1204/72 is replaced by
7 units of account.*Article 2*This Regulation shall enter into force the third day
following its publication in the *Official Journal of
the European Communities*.This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member
States.

Done at Brussels, 26 February 1973.

*For the Commission**The President*

François-Xavier ORTOLI

⁽¹⁾ OJ No 172, 30. 9. 1966, p. 3025/66.⁽²⁾ OJ No L 73, 27. 3. 1972, p. 14.⁽³⁾ OJ No L 73, 27. 3. 1972, p. 5.⁽⁴⁾ OJ No 197, 29. 10. 1966, p. 3393/66.⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 133, 10. 6. 1972, p. 1.⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 165, 21. 7. 1972, p. 34.⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 222, 2. 10. 1971, p. 2.⁽⁸⁾ OJ No L 282, 23. 12. 1971, p. 18.

REGULATION (EEC) No 599/73 OF THE COMMISSION
of 1 March 1973
fixing the levies on cereals and on wheat or rye flour, groats and meal

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community;

Having regard to Council Regulation No 120/67/EEC ⁽¹⁾ of 13 June 1967 on the common organization of the market in cereals, as last amended by the Act ⁽²⁾ annexed to the Treaty ⁽³⁾ on the Accession of new Member States to the European Economic Community and the European Atomic Energy Community, signed at Brussels on 22 January 1972, and in particular Article 13 ⁽⁵⁾ thereof;

Having regard to the Opinion of the Monetary Committee;

Whereas the import levies on cereals, wheat and rye flour, and wheat groats and meal, were fixed by Regulation (EEC) No 244/73 ⁽⁴⁾ and subsequent amending Regulations;

Whereas, if the levy system is to operate normally, levies should be calculated on the basis of an exchange rate which is based, in the case of currencies which are floating or whose central rate differs from the official parity, on the effective rate or the

central rate of these currencies and, in the case of the US dollar, on the change in parity announced on 13 February 1973;

Whereas it follows from applying the provisions contained in Regulation (EEC) No 244/73 to the offer prices and today's quotations known to the Commission that the levies at present in force should be altered as shown in the Annex to this Regulation;

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The import levies to be charged on the products listed in Article 1 (a), (b) and (c) of Regulation No 120/67/EEC are hereby fixed as shown in the Table annexed to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 2 March 1973.

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

Done at Brussels, 1 March 1973.

For the Commission

P. J. LARDINOIS

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ No 117, 19. 6. 1967, p. 2269/67.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 73, 27. 3. 1972, p. 14.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 73, 27. 3. 1972, p. 5.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 30, 1. 2. 1973, p. 1.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 1 March 1973 fixing the levies on cereals and on wheat or rye flour, groats and meal

CCT heading No	Description of goods	u.a./ton
10.01 A	Common wheat, and meslin	48.36
10.01 B	Durum wheat	43.25 ⁽¹⁾ (⁴)
10.02	Rye	36.48 ⁽⁵⁾
10.03	Barley	29.59
10.04	Oats	20.57
10.05 B	Maize other than hybrid maize for sowing	38.20 ⁽²⁾ (³)
10.07 A	Buckwheat	0
10.07 B	Millet	29.47
10.07 C	Grain sorghum	33.48
10.07 D	Canary seed; other cereals	0 ⁽⁴⁾
11.01 A	Wheat or meslin flour	86.46
11.01 B	Rye flour	61.45
11.02 A I a	Durum wheat groats and meal	75.90
11.02 A I b	Common wheat groats and meal	92.53

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

⁽²⁾ Where maize originating in the AASM and OCT is imported into the French Overseas Departments, the levy is reduced by 6 u.a./metric ton.

⁽³⁾ Where maize originating in Tanzania, Uganda and Kenya is imported into the Community, the levy is reduced by 1 u.a./metric ton.

⁽⁴⁾ Where wheat and canary seed produced in Turkey are transported directly from that country to the Community, the levy is reduced by 0.50 u.a./metric ton.

⁽⁵⁾ The import levy charged on rye produced in Turkey and transported directly from that country to the Community is laid down in Council Regulation (EEC) No 1234/71 and Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2622/71.

REGULATION (EEC) No 600/73 OF THE COMMISSION
of 1 March 1973
fixing the premiums to be added to the levies on cereals and malt

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community;

Having regard to Council Regulation No 120/67/EEC ⁽¹⁾ of 13 June 1967 on the common organization of the market in cereals, as last amended by the Act ⁽²⁾ annexed to the Treaty ⁽³⁾ on the Accession of new Member States to the European Economic Community and the European Atomic Energy Community, signed at Brussels on 22 January 1972, and in particular Article 15 (6) thereof ;

Having regard to the Opinion of the Monetary Committee ;

Whereas the premiums to be added to the levies on cereals and malt were fixed by Regulation (EEC) No 1631/72 ⁽⁴⁾ and subsequent amending Regulations;

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

exchange rate which is based, in the case of currencies which are floating or whose central rate differs from the official parity, on the effective rate or the central rate of these currencies and, in the case of the US dollar, on the change in parity announced on 13 February 1973 ;

Whereas, on the basis of today's cif prices and cif forward delivery prices, the premiums at present in force, which are to be added to the levies, should be altered as shown in the Tables annexed to this Regulation;

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

The scale of the premiums to be added, pursuant to Article 15 of Regulation No 120/67/EEC, to the import levies fixed in advance in respect of cereals and malt is hereby fixed as shown in the Tables annexed to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 2 March 1973.

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

Done at Brussels, 1 March 1973.

For the Commission

P. J. LARDINOIS

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ No 117, 19. 6. 1967, p. 2269/67.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 73, 27. 3. 1972, p. 14.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 73, 27. 3. 1972, p. 5.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 174, 1. 8. 1972, p. 3.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 1 March 1973 fixing the premiums to be added to the levies on cereals and malt

A. Cereals ⁽¹⁾

(u.a./ton)

CCT heading No	Description of goods	Current 3	1st period 4	2nd period 5	3rd period 6
10.01 A	Common wheat, and meslin	0	0.21	0.21	1.46
10.01 B	Durum wheat	0	0	0	3.73
10.02	Rye	0	3.90	3.90	7.21
10.03	Barley	0	1.66	1.66	8.70
10.04	Oats	0	0	0	11.19
10.05 B	Maize other than hybrid maize for sowing	0	0	0	0
10.07 A	Buckwheat	0	0	0	0
10.07 B	Millet	0	0	0	0
10.07 C	Grain sorghum	0	0.83	0.83	0.83
10.07 D	Other	0	0	0	0

⁽¹⁾ The period of validity of the licence is limited to thirty days in accordance with Regulation (EEC) No 2196/71 (OJ No L 231, 14. 10. 1971, p. 28).

B. Malt

(u.a./100 kg)

CCT heading No	Description of goods	Current 3	1st period 4	2nd period 5	3rd period 6	4th period 7
11.07 A I (a)	Unroasted malt, obtained from wheat, in the form of flour	0	0.037	0.037	0.260	0.260
11.07 A I (b)	Unroasted malt, obtained from wheat, other than in the form of flour	0	0.028	0.028	0.194	0.194
11.07 A II (a)	Unroasted malt, other than that obtained from wheat, in the form of flour	0	0.295	0.295	1.549	1.549
11.07 A II (b)	Unroasted malt, other than that obtained from wheat, other than in the form of flour	0	0.221	0.221	1.157	1.157
11.07 B	Roasted malt	0	0.257	0.257	1.349	1.349

REGULATION (EEC) No 601/73 OF THE COMMISSION

of 1 March 1973

fixing the corrective amount applicable to the refund on cereals

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community ;

Having regard to Council Regulation No 120/67/EEC ⁽¹⁾ of 13 June 1967 on the common organization of the market in cereals, as last amended by the Act ⁽²⁾ annexed to the Treaty ⁽³⁾ on the Accession of new Member States to the European Economic Community and the European Atomic Energy Community, signed at Brussels on 22 January 1972, and in particular the third sentence of the first subparagraph of Article 16 (4) thereof ;

Having regard to the Opinion of the Monetary Committee ;

Whereas Article 16 (4) of Regulation No 120/67/EEC provides that the export refund applicable to cereals on the day on which application for an export licence is made, adjusted for the threshold price in force during the month of exportation must be applied on request to exports to be effected during the period of validity of the export licence ; whereas, in this case, a corrective amount must be applied to the refund ;

Whereas Regulation No 633/67/EEC ⁽⁴⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1461/72 ⁽⁵⁾, lays down detailed rules for the advance fixing of the export refund on cereals ;

Whereas that Regulation provides that the refund applicable on the day on which application for a export licence is made must when the refund is fixed in advance, be reduced by not more than the difference between the cif forward delivery price and the cif price where the former exceeds the latter by more than one unit of account per metric ton ; whereas, on the other hand, the refund must be increased by not more than the difference between the cif price and the cif forward delivery price where the former exceeds the latter by more than one unit of account per metric ton ;

Whereas the cif price is that determined in accordance with Article 13 of Regulation No 120/67/EEC ; whereas the cif forward delivery price is that determined in accordance with Article 3 (2) of Regulation No 140/67/EEC ⁽⁶⁾, as amended

by Regulation (EEC) No 2435/70 ⁽⁷⁾, based, in respect of each month for which the export licence is valid, on the cif price calculated on the basis of offers for shipment during the month of exportation ;

Whereas the corrective amount so fixed will be altered if application of the calculation procedure described above entails a change in that amount of more than 0.125 units of account ;

Whereas however Article 2 of Regulation No 633/67/EEC provides that the corrective amount applicable to the amount of the refund fixed in advance on exports to be effected after the third month following that during which the licence was issued should be fixed on the basis of foreseeable market trends ; whereas to this end account should be taken of availabilities and foreseeable trends on the Community market and of forward trends on the world market, in particular on those markets whose specific requirements have made it necessary to vary the refund ;

Whereas, if the refund system is to operate normally, refunds should be calculated on the basis of an exchange rate which is based, in the case of currencies which are floating or whose central rate differs from the official parity, on the effective rate or the central rate of these currencies and, in the case of the US dollar, on the change in parity announced on 13 February 1973 ;

Whereas it follows from applying all these provisions that the corrective amount must be fixed as shown in the Table annexed to this Regulation ;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the Opinion of the Management Committee for Cereals ;

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

The corrective amount referred to in Article 16 (4) of Regulation No 120/67/EEC which is applicable to export refunds fixed in advance in respect of cereals is hereby fixed as shown in the Table annexed to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 2 March 1973.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 262, 3. 12. 1970, p. 3.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No 117, 19. 6. 1967, p. 2269/67.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 73, 27. 3. 1972, p. 14.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 73, 27. 3. 1972, p. 5.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No 233, 28. 9. 1967, p. 9.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 155, 11. 7. 1972, p. 35.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No 125, 26. 6. 1967, p. 2456/67.

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

Done at Brussels, 1 March 1973.

For the Commission

P. J. LARDINOIS

Member of the Commission

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 1 March 1973 fixing the corrective amount applicable to the refund on cereals

(u.a./ton)

CCT heading No	Description of goods	Current 3	1st period 4	2nd period 5	3rd period 6	4th period 7	5th period 8	6th period 9
10.01 A	Common wheat, and meslin	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10.01 B	Durum wheat	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10.02	Rye	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10.03	Barley	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10.04	Oats	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10.05 B	Maize other than hybrid maize for sowing	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10.07 C	Grain sorghum	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

NB : The zones are those defined in the Annex to Regulation (EEC) No 941/72 (OJ No L 107, 6. 5. 1972).

REGULATION (EEC) No 602/73 OF THE COMMISSION

of 1 March 1973

fixing the refunds applicable to cereals and wheat or rye flour, groats and meal

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community ;

Having regard to Council Regulation No 120/67/EEC ⁽¹⁾ of 13 June 1967 on the common organization of the market in cereals, as last amended by the Act ⁽²⁾ annexed to the Treaty ⁽³⁾ on the Accession of new Member States to the European Economic Community and the European Atomic Energy Community, signed at Brussels on 22 January 1972, and in particular the first sentence of the fourth subparagraph of Article 16 (2) thereof;

Having regard to the Opinion of the Monetary Committee ;

Whereas Article 16 of Regulation No 120/67/EEC provides that the difference between quotations or prices on the world market for the products listed in Article 1 of that Regulation and prices for those products in the Community may be covered by an export refund ;

Whereas Article 2 of Council Regulation No 139/67/EEC ⁽⁴⁾ of 21 June 1967 laying down general rules for granting export refunds on cereals and criteria for fixing the amount of such refunds provides that when refunds are being fixed account must be taken of the existing situation and the future trend within regard to prices and availabilities of cereals on the Community market on the one hand and prices for cereals and cereal products on the world market on the other ; whereas the same article provides that it is also important to ensure equilibrium and the natural development of prices and trade on cereal markets and, furthermore, to take into account the economic aspect of the proposed exports and the need to avoid disturbances on the Community market ;

Whereas Article 3 of Regulation No 139/67/EEC defines the specific criteria to be taken into account when the refund on cereals is being calculated ;

Whereas these specific criteria are defined, as far as wheat and rye flour, groats and meal are concerned,

in Article 4 of Regulation No 139/67/EEC ; whereas, furthermore, when the refund on these products is being calculated, account must be taken of the quantities of cereals required for their manufacture ; whereas these quantities were fixed in Regulation No 162/67/EEC ⁽⁵⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1607/71 ⁽⁶⁾ ;

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

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

Whereas, if the refund system is to operate normally, refunds should be calculated on the basis of an exchange rate which is based, in the case of currencies which are floating or whose central rate differs from the official parity, on the effective rate or the central rate of these currencies and, in the case of the US dollar, on the change in parity announced on 13 February 1973 ;

Whereas it follows from applying these rules and criteria to the present situation on the market in cereals and in particular to quotations or prices for these products within the Community and on the world market that the refund should be fixed at the amounts shown in the Annex to this Regulation ;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the Opinion of the Management Committee for Cereals ;

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

The refunds on the products listed in Article 1 (a), (b) and (c) of Regulation No 120/67/EEC, exported in the natural state, are hereby fixed as shown in the Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 2 March 1973.

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

Done at Brussels, 1 March 1973.

For the Commission

P. J. LARDINOIS

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ No 117, 19. 6. 1967, p. 2269/67.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 73, 27. 3. 1972, p. 14.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 73, 27. 3. 1972, p. 5.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No 125, 26. 6. 1967, p. 2453/67.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No 128, 27. 6. 1967, p. 2574/67.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 168, 27. 7. 1971, p. 16.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 1 March 1973 fixing the refunds applicable to cereals and certain categories of wheat or rye flour, groats and meal

CCT heading No	Description of products	(u.a./ton) Refund
10.01 A	Common wheat ⁽¹⁾ , and meslin : for exports to : — Austria, Liechtenstein and Switzerland — other third countries	10.00 1.00
10.01 B	Durum wheat	1.00
10.02	Rye ⁽¹⁾	25.00
10.03	Barley	1.00
10.04	Oats	1.00
10.05 B	Maize (other than hybrid maize for sowing)	1.00
10.07 C	Grain sorghum	1.00
ex 11.01 A	Wheat flour ⁽²⁾ : — of an ash content of 0 to 520 : — for exports to : — Zone I a) and Zone V a) excluding Nigeria — Zone IV — Zones V b), VI, VII, I c) and Nigeria — other third countries — of an ash content of 521 to 600 — of an ash content of 601 to 900 — of an ash content of 901 to 1 100 : — for exports to : — Zones V b), VI and VII — other third countries — of an ash content of 1 101 to 1 650 — of an ash content of 1 651 to 1 900	44.00 49.00 47.00 38.00 34.25 29.50 36.80 24.80 20.60 15.00
ex 11.01 B	Rye flour : — of an ash content of 0 to 700 — of an ash content of 701 to 1 150 — of an ash content of 1 151 to 1 600 — of an ash content of 1 601 to 2 000	59.00 52.25 39.75 31.00

CCT heading No	Description of products	(u.a./ton) Refund
11.02 A I a	Durum wheat groats and meal :	
	— of an ash content of 0 to 950 :	
	-- for exports to :	
	— Zones V b), VI, VII a) and I c)	47.00
	— Zones I a) and V a)	44.00
	— other third countries	38.00
	— of an ash content of 951 to 1 300 :	
	— for exports to :	
	— Zone V a)	36.80
	— other third countries	30.80
11.02 A I b	— of an ash content of 1 301 to 1 500 :	
	— for exports to :	
	— Zone V a)	29.15
	— other third countries	23.15
	Common wheat groats and meal ⁽²⁾ :	
	— of an ash content of 0 to 520 :	
	— for exports to :	
	— Zones V b), VI and I c)	47.00
	— Zones I a) and V a)	44.00
	— other third countries	38.00

(¹) The refund is granted solely in respect of common wheat and rye which has not been denatured pursuant to Article 7 (3) and (5) of Regulation No 120/67/EEC.

(²) The refund is granted solely in respect of common wheat flour, groats and meal manufactured from common wheat which has not been denatured pursuant to Article 7 (3) and (5) of Regulation No 120/67/EEC.

N.B. : The zones are those defined in the Annex to Regulation (EEC) No 941/72 (OJ No L 107, 6. 5. 1972).

The amount by which the refund may be increased pursuant to Article 1 of Regulation No 587/67/EEC is 2 u.a./ton.

REGULATION (EEC) No 603/73 OF THE COMMISSION
of 1 March 1973

fixing the levies on rice and broken rice

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community ;

Having regard to Council Regulation No 359/67/EEC ⁽¹⁾ of 25 July 1967 on the common organization of the market in rice, as last amended by the Act ⁽²⁾ annexed to the Treaty ⁽³⁾ on the Accession of new Member States to the European Economic Community and the European Atomic Energy Community, signed at Brussels on 22 January 1972, and in particular Article 11 ⁽⁵⁾ thereof ;

Having regard to the Opinion of the Monetary Committee ;

Whereas the import levies on rice and broken rice were fixed by Regulation (EEC) No 247/73 ⁽⁴⁾ and subsequent amending Regulations ;

Whereas, if the levy system is to operate normally, levies should be calculated on the basis of an exchange rate which is based, in the case of currencies which are floating or whose central rate differs from the official parity, on the effective rate or the

central rate of these currencies and, in the case of the US dollar, on the change in parity announced on 13 February 1973 ;

Whereas it follows from applying the rules and other provisions contained in Regulation (EEC) No 247/73 to the offer prices and today's quotations known to the Commission that the levies at present in force should be altered as shown in the Table annexed to this Regulation ;

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

The import levies to be charged on the products listed in Article 1 (1) (a) and (b) of Regulation No 359/67/EEC are hereby fixed as shown in the Table annexed to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 2 March 1973.

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

Done at Brussels, 1 March 1973.

For the Commission

P. J. LARDINOIS

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ No 174, 31. 7. 1967, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 73, 27. 3. 1972, p. 14.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 73, 27. 3. 1972, p. 5.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 30, 1. 2. 1973, p. 7.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 1 March 1973 fixing the levies on rice and broken rice

CCT heading No	Description of goods	Third countries	AASM/ OCT (*) (%)
10.06	Rice :		
	A. Paddy rice ; husked rice :		
	I. Paddy rice :		
	a) Round grained	0	0
	b) Long grained	0	0
	II. Husked rice :		
	a) Round grained	0	0
	b) Long grained	0	0
	B. Semi-milled or wholly milled rice :		
	I. Semi-milled rice :		
	a) Round grained	2·573	0·761
	b) Long grained	2·220	0·569
	II. Wholly milled rice :		
	a) Round grained	2·740	0·815
	b) Long grained	2·380	0·617
	C. Broken rice	0·900	0·275

(¹) Regulation (EEC) No 521/70 provides that the levies are not applied to imports into the French overseas departments of products originating in the AASM and OCT.

(2) This levy is applicable only to imports fulfilling the conditions laid down in Article 2 of Regulation (EEC) No 540/70.

REGULATION (EEC) No 604/73 OF THE COMMISSION

of 1 March 1973

fixing the premiums to be added to the levies on rice and broken rice

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community ;

Having regard to Council Regulation No 359/67/EEC ⁽¹⁾ of 25 July 1967 on the common organization of the market in rice, as last amended by the Act ⁽²⁾ annexed to the Treaty ⁽³⁾ on the Accession of new Member States to the European Economic Community and the European Atomic Energy Community, signed at Brussels on 22 January 1972, and in particular Article 13 ⁽⁶⁾ thereof ;

Having regard to the Opinion of the Monetary Committee ;

Whereas the premiums to be added to the import levies fixed in advance for rice and broken rice must include a premium for the current month and a premium for each of the following months until the expiry of the period of validity of the import licence; whereas this period of validity was laid down in Article 20 (2) of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2637/70 ⁽⁴⁾ of 23 December 1970, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 128/73 ⁽⁵⁾ ;

Whereas Council Regulation No 365/67/EEC ⁽⁶⁾ of 25 July 1967, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2435/70 ⁽⁷⁾, lays down rules for the advance fixing of levies on rice and broken rice ;

Whereas under the terms of Regulation No 365/67/EEC, where the cif price for husked rice, for milled rice or for broken rice determined on the day on which the premiums are fixed is higher than the cif forward delivery price for the same product, the premium should as a general rule be equal to the difference between these two prices ; whereas the cif price is that determined in accordance with Article 16 of Regulation No 359/67/EEC on the day

on which the premiums are fixed ; whereas the detailed rules for determining cif prices were laid down in Regulation (EEC) No 1613/71 ⁽⁸⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 363/72 ⁽⁹⁾ ; whereas the cif forward delivery price must also be determined in accordance with Article 16 of Regulation No 359/67/EEC but on the basis of offers at North Sea ports ; whereas this price must be the cif price for shipment during the month in which the import licence is issued in the case of imports to be effected during that month ; whereas this price must be the cif price for shipment during the month in which importation is expected to take place in the case of imports to be effected during the month following the month in which the import licence is issued ; whereas this price must be the cif price for shipment during the month preceding the month in which importation is expected to take place in the case of imports to be effected during the remaining months for which the import licence is valid ; whereas, if no offer for forward delivery is made for shipment during a given month, this price should be the price ruling for shipment during the last month in which an offer for forward delivery was made ;

Whereas the premium is equal to 0 units of account if the cif price determined on the day on which the scale of the premiums is fixed is equal to the cif forward delivery price or exceeds that price by not more than 0.025 unit of account per 100 kilograms ;

Whereas the premium may, however, be fixed at a higher level in exceptional circumstances and within certain specified limits ;

Whereas, if the levy system is to operate normally, levies should be calculated on the basis of an exchange rate which is based, in the case of currencies which are floating or whose central rate differs from the official parity, on the effective rate or the central rate of these currencies and, in the case of the US dollar, on the change in parity announced on 13 February 1973 ;

Whereas it follows from applying all these provisions that the premiums should be fixed as shown in the Table annexed to this Regulation ; whereas the amount of the premiums should be altered only if application of the abovementioned provisions entails a change of more than 0.025 unit of account ;

⁽¹⁾ OJ No 174, 31. 7. 1967, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 73, 27. 3. 1972, p. 14.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 73, 27. 3. 1972, p. 5.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 283, 29. 12. 1970, p. 15.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 17, 20. 1. 1973, p. 16.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No 174, 31. 7. 1967, p. 32.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 262, 3. 12. 1970, p. 3.

⁽⁸⁾ OJ No L 168, 27. 7. 1971, p. 28.

⁽⁹⁾ OJ No L 46, 22. 2. 1972, p. 9.

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

are hereby fixed as shown in the Table annexed to this Regulation.

Article 1

The premiums to be added to the import levies fixed in advance in respect of rice and broken rice

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 2 March 1973.

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

Done at Brussels, 1 March 1973.

For the Commission

P. J. LARDINOIS

Member of the Commission

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 1 March 1973 fixing the premiums to be added to the levies on rice and broken rice ⁽¹⁾

(u.a./100 kg)					
CCT heading No	Description of goods	Current 3	1st period 4	2nd period 5	3rd period 6
10.06	Rice :				
	A. Paddy rice ; husked rice :				
	I. Paddy rice :				
	a) Round grained	0	0	0	—
	b) Long grained	0	0	0	0
	II. Husked rice :				
	a) Round grained	0	0	0	—
	b) Long grained	0	0	0	0
	B. Semi-milled or wholly milled rice :				
	I. Semi-milled rice :				
	a) Round grained	0	0	0	—
	b) Long grained	0	4.720	4.720	4.720
	II. Wholly milled rice :				
	a) Round grained	0	0	0	—
	b) Long grained	0	5.060	5.060	5.060
	C. Broken rice :	0	0	0	0

⁽¹⁾ The period of validity of the licence is limited in accordance with Regulation (EEC) No 2196/71, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 538/73.

REGULATION (EEC) No 605/73 OF THE COMMISSION
of 1 March 1973
fixing the export refunds on rice and broken rice

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community ;

Having regard to Council Regulation No 359/67/EEC ⁽¹⁾ of 25 July 1967 on the common organization of the market in rice, as last amended by the Act ⁽²⁾ annexed to the Treaty ⁽³⁾ on the Accession of new Member States to the European Economic Community and the European Atomic Energy Community, signed at Brussels on 22 January 1972, and in particular the first sentence of the fourth subparagraph of Article 17 (2) thereof ;

Having regard to the Opinion of the Monetary Committee ;

Whereas Article 17 of Regulation No 359/67/EEC provides that the difference between quotations or prices on the world market for the products listed in Article 1 of that Regulation and prices for those products within the Community may be covered by an export refund ;

Whereas Article 2 of Council Regulation No 366/67/EEC ⁽⁴⁾ of 25 July 1967 laying down general rules for granting export refunds on rice and criteria for fixing the amount of such refunds, as amended by Regulation No 1019/67/EEC ⁽⁵⁾, provides that when refunds are being fixed account must be taken of the existing situation and the future trend with regard to prices and availabilities of rice and broken rice on the Community market on the one hand and prices for rice and broken rice on the world market on the other ; whereas the same Article provides that it is also important to ensure equilibrium and the natural development of prices and trade on the rice market and, furthermore, to take into account the economic aspect of the proposed exports and the need to avoid disturbance of the Community market ;

Whereas Regulation No 669/67/EEC ⁽⁶⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1057/68 ⁽⁷⁾, lays down the maximum percentage of broken rice allowed in rice for which an export refund is fixed and specifies the

percentage by which that refund is to be reduced where the proportion of broken rice in the rice exported exceeds that maximum ;

Whereas Article 3 of Regulation No 366/67/EEC defines the specific criteria to be taken into account when the export refund on rice and broken rice is being calculated ;

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

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

Whereas, if the refund system is to operate normally, refunds should be calculated on the basis of an exchange rate which is based, in the case of currencies which are floating or whose central rate differs from the official parity, on the effective rate or the central rate of these currencies and, in the case of the US dollar, on the change in parity announced on 13 February 1973 ;

Whereas it follows from applying these rules and criteria to the present situation on the market in rice and in particular to quotations or prices for rice and broken rice within the Community and on the world market that the refund should be fixed at the amounts shown in the Annex to this Regulation ;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the Opinion of the Management Committee for Cereals ;

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

The refunds on the products listed in Article 1 of Regulation No 359/67/EEC with the exception of those listed in paragraph 1 (c) of that Article, exported in the natural state, are hereby fixed as shown in the Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 2 March 1973.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No 174, 31. 7. 1967, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 73, 27. 3. 1972, p. 14.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 73, 27. 3. 1972, p. 5.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No 174, 31. 7. 1967, p. 34.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No 311, 21. 12. 1967, p. 13.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No 241, 5. 10. 1967, p. 6.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 179, 25. 7. 1968, p. 31.

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

Done at Brussels, 1 March 1973.

For the Commission

P. J. LARDINOIS

Member of the Commission

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 1 March 1973 fixing the export refunds on rice and broken rice

CCT heading No	Description of goods	(u.a./100 kg) Amount of refund
10.06	Rice : A. Paddy rice ; husked rice : I. II. Husked rice : a) Round grained b) Long grained B. Semi-milled or wholly milled rice : I. Semi-milled rice : a) Round grained b) Long grained . II. Wholly milled rice : a) Round grained b) Long grained	— — — — — — — —

The amount by which the refunds may be increased pursuant to Article 1 of Regulation No 719/67/EEC is 0.20 u.a./100 kg.

REGULATION (EEC) No 606/73 OF THE COMMISSION

of 1 March 1973

fixing the corrective amount applicable to the refund on rice and broken rice

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community ;

Having regard to Council Regulation No 359/67/EEC ⁽¹⁾ of 25 July 1967 on the common organization of the market in rice, as last amended by the Act ⁽²⁾ annexed to the Treaty ⁽³⁾ on the Accession of new Member States to the European Economic Community and the European Atomic Energy Community, signed at Brussels on 22 January 1972, and in particular the first subparagraph of Article 17 ⁽⁴⁾ thereof ;

Having regard to the Opinion of the Monetary Committee ;

Whereas the first subparagraph of Article 17 (4) of Regulation No 359/67/EEC provides that the export refund applicable to rice and broken rice on the day on which application for an export licence is made, adjusted for the threshold price which will be in force during the month of exportation, must be applied on request to exports to be effected during the period of validity of the licence ;

Whereas Regulation No 474/67/EEC ⁽⁴⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1397/68 ⁽⁵⁾, lays down detailed rules for the advance fixing of the export refund on rice and broken rice ;

Whereas that Regulation provides that the refund applicable on the day on which application for an export licence is made must, when it is fixed in advance, be reduced by an amount no greater than the difference between the cif forward delivery price and the cif price, where the former exceeds the latter by more than 0.025 unit of account per 100 kilogrammes ; whereas, on the other hand, the refund must be increased by an amount no greater than the difference between the cif price and the cif forward delivery price, where the former exceeds the

latter by more than 0.025 unit of account per 100 kilogrammes ;

Whereas the cif price is that determined in accordance with Article 16 of Regulation No 359/67/EEC ; whereas the cif forward delivery price is that determined in accordance with Article 3 (2) of Regulation No 365/67/EEC ⁽⁶⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2435/70 ⁽⁷⁾, based, in respect of each month for which the export licence is valid, on the cif price calculated on the basis of offers for shipment during the month of exportation ;

Whereas, if the refund system is to operate normally, refunds should be calculated on the basis of an exchange rate which is based, in the case of currencies which are floating or whose central rate differs from the official parity, on the effective rate or the central rate of these currencies and, in the case of the US dollar, on the change in parity announced on 13 February 1973 ;

Whereas it follows from applying all these provisions that the corrective amount applicable on 2 March 1973 must be fixed as shown in the Table annexed to this Regulation ;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the Opinion of the Management Committee for Cereals ;

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

The corrective amount referred to in Article 17 (4) of Regulation No 359/67/EEC which is applicable to the export refunds fixed in advance in respect of rice and broken rice is hereby fixed as shown in the Table annexed to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 2 March 1973.

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

Done at Brussels, 1 March 1973.

For the Commission

P. J. LARDINOIS

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ No 174, 31. 7. 1967, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 73, 27. 3. 1972, p. 14.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 73, 27. 3. 1972, p. 5.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No 204, 24. 8. 1967, p. 20.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 222, 10. 9. 1968, p. 6.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No 174, 31. 7. 1967, p. 32.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 262, 3. 12. 1970, p. 1.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 1 March 1973 fixing the corrective amount applicable to the refund on rice and broken rice

(u.a./100 kg)							
CCT heading No	Description of goods	Current 3	1st period 4	2nd period 5	3rd period 6	4th period 7	5th period 8
10.06	Rice :						
	A. Paddy rice ; husked rice :						
	I. Paddy rice :						
	a) Round grained	—	—	—	—	—	—
	b) Long grained	—	—	—	—	—	—
	II. Husked rice :						
	a) Round grained	—	—	—	—	—	—
	b) Long grained	—	—	—	—	—	—
	B. Semi-milled or wholly milled rice :						
	I. Semi-milled rice :						
	a) Round grained	—	—	—	—	—	—
	b) Long grained	—	—	—	—	—	—
	II. Wholly milled rice :						
	a) Round grained	—	—	—	—	—	—
	b) Long grained	—	—	—	—	—	—
	C. Broken rice	—	—	—	—	—	—

REGULATION (EEC) No 607/73 OF THE COMMISSION
of 1 March 1973

fixing the import levies on white sugar and raw sugar

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community;

Having regard to Council Regulation No 1009/67/EEC ⁽¹⁾ of 18 December 1967 on the common organization of the market in sugar, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 174/73 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 14 (7) thereof;

Having regard to the Opinion of the Monetary Committee ;

Whereas the import levies on white sugar and raw sugar were fixed by Regulation (EEC) No 254/73 ⁽³⁾ and subsequent amending Regulations ;

Whereas, if the levy system is to operate normally, levies should be calculated on the basis of an exchange rate which is based, in the case of currencies which are floating or whose central rate differs from the official parity, on the effective rate or the central rate of these currencies and, in the case of

the US dollar, on the change in parity announced on 13 February 1973 ;

Whereas it follows from applying the rules and other provisions contained in Regulation (EEC) No 254/73 to the information at present available to the Commission that the levies at present in force should be altered as shown in the Annex to this Regulation;

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

The levies referred to in Article 14 (1) of Regulation No 1009/67/EEC are, in respect of white sugar and standard quality raw sugar, hereby fixed as shown in the Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 2 March 1973.

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

Done at Brussels, 1 March 1973.

For the Commission

P. J. LARDINOIS

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ No 308, 18. 12. 1967, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 25, 30. 1. 1973, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 30, 1. 2. 1973, p. 30.

ANNEX

CCT heading No	Description of goods	(u.a./100 kg) Levy
17.01	Beet sugar and cane sugar, solid : A. Denatured : I. White sugar II. Raw sugar B. Undenatured : I. White sugar II. Raw sugar	5.13 5.29 ⁽¹⁾ 5.13 5.29 ⁽¹⁾

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

REGULATION (EEC) No 608/73 OF THE COMMISSION

of 1 March 1973

fixing the import levies on calves and adult bovine animals and on beef and veal other than frozen

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community ;

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 805/68 ⁽¹⁾ of 27 June 1968 on the common organization of the market in beef and veal, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 187/73 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Articles 10 (6) and 12 (7) thereof ;

Having regard to the Opinion of the Monetary Committee ;

Whereas the import levies on calves and adult bovine animals and on beef and veal other than frozen were fixed by Regulation (EEC) No 321/73 ⁽³⁾ and subsequent amending Regulations ;

Whereas, if the levy system is to operate normally, levies should be calculated on the basis of an exchange rate which is based, in the case of currencies which are floating or whose central rate differs from the official parity, on the effective rate or the central rate of these currencies and, in the case of the US dollar, on the change in parity announced on 13 February 1973 ;

Whereas it follows from applying the rules and other provisions contained in Regulation (EEC) No 321/73 to the quotations and other information known to the Commission that the levies at present in force should be altered as shown in the Annex to this Regulation;

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

The levies referred to in Articles 10 and 12 of Regulation (EEC) No 805/68 are hereby fixed as shown in the Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

To be classified as products falling within subheadings Nos 02.01 A II a) 1 aa) and 02.01 A II a) 1 bb), products must correspond to the definitions contained in Articles 1a and 2 of Regulation (EEC) No 1025/68 ⁽⁴⁾.

Article 3

This Regulation shall enter into force on 5 March 1973.

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

Done at Brussels, 1 March 1973.

For the Commission

P. J. LARDINOIS

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 148, 28. 6. 1968, p. 24.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 25, 30. 1. 1973, p. 23.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 36, 8. 2. 1973, p. 24.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 174, 23. 7. 1968, p. 9.

ANNEX

Levies applicable from 5 March 1973 to imports from third countries ⁽¹⁾

CCT heading No	Description of goods	Levy in u.a./100 kg
01.02	Live animals of the bovine species :	Live weight
	A. Domestic species :	
	II. Other :	
	a) Calves	0 (b)
	b) Other :	
	1. Cows for immediate slaughter, the meat of which is intended for processing (a)	0
02.01	2. Other :	
	aa) Not yet having any permanent teeth, of a weight of not less than 350 kg but not more than 450 kg in the case of male animals, or of not less than 320 kg but not more than 420 kg in the case of female animals (c)	0
	bb) Other	0 (b)
	Meat and edible offals of the animals falling within heading No 01.01, 01.02, 01.03 or 01.04, fresh, chilled or frozen :	Net weight
	A. Meat :	
	II. Of bovine animals :	
	a) Of domestic bovine animals :	
	1. Fresh or chilled :	
	aa) Of calves :	
	11. Carcasses and half-carcasses	0
	22. Separated or unseparated forequarters	0
	33. Separated or unseparated hindquarters	0
	bb) Of adult animals :	
	11. Carcasses, half-carcasses or 'compensated' quarters :	
	aaa) Carcasses of a weight of not less than 180 kg but not more than 270 kg and half-carcasses or 'compensated' quarters, of a weight of not less than 90 kg but not more than 135 kg, with a low degree of ossification of the cartilages (more especially those of the symphysis pubis and the vertebral apophyses), the meat of which is of a light pink colour and the fat of which, of extremely fine structure, is white to light yellow in colour (c)	0
	bbb) Other	0
	22. Forequarters :	
	aaa) Of a weight of not less than 45 kg but not more than 68 kg, with a low degree of ossification of the cartilages (more especially those of the vertebral apophyses), the meat of which is of a light pink colour and the fat of which, of extremely fine structure, is white to light yellow in colour (c)	0
	bbb) Other	0

CCT heading No	Description of goods	Levy in u.a./100 kg
02.01 (cont'd)	33. Hindquarters :	Net weight
	aaa) Of a weight of not less than 45 kg but not more than 68 kg (not less than 38 kg but not more than 61 kg in the case of 'Pistola' cuts), with a low degree of ossification of the cartilages (more especially those of the vertebral apophyses), the meat of which is of a light pink colour and the fat of which, of extremely fine structure, is white to light yellow in colour (c)	0
	bbb) Other	0
	cc) Other cuts of veal and beef :	
	11. Unboned (bone-in)	0
02.06	22. Boned or boneless	0
	Meat and edible meat offals (except poultry liver), salted, in brine, dried or smoked :	
	C. Other :	
	1. Of domestic bovine animals :	
	a) Meat :	
	1. Unboned (bone-in)	0
	2. Boned or boneless	0

(¹) Regulation (EEC) No 521/70 provides that the levies are not applied to imports into the French overseas departments of products originating in the AASM and OCT.

(a) Entry under this subheading is subject to conditions to be determined by the competent authorities and to the special conditions at present applicable to cows imported under the bilateral agreement on cattle for the food processing industry between the European Communities and Austria.

(b) Where these products are imported under the conditions set out in Article 11 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 805/68 of 27 June 1968 and in the provisions adopted for its application, the levy is either refunded or not collected in accordance with those provisions.

(c) Entry under this subheading is subject to the production of the certificate referred to in paragraph 2 (c) of Protocol No 1 annexed to the trade agreement between the EEC and the Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia.

REGULATION (EEC) No 609/73 OF THE COMMISSION

of 28 February 1973

fixing the rates of the refunds applicable from 1 March 1973 to certain milk products
exported in the form of goods not covered by Annex II to the Treaty

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the Euro-
pean 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 the Act ⁽²⁾ annexed to the Treaty ⁽³⁾ on
the Accession of new Member States to the European
Economic Community and the European Atomic
Energy Community, signed at Brussels on 22 January
1972, and in particular the second subparagraph of
Article 17 ⁽⁴⁾ thereof ;

Whereas Article 17 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No
804/68 provides that the difference between prices in
international trade for the products listed in Article
1 (a), (b), (c) and (e) of that Regulation and prices
within the Community may be covered by an export
refund ; whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 2682/
72 ⁽⁴⁾ of 12 December 1972 laying down general
rules for granting export refunds on certain agricul-
tural products exported in the form of goods not
covered by Annex II to the Treaty, and criteria for
fixing the amount of such refunds, specifies the pro-
ducts for which a rate of refund should be fixed, to
be applied where these products are exported in the
form of goods listed in the Annex to Regulation
(EEC) No 804/68 ;

Whereas, in accordance with the first subparagraph
of Article 4 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2682/72, the
rate of the refund per 100 kg for each of the basic
products in question must be fixed for each month ;

Whereas, in accordance with paragraph 2 of that
Article, that rate must be determined with particular
reference to :

(a) the average costs incurred by processing indus-
tries in obtaining supplies of the basic products in
question on the Community market and the
prices ruling on the world market ;

(b) the level of the refunds on exports of processed
agricultural products covered by Annex II to the
Treaty which are manufactured under similar con-
ditions ;

(c) the need to ensure equality of competition for the
industries which use Community products and
those which use third-country products under
inward processing arrangements ;

Whereas Article 4 (3) of Regulation (EEC) No
2682/72 provides that, when the rate of the refund is
being fixed, account should be taken, where neces-
sary, of production refunds, aids or other measures
having equivalent effect applicable in all Member
States in accordance with the Regulation on the com-
mon organization of the market in the product in
question to the basic products listed in Annex A to
that Regulation or to assimilated products ;

Whereas Article 11 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No
804/68 provides for the payment of aid for Commu-
nity-produced skimmed milk processed into casein if
such milk and the casein manufactured from it fulfil
certain conditions set out in Article 1 of Council
Regulation (EEC) No 987/68 ⁽⁵⁾ of 15 July 1968 lay-
ing down general rules for granting aid for skimmed
milk processed into casein or caseinates ; whereas,
pursuant to Article 1 (2) (b) of Regulation (EEC) No
2682/72, skimmed milk thus defined is assimilated
to milk powder complying with the definition of the

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 148, 28. 6. 1968, p. 13.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 73, 27. 3. 1972, p. 14.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 73, 27. 3. 1972, p. 5.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 289, 27. 12. 1972, p. 13.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 169, 18. 7. 1968, p. 6.

pilot product Group No 2 listed in Annex I to Council Regulation (EEC) No 823/68 ⁽¹⁾ of 28 June 1968 determining the groups of products and the special provisions for calculating levies on milk and milk products, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2687/72 ⁽²⁾; whereas a rate of refund should be fixed for this milk powder;

Whereas Article 2 of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 756/70 ⁽³⁾ of 24 April 1970 on granting aid for skimmed milk processed into casein or caseinates, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2814/71 ⁽⁴⁾, fixes the aid per 100 kg of skimmed milk processed into casein or caseinates according to type;

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1259/72 ⁽⁵⁾ of 16 June 1972 on the disposal of butter at a reduced price to certain Community processing undertakings, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2161/72 ⁽⁶⁾, authorises the delivery, to industries manufacturing the goods falling within heading No 19.08 or of subheadings 18.06 B, 21.07 C and 'ice mix' or of subheadings 18.06 D and ex 21.07 F of the Common Customs Tariff, of butter at a reduced price under a standing invitation to tender;

Whereas, according to Article 28 of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1519/72 ⁽⁷⁾ of 14 July 1972

concerning selling butter at a reduced price for the purpose of exporting certain mixtures of fats, no export refund can be granted for the butter incorporated in the products referred to in Article 19 of that Regulation;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. The rates of the refunds applicable from 1 March 1973 to the basic products appearing in Annex A to Regulation (EEC) No 2682/72 and listed in Article 1 of Regulation (EEC) No 804/68, exported in the form of goods listed in the Annex to Regulation (EEC) No 804/68, are hereby fixed as shown in the Annex to this Regulation.

2. No rates of refund are fixed for any of the products referred to in the preceding paragraph which are not listed in the Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 March 1973.

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

Done at Brussels, 28 February 1973.

For the Commission

P. J. LARDINOIS

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 151, 30. 6. 1968, p. 3.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 289, 27. 12. 1972, p. 39.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 91, 25. 4. 1970, p. 28.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 284, 28. 12. 1971, p. 20.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 139, 17. 6. 1972, p. 18.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 231, 11. 10. 1972, p. 12.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 162, 18. 7. 1972, p. 1.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 28 February 1973 fixing the rates of the refunds applicable from 1 March 1973 to certain milk products exported in the form of goods not covered by Annex II to the Treaty

CCT heading No	Description of goods	Rate of the restitution u.a./100 kg
ex 04.02 A II	Powdered milk, obtained by the spray process, with a fat content of less than 1.5 % by weight and with a water content of less than 5 % by weight (PG 2) :	
	a) on exportation of goods of CCT heading No 35.01	—
	b) on exportation of other goods	12.00
ex 04.02 A II	Powdered milk, obtained by the spray process, with a fat content of 26 % by weight and a water content of less than 5 % by weight (PG 3)	39.00
ex 04.02 A III	Concentrated milk, with a fat content by weight of 7.5 % and a content by weight in dry matter equal to 25 % (PG 4)	11.50
ex 04.03	Butter, with a fat content by weight of 82 % (PG 6) :	
	a) On exportation of goods of CCT heading No 19.08 or of subheadings 18.06 B and 21.07 C, and 'ice mix' of CCT subheadings 18.06 D and ex 21.07 F manufactured under the conditions laid down in Article 6 (1) (c) of Regulation (EEC) No 1259/72	—
	b) On exportation of other goods	110.00

REGULATION (EEC) No 610/73 OF THE COMMISSION

of 28 February 1973

fixing the rates of the refunds applicable from 1 March 1973 to certain cereal and rice products exported in the form of goods not covered by Annex II to the Treaty

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community ;

Having regard to Council Regulation No 120/67/EEC ⁽¹⁾ of 13 June 1967 on the common organization of the market in cereals, as last amended by the Act ⁽²⁾ annexed to the Treaty ⁽³⁾ on the Accession of new Member States to the European Economic Community and the European Atomic Energy Community, signed at Brussels on 22 January 1972, and in particular the first sentence of the fourth subparagraph of Article 16 (2) thereof ;

Having regard to Council Regulation No 359/67/EEC ⁽⁴⁾ of 25 July 1967 on the common organization of the market in rice, as last amended by the the Act annexed to the Treaty on the Accession of new Member States to the European Economic Community and the European Atomic Energy Community, signed at Brussels on 22 January 1972, and in particular the first sentence of the fourth subparagraph of Article 17 (2) thereof ;

Whereas Article 16 (1) of Regulation No 120/67/EEC and Article 17 (1) of Regulation No 359/67/EEC provides that the difference between quotations or prices on the world market for the products listed in Article 1 of each of those Regulations and the prices within the Community may be covered by an export refund ;

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 2682/72 ⁽⁵⁾ of 12 December 1972 laying down general rules for granting export refunds on certain agricultural products exported in the form of goods not covered by Annex II to the Treaty, and the criteria for fixing the amount of such refunds, specifies the products for which a rate of refund should be fixed, to be applied where these products are exported in the form of goods listed in Annex B to Regulation No 120/67/EEC or in Annex B to Regulation No 359/67/EEC as appropriate ;

Whereas, in accordance with the first subparagraph of Article 4 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2682/72, the rate of the refund per 100 kg for each of the basic products in question must be fixed for each month ;

Whereas, in accordance with paragraph 2 of that Article, that rate must be determined with particular reference to :

- (a) the average costs incurred by processing industries in obtaining supplies of the basic products in question on the Community market and the prices ruling on the world market ;
- (b) the level of the refunds on exports of processed agricultural products covered by Annex II to the Treaty which are manufactured under similar conditions ;
- (c) the need to ensure equality of competition for the industries which use Community products and those which use third-country products under inward processing arrangements ;

Whereas Article 4 (3) of Regulation (EEC) No 2682/72 provides that, when the rate of the refund is being fixed, account should be taken, where appropriate, of production refunds, aids or other measures having equivalent effect applicable in all Member States in accordance with the Regulation on the common organization of the market in the product in question to the basic products listed in Annex A to that Regulation or to assimilated products ; whereas a production refund is granted in respect of common wheat, maize and broken rice under the conditions laid down in Council Regulation No 371/67/EEC ⁽⁶⁾ of 25 July 1967 fixing production refunds on starches and quellmehl, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2273/70 ⁽⁷⁾ ; whereas, for the purposes of applying the provisions of Article 4 (3) of Regulation (EEC) No 2682/72, the amount of the production refund applicable during the month of exportation should be taken into account ;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the Opinion of the Management Committee for Cereals ;

⁽¹⁾ OJ No 117, 19. 6. 1967, p. 2269/67.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 73, 27. 3. 1972, p. 14.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 73, 27. 3. 1972, p. 5.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No 174, 31. 7. 1967, p. 1.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 289, 27. 12. 1972, p. 13.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No 174, 31. 7. 1967, p. 40.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 246, 12. 11. 1970, p. 1.

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

1. The rates of the refunds applicable from 1 March 1973 to the basic products appearing in Annex A to Regulation (EEC) No 2682/72 and listed either in Article 1 of Regulation No 120/67/EEC or in Article 1 (1) of Regulation No 359/67/EEC, exported in the form of goods listed in Annex B to Regulation No 120/67/EEC or in Annex B to Regula-

tion No 359/67/EEC respectively, are hereby fixed as shown in the Annex to this Regulation.

2. No rates of refund are fixed for any of the products referred to in the preceding paragraph which are not listed in the Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 March 1973.

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

Done at Brussels, 28 February 1973.

For the Commission

P. J. LARDINOIS

Member of the Commission

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 28 February 1973 fixing the rates of the refunds applicable from 1 March 1973 to certain cereal and rice products exported in the form of goods not covered by Annex II to the Treaty

CCT heading No	Description of products	Rate of refund in u.a./100 kg
10.01 A	Common wheat, and meslin : — Other than for the manufacture of starch	4.567
10.01 B	Durum wheat	4.515
10.02	Rye	3.667
10.03	Barley	2.622
10.04	Oats	1.807
10.05 B	Maize other than hybrid maize for sowing : — Other than for the manufacture of starch	3.710
ex 10.06 A	Round-grained husked rice	1.652
	Long-grained husked rice	2.163
ex 10.06 B	Round-grained milled rice	3.816
	Long-grained milled rice	8.014
10.06 C	Broken rice : — Other than for the manufacture of starch	1.045
11.01 A	Wheat or meslin flour	5.786
11.01 B	Rye flour	6.171
11.02 A I a)	Durum wheat groats and meal	7.882
11.02 A I b)	Common wheat groats and meal	5.786

REGULATION (EEC) No 611/73 OF THE COMMISSION

of 28 February 1973

fixing the rates of the refunds applicable from 1 March 1973 to sugar and molasses
exported in the form of goods not covered by Annex II to the Treaty

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the Euro-
pean Economic Community ;

Having regard to Council Regulation No 1009/67/
EEC ⁽¹⁾ of 18 December 1967 on the common organ-
ization of the market in sugar, as last amended by
Regulation (EEC) No 174/73 ⁽²⁾, and in particular
the first sentence of the sixth subparagraph of
Article 17 (2) thereof ;

Whereas Article 17 (1) of Regulation No 1009/67/
EEC provides that the difference between quotations
or prices on the world market for the products listed
in Article 1 (1) (a), (c) and (d) of that Regulation
and prices within the Community may be covered
by an export refund ; whereas Council Regulation
(EEC) No 2682/72 ⁽³⁾ of 12 December 1972 laying
down general rules for granting export refunds on
certain agricultural products exported in the form of
goods not covered by Annex II to the Treaty, and
the criteria for fixing the amount of such refunds,
specifies the products for which a rate of refund
should be fixed, to be applied where these products
are exported in the form of goods listed in the An-
nex to Regulation No 1009/67/EEC ;

Whereas, in accordance with the first subparagraph
of Article 4 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2682/72, the
rate of the refund per 100 kilogrammes for each of
the basic products in question must be fixed for
each month ;

Whereas, in accordance with paragraph 2 of that
Article, that rate must be determined with particular
reference to :

- (a) the average costs incurred by processing indus-
tries in obtaining supplies of the basic products
in question on the Community market and the
prices ruling on the world market ;
- (b) the level of the refunds on exports of processed
agricultural products covered by Annex II to the
Treaty which are manufactured under similar con-
ditions ;

- (c) the need to ensure equality of competition for the
industries which use Community products and
those which use third-country products under
inward processing arrangements ;

Whereas Article 4 (3) of Regulation (EEC) No
2682/72 provides that, when the rate of the refund is
being fixed, account should be taken, where appro-
priate, of refunds, aids or other measures having
equivalent effect applicable in all Member States in
accordance with the Regulation on the common or-
ganization of the market in the product in question
to the basic products listed in Annex A to that Regu-
lation or to assimilated products ; whereas a produc-
tion refund is granted in respect of white sugar or
raw sugar under the conditions laid down in Coun-
cil Regulation (EEC) No 765/68 ⁽⁴⁾ of 18 June 1968
laying down general rules for the production refund
on sugar used in the chemical industry, as last
amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2723/71 ⁽⁵⁾ ;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regula-
tion are in accordance with the Opinion of the Man-
agement Committee for Sugar ;

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

The rates of the refunds applicable from 1 March
1973 to the basic products appearing in Annex A to
Regulation No 2682/72 and listed in Article 1 (1) of
Regulation No 1009/67/EEC, exported in the form
of goods listed in the Annex to Regulation No 1009/
67/EEC, are hereby fixed as shown in the Annex to
this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 March
1973.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No 308, 18. 12. 1967, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 25, 30. 1. 1973, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 289, 27. 12. 1972, p. 13.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 143, 25. 6. 1968, p. 1.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 282, 23. 12. 1971, p. 2.

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

Done at Brussels, 28 February 1973.

For the Commission

P. J. LARDINOIS

Member of the Commission

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 28 February 1973, fixing the rates of the refunds applicable from 1 March 1973 to sugar and molasses exported in the form of goods listed in the annex to Regulation No 1009/67/EEC

TABLE I

CCT heading No	Description of goods
29.04	Acyclic alcohols and their halogenated, sulphonated, nitrated or nitrosated derivatives : C. Polyhydric alcohols : II. Mannitol III. Sorbitol : a) In aqueous solution : 2. Other : — obtained from sucrose b) Other : 2. Other : — obtained from sucrose
29.10	Acetals and hemiacetals and single or complex oxygen-function acetals and hemiacetals, and their halogenated, sulphonated, nitrated or nitrosated derivatives : ex B. Other : — Methyl glucosides
29.14	Monocarboxylic acids and their anhydrides, halides, peroxides and peracids, and their halogenated, sulphonated, nitrated or nitrosated derivatives : ex A. Saturated acyclic monocarboxylic acids : — Sorbitol or mannitol esters ex B. Unsaturated acyclic monocarboxylic acids : — Sorbitol or mannitol esters
29.16	Carboxylic acids with alcohol, phenol, aldehyde or ketone function and other single or complex oxygen-function carboxylic acids and their anhydrides, halides, peroxides and peracids, and their halogenated, sulphonated, nitrated or nitrosated derivatives : A. Carboxylic acids with alcohol functions : ex VIII. Other : — Glyceric acid, glycolic acid, saccharonic acid, iso-saccharonic acid, heptasaccharic acid, and their salts and esters

CCT heading No	Description of goods
29.35	Heterocyclic compounds ; nucleic acids : ex Q. Other : — Anhydric compounds of mannitol or sorbitol, not including maltol and isomaltol
29.43	Sugars, chemically pure, other than sucrose, glucose and lactose ; sugar ethers and sugar esters, and their salts, other than products of headings Nos 29.39, 29.41 and 29.42 : ex B. Other : — Sorbose and its salts and esters
38.19	Chemical products and preparations of the chemical or allied industries (including those consisting of mixtures of natural products), not elsewhere specified or included ; residual products of the chemical or allied industries, not elsewhere specified or included : ex Q. Foundry core binders based on synthetic resins ex T. Other : — Sorbitol cracking products

<i>Rate of refund in u.a./100 kg :</i>	White sugar :	—
	Raw sugar :	—
	Syrups of beet sugar or cane sugar containing, in the dry state, 98 % or more by weight of sucrose (including invert sugar expressed as sucrose) :	—
	Molasses, whether or not decolourised :	—

TABLE II

CCT heading No	Description of goods
29.16	Carboxylic acids with alcohol, phenol, aldehyde or ketone function and other single or complex oxygen-function carboxylic acids and their anhydrides, halides, peroxides and peracids, and their halogenated, sulphonated, nitrated or nitrosated derivatives : A. Carboxylic acids with alcohol function : IV. Citric acid and its salts and esters

<i>Rate of refund in u.a./100 kg :</i>	White sugar :	—
	Raw sugar :	—
	Syrups of beet sugar or cane sugar containing, in the dry state, 98 % or more by weight of sucrose (including invert sugar expressed as sucrose) :	—
	Molasses, whether or not decolourised :	—

TABLE III

CCT heading No	Description of goods
29.15	Polycarboxylic acids and their anhydrides, halides, peroxides and peracids, and their halogenated, sulphonated, nitrated or nitrosated derivatives : A. Acyclic polycarboxylic acids : ex V. Other : — Itaconic acid and its salts and esters
29.16	Carboxylic acids with alcohol, phenol, aldehyde or ketone function and other single or complex oxygen-function carboxylic acids and their anhydrides, halides, peroxides and peracids, and their halogenated, sulphonated, nitrated or nitrosated derivatives : A. Carboxylic acids with alcohol function : I. Lactic acid and its salts and esters
29.44	Antibiotics : A. Penicillins
<i>Rate of refund in u.a./100 kg :</i>	
	White sugar : —
	Raw sugar : —
	Syrups of beet sugar or cane sugar containing, in the dry state, 98 % or more by weight of sucrose (including invert sugar expressed as sucrose) : —
	Molasses, whether or not decolourised : —

TABLE IV

CCT heading No	Description of goods
17.04	Sugar confectionery, not containing cocoa : B. Chewing gum C. White chocolate D. Other
18.06	Chocolate and other food preparations containing cocoa
19.02	Preparations of flour meal, starch or malt extract, of a kind used as infant food or for dietetic or culinary purposes, containing less than 50 % by weight of cocoa
19.08	Pastry, biscuits, cakes and other fine bakers' wares, whether or not containing cocoa in any proportion
21.06	Natural yeasts (active or inactive) ; prepared baking powders : A. Active natural yeasts : II. Bakers' yeast
21.07	Food preparations not elsewhere specified or included
22.02	Lemonade, flavoured spa waters and flavoured aerated waters, and other non-alcoholic beverages, not including fruit and vegetable juices falling within heading No 20.07
22.06	Vermouths, and other wines of fresh grapes flavoured with aromatic extracts
22.09	Ethyl alcohol, undenatured, of a strength of less than 80° (140 degrees proof) ; liqueurs and other spirituous beverages ; compound alcoholic preparations (known as 'concentrated extracts') for the manufacture of beverages : C. Liqueurs and other spirituous beverages : V. Other
<i>Rate of refund in u.a./100 kg :</i>	
	White sugar : 2.40
	Raw sugar : 1.97
	Syrups of beet sugar or cane sugar containing, in the dry state, 98 % or more by weight of sucrose (including invert sugar expressed as sucrose) : $2.40 \times \frac{S^{(1)}}{100}$
	Molasses, whether or not decolourised : —
⁽¹⁾ S represents the weight of sucrose (including invert sugar expressed as sucrose) in 100 kilogrammes of syrup.	

REGULATION (EEC) No 612/73 OF THE COMMISSION

of 1 March 1973

fixing the export refunds on eggs for the period beginning 5 March 1973

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community ;

Having regard to Council Regulation No 122/67/EEC ⁽¹⁾ of 13 June 1967 on the common organization of the market in eggs, as last amended by the Act ⁽²⁾ annexed to the Treaty ⁽³⁾ on the Accession of new Member States to the European Economic Community and the European Atomic Energy Community, signed at Brussels on 22 January 1972, and in particular the first sentence of the fifth subparagraph of Article 9 (2) thereof ;

Having regard to the Opinion of the Monetary Committee ;

Whereas Article 9 of Regulation No 122/67/EEC provides that the difference between prices on the world market for the products listed in Article 1 of that Regulation and prices for those products in the Community may be covered by an export refund ;

Whereas Council Regulation No 175/67/EEC of 27 June 1967 ⁽⁴⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2683/72 ⁽⁵⁾, lays down general rules for granting export refunds and criteria for fixing the amount of such refunds ;

Whereas, if the refund system is to operate normally, refunds should be calculated on the basis of an exchange rate which is based, in the case of currencies which are floating or whose central rate differs

from the official parity, on the effective rate or the central rate of these currencies and, in the case of the US dollar, on the change in parity announced on 13 February 1973 ;

Whereas it follows from applying these rules and criteria to the present situation on the market in eggs that the refund should be fixed at an amount which would permit of Community participation in world trade and would also take account of the nature of these exports and their importance at the present time ;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the Opinion of the Management Committee for Poultrymeat and Eggs ;

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

The list of products for which the export refund referred to in Article 9 of Regulation No 122/67/EEC is granted, and the amount of that refund, are hereby fixed as shown in the Annex.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 5 March 1973.

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

Done at Brussels, 1 March 1973.

For the Commission

The President

François-Xavier ORTOLI

⁽¹⁾ OJ No 117, 19. 6. 1967, p. 2293/67.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 73, 27. 3. 1972, p. 14.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 73, 27. 3. 1972, p. 5.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No 130, 28. 6. 1967, p. 2610/67.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 289, 27. 12. 1972, p. 33.

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CCT heading No	Description of goods	Refund
04.05	Birds' eggs and egg yolks, fresh, dried or otherwise preserved, sweetened or not : A. Eggs in shell, fresh or preserved : I. Poultry eggs : a) Eggs for hatching (a) b) Other — for exports to Lebanon, Syria, Jordan and States on the Persian Gulf — for exports to other third countries B. Eggs, not in shell ; egg yolks : I. Suitable for human consumption : a) Eggs, not in shell : 1. Dried 2. Other b) Egg yolks : 1. Liquid 2. Frozen 3. Dried	u.a/100 units
		1·10
		u.a /100 kg
		19·01
		14·29
		60·59
		16·58
		29·15
		31·15
		61·45
(a) Only poultry eggs meeting conditions laid down by the competent authorities of the European Communities are admitted to this subheading.		

REGULATION (EEC) No 613/73 OF THE COMMISSION
of 1 March 1973

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

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community ;

Having regard to Council Regulation No 1009/67/EEC ⁽¹⁾ of 18 December 1967 on the common organization of the market in sugar, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 174/73 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 14 (7) thereof ;

Having regard to the Opinion of the Monetary Committee ;

Whereas Article 14 (1) of Regulation No 1009/67/EEC provides for charging a levy on imports of the products listed in Article 1 (1) of that Regulation ;

Whereas the levy on the products listed in Article 1 (1) (d) of Regulation No 1009/67/EEC must be calculated, where appropriate, at a standard rate on the basis of the sucrose content (including other sugars expressed as sucrose) of the product concerned and of the levy on white sugar ; whereas, however, the levies on maple sugar and maple syrup are limited to the amount resulting from application of the rate of duty bound within GATT ;

Whereas Article 7 of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 837/68 ⁽³⁾ of 28 June 1968 on detailed rules for the application of levies on sugar, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 878/69 ⁽⁴⁾, provides that the basic amount of the levy for 100 kilogrammes of product must be fixed per percentage of sucrose content ;

Whereas the basic amount of the levy must be equal to one hundredth of the average of the levies applicable to 100 kilogrammes of white sugar during the first twenty days of the month preceding the month for which the basic amount of the levy is fixed ; whereas, however, the levy applicable to white sugar on the day preceding the fixing of the basic amount must be substituted for the average of the levies,

where that levy differs by at least 0.40 unit of account from that average ;

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

Whereas, if the levy system is to operate normally, levies should be calculated on the basis of an exchange rate which is based, in the case of currencies which are floating or whose central rate differs from the official parity, on the effective rate or the central rate of these currencies and, in the case of the US dollar, on the change in parity announced on 13 February 1973 ;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

The basic amount of the import levy on the products listed in Article 1 (1) (d) of Regulation No 1009/67/EEC is hereby fixed, per 100 kilogrammes of product, at 0.0513 unit of account per percentage point of sucrose content.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 2 March 1973.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No 308, 18. 12. 1967, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 25, 30. 1. 1973, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 151, 30. 6. 1968, p. 42.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 114, 13. 5. 1969, p. 9.

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

Done at Brussels, 1 March 1973.

For the Commission

P. J. LARDINOIS

Member of the Commission

REGULATION (EEC) No 614/73 OF THE COMMISSION

of 1 March 1973

altering the import levies on products processed from cereals and rice

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community ;

Having regard to Council Regulation No 120/67/EEC ⁽¹⁾ of 13 June 1967 on the common organization of the market in cereals, as last amended by the Act ⁽²⁾ annexed to the Treaty ⁽³⁾ on the Accession of new Member States to the European Economic Community and the European Atomic Energy Community, signed at Brussels on 22 January 1972, and in particular Article 14 ⁽⁴⁾ thereof ;

Having regard to Council Regulation No 359/67/EEC ⁽⁴⁾ of 25 July 1967 on the common organization of the market in rice, as last amended by the Act annexed to the Treaty on the Accession of new Member States to the European Economic Community and the European Atomic Energy Community, signed at Brussels on 22 January 1972, and in particular Article 12 ⁽⁴⁾ thereof ;

Having regard to the Opinion of the Monetary Committee ;

Whereas the import levies on products processed from cereals and rice were fixed by Regulation (EEC) No 581/73 ⁽⁵⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 594/73 ⁽⁶⁾ ;

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

exchange rate which is based, in the case of currencies which are floating or whose central rate differs from the official parity, on the effective rate or the central rate of these currencies and, in the case of the US dollar, on the change in parity announced on 13 February 1973 ;

Whereas the levy on the basic product as last fixed differs from the average levy by more than 0.25 units of account per 100 kilogrammes of basic product ; whereas, pursuant to Article 1 of Regulation (EEC) No 1080/68 ⁽⁷⁾, the levies at present in force must therefore be altered as shown in the Table annexed to this Regulation ;

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

The import levies to be charged on products processed from cereals and rice covered by Regulation (EEC) No 1052/68 ⁽⁸⁾, as fixed in the Annex to amended Regulation (EEC) No 581/73, are hereby altered as shown in the Table annexed to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 2 March 1973.

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

Done at Brussels, 1 March 1973.

For the Commission

P. J. LARDINOIS

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ No 117, 19. 6. 1967, p. 2269/67.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 73, 27. 3. 1972, p. 14.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 73, 27. 3. 1972, p. 5.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No 174, 31. 7. 1967, p. 1.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 56, 1. 3. 1973, p. 22.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 56, 1. 3. 1973, p. 53.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 181, 27. 7. 1968, p. 6.

⁽⁸⁾ OJ No L 179, 25. 7. 1968, p. 8.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 1 March 1973 altering the import levies on products processed from cereals and rice

CCT heading No	Levies in u.a./100 kg	
	Third countries (other than AASM and OCT, Tanzania, Uganda and Kenya)	AASM, OCT, Tanzania, Uganda and Kenya
11.01 D ⁽¹⁾	4.203	3.703
11.02 A IV ⁽¹⁾	4.203	3.703
11.02 B I a) 2 aa)	2.348	2.098
11.02 B I a) 2 bb) ⁽¹⁾	3.953	3.703
11.02 B I b) 2 ⁽¹⁾	3.953	3.703
11.02 C IV ⁽¹⁾	3.541	3.291
11.02 D IV ⁽¹⁾	2.348	2.098
11.02 E I a) 2 ⁽¹⁾	2.348	2.098
11.02 E I b) 2 ⁽¹⁾	4.614	4.114
11.02 F IV ⁽¹⁾	4.203	3.703

⁽¹⁾ For the purpose of distinguishing between products falling within heading Nos 11.01 and 11.02 and those falling within subheading 23.02 A, products falling within heading Nos 11.01 and 11.02 shall be those meeting the following specifications:

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

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

REGULATION (EEC) No 615/73 OF THE COMMISSION

of 1 March 1973

amending the amounts applicable as compensatory amounts for cereals and rice

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community ;

Having regard to the Treaty ⁽¹⁾ concerning the Accession of new Member States to the European Economic Community and the European Atomic Energy Community, signed at Brussels on 22 January 1972 ;

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 229/73 ⁽²⁾ of 31 January 1973 laying down general rules for a system of compensatory amounts for cereals and fixing these amounts for certain products, in particular Article 7 thereof ;

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 243/73 ⁽³⁾ of 31 January 1973 laying down general rules for a system of compensatory amounts for rice and fixing these amounts for certain products, in particular Article 5 thereof ;

Whereas compensatory amounts for cereals and rice have been fixed pursuant to Regulation (EEC) No 441/73 ⁽⁴⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 595/73 ⁽⁵⁾ ;

Whereas the application of the rules referred to in Regulation (EEC) No 441/73 requires that the amounts at present in force should be amended as shown in the Annex to this Regulation ;

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

The amounts applicable as compensatory amounts shown in the Annexes to amended Regulation (EEC) No 441/73 are amended as shown in the Annexes to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 2 March 1973.

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

Done at Brussels, 1 March 1973.

For the Commission

The President

François-Xavier ORTOU

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 73, 27. 3. 1972, p. 5.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 27, 1. 2. 1973, p. 25.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 29, 1. 2. 1973, p. 26.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 47, 20. 2. 1973, p. 1.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 56, 1. 3. 1973, p. 56.

ANNEXE A — BILAG A — ANHANG A — ALLEGATO A — BIJLAGE A — ANNEX A

Montants applicables au titre des montants compensatoires pour les céréales

Beløb, der skal anvendes som udligningsbeløb for korn

Für Getreide als Ausgleichsbeträge anzuwendende Beträge

Importi applicabili a titolo di importi di compensazione per i cereali

Als compenserende bedragen toe te passen bedragen voor granen

Amounts applicable as compensatory amounts for cereals

N° du tarif douanier commun Position i den fælles toldtarif Nr. des Gemeinsamen Zolltarifs N. della tariffa doganale comune Nr. van het gemeenschappelijk douanetarief CCT heading No	(RE/UC/u.a./1000 kg)		
	DK	IRL	UK
10.04	8,41	14,22	22,00

ANNEXE B — BILAG B — ANHANG B — ALLEGATO B — BIJLAGE B — ANNEX B

Montants applicables au titre des montants compensatoires pour le riz et les brisures

Beløb, der skal anvendes som udligningsbeløb for ris og brudris

Für Reis und Bruchreis als Ausgleichsbeträge anzuwendende Beträge

Importi applicabili a titolo di importi di compensazione per il riso e le rotture di riso

Als compenserende bedragen toe te passen bedragen voor rijst en breukrijst

Amounts applicable as compensatory amounts for rice and broken rice

No du tarif douanier commun Position i den fælles toldtarif Nr. des Gemeinsamen Zolltarifs N. della tariffa doganale comune Nr. van het gemeenschappelijk douanetarief CCT heading No	(RE/UC/u.a./100 kg)		
	DK	IRL	UK
10.06 A I a)	0	0	0
10.06 A I b)	0	0	0
10.06 A II a)	0	0	0
10.06 A II b)	0	0	0
10.06 B I a)	2,100	2,100	2·100
10.06 B I b)	1,500	1,500	1·500
10.06 B II a)	2,100	2,100	2·100
10.06 B II b)	2,100	2,100	2·100
10.06 C	0,900	0,900	0·900

ANNEXE C — BILAG C — ANHANG C — ALLEGATO C — BIJLAGE C — ANNEX C

Montants applicables au titre des montants compensatoires pour les produits transformés à base de céréales et de riz

Beløb, der skal anvendes som udligningsbeløb for produkter, der er forarbejdet på basis af korn og ris

Für Getreide- und Reisverarbeitungserzeugnisse als Ausgleichsbeträge anzuwendende Beträge

Importi applicabili a titolo di importi di compensazione per i prodotti trasformati dei cereali e del riso

Als compenserende bedragen toe te passen bedragen voor op basis van granen en rijst verwerkte produkten

Amounts applicable as compensatory amounts for products processed from cereals or rice

(RE/UC/u.a./100 kg)

Nº du tarif douanier commun Position i den fælles toldtarif Nr. des Gemeinsamen Zolltarifs N. della tariffa doganale comune Nr. van het gemeenschappelijk douanetarief CCT heading No	DK	IRL	UK
11.01 D ⁽¹⁾	1,177	1,991	3·080
11.02 A IV ⁽¹⁾	1,177	1,991	3·080
11.02 B I a) 2 aa)	0,858	1,450	2·244
11.02 B I a) 2 bb) ⁽¹⁾	1,177	1,991	3·080
11.02 B I b) 2 ⁽¹⁾	1,177	1,991	3·080
11.02 C IV ⁽¹⁾	1,177	1,991	3·080
11.02 D IV ⁽¹⁾	0,858	1,450	2·244
11.02 E I a) 2 ⁽¹⁾	0,858	1,450	2·244
11.02 E I b) 2 ⁽¹⁾	1,177	1,991	3·080
11.02 F IV ⁽¹⁾	0,858	1,450	2·244

⁽¹⁾ Pour la distinction entre les produits des nos 11.01 et 11.02, d'une part, et ceux de la sous-position 23.02 A, d'autre part, sont considérés comme relevant des nos 11.01 et 11.02 les produits ayant simultanément :

- une teneur en amidon (déterminée d'après la méthode polarimétrique Ewers modifiée) supérieure à 45 % (en poids) sur matière sèche,
- une teneur en cendres (en poids) sur matière sèche (déduction faite des matières minérales ayant pu être ajoutées) inférieure ou égale à 1,6 % pour le riz, 2,5 % pour le froment et le seigle, 3 % pour l'orge, 4 % pour le sarrasin, 5 % pour l'avoine et 2 % pour les autres céréales.

Les germes de céréales, même en farines, relèvent en tout cas du n° 11.02.

⁽¹⁾ Med henblik på sondringen mellem varer tariferet under pos. 11.01 og 11.02 på den ene side og under pos. 23.02 A på den anden side anses som tariferet under pos. 11.01 og 11.02 varer, der samtidig har

- et indhold af stivelse (bestemt ved Ewers modificerede polarimetriske metode) på over 45 vægtprocent, beregnet på grundlag af tørsubstansen,
- et askeindhold (efter fradrag af eventuelle tilsatte mineralske stoffer) på 1,6 vægtprocent eller derunder for ris, 2,5 vægtprocent eller derunder for hvede og rug, 3 vægtprocent eller derunder for byg, 4 vægtprocent eller derunder for boghvede, 5 vægtprocent eller derunder for havre og 2 vægtprocent eller derunder for de øvrige kornsorter, beregnet på grundlag af tørsubstansen.

Kim af korn samt mel deraf tariferes under alle omstændigheder under pos. 11.02.

⁽¹⁾ Für die Abgrenzung der Erzeugnisse der Tarifnummern 11.01 und 11.02 von denen der Tarifstelle 23.02 A gelten als Erzeugnisse der Tarifnummern 11.01 und 11.02 Erzeugnisse, die gleichzeitig folgendes aufweisen :

- einen auf den Trockenstoff bezogenen Stärkegehalt (bestimmt nach dem abgeänderten polarimetrischen Ewers-Verfahren) von mehr als 45 Gewichtshundertteilen,
- einen auf den Trockenstoff bezogenen Aschegehalt (abzüglich etwa zugesetzter Mineralstoffe), der bei Reis 1,6 Gewichtshundertteile oder weniger, bei Weizen und Roggen 2,5 Gewichtshundertteile oder weniger, bei Gerste 3 Gewichtshundertteile oder weniger, bei Buchweizen 4 Gewichtshundertteile oder weniger, bei Hafer 5 Gewichtshundertteile oder weniger und bei anderen Getreidearten 2 Gewichtshundertteile oder weniger beträgt.

Getreidekeime, auch gemahlen, gehören auf jeden Fall zur Tarifnummer 11.02.

- (¹) Per la distinzione tra i prodotti delle voci nn. 11.01 e 11.02 da un lato, e quelli della sottovoce 23.02 A dall'altro, si considerano come appartenenti alle voci nn. 11.01 e 11.02 i prodotti che abbiano simultaneamente :
- un tenore in amido (determinato in base al metodo polarimetrico Ewers modificato), calcolato sulla materia secca, superiore al 45 % (in peso),
 - un tenore in ceneri (in peso), calcolato sulla materia secca (dedotte le sostanze minerali che possono essere state aggiunte), inferiore o pari a 1,6 % per il riso, a 2,5 % per il frumento e la segala, a 3 % per l'orzo, a 4 % per il grano saraceno, a 5 % per l'avena ed a 2 % per gli altri cereali.

I germi di cereali, anche sfarinati, rientrano comunque nella voce n. 11.02.

- (¹) Voor het onderscheid tussen de produkten van de nummers 11.01 en 11.02 enerzijds en die van de onderverdeling 23.02 A anderzijds, worden geacht onder de nummers 11.01 en 11.02 te vallen de produkten die tegelijkertijd :

- een zetmeelgehalte hebben (bepaald volgens de gewijzigde polarimetrische methode van Ewers) van meer dan 45 gewichtspercenten, berekend op de droge stof, en
- een asgehalte hebben (onder aftrek van eventueel toegevoegde minerale stoffen), berekend op de droge stof, van ten hoogste : 1,6 gewichtspercent voor rijst, 2,5 gewichtspercenten voor tarwe en rogge, 3 gewichtspercenten voor gerst, 4 gewichtspercenten voor boekweit, 5 gewichtspercenten voor haver en 2 gewichtspercenten voor andere granen.

Graankiemen ook indien gemalen, vallen in elk geval onder nummer 11.02.

- (¹) For the purpose of distinguishing between products falling within headings Nos 11.01 and 11.02 and those falling within subheading No 23.02 A, products falling within headings Nos 11.01 and 11.02 shall be those meeting the following specifications :

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

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