

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 3370/82
of 15 December 1982
fixing the export refunds on fruit and vegetables

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European
Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No
1035/72 of 18 May 1972 on the common organization
of the market in fruit and vegetables⁽¹⁾, as last
amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1738/82⁽²⁾, and in
particular Article 30 (4) thereof,

Having regard to the opinion of the Monetary
Committee,

Whereas Article 30 of Regulation (EEC) No 1035/72
provides that, to the extent necessary to allow econom-
ically significant quantities to be exported, the dif-
ference between prices in international trade for the
products referred to in that Article and prices for the
products within the Community may be covered by an
export refund;

Whereas Article 2 of Council Regulation (EEC) No
2518/69 of 9 December 1969 laying down general
rules for the granting of refunds on exports of fruit
and vegetables and criteria for fixing their amounts⁽³⁾,
as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2455/72⁽⁴⁾,
provides that when refunds are being fixed, account
must be taken of the existing situation and future
trends with regard to prices and availabilities of fruit
and vegetables on the Community market on the one
hand and prices in international trade on the other;
whereas account must also be taken of the costs indi-
cated in (b) of that Article and of the economic aspects
of the proposed exports;

Whereas, pursuant to Article 3 of Regulation (EEC)
No 2518/69, when prices on the Community market
are being determined account must be taken of the
prices which are most favourable from the exportation
point of view; whereas, when prices in international
trade are being determined, the quotations and prices
referred to in paragraph 2 of that Article must be
taken into account;

Whereas the situation with regard to international
trade or the specific requirements of certain markets
may make it necessary to vary the refund for a given
product according to the destination of that product;

Whereas tomatoes, sweet fresh oranges, fresh manda-
rins, fresh lemons and apples of the common quality
standards 'Extra' Class, Class I and Class II, 'Extra'
Class and Class I hothouse grapes and open ground
grapes, almonds and hazelnuts, and unshelled walnuts
may at present be exported in economically significant
quantities;

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

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

Whereas it follows from applying these detailed rules
to the present market situation and to its future trends,
and in particular to quotations and prices for fruit and
vegetables in the Community and in international
trade that the refunds should be as set out in the
Annex hereto;

Whereas the obligations under Article 10 (1) (b) of
Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2730/79 of 29
November 1979 laying down common detailed rules
for the application of the system of export refunds on
agricultural products⁽⁵⁾, as last amended by Regulation
(EEC) No 202/82⁽⁶⁾, may be relaxed in the case of
exports to non-member countries outside Europe;
whereas, in such a case, Article 23 (1) (c) of Regulation
(EEC) No 2730/79 may be applied;

Whereas the Management Committee for Fruit and
Vegetables has not delivered an opinion within the
time limit set by its chairman,

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 118, 20. 5. 1972, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 190, 1. 7. 1982, p. 7.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 318, 18. 12. 1969, p. 1.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 266, 25. 11. 1972, p. 7.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 317, 12. 12. 1979, p. 1.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 21, 29. 1. 1982, p. 23.

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

table grapes of open ground, walnuts in shell, almonds, hazelnuts and apples as set out in the Annex hereto.

Article 1

1. The export refunds on fruit and vegetables shall be as set out in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

2. The provisions of Articles 10 (1) (b) and 23 (1) (c) of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2730/79 shall apply to exports of sweet oranges, mandarins, lemons,

This Regulation shall enter into force on 16 December 1982.

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

Done at Brussels, 15 December 1982.

For the Commission

Poul DALSAER

Member of the Commission

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 15 December 1982 fixing the export refunds on fruit and vegetables

(ECU/100 kg net)		
CCT heading No	Description	Refund
ex 07.01 M	Tomatoes ('Extra' Class, Class I and Class II)	4.50
ex 08.02 A I	Sweet fresh oranges : — For export of varieties Biondo comune and Sanguigno comune ('Extra' Class, Class I and Class II) to : — Countries or States with a planned economy in central or eastern Europe — Other destinations — For export of other varieties ('Extra' Class, Class I and Class II) to : — Countries or States with a planned economy in central or eastern Europe — Other destinations	8.00 5.32 14.50 9.67
ex 08.02 B	Fresh mandarins ('Extra' Class, Class I and Class II)	7.25
ex 08.02 C	Fresh lemons ('Extra' Class, Class I and Class II) For export to : — Countries or States with a planned economy in central or eastern Europe — Other destinations	12.00 4.23
ex 08.04 A I	Table grapes : — Fresh, open ground ('Extra' Class and Class I) — Fresh, hothouse ('Extra' Class and Class I)	7.00 19.34
ex 08.05 A II	Shelled almonds, other than bitter almonds	20.00
ex 08.05 B	Unshelled walnuts	14.00
ex 08.05 G	Unshelled hazelnuts	15.00
ex 08.05 G	Shelled hazelnuts	30.00
ex 08.06 A II	Apples ('Extra' Class, Class I and Class II) other than cider apples : For export to : — Botswana, Lesotho, Swaziland, Zambia, Malawi, Mozambique, Tanzania, Kenya, Rwanda, Burundi, Uganda, Somalia, Madagascar, Comoros, Mauritius, Sudan, Ethiopia, Jibuti, the countries of the Arabian peninsula ⁽¹⁾ , Iran, Iraq, Jordan and Finland — Indonesia, Malaysia, Singapore and Hong Kong — Countries and territories of Africa other than those mentioned above and South Africa, Syria, countries with a planned economy in central and eastern Europe, Bolivia, Brazil, Venezuela, Peru, Panama, Ecuador, Iceland, Norway, Sweden, Austria and the Faroe Islands	12.00 12.00 4.00

⁽¹⁾ For the purpose of this Regulation the 'countries of the Arabian peninsula' are considered to be the following, including the territories attached thereto : Saudi Arabia, Bahrain, Qatar, Kuwait, the Sultanate of Oman, United Arab Emirates (Abu Dhabi, Dubai, Sharjah, Ajman, Umm al Qawain, Fujairah, Ras Al Khaimah), Yemen Arab Republic (North Yemen) and the People's Democratic Republic of Yemen (South Yemen).