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**COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 562/81
of 20 January 1981
on the reduction of customs duties on imports into the Community of certain agricultural
products originating in Turkey**

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

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

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas the EEC-Turkey Association Council by its Decision No 1/80 of 19 September 1980 decided to abolish the customs duties still applicable to imports into the Community of agricultural products originating in Turkey which may not yet be imported into the Community free of customs duty;

Whereas in respect of products:

- (a) duties equal to or less than 2 % are to be abolished from 1 January 1981;
- (b) duties of more than 2 % are to be abolished in four stages according to the following timetable:

Timetable	Rate of reduction
As from 1 January 1981	30 %
As from 1 January 1983	60 %
As from 1 January 1985	80 %
As from 1 January 1987	100 %

- (c) duties reaching a level of 2 % or less during the process of tariff dismantling are to be abolished completely;

Whereas it is necessary to take measures for the initial period beginning 1 January 1981 and ending 31 December 1982;

Whereas, in the case of products for which Community rules require a certain import price to be observed, application of the tariff preference is subject to observance of the import price in question;

Whereas for certain products detailed rules of application laying down quantities or seasonal restrictions have been established by exchange of letters on 20 January 1981 ⁽¹⁾ between the Community and Turkey, account having been taken of the interests of both parties;

Whereas the step-by-step elimination of the customs duties applied by the Community to imports originating in Turkey does not conflict with the principles and machinery of the common agricultural policy;

Whereas the elimination of customs duties by the Community, as provided for in Article 1 of this Regulation, is subject to the observance of normal conditions of competition by Turkey;

Whereas, in accordance with Article 119 of the 1979 Act of Accession, the Community has adopted Council Regulation (EEC) No 3555/80 of 16 December 1980 determining the arrangements to be applied with regard to imports into Greece originating in Algeria, Israel, Malta, Morocco, Portugal, Syria, Tunisia or Turkey ⁽²⁾; whereas this Regulation therefore applies to the Community of Nine,

⁽¹⁾ See page 36 of this Official Journal.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 382, 31. 12. 1980, p. 1.

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. From 1 January 1981 to 31 December 1982, products originating in Turkey which are listed in the Annex hereto shall be admitted for importation into the Community of Nine at the levels of customs duty indicated in each case.

Where the application of a specific duty results in an *ad valorem* charge equal to or less than 2 %, no duty shall be levied.

2. In the case of products for which Community rules require a certain import price to be observed, application of the preferential tariff shall be subject to observance of the import price in question.

3. For the purposes of this Regulation, 'originating products' means products fulfilling the conditions laid down in Association Council Decision No 4/72 of 29 December 1972 annexed to Council Regulation (EEC) No 428/73 ⁽¹⁾, as amended by Decision No 1/75 of 26 May 1975 annexed to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1431/75 ⁽²⁾.

The methods of administrative cooperation for ensuring that imports of the products listed in the Annex hereto benefit from the reduced customs duties shall be those laid down in Association Council Decision No 5/72 of 29 December 1972 annexed to Council Regulation (EEC) No 428/73, as last amended by Decision No 1/78 of 18 July 1978 annexed to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2152/78 ⁽³⁾.

Article 2

1. The reduction of customs duties by the Community as provided for in Article 1 (1) shall be subject to observance by Turkey of the normal conditions of

competition defined in Articles 43 to 47 of the Additional Protocol; if a given product is found to have been the subject of dumping, of aid or of measures incompatible with the principles set out in the Articles referred to, the Community may, without prejudice to the other provisions of those Articles, reimpose the full duty on imports of that product into the Community until such time as the dumping, aids or other measures have been discontinued.

2. The procedure to be used for implementing paragraph 1 shall, by analogy, be that stipulated in Council Regulation (EEC) No 1842/71 of 21 June 1971 on the protective measures provided for in the Additional Protocol to the Agreement of Association between the European Economic Community and Turkey and in the Interim Agreement between the European Economic Community and Turkey ⁽⁴⁾, without prejudice to the procedures defined in the Articles mentioned in that paragraph.

3. In the event of disturbances or the threat of disturbances on the Community market resulting either from quantities or prices of Turkish exports of products from which customs duties have been removed, consultations shall be held in the Association Council as soon as possible, without prejudice to the application, in the event of an emergency, of measures provided for in Community legislation.

Article 3

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

It shall apply from 1 January 1981.

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

Done at Brussels, 20 January 1981.

For the Council

The President

Ch. A. van der KLAUW

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 59, 5. 3. 1973, p. 73.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 142, 4. 6. 1975, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 253, 15. 9. 1978, p. 1.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 192, 26. 8. 1971, pp. 14 and 15.

ANNEX

CCT heading No	Description	Rate of duty (%)
01.01	Live horses, asses, mules and hinnies: A. Horses: II. For slaughter (a)	Free
01.02	Live animals of the bovine species: A. Domestic species: II. Other	11·2 + (L)
01.04	Live sheep and goats: A. Pure-bred breeding animals (a): II. Goats	3·5
01.06	Other live animals: A. Domestic rabbits B. Pigeons	5·2 7
02.01	Meat and edible offals of the animals falling within heading No 01.01, 01.02, 01.03 or 01.04, fresh, chilled or frozen: A. Meat: ex I. Of horses, asses, mules and hinnies: — Of horses II. Of bovine animals: a) Fresh or chilled b) Frozen	Free 14 % + (L) (b) 14 % + (L) (b) (c) (d)

- (a) Entry under this subheading is subject to conditions to be determined by the competent authorities.
- (b) A rate of 14 % shall be applicable for 'high quality' meat, with or without bone, falling within subheading 02.01 ex A II, within the limits of a global annual tariff quota of 21 000 tonnes, without prejudice to the tariff quota for subheading 02.01 A II b). Qualification for the quota is subject to conditions to be determined by the competent authorities.
- (c) A rate of 14 % shall be applicable within the limits of a global annual tariff quota of 50 000 tonnes (without bone), of which 16 500 tonnes may be subject to the application of monetary compensatory amounts.
- (d) A rate of 14 % for buffalo meat shall be applicable within the limits of an annual tariff quota of 2 250 tonnes (without bone), without prejudice to the tariff quota for subheading 07.01 A II b). Qualification for the quota is subject to conditions to be determined by the competent authorities.

CCT heading No	Description	Rate of duty (%)
02.01 (cont'd)	B. Offals: II. Other: b) Of bovine animals: 1. Livers 2. Other ex d) Other: — Of domestic sheep	 4.9 2.8 2.1
02.06	Meat and edible meat offals (except poultry liver), salted, in brine, dried or smoked: A. Horsemeat, salted, in brine or dried C. Other: I. Of bovine animals: a) Meat b) Offals II. Of sheep and goats: ex b) Offals: — Of domestic sheep	 8.6 16.8 % + (L) 16.1 16.8
03.01	Fish, fresh (live or dead), chilled or frozen: A. Freshwater fish: I. Trout and other salmonidae: a) Trout b) Salmon II. Eels III. Carp B. Saltwater fish: I. Whole, headless or in pieces: d) Sardines (<i>Clupea pilchardus</i> Walbaum) e) Sharks	 8.4 (a) 2.4 Free 5.6 16.1 (b) (c) Free (c)

(a) Duty rate reduced to 4.9 % (suspension) up to and including 30 June 1981 in respect of salmon trout ('*Salmo gairdneri*' or '*Salmo irideus*') of a unit weight of not less than 1.5 kg intended for smoking. Control of the use for this special purpose shall be carried out pursuant to the relevant Community provisions.

(b) Duty rate reduced to 3.5 % (suspension) up to and including 31 March 1981 in respect of whole sardines (*Clupea pilchardus* Walbaum), not less than 20 cm in length.

(c) Subject to compliance with the reference price fixed or to be fixed.

CCT heading No	Description	Rate of duty (%)
03.01 (cont'd)	B. I. f) Redfish (<i>Sebastes marinus</i>)	Free (a)
	g) Halibut (<i>Hippoglossus vulgaris</i> , <i>Hippoglossus reinhardtius</i>)	Free (a)
	h) Cod (<i>Gadus morrhua</i> or <i>Gadus callarias</i>)	Free (a)
	ij) Coalfish (<i>Pollachius virens</i> or <i>Gadus virens</i>)	2.1 (a)
	k) Haddock	2.1 (a)
	l) Whiting (<i>Merlangus merlangus</i>)	2.1 (a)
	m) Mackerel:	
	2. From 16 June to 14 February	2.8 (a)
	n) Anchovies (<i>Engraulis</i> spp)	10.5 (a)
	o) Plaice	2.1 (a)
	p) Sea-bream of the species <i>Dentex dentex</i> and <i>Pagellus</i>	2.1 (a)
	q) Other	2.1 (a) (b) (c)

(a) Subject to compliance with the reference price fixed or to be fixed.

(b) Duty rate suspended up to and including 30 June 1981 in respect of *Sardinops sagax* or *ocellata* (pilchards):

(a) whole, not less than 20 cm in length,

(b) headless, not less than 15 cm in length, intended for processing.

The suspension shall apply to fish intended to undergo any treatment unless they are intended to undergo exclusively one or more of the following treatments:

- cleaning, gutting, heading, tailing,
- cutting (excluding filleting or cutting of frozen blocks),
- sorting,
- labelling,
- packing,
- icing,
- freezing,
- deep freezing
- thawing, separation.

The suspension is not allowed for products on which otherwise qualifying treatments are intended to be carried out at retail or catering level.

The suspension shall apply only to fish intended for human consumption.

Control of the use for this special purpose shall be carried out pursuant to the relevant Community provisions.

(c) Exemption in respect of silver hake (*Merluttus bilinearis*) within the limits of an *erga omnes* annual Community tariff quota of 2 000 tonnes to be granted by the competent authorities.

CCT heading No	Description	Rate of duty (%)
03.01 (cont'd)	B. II. Fillets: a) Fresh or chilled b) Frozen: - Of cod (<i>Gadus morrhua</i> or <i>Gadus callarias</i>) - Of coalfish (<i>Pollachius virens</i> or <i>Gadus virens</i>) - Of haddock - Of redfish (<i>Sebastes marinus</i>) - Of tunny - Of mackerel - Other C. Livers and roes	12·6 (a) 10·5 (b) (c) 10·5 (c) 10·5 (c) 10 (c) 12·6 10·5 (c) 10·5 (a) (c) 7
03.02	Fish, dried, salted or in brine; smoked fish, whether or not cooked before or during the smoking process: A. Dried, salted or in brine: I. Whole, headless or in pieces: - Herring - Anchovies (<i>Engraulis</i> spp) - Common halibut (<i>Hippoglossus vulgaris</i>) - Salmon, salted or in brine	3·3 (d) 2·8 4·2 3 (e)

- (a) Duty rate reduced to 2·1 % (suspension) up to and including 30 June 1981 in respect of fillets of herring intended for processing (f) (g).
- (b) Duty rate reduced to 5·6 % within the limits of an *erga omnes* annual Community tariff quota of 10 000 tonnes to be granted by the competent authorities.
- (c) Subject to compliance with the reference price fixed or to be fixed.
- (d) Duty rate reduced to 2·2 % (suspension) up to and including 30 June 1981.
- (e) Duty rate suspended up to and including 30 June 1981.
- (f) The suspension shall apply to fish intended to undergo any treatment unless they are intended to undergo exclusively one or more of the following treatments:
- cleaning, gutting, heading, tailing,
 - cutting (excluding filleting or cutting of frozen blocks),
 - sorting,
 - labelling,
 - packing,
 - icing,
 - freezing,
 - deep freezing,
 - thawing, separation.
- The suspension is not allowed for products on which otherwise qualifying treatments are intended to be carried out at retail or catering level.
- The suspension shall apply only to fish intended for human consumption.
- (g) Control of the use for this special purpose shall be carried out pursuant to the relevant Community provisions.

CCT heading No	Description	Rate of duty (%)
03.02 (cont'd)	A. I. f) Other	3.3 (a)
	II. Fillets:	
	b) Of salmon, salted or in brine	4.2
	c) Of lesser or Greenland halibut (<i>Hippoglossus reinhardtius</i>), salted or in brine	4.2
	d) Other	4.4 (b) (c)
	B. Smoked, whether or not cooked before or during the smoking process:	
	I. Herring	2.8
	II. Salmon	3.6
	III. Lesser or Greenland halibut (<i>Hippoglossus reinhardtius</i>)	4.2
	B. IV. Common halibut (<i>Hippoglossus vulgaris</i>)	4.4
	V. Other	3.9
	C. Livers and roes	3
	D. Fish meal	3.6
03.03	Crustaceans and molluscs, whether in shell or not, fresh (live or dead), chilled, frozen, salted, in brine or dried; crustaceans, in shell, simply boiled in water:	
	A. Crustaceans:	
	V. Other (for example, Norway lobsters)	8.4
	B. Molluscs:	
	I. Oysters:	
	b) Other	12.6
	II. Mussels	7

- (a) Duty rate suspended up to and including 30 June 1981 in respect of coalfish (*Pollachius virens* or *Gadus virens*), salted or in brine, intended for processing (d) (e).
- (b) Duty rate reduced to 2.2 % (suspension) up to and including 30 June 1981 in respect of fillets of herring.
- (c) Duty rate suspended up to and including 30 June 1981 for fillets of coalfish (*Pollachius virens* or *Gadus virens*), salted or in brine, intended for processing (d) (e).
- (d) The suspension shall apply to fish intended to undergo any treatment unless they are intended to undergo exclusively one or more of the following treatments:
- cleaning, gutting, heading, tailing,
 - cutting (excluding filleting or cutting of frozen blocks),
 - sorting,
 - labelling,
 - packing,
 - icing,
 - freezing,
 - deep freezing,
 - thawing, separation.
- The suspension is not allowed for products on which otherwise qualifying treatments are intended to be carried out at retail or catering level.
- The suspension shall apply only to fish intended for human consumption.
- (e) Control of the use for this special purpose shall be carried out pursuant to the relevant Community provisions.

CCT heading No	Description	Rate of duty (%)
03.03 (cont'd)	B. IV. Other: a) Frozen: 1. Squid: - aa) <i>Ommastrephes sagittatus</i> and <i>Loligo</i> spp Free (a) - bb) Other 2.2 (a) 2. Cuttle-fish of the species <i>Sepia officinalis</i>, <i>Rossia macrosoma</i> and <i>Sepiola rondeleti</i> 2.2 (a) 3. Octopus 2.2 (a) 4. Other 2.2 b) Other: 1. Squid (<i>Ommastrephes sagittatus</i> and <i>Loligo</i> spp) Free (a) 2. Other 2.2	
04.06	Natural honey	18.9
06.01	Bulbs, tubers, tuberous roots, corms, crowns and rhizomes, dormant, in growth or in flower: A. Dormant 5.6 B. In growth or in flower: I. Orchids, hyacinths, narcissi and tulips 5.2 II. Other 3.5	
06.02	Other live plants, including trees, shrubs, bushes, roots, cuttings and slips: A. Unrooted cuttings and slips: II. Other 7.7 B. Vine slips, grafted or rooted 2.1 D. Other 9.1	
06.03	Cut flowers and flower buds of a kind suitable for bouquets or for ornamental purposes, fresh, dried, dyed, bleached, impregnated or otherwise prepared: A. Fresh: I. From 1 June to 31 October 16.8 II. From 1 November to 31 May 11.9 B. Other 14	

(a) Subject to compliance with the reference price fixed or to be fixed.

CCT heading No	Description	Rate of duty (%)
06.04	Foliage, branches and other parts (other than flowers or buds) of trees, shrubs, bushes and other plants, and mosses, lichens and grasses, being goods of a kind suitable for bouquets or ornamental purposes, fresh, dried, dyed, bleached, impregnated or otherwise prepared: B. Other: I. Fresh II. Not further prepared than dried III. Other	 7 4.9 11.9
07.01	Vegetables, fresh or chilled: A. Potatoes: I. Seed potatoes (a) II. New potatoes: ex a) From 1 January to 15 May: — From 1 January to 31 March III. Other: a) For the manufacture of starch (a) b) Other B. Cabbages, cauliflowers and Brussels sprouts: I. Cauliflowers: a) From 15 April to 30 November b) From 1 December to 14 April II. White cabbages and red cabbages III. Other C. Spinach D. Salad vegetables, including endive and chicory:	 5.9 10.5 6.3 12.6 11.9 with a min. of 1.4 EUA per 100 kg net 8.4 with a min. of 0.9 EUA per 100 kg net 10.5 with a min. of 0.3 EUA per 100 kg net 10.5 9.1

(a) Entry under this subheading is subject to conditions to be determined by the competent authorities.

CCT heading No	Description	Rate of duty (%)
07.01 (<i>cont'd</i>)	D. I. Cabbage lettuce:	
	a) From 1 April to 30 November	10.5 with a min. of 1.7 EUA per 100 kg gross
	b) From 1 December to 31 March	9.1 with a min. of 1.1 EUA per 100 kg gross
	II. Other	9.1
	E. Chard (or white beet) and cardoons	3.6
	F. Leguminous vegetables, shelled or unshelled:	
	I. Peas:	
	a) From 1 September to 31 May	7
	b) From 1 June to 31 August	11.9
	II. Beans (of the species <i>Phaseolus</i>):	
	ex a) From 1 October to 30 June:	
	— From 1 November to 30 April	3.6 with a min. of 0.5 EUA per 100 kg net
	ex III. Other:	
	— Broad-beans (<i>Vicia faba major</i> L.), from 1 July to 30 April	3.9
	G. Carrots, turnips, salad beetroot, salsify, celeriac, radishes and similar edible roots:	
	I. Celeriac (rooted celery or German celery):	
	a) From 1 May to 30 September	9.1
	b) From 1 October to 30 April	11.9
	II. Carrots and turnips	11.9
	III. Horse-radish (<i>Cochlearia armoracia</i>)	10.5 (a)
	IV. Other	11.9
	ex H. Onions, shallots and garlic:	
	— Onions, from 15 February to 15 May	3.3
	— Shallots and garlic	8.4
	IJ. Leeks and other alliaceous plants (for example, chives, Welsh onions)	9.1
	K. Asparagus	11.2

(a) Duty rate reduced to 7.7 % (suspension) up to and including 30 June 1981.

CCT heading No	Description	Rate of duty (%)
07.01 (<i>cont'd</i>)	L. Artichokes	9.1
	M. Tomatoes:	
	I. From 1 November to 14 May	7.7 with a min. of 1.4 EUA per 100 kg net (a)
	II. From 15 May to 31 October	12.6 with a min. of 2.4 EUA per 100 kg net (a)
	N. Olives:	
	I. For uses other than the production of oil (b)	Free
	O. Capers	Free
	P. Cucumbers and gherkins:	
	I. Cucumbers:	
	a) From 1 November to 15 May	11.2 (a)
	b) From 16 May to 31 October	14 (a)
	II. Gherkins	11.2
	Q. Mushrooms and truffles:	
	I. Cultivated mushrooms	11.2
	II. Chantarelles	2.8
	III. Flap mushrooms	4.9
	IV. Other	5.6
	R. Fennel	7
	S. Sweet peppers	3.1
	ex T. Other:	
	— Aubergines, from 15 January to 30 April	4.4
	— Celery sticks, from 1 January to 30 April	5.6
	— Vegetable marrows (including cour- gettes) and pumpkins, from 1 December to end of February	4.4
	— Parsley	4.4
	— Other than aubergines, celery sticks, vegetable marrows (including cour- gettes) and pumpkins	11.2

(a) Subject to compliance with the reference price.

(b) Entry under this subheading is subject to conditions to be determined by the competent authorities.

CCT heading No	Description	Rate of duty (%)
07.02	Vegetables (whether or not cooked), preserved by freezing;	
	A. Olives	13.3
	B. Other	12.6
07.03	Vegetables provisionally preserved in brine, in sulphur water or in other preservative solutions, but not specially prepared for immediate consumption:	
	A. Olives:	
	I. For uses other than the production of oil (a)	2.2
	B. Capers	Free
	C. Onions	6.3
	D. Cucumbers and gherkins	10.5
	E. Other vegetables	8.4
	F. Mixtures of vegetables specified above	10.5
07.04	Dried, dehydrated or evaporated vegetables, whole, cut, sliced, broken or in powder, but not further prepared:	
	A. Onions	10.1
	B. Other:	
	— Garlic	9.8
	— Other	11.2
07.05	Dried leguminous vegetables, shelled, whether or not skinned or split:	
	A. For sowing:	
	I. Peas (including chick peas) and beans (of the species <i>Phaseolus</i>):	
	— Peas	Free
	— Other	2.8
	II. Lentils	Free
	III. Other:	
	— Broad-beans and horse-beans (field beans)	Free
	— Other	3.5

(a) Entry under this subheading is subject to conditions to be determined by the competent authorities.

CCT heading No	Description	Rate of duty (%)
07.06	Manioc, arrowroot, salop, Jerusalem artichokes, sweet potatoes and other similar roots and tubers with high starch or inulin content fresh or dried, whole or sliced; sago pith:	
	B. Other	2.1
08.01	Dates, bananas, coconuts, Brazil nuts, cashew nuts, pineapples, avocados, mangoes, guavas and mango-steens, fresh or dried, shelled or not:	
	B. Bananas	14
	C. Pineapples	6.3
08.02	Citrus fruit, fresh or dried:	
	A. Oranges:	
	I. Sweet oranges, fresh:	
	a) From 1 April to 30 April	3.6 (a)
	b) From 1 May to 15 May	Free (a)
	c) From 16 May to 15 October	Free (a)
	d) From 16 October to 31 March	5.6 (a)
	II. Other:	
	a) From 1 April to 15 October:	
	— Fresh	4.2 (a)
	— Other	10.5 (a)
	b) From 16 October to 31 March:	
	— Fresh	5.6 (a)
	— Other	14 (a)
	B. Mandarins (including tangerines and satsumas); clementines, wilkings and other similar citrus hybrids:	
	— Fresh	5.6 (a)
	— Other	14 (a)
	C. Lemons:	
	— Fresh	2.8 (a)
	— Other	5.6 (a)
	D. Grapefruit	Free
	E. Other	11.2

(a) Subject to compliance with the reference price.

CCT heading No	Description	Rate of duty (%)
08.03	Figs, fresh or dried:	
	A. Fresh	Free
	ex B. Dried:	
	— Other than packings of a net capacity of not more than 15 kg	7
08.04	Grapes, fresh or dried:	
	A. Fresh:	
	I. Table grapes:	
	a) From 1 November to 14 July:	
	1. Of the variety Emperor (<i>Vitis vinifera</i> c.v.) from 1 December to 31 January (a)	3.9 (b)
	ex 2. Other:	
	— From 15 November to 30 April	5 (b)
	— From 18 June to 14 July	6.3 (b)
	b) From 15 July to 31 October:	
	— From 15 to 17 July	7.7 (b)
	II. Other:	
	a) From 1 November to 14 July	12.6
	b) From 15 July to 31 October	15.4
	B. Dried:	
	II. Other	2.6
08.05	Nuts other than those falling within heading No 08.01, fresh or dried, shelled or not:	
	A. Almonds:	
	II. Other	4.9
	B. Walnuts	5.6
	C. Chestnuts	4.9
	D. Pistachios	Free
	E. Pecans	2.1
	G. Other:	
	— Hazelnuts	(c)
	— Pignolia nuts	Free
	— Other	2.8

- (a) Entry under this subheading is subject to conditions to be determined by the competent authorities.
- (b) Subject to compliance with the reference price.
- (c) Duty exemption within the limits of an annual Community tariff quota of 25 000 tonnes.

CCT heading No	Description	Rate of duty (%)
08.06	Apples, pears and quinces, fresh:	
	A. Apples:	
	I. Cider apples, in bulk, from 16 September to 15 December	6.3 with a min. of 0.3 EUA per 100 kg net (a)
	II. Other:	
	a) From 1 August to 31 December	9.8 with a min. of 1.6 EUA per 100 kg net (a)
	b) From 1 January to 31 March	6.6 with a min. of 1.2 EUA per 100 kg net (a)
	c) From 1 April to 31 July	4.2 with a min. of 0.9 EUA per 100 kg net (a)
	B. Pears:	
	I. Perry pears, in bulk, from 1 August to 31 December	6.3 with a min. of 0.3 EUA per 100 kg net (a)
	II. Other:	
	a) From 1 January to 31 March	7 with a min. of 1 EUA per 100 kg net (a)
	b) From 1 April to 15 July	4.5 with a min. of 1.1 EUA per 100 kg net (a)
	c) From 16 July to 31 July	7 with a min. of 1 EUA per 100 kg net (a)
	d) From 1 August to 31 December	9.1 with a min. of 1.4 EUA per 100 kg net (a)
	C. Quinces	2.5

(a) Subject to compliance with the reference price.

CCT heading No	Description	Rate of duty (%)
08.07	Stone fruit, fresh:	
	A. Apricots	17.5
	B. Peaches, including nectarines	15.4 (a)
	C. Cherries:	
	I. From 1 May to 15 July	10.5 with a min. of 2.1 EUA per 100 kg net (a)
	II. From 16 July to 30 April	10.5 (a)
	D. Plums:	
	ex II. From 1 October to 30 June:	
	— From 1 May to 15 June	2.7 (a)
	E. Other	10.5
08.08	Berries, fresh:	
	A. Strawberries:	
	I. From 1 May to 31 July	11.2 with a min. of 2.1 EUA per 100 kg net
	II. From 1 August to 30 April	9.8
	C. Fruit of the species <i>Vaccinium myrtillus</i>	2.8
	D. Raspberries, black currants and red currants	7.7
	E. Papaws	2.1
	F. Other:	
	I. Fruit of the species <i>Vaccinium macrocarpon</i> and <i>Vaccinium corymbosum</i>	7
	II. Other	8.4
08.09	Other fruit, fresh:	
	— Melons, from 1 November to 31 May	3.8
	— Water melons, from 1 April to 15 June	3.8
	— Other than melons and water melons	7.7
08.10	Fruit (whether or not cooked), preserved by freezing, not containing added sugar:	
	A. Strawberries, raspberries and black currants	12.6

(a) Subject to compliance with the reference price.

CCT heading No	Description	Rate of duty (%)
08.10 (cont'd)	B. Red currants, fruit of the species <i>Vaccinium myrtillus</i> , blackberries (brambleberries), mulberries and cloudberrries	12·1
	C. Fruit of the species <i>Vaccinium myrtilloides</i> and <i>Vaccinium anugustifolium</i>	11·2
	D. Other	13·6
08.11	Fruit provisionally preserved (for example, by sulphur dioxide gas, in brine, in sulphur water or in other preservative solutions), but unsuitable in that state for immediate consumption:	
	A. Apricots	11·2
	B. Oranges	11·2
	C. Papaws	3·8
	D. Fruit of the species <i>Vaccinium myrtillus</i>	5·6
	E. Other	7·7
08.12	Fruit, dried, other than that falling within heading No 08.01, 08.02, 08.03, 08.04 or 08.05:	
	A. Apricots	Free
	B. Peaches, including nectarines	Free
	C. Prunes	8·4
	D. Apples and pears	2·2
	E. Papaws	2·1
	F. Fruit salads:	
	I. Not containing prunes	2·2
	II. Containing prunes	8·4
	G. Other	Free
08.13	Peel of melons and citrus fruit, fresh, frozen, dried, or provisionally preserved in brine, in sulphur water or in other preservative solutions	Free
09.01	Coffee, whether or not roasted or freed of caffeine; coffee husks and skins; coffee substitutes containing coffee in any proportion:	
	A. Coffee:	
	I. Unroasted:	
	a) Not freed of caffeine	3·5
	b) Freed of caffeine	9·1

CCT heading No	Description	Rate of duty (%)
09.01 (cont'd)	A. II. Roasted: a) Not freed of caffeine b) Freed of caffeine B. Husks and skins C. Coffee substitutes containing coffee in any proportion	10.5 12.6 9.1 12.6
10.06	Rice: A. For sowing (a)	8.4
11.05	Flour, meal and flakes of potato	13.3
12.02	Flours or meals of oil seeds or oleaginous fruit, non-defatted (excluding mustard flour): A. Of soya beans	5.4
12.03	Seeds, fruit and spores, of a kind used for sowing: A. Beet seeds: — Commercial seed (b) — Other C. Grass and other herbage seeds: I. Meadow fescue (<i>Festuca pratensis</i>) seed; vetch seed; seeds of the genus <i>Poa</i> (<i>Poa palustris</i> , <i>Poa trivialis</i> , <i>Poa pratensis</i>), rye grass (<i>Lolium perenne</i> , <i>Lolium multiflorum</i>); timothy grass (<i>Phleum pratense</i>); red fescue (<i>Festuca rubra</i>); cocksfoot grass (<i>Dactylis glomerata</i>); bent grass (<i>Agrostis</i>): — Vetch seed (c) — Other II. Clover (<i>Trifolium</i> spp) III. Other D. Flower seeds; kohlrabi seeds (<i>Brassica oleracea</i> , caulorapa and gongylodes varieties) E. Other	6.3 9.1 Free 3.8 2.8 3.5 5.2 6.5
12.06	Hop cones and lupulin	6.3

- (a) Entry under this subheading is subject to conditions to be determined by the competent authorities.
- (b) Solely for seeds complying with the provisions of the Directives on the marketing of seeds and plants.
- (c) Solely for commercial seed within the meaning of Article 2 (D) of Council Directive 66/401/EEC of 14 June 1966 (OJ No 125, 11. 7. 1966).

CCT heading No	Description	Rate of duty (%)
12.08	Chicory roots, fresh or dried, whole or cut, unroasted; locust beans, fresh or dried, whether or not kibbled or ground, but not further prepared; fruit kernels and other vegetable products of a kind used primarily for human food, not falling within any other heading: A. Chicory roots	Free
13.03	Vegetable saps and extracts; pectic substances, pectinates and pectates; agar-agar and other mucilages and thickeners, derived from vegetable products: B. Pectic substances, pectinates and pectates: ex I. Dry: — Pectic substances and pectinates ex II. Other: — Pectic substances and pectinates	16.8 9.8
15.02	Fats of bovine cattle, sheep or goats, unrendered; rendered or solvent-extracted fats (including 'premier jus') obtained from those unrendered fats: B. Other: I. Unrendered fats of bovine cattle; rendered or solvent-extracted fats (including 'premier jus') obtained from those fats ex II. Fats of sheep and goats, including 'premier jus': — Of sheep	4.5 4.5
15.04	Fats and oils, of fish and marine mammals, whether or not refined: A. Fish-liver oil: I. Of a vitamin A content not exceeding 2 500 international units per gram	4.2
15.07	Fixed vegetable oils, fluid or solid, crude, refined or purified: B. China-wood and oiticica oils; myrtle wax and Japan wax C. Castor oil: II. Other D. Other oils: I. For technical or industrial uses other than the manufacture of foodstuffs for human consumption (a): a) Crude: 1. Palm oil	2.1 5.6 2.8

(a) Entry under this subheading is subject to conditions to be determined by the competent authorities.

CCT heading No	Description	Rate of duty (%)
15.07 (cont'd)	D. I. a) 3. Other b) Other: 2. Other II. Other: a) Palm oil: 1. Crude 2. Other b) Other: 1. Solid, in immediate packings of a net capacity of 1 kg or less 2. Solid, other; fluid: aa) Crude bb) Other	3.5 5.6 4.2 9.8 14 7 10.5
15.12	Animal or vegetable oils and fats, wholly or partly hydrogenated, or solidified or hardened by any other process, whether or not refined, but not further prepared: A. In immediate packings of a net capacity of 1 kg or less B. Other	14 11.9
15.13	Margarine, imitation lard and other prepared edible fats	17.5
15.17	Degras; residues resulting from the treatment of fatty substances or animal or vegetable waxes: B. Residues resulting from the treatment of fatty substances or animal or vegetable waxes: II. Other: a) Oil foots and dregs; soapstocks b) Other	3.5 Free
16.02	Other prepared or preserved meat or meat offal: A. Liver: I. Goose or duck liver B. Other: II. Game or rabbit meat or offal	11.2 11.9

CCT heading No	Description	Rate of duty (%)
16.02 (cont'd)	B. III. Other: b) Other: 1. Containing bovine meat or offal: aa) Uncooked; mixtures of cooked meat or offal and uncooked meat or offal bb) Other 2. Other: aa) Of sheep or goats bb) Other	 14 + (L) 18.2 14 18.2
16.04	Prepared or preserved fish, including caviar and caviar substitutes: A. Caviar and caviar substitutes: I. Caviar (sturgeon roe) II. Other B. Salmonidae: I. Salmon II. Other C. Herring: I. Fillets, raw, coated with batter or breadcrumbs, deep frozen II. Other D. Sardines E. Tunny F. Bonito (<i>Sarda</i> spp), mackerel and anchovies: — Bonito and mackerel — Anchovies G. Other: I. Fillets, raw, coated with batter or breadcrumbs, deep frozen II. Other	 21 21 4.6 4.9 10.5 14 (a) 17.5 16.8 14.7 17.5 10.5 (b) 14

- (a) Duty rate reduced to 5.6 % (suspension) up to and including 30 June 1981 for:
- (a) Spiced and salted herrings, in packings of a net capacity of 10 kg or more;
 - (b) 'Herring-flaps', prepared or preserved in vinegar, in packings of a net capacity of 10 kg or more.
- (b) Subject to compliance with the reference price.

CCT heading No	Description	Rate of duty (%)
16.05	Crustaceans and molluscs, prepared or preserved:	
	A. Crabs	4.4
	B. Other	5.6 (a)
20.01	Vegetables and fruit, prepared or preserved by vinegar or acetic acid, with or without sugar, whether or not containing salt, spices or mustard:	
	B. Cucumbers and gherkins:	
	— Cucumbers	6.1
	— Gherkins	15.4
	C. Other	6
20.02	Vegetables prepared or preserved otherwise than by vinegar or acetic acid:	
	A. Mushrooms	16.1
	B. Truffles	12.6
	C. Tomatoes:	
	— Peeled tomatoes	8.8 (b)
	— Tomato concentrates	8.8 (b)
	— Other	12.6 (b)
	D. Asparagus	12.3
	E. Sauerkraut	14
	F. Capers and olives	4.2
	G. Peas; beans in pod	13.4
	H. Other, including mixtures:	
	— Mixtures:	
	— Mixtures known as 'Türlü' comprising beans in pod, aubergines, courgettes and various other vegetables	7.7
	— Other mixtures	15.4
	— Carrots	12.3
	— Other	6.1
20.03	Fruit preserved by freezing, containing added sugar:	
	A. With a sugar content exceeding 13 % by weight	18.2 + (L)
	B. Other	18.2

(a) Duty rate reduced to 2.8 % (suspension) up to and including 30 June 1981 for shrimps and prawns other than those of the 'Crangon' variety, boiled in water and shelled, whether or not frozen or dried, intended for the industrial manufacture of products falling within heading No 16.05.

Control of the use for this special purpose shall be carried out pursuant to the relevant Community provisions.

(b) Subject to conditions to be agreed upon by the competent authorities.

CCT heading No	Description	Rate of duty (%)
20.04	Fruit, fruit-peel and parts of plants, preserved by sugar (drained, glacé or crystallized): B. Other: I. With a sugar content exceeding 13 % weight II. Other	 17.5 + (L) 17.5
20.05	Jams, fruit jellies, marmalades, fruit purée and fruit pastes, being cooked preparations, whether or not containing added sugar: A. Chestnut purée and paste: I. With a sugar content exceeding 13 % by weight II. Other B. Jams and marmalades of citrus fruit: I. With a sugar content exceeding 30 % by weight II. With a sugar content exceeding 13 % but not exceeding 30 % by weight III. Other C. Other: I. With a sugar content exceeding 30 % by weight: a) Plum purée and plum paste, in immediate packings of a net capacity exceeding 100 kg, for industrial processing (a) b) Other II. With a sugar content exceeding 13 % but not exceeding 30 % by weight III. Other: — Fig purée — Other	 21 + (L) 21 18.5 + (L) 18.5 + (L) 18.9 20.6 21 + (L) 21 + (L) 8.4 21
20.06	Fruit otherwise prepared or preserved, whether or not containing added sugar or spirit: A. Nuts (including ground-nuts), roasted, in immediate packings of a net capacity: I. Of more than 1 kg	 4.1

(a) Entry under this subheading is subject to conditions to be determined by the competent authorities.

CCT heading No	Description	Rate of duty (%)
20.06 (cont'd)	A. II. Of 1 kg or less B. Other: I. Containing added spirit: a) Ginger: 1. Of an actual alcoholic strength by mass not exceeding 11.85 % mas 2. Other b) Pineapples, in immediate packings of a net capacity: 1. Of more than 1 kg: aa) With a sugar content exceeding 17 % by weight bb) Other 2. Of 1 kg or less: aa) With a sugar content exceeding 19 % by weight bb) Other c) Grapes: 1. With a sugar content exceeding 13 % by weight 2. Other d) Peaches, pears and apricots, in immediate packings of a net capacity: 1. Of more than 1 kg: aa) With a sugar content exceeding 13 % by weight: 11. Of an actual alcoholic strength by mass not exceeding 11.85 % mas 22. Other bb) Other: 11. Of an actual alcoholic strength by mass not exceeding 11.85 % mas 22. Other 2. Of 1 kg or less: aa) With a sugar content exceeding 15 % by weight bb) Other e) Other fruits: 1. With a sugar content exceeding 9 % by weight:	4.6 20.3 22.4 22.4 + (L) 22.4 22.4 + (L) 22.4 22.4 + (L) 22.4 22 + 2 ads 22.4 + (L) 22 22.4 22.4 + (L) 22.4

CCT heading No	Description	Rate of duty (%)
20.06 (cont'd)	B. I. e) 1. aa) Of an actual alcoholic strength by mass not exceeding 11.85 % mas 22 + 2 ads bb) Other 22.4 + (L) 2. Other: aa) Of an actual alcoholic strength by mass not exceeding 11.85 % mas 22 bb) Other 22.4 f) Mixtures of fruit: 1. With a sugar content exceeding 9 % by weight: aa) Of an actual alcoholic strength by mass not exceeding 11.85 % 22 + 2 ads bb) Other 22.4 + (L) 2. Other: aa) Of an actual alcoholic strength by mass not exceeding 11.85 % mas 22 bb) Other 22.4 II. Not containing added spirit: a) Containing added sugar, in immediate packings of a net capacity of more than 1 kg 2. Grapefruit segments 2.6 + 2 ads 3. Mandarins (including tangerines and satsumas); clementines, wilkings and other similar citrus hybrids 14.7 + 2 ads 4. Grapes 15.4 + 2 ads 5. Pineapples: aa) With a sugar content exceeding 17 % by weight 15.4 + 2 ads bb) Other 15.4 6. Pears: aa) With a sugar content exceeding 13 % by weight 14 + 2 ads bb) Other 14 7. Peaches and apricots: aa) With a sugar content exceeding 13 % by weight: — Apricots 12.3 + 2 ads — Peaches 15.4 + 2 ads	

CCT heading No	Description	Rate of duty (%)
20.06 (cont'd)	B. II. a) 7. bb) Other: — Apricots — Peaches	12.3 15.4
	8. Other fruits: — Grapefruit — Other	3 + 2 ads 15 + 2 ads
	9. Mixtures of fruit: - aa) Mixtures in which no single fruit exceeds 50 % of the total weight of the fruits - bb) Other	14.5 + 2 ads 15 + 2 ads
	b) Containing added sugar, in immediate packings of a net capacity of 1 kg or less: 2. Grapefruit segments 3. Mandarins (including tangerines and satsumas); clementines, wilkings and other similar citrus hybrids 4. Grapes 5. Pineapples: - aa) With a sugar content exceeding 19 % by weight - bb) Other 6. Pears: - aa) With a sugar content exceeding 15 % by weight - bb) Other 7. Peaches and apricots: - aa) With a sugar content exceeding 15 % by weight: 11. Peaches 22. Apricots - bb) Other: 11. Peaches 22. Apricots 8. Other fruits: — Grapefruit — Other	2.6 + 2 ads 15 + 2 ads 16.8 + 2 ads 16.8 + 2 ads 16.8 15.4 + 2 ads 15.4 15.4 + 2 ads 16.8 + 2 ads 15.4 16.8 3.3 + 2 ads 16.8 + 2 ads

CCT heading No	Description	Rate of duty (%)
20.06 (cont'd)	B. II. b) 9. Mixtures of fruit: aa) Mixtures in which no single fruit exceeds 50 % of the total weight of the fruits bb) Other c) Not containing added sugar, in immediate packings of a net capacity: 1. Of 4.5 kg or more: aa) Apricots: — Halves — Pulp — Other bb) Peaches (including nectarines) and plums cc) Pears dd) Other fruits: — Grapefruit — Other ee) Mixtures of fruit 2. Of less than 4.5 kg: aa) Pears bb) Other fruits and mixtures of fruit: — Grapefruit — Other	10.5 + 2 ads 16.4 + 2 ads 9.5 (a) 11.9 13.3 14.7 3.2 16.1 16.1 14.7 3.2 16.1
20.07	Fruit juices (including grape must) and vegetable juices, whether or not containing added sugar, but unfermented and not containing spirit: A. Of a specific gravity exceeding 1.33 at 15 °C: I. Grape juice (including grape must): a) Of a value exceeding 22 EUA per 100 kg net weight b) Of a value not exceeding 22 EUA per 100 kg net weight: 1. With an added sugar content exceeding 30 % by weight 2. Other	35 35 + (L) 35

(a) Duty of 8.3 % within the limits of an annual Community tariff quota of 90 tonnes.

CCT heading No	Description	Rate of duty (%)
20.07 (cont'd)	A. II. Apple and pear juice; mixtures of apple and pear juice:	
	a) Of a value exceeding 22 EUA per 100 kg net weight	29.4
	b) Of a value not exceeding 22 EUA per 100 kg net weight:	
	1. With an added sugar content exceeding 30 % by weight	29.4 + (L)
	2. Other	29.4
	III. Other:	
	a) Of a value exceeding 30 EUA per 100 kg net weight:	
	— Grapefruit	8.8
	— Other	29.4
	b) Of a value not exceeding 30 EUA per 100 kg net weight:	
	1. With an added sugar content exceeding 30 % by weight:	
	— Grapefruit	8.8 + (L)
	— Other	29.4 + (L)
	2. Other:	
	— Grapefruit	8.8
	— Other	29.4
	B. Of a specific gravity of 1.33 or less at 15 °C:	
	I. Grape, apple and pear juice (including grape must); mixtures of apple and pear juice:	
	a) Of a value exceeding 18 EUA per 100 kg net weight:	
	1. Grape juice (including grape must):	
	aa) Concentrated:	
	11. With an added sugar content exceeding 30 % by weight	19.6
	22. Other	19.6
	bb) Other:	
	11. With an added sugar content exceeding 30 % by weight	19.6
	22. Other	19.6
	2. Apple and pear juice:	
	aa) Containing added sugar	16.8
	bb) Other	17.5

CCT heading No	Description	Rate of duty (%)
20.07 <i>(cont'd)</i>	B. I. a) 3. Mixtures of apple and pear juice	17·5
	b) Of a value of 18 EUA or less per 100 kg net weight:	
	1. Grape juice (including grape must):	
	aa) Concentrated:	
	11. With an added sugar content exceeding 30 % by weight	19·6 + (L)
	22. Other	19·6
	bb) Other:	
	11. With an added sugar content exceeding 30 % by weight	19·6 + (L)
	22. Other	19·6
	2. Apple juice:	
	aa) With an added sugar content exceeding 30 % by weight	16·8 + (L)
	bb) With an added sugar content of 30 % or less by weight	16·8
	cc) Not containing added sugar	17·5
	3. Pear juice:	
	aa) With an added sugar content exceeding 30 % by weight	16·8 + (L)
	bb) With an added sugar content of 30 % or less by weight	16·8
	cc) Not containing added sugar	17·5
	4. Mixtures of apple and pear juice:	
	aa) With an added sugar content exceeding 30 % by weight	17·5 + (L)
	bb) Other	17·5
	II. Other:	
	a) Of a value exceeding 30 EUA per 100 kg net weight:	
	1. Orange juice	13·3
	2. Grapefruit juice	3·1

CCT heading No	Description	Rate of duty (%)
20.07 (cont'd)	B. II. a) 3. Lemon juice and other citrus fruit juices: aa) Containing added sugar bb) Other 4. Pineapple juice: aa) Containing added sugar bb) Other 5. Tomato juice: aa) Containing added sugar bb) Other 6. Other fruit and vegetable juices: aa) Containing added sugar bb) Other 7. Mixtures: aa) Of citrus fruit juices and pineapple juice: 11. Containing added sugar 22. Other bb) Other: 11. Containing added sugar 22. Other b) Of a value of 30 EUA or less per 100 kg net weight: 1. Orange juice: aa) With an added sugar content exceeding 30 % by weight bb) Other 2. Grapefruit juice: aa) With an added sugar content exceeding 30 % by weight bb) Other 3. Lemon juice: aa) With an added sugar content exceeding 30 % by weight bb) With an added sugar content of 30 % or less by weight cc) Not containing added sugar	12·6 13·3 13·3 14 14 14·7 14·7 15·4 13·3 14 14·7 15·4 13·3 + (L) 13·3 3·1 + (L) 3·1 12·6 + (L) 12·6 13·3

CCT heading No	Description	Rate of duty (%)
20.07 (cont'd)	B. II. b) 4. Other citrus fruit juices: aa) With an added sugar content exceeding 30 % by weight bb) With an added sugar content of 30 % or less by weight cc) Not containing added sugar 5. Pineapple juice: aa) With an added sugar content exceeding 30 % by weight bb) With an added sugar content of 30 % or less by weight cc) Not containing added sugar 6. Tomato juice: aa) With an added sugar content exceeding 30 % by weight bb) With an added sugar content of 30 % or less by weight cc) Not containing added sugar 7. Other fruit and vegetable juices: aa) With an added sugar content exceeding 30 % by weight bb) With an added sugar content of 30 % or less by weight cc) Not containing added sugar 8. Mixtures: aa) Of citrus fruit juices and pineapple juice: 11. With an added sugar content exceeding 30 % by weight 22. With an added sugar content of 30 % or less by weight 33. Not containing added sugar	12.6 + (L) 12.6 13.3 13.3 + (L) 13.3 14 14 + (L) 14 14.7 14.7 + (L) 14.7 15.4 13.3 + (L) 13.3 14

- (a) Subject to compliance with the free-at-frontier reference price.
- (b) The exchange rate to be applied in converting into national currencies the ECU in which the customs duty is expressed shall be the representative rate applicable to wines, if such rate is fixed for the purposes of the common agricultural policy.

CCT heading No	Description	Rate of duty (%)
22.05 (cont'd)	C. II. b) More than two litres: — Wine of fresh grapes — Other III. Of an actual alcoholic strength by volume exceeding 15 % vol but not exceeding 18 % vol, in containers holding: a) Two litres or less: 2. Other: — Wine of fresh grapes — Other b) More than two litres: 3. Other: — Wine of fresh grapes — Other IV. Of an actual alcoholic strength by volume exceeding 18 % vol but not exceeding 22 % vol, in containers holding: a) Two litres or less: 2. Other: — Wine of fresh grapes — Other b) More than two litres: 3. Other: — Wine of fresh grapes — Other V. Of an actual alcoholic strength by volume exceeding 22 % vol, in containers holding: a) Two litres or less: — Wine of fresh grapes	5.5 ECU per hl (a) (b) 9.3 ECU per hl (a) (b) 8.6 ECU per hl (a) (b) 14.4 ECU per hl (a) (b) 7 ECU per hl (a) (b) 11.8 ECU per hl (a) (b) 9.6 ECU per hl (a) (b) 16.1 ECU per hl (a) (b) 9.6 ECU per hl (a) (b) 16.1 ECU per hl (a) (b) 0.7 ECU per hl per % vol of alcohol + 5 ECU per hl (a) (b)

(a) Subject to compliance with the free-at-frontier reference price.

(b) The exchange rate to be applied in converting into national currencies the ECU in which the customs duty is expressed shall be the representative rate applicable to wines, if such rate is fixed for the purposes of the common agricultural policy.

CCT heading No	Description	Rate of duty (%)
22.05 (cont'd)	C. V. a) — Other	1.3 ECU per hl per % vol of alcohol + 8.4 ECU per hl (a) (b)
	b) More than two litres:	
	— Wine of fresh grapes	0.7 ECU per hl per % vol of alcohol (a) (b)
	— Other	1.3 ECU per hl per % vol of alcohol (a) (b)
22.08	Ethyl alcohol or neutral spirits, undenatured, of an alcoholic strength of 80 % vol or higher; denatured spirits (including ethyl alcohol and neutral spirits) of any strength:	
	ex A. Denatured spirits (including ethyl alcohol and neutral spirits) of any strength:	
	— Obtained from the agricultural products shown in Annex II of the EEC Treaty	11.2 EUA per hl
	ex B. Ethyl alcohol or neutral spirits, undenatured, of an alcoholic strength of 80 % vol or higher:	
	— Obtained from the agricultural products shown in Annex II of the EEC Treaty	21 EUA per hl
22.09	Spirits (other than those of heading No 22.08); liqueurs and other spirituous beverages; compound alcoholic preparations (known as 'concentrated extracts') for the manufacture of beverages:	
	A. Spirits (other than those of heading No 22.08), in containers holding:	
	ex I. Two litres or less:	
	— Obtained from the agricultural products shown in Annex II of the EEC Treaty	1.1 EUA per hl per % vol of alcohol + 7 EUA per hl
	ex II. More than two litres:	
	— Obtained from the agricultural products shown in Annex II of the Treaty	1.1 EUA per hl per % vol of alcohol

(a) Subject to compliance with the free-at-frontier reference price.

(b) The exchange rate to be applied in converting into national currencies the ECU in which the customs duty is expressed shall, be the representative rate applicable to wines, if such rate is fixed for the purposes of the common agricultural policy.

CCT heading No	Description	Rate of duty (%)
22.10	Vinegar and substitutes for vinegar: A. Wine vinegar, in containers holding: I. Two litres or less II. More than two litres B. Other, in containers holding: I. Two litres or less II. More than two litres	5.6 EUA per hl 4.2 EUA per hl 5.6 EUA per hl 4.2 EUA per hl
23.01	Flours and meals, of meat, offals, fish, crustaceans or molluscs, unfit for human consumption; greaves: B. Flours and meals of fish, crustaceans or molluscs	Free
23.05	Wine lees; argol: A. Wine lees: II. Other	1.4 EUA per kg of total alcohol
23.06	Products of vegetable origin of a kind used for animal food, not elsewhere specified or included: A. Acorns, horse chestnuts and pomace or marc of fruit: I. Grape marc: b) Other	1.4 EUA per kg of total alcohol
45.01	Natural cork, unworked, crushed, granulated or ground; waste cork	Free

EXCHANGE OF LETTERS

between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Turkey concerning
Article 3 (3) of Decision No 1/80 of the Association Council

Brussels, 20 January 1981

Sir,

Pursuant to Article 3 (3) of Decision No 1/80 of the Association Council, I have the honour to inform you that the quantities and seasonal timetables involved in the tariff reductions provided for in paragraph 1 of the said Article are as follows:

1. For the following products, the abolition of customs duties shall apply to imports into the Community during the periods indicated below:

CCT heading No	Description
07.01	Vegetables, fresh or chilled: A. Potatoes: II. New potatoes: ex a) From 1 January to 15 May: — From 1 January to 31 March F. Leguminous vegetables, shelled or unshelled: II. Beans (of the species <i>Phaseolus</i>): ex a) From 1 October to 30 June: — From 1 November to 30 April ex III: Other: — Broad beans (<i>Vicia faba major</i> L.): — From 1 July to 30 April ex H. Onions, shallots and garlic: — Onions: — From 15 February to 15 May ex T. Other: — Aubergines: — From 15 January to 30 April — Celery: — From 1 January to 30 April — Marrows and Pumpkins: — From 1 December to end February

CCT heading No	Description
08.04	Grapes, fresh or dried: A. Fresh: I. Table grapes: ex a) From 1 November to 14 July: — From 15 November to 30 April — From 18 June to 14 July ex b) From 15 July to 31 October: — From 15 July to 17 July
08.07	Stone fruit, fresh: D. Plums: ex II. From 1 October to 30 June: — From 1 May to 15 June
ex 08.09	Other fruit, fresh: — Melons: — From 1 November to 31 May — Water melons: — From 1 April to 15 June

2. For the following products, the abolition of customs duties shall apply within the limits of the annual Community tariff quotas set out below:

CCT heading No	Description	Amount of quota in tonnes
08.05	Nuts other than those falling within heading No 08.01, fresh or dried, shelled or not: ex G. Other: — Hazelnuts	25 000
20.06	Fruit otherwise prepared or preserved, whether or not containing added sugar or spirit: B. Other: II. Not containing added spirit: c) Not containing added sugar, in immediate packings of a net capacity: 1. Of 4.5 kg or more: ex aa) Apricots: — Pulp	90

3. For tomatoes prepared or preserved otherwise than by vinegar or acetic acid falling within subheading 20.02 C of the Common Customs Tariff, the abolition of customs duties shall apply to an annual quantity of 16 500 tonnes on condition that the Turkish Government undertakes to take all the necessary measures to ensure that the quantities supplied to the Community do not exceed that figure. Mutual clarifications concerning the conditions governing imports into the Community and guarantees relating to quantities shall be arranged between the Directorate-General for European Economic Community Affairs of the Ministry for Trade of the Republic of Turkey and the Directorate-General for Agriculture of the Commission of the European Communities.
4. The detailed rules for implementing Article 3 (3) of Decision No 1/80 of the Association Council which form the subject of this letter shall apply until the entry into force of a further exchange of letters.

I should be grateful if you would kindly confirm your Government's agreement with the foregoing.

Please accept, Sir, the assurance of my highest consideration.

On behalf of the Council of the European Communities

Brussels, 6 February 1981

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter of today's date which reads as follows:

'Pursuant to Article 3 (3) of Decision No 1/80 of the Association Council, I have the honour to inform you that the quantities and seasonal timetables involved in the tariff reductions provided for in paragraph 1 of the said Article are as follows:

1. For the following products, the abolition of customs duties shall apply to imports into the Community during the periods indicated below:

CCT heading No	Description
07.01	Vegetables, fresh or chilled: A. Potatoes: II. New potatoes: ex a) from 1 January to 15 May: — from 1 January to 31 March F. Leguminous vegetables, shelled or unshelled: II. Beans (of the species <i>Phaseolus</i>): ex a) from 1 October to 30 June: — from 1 November to 30 April ex III. Other: — Broad beans (<i>Vicia faba major</i> L.): — from 1 July to 30 April ex H. Onions, shallots and garlic: — Onions: — From 15 February to 15 May ex T. Other: — Aubergines: — From 15 January to 30 April — Celery: — From 1 January to 30 April — Marrows and Pumpkins: — From 1 December to end February

CCT heading No	Description
08.04	Grapes, fresh or dried: A. Fresh: I. Table grapes: ex a) From 1 November to 14 July: — From 15 November to 30 April — From 18 June to 14 July ex b) From 15 July to 31 October: — From 15 July to 17 July
08.07	Stone fruit, fresh: D. Plums: ex II. From 1 October to 30 June: — From 1 May to 15 June
ex 08.09	Other fruit, fresh: — Melons: — From 1 November to 31 May — Water melons: — From 1 April to 15 June

2. For the following products, the abolition of customs duties shall apply within the limits of the annual Community tariff quotas set out below:

CCT heading No	Description	Amount of quota in tonnes
08.05	Nuts other than those falling within heading No 08.01, fresh or dried, shelled or not: ex G. Other: — Hazelnuts	25 000
20.06	Fruit otherwise prepared or preserved, whether or not containing added sugar or spirit: B. Other: II. Not containing added spirit: c) Not containing added sugar, in immediate packings of a net capacity: 1. Of 4.5 kg or more: ex aa) Apricots: — Pulp	90

3. For tomatoes prepared or preserved otherwise than by vinegar or acetic acid falling within subheading 20.02 C of the Common Customs Tariff, the abolition of customs duties shall apply to an annual quantity of 16 500 tonnes on condition that the Turkish Government undertakes to take all the necessary measures to ensure that the quantities supplied to the Community do not exceed that figure. Mutual clarifications concerning the conditions governing imports into the Community and guarantees relating to quantities shall be arranged between the Directorate-General for European Economic Community Affairs of the Ministry for Trade of the Republic of Turkey and the Directorate-General for Agriculture of the Commission of the European Communities.
4. The detailed rules for implementing Article 3 (3) of Decision No 1/80 of the Association Council which form the subject of this letter shall apply until the entry into force of a further exchange of letters.

I should be grateful if you would kindly confirm your Government's agreement with the foregoing.'

I have the honour to confirm that my Government is in agreement with the contents of this letter.

Please accept, Sir, the assurance of my highest consideration.

For the Government of the Republic of Turkey

COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 563/81

of 20 January 1981

opening, allocating and providing for the administration of a Community tariff quota for fresh or dried hazelnuts, shelled or not, falling within subheading ex 08.05 G of the Common Customs Tariff and originating in Turkey (1981)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

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

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas, under Decision No 1/80 of the EEC-Turkey Association Council of 19 September 1980 on the development of the Association, fresh or dried hazelnuts, shelled or not, falling within subheading ex 08.05 G of the Common Customs Tariff and originating in Turkey are admitted on importation into the Community at zero duty, within the limit of a Community tariff quota of 25 000 tonnes; whereas the Community tariff quota concerned should therefore be opened for 1981;

Whereas, in accordance with Article 119 of the 1979 Act of Accession, the Community adopted Council Regulation (EEC) No 3555/80 of 16 December 1980 determining the arrangements to be applied with regard to imports into Greece originating in Algeria, Israel, Malta, Morocco, Portugal, Syria, Tunisia or

Turkey (1); whereas this Regulation shall therefore apply to the Community of Nine;

Whereas it is in particular necessary to ensure for all Community importers equal and uninterrupted access to the abovementioned quota and uninterrupted application of the rate laid down for that quota to all imports of the products concerned into all Member States until the quota has been used up; whereas, having regard to the above principles, the Community nature of the quota can be respected by allocating the Community tariff quota among the Member States; whereas, in order to reflect as accurately as possible the true trend of the market in the products in question, such allocation should be in proportion to the requirements of the Member States, calculated by reference to the statistics for imports from Turkey over a representative reference period and also to the economic outlook for the quota period in question;

Whereas, on the basis of the statistics at present available, imports into the Member States in 1977, 1978 and 1979 of the product concerned, originating in Turkey, have developed as follows and represent the following percentages of total imports into the Community:

	1977		1978		1979	
	tonnes	%	tonnes	%	tonnes	%
Benelux	6 618	7.76	6 102	8.12	4 550	6.21
Denmark	1 274	1.49	1 277	1.70	1 305	1.78
Germany	54 568	63.97	50 096	66.66	49 306	67.36
France	10 903	12.78	9 706	12.91	10 657	14.56
Ireland	147	0.17	132	0.18	114	0.16
Italy	5 470	6.41	2 436	3.24	2 067	2.82
United Kingdom	6 320	7.41	5 405	7.19	5 204	7.11
	85 300		75 154		73 203	

(1) OJ No L 382, 31. 12. 1980, p. 1.

Whereas, taking into account these figures and the foreseeable development of the product concerned during 1981 and, in particular, the forecasts made by some Member States, the initial shares may be fixed approximately at the following percentages:

Benelux	6.68
Denmark	2.21
Germany	67.09
France	13.20
Ireland	0.24
Italy	2.00
United Kingdom	8.58

Whereas, in order to take into account import trends for the product concerned in the various Member States, the quota amount should be divided into two instalments, the first being shared among the Member States and the second constituting a reserve to cover at a later date the requirements of those Member States which have used up their initial quota share; whereas, in order to give importers in each Member State a certain degree of security, the first instalment of the Community quota might under the circumstances be fixed at 80 % of the quota volume;

Whereas the Member States' initial shares may be used up at different times; whereas, in order to take this fact into account and avoid any break in continuity, any Member State which has almost used up its initial quota share, should draw an additional share from the reserve; whereas this must be done by each Member State as and when each of its additional shares is almost used up, and repeated as many times as the reserve allows; whereas the initial and additional shares must be valid until the end of the quota period; whereas this method of administration requires close cooperation between the Member States and the Commission, and the latter must be in a position to monitor the extent to which the quota volume has been used up and to inform the Member States thereof;

Whereas if, at a given date in the quota period, a substantial quantity remains unused, it is essential that that Member State should return a significant proportion to the reserve to prevent a part of any tariff quota from remaining unused in one Member State when it could be used in others; whereas, taking into account the seasonal nature of imports, it seems appropriate to fix the transfer limit of 40 % of the initial share;

Whereas, since the Kingdom of Belgium, the Kingdom of the Netherlands and the Grand Duchy

of Luxembourg are united within and jointly represented by the Benelux Economic Union, any operation relating to the administration of the quota shares allocated to that Economic Union may be carried out by any of its members,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. During the period 1 January to 31 December 1981, a Community tariff quota of 25 000 tonnes shall be opened in the Community of Nine for fresh or dried hazelnuts, shelled or not, falling within subheading ex 08.05 G of the Common Customs Tariff and originating in Turkey.
2. Within this tariff quota, the Common Customs Tariff duty shall be totally suspended.
3. Imports of the product in question benefiting from the same or lower customs duties under other preferential arrangements shall not be charged against this tariff quota.
4. This tariff quota shall be allocated and administered in accordance with the following provisions.

Article 2

1. The tariff quota referred to in Article 1 (1) shall be divided into two instalments.
2. The first instalment, amounting to 20 000 tonnes, shall be shared amongst the Member States; the shares which, subject to Article 5, shall be valid until 31 December 1981 shall be as follows:

Benelux	1 336 tonnes
Denmark	442 tonnes
Germany	13 418 tonnes
France	2 640 tonnes
Ireland	48 tonnes
Italy	400 tonnes
United Kingdom	1 716 tonnes

3. The second instalment, amounting to 5 000 tonnes, shall constitute the reserve.

Article 3

1. If 90 % or more of any Member State's initial share as specified in Article 2 (2), or 90 % of that share minus the portion returned to the reserve where Article 5 has been applied, has been used up, then, to the extent permitted by the amount of the reserve, that Member State shall forthwith, by notifying the Commission, draw a second share equal to 15 % of its initial share, rounded up where necessary to the next unit.

2. If, after its initial share has been used up, 90 % or more of the second share drawn by a Member State has been used up, then, to the extent permitted by the amount of the reserve, that Member State shall, in accordance with the conditions laid down in paragraph 1, draw a third share equal to 7.5 % of its initial share.

3. If, after its second share has been used up, 90 % or more of the third share drawn up by a Member State has been used up, that Member State shall, in accordance with the conditions laid down in paragraph 1, draw a fourth share equal to the third.

This process shall continue until the reserve is used up.

4. By way of derogation from paragraphs 1, 2 and 3, a Member State may draw shares smaller than those fixed in those paragraphs if there is reason to believe that they might not be used up. It shall inform the Commission of its reasons for applying this paragraph.

Article 4

The additional shares drawn pursuant to Article 3 shall be valid until 31 December 1981.

Article 5

The Member States shall return to the reserve, not later than 1 October 1981, such unused portion of their initial shares as, on 15 September 1981, is in excess of 40 % of the initial volume. They may return a larger quantity if there are grounds for believing that this quantity may not be used.

The Member States shall notify the Commission, not later than 1 October 1981, of the total quantities of the products in question imported up to

15 September 1981 and charged against the tariff quotas and of any quantity of the initial shares returned to the reserve.

Article 6

The Commission shall keep an account of the shares opened by the Member States pursuant to Articles 2 and 3 and, as soon as it is notified, inform each State of the extent to which the reserves have been used up.

It shall inform the Member States, not later than 5 October 1981, of the amount in each reserve after quantities have been returned thereto pursuant to Article 5.

It shall ensure that the drawing which exhausts any reserve does not exceed the balance available and, to this end, notify the amount of that balance to the Member State making the last drawing.

Article 7

1. The Member States shall take all measures necessary to ensure that additional shares drawn pursuant to Article 3 are opened in such a way that imports may be charged without interruption against their accumulated shares of the tariff quota.

2. The Member States shall ensure that importers of the products in question established in their territory have free access to the shares allocated to them.

3. The Member States shall charge the imports of the products concerned against their shares as and when the products are entered with customs authorities for free circulation.

4. The extent to which a Member State has used up its shares shall be determined on the basis of the imports charged under the conditions set in paragraph 3.

Article 8

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

Article 9

The Member States and the Commission shall co-operate closely to ensure that this Regulation is complied with.

Article 10

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

It shall apply from 1 January 1981.

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

Done at Brussels, 20 January 1981.

For the Council

The President

Ch. A. van der KLAAUW

COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 564/81

of 20 January 1981

amending Regulation (EEC) No 1639/80 opening, allocating and providing for the administration of a Community tariff quota for apricot pulp falling within subheading ex 20.06 B II c) 1 aa) of the Common Customs Tariff and originating in Turkey

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

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

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas, by Regulation (EEC) No 1639/80 ⁽¹⁾, the Council opened and allocated among the Member States, for the period 1 July 1980 to 30 June 1981, a Community tariff quota of 90 tonnes, at duty rate of 11.9 %, for apricot pulp falling within subheading ex 20.06 B II c) 1 aa) of the Common Customs Tariff and originating in Turkey; whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 562/81 of 20 January 1981 on the reduction of customs duties on imports into the Community of certain agricultural products originating in Turkey ⁽²⁾ laid down that the duty applicable for the purposes of that tariff quota should be

reduced to 8.3 % as from 1 January 1981; whereas, therefore, Regulation (EEC) No 1639/80 should be amended,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Article 1 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 1639/80 shall be replaced by the following:

'2. Within the limit of this tariff quota, the Common Customs Tariff duty applicable to these goods shall be suspended at 8.3 %.'

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 January 1981.

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

Done at Brussels, 20 January 1981.

For the Council

The President

D. F. van der MEI

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 163, 28. 6. 1980, p. 7.

⁽²⁾ See page 1 of this Official Journal.

