

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 3864/91

of 16 December 1991

fixing, for the 1992 fishing year, the withdrawal and selling prices for fishery products listed in Annex I (A), (D) and (E) of Council Regulation (EEC) No 3796/81

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 3796/81 of 29 December 1981 on the common organization of the market in fishery products ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3571/90 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 12 (3) thereof,

Whereas Article 12 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 3796/81 provides that the Community withdrawal and selling prices for each of the products listed in Annex I (A), (D) and (E) are to be fixed by applying the conversion factor for the product category concerned to an amount equal to at least 70 % but not more than 90 % of the relevant guide price;

Whereas changes in production and marketing structures in the Community make it necessary to alter the basis for calculating the withdrawal and the sale prices in the Community as compared with those of the preceding fishing year;

Whereas Article 12 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 3796/81 provides that the withdrawal price may be multiplied by conversion factors in landing areas which are very distant from main centres of consumption in the Community;

Whereas, with regard to sardines of the species *Sardina pilchardus*, special conditions have been adopted in the Act of Accession in order to ensure a progressive alignment of prices of sardines from the Atlantic on price levels of sardines from the Mediterranean; whereas the production structure and access to the market of Atlantic sardines are different to those for Mediterranean sardines and meet the special needs of the processing industry; whereas, with a view to the smooth application of the alignment of prices which does not artificially disturb market supply conditions, it is necessary to fix a special adaptation coefficient for size 3 of this product in the landing areas concerned in Spain and Portugal;

Whereas the guide prices for the 1992 fishing year were fixed for all the products in question by Council Regulation (EEC) No 3569/91 ⁽³⁾;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The percentages of the guide price referred to in Article 12 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 3796/81 which are used as a basis for calculating the Community withdrawal and selling prices shall be as shown in Annex I for the products concerned.

Article 2

The conversion factors referred to in Article 12 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 3796/81 which are used for calculating the Community withdrawal and selling prices for the products listed in Annex I (A), (D) and (E) of the abovementioned Regulation, shall be as shown in Annex II.

Article 3

The Community withdrawal and selling prices as referred to in Article 12 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 3796/81 applicable for the 1992 fishing year and the products to which they refer, shall be as shown in Annex III.

Article 4

The withdrawal and selling prices, as referred to in Article 12 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 3796/81 and applicable for the 1992 fishing year in the landing areas which are very distant from the main centres of consumption in the Community, and the products to which those prices relate, shall be as shown in Annex IV.

Article 5

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 January 1992.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 379, 31. 12. 1981, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 353, 17. 12. 1990, p. 10.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 338, 10. 12. 1991, p. 4.

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

Done at Brussels, 16 December 1991.

For the Commission

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Vice-President

ANNEX I

Percentage of guide price used in calculating withdrawal or sale prices

Product	%
Herrings of the species <i>Clupea harengus</i>	85
Sardines of the species <i>Sardina pilchardus</i>	
— from the Atlantic	85
— from the Mediterranean	85
Dogfish (<i>Squalus acanthias</i>)	80
Dogfish (<i>Scyliorhinus</i> spp.)	80
Redfish (<i>Sebastes</i> spp.)	90
Cod of the species <i>Gadus morhua</i>	80
Coalfish (<i>Pollachius virens</i>)	80
Haddock (<i>Melanogrammus aeglefinus</i>)	80
Whiting (<i>Merlangus merlangus</i>)	80
Ling (<i>Molva</i> spp.)	80
Mackerel of the species <i>Scomber scombrus</i>	85
Mackerel of the species <i>Scomber japonicus</i>	90
Anchovies (<i>Engraulis</i> spp.)	85
Plaice (<i>Pleuronectes platessa</i>)	83
Hake of the species <i>Merluccius merluccius</i>	90
Megrim (<i>Lepidorhombus</i> spp.)	80
Ray's bream (<i>Brama</i> spp.)	80
Monkfish (<i>Lophius</i> spp.)	85
Shrimps of the species <i>Crangon crangon</i>	90
Crabs of the species <i>Cancer pagurus</i>	90
Norway lobster (<i>Nephrops norvegicus</i>)	90

ANNEX II

Conversion factor of the products listed in Annex I (A), (D) and (E) to Regulation (EEC) No 3796/81

Species	Size (l)	Conversion			
		Gutted fish, with head		Whole fish	
		Extra, A (l)	B (l)	Extra, A (l)	B (l)
Herrings of the species <i>Clupea harengus</i>	1	0,00	0,00	0,85	0,85
	2	0,00	0,00	0,80	0,80
	3	0,00	0,00	0,50	0,50
Sardines of the species <i>Sardina pilchardus</i>	1	0,00	0,00	0,55	0,35
	2	0,00	0,00	0,55	0,35
	3	0,00	0,00	0,85	0,35
	4	0,00	0,00	0,55	0,35
Dogfish (<i>Squalus acanthias</i>)	1	0,75	0,55	0,71	0,50
	2	0,64	0,45	0,60	0,40
	3	0,35	0,25	0,30	0,20
Dogfish (<i>Scyliorhinus</i> spp.)	1	0,80	0,60	0,75	0,50
	2	0,80	0,60	0,70	0,50
	3	0,55	0,40	0,45	0,25
Redfish (<i>Sebastes</i> spp.)	1	0,00	0,00	0,90	0,90
	2	0,00	0,00	0,90	0,90
	3	0,00	0,00	0,76	0,76

Species	Size (l)	Conversion			
		Gutted fish, with head		Whole fish	
		Extra, A (l)	B (l)	Extra, A (l)	B (l)
Cod of the species <i>Gadus morhua</i>	1	0,90	0,85	0,65	0,50
	2	0,90	0,85	0,65	0,50
	3	0,85	0,70	0,50	0,40
	4	0,67	0,46	0,38	0,27
	5	0,47	0,27	0,28	0,18
Coalfish (<i>Pollachius virens</i>)	1	0,90	0,90	0,70	0,70
	2	0,90	0,90	0,70	0,70
	3	0,89	0,89	0,69	0,69
	4	0,72	0,52	0,38	0,28
Haddock (<i>Melanogrammus aeglefinus</i>)	1	0,90	0,80	0,70	0,60
	2	0,90	0,80	0,70	0,60
	3	0,77	0,65	0,54	0,37
	4	0,71	0,58	0,53	0,37
Whiting (<i>Merlangus merlangus</i>)	1	0,80	0,75	0,60	0,40
	2	0,80	0,75	0,60	0,40
	3	0,76	0,61	0,55	0,23
	4	0,55	0,37	0,40	0,23
Ling (<i>Molva</i> spp.)	1	0,85	0,65	0,70	0,50
	2	0,83	0,63	0,68	0,48
	3	0,75	0,55	0,60	0,40
Mackerel of the species <i>Scomber scombrus</i>	1	0,00	0,00	0,85	0,85
	2	0,00	0,00	0,85	0,75
	3	0,00	0,00	0,85	0,70
Spanish mackerel of the species <i>Scomber japonicus</i>	1	0,00	0,00	0,85	0,75
	2	0,00	0,00	0,85	0,70
	3	0,00	0,00	0,70	0,57
	4	0,00	0,00	0,55	0,40
Anchovies (<i>Engraulis</i> spp.)	1	0,00	0,00	0,80	0,45
	2	0,00	0,00	0,85	0,45
	3	0,00	0,00	0,70	0,45
	4	0,00	0,00	0,29	0,29
Plaice (<i>Pleuronectes platessa</i>)	1	0,90	0,85	0,49	0,49
	2	0,90	0,85	0,49	0,49
	3	0,85	0,80	0,49	0,49
	4	0,65	0,60	0,46	0,46
Hake of the species <i>Merluccius merluccius</i>	1	1,00	0,94	0,79	0,73
	2	0,76	0,71	0,59	0,54
	3	0,75	0,70	0,58	0,53
	4	0,64	0,59	0,50	0,41
	5	0,60	0,55	0,47	0,38
Megrim (<i>Lepidorhombus</i> spp.)	1	0,85	0,65	0,80	0,60
	2	0,75	0,55	0,70	0,50
	3	0,70	0,50	0,65	0,45
	4	0,45	0,25	0,40	0,20
Ray's bream (<i>Brama</i> spp.)	1	0,85	0,65	0,80	0,60
	2	0,60	0,40	0,55	0,35

Species	Size (°)	Conversion				
		Whole fish or gutted, with head		Fish without head		
		Extra, A (°)	B (°)	Extra, A (°)	B (°)	
Monkfish (<i>Lophius</i> spp.)	1	0,72	0,52	0,90	0,70	
	2	0,92	0,72	0,85	0,65	
	3	0,92	0,72	0,80	0,60	
	4	0,77	0,57	0,70	0,50	
	5	0,44	0,24	0,50	0,30	
		A (°)		B (°)		
Shrimps of the genus <i>Crangon</i>	1					
	2	0,65 0,30		0,55 0,30		
		Whole (°)				
Edible crabs (<i>Cancer pagurus</i>)	1	0,80				
	2	0,60				
		Whole		Tails		
		E (°)	Extra, A (°)	B (°)	Extra, A (°)	B (°)
Norway lobster (<i>Nephrops norvegicus</i>)	1	0,95	0,95	0,68	0,85	0,57
	2	0,95	0,64	0,38	0,61	0,38
	3	0,63	0,45	0,18	0,36	0,19
	4	0,23	0,23	0,09	0,30	0,09

(°) The freshness categories, sizes and presentations are those defined pursuant to Article 2 of Regulation (EEC) No 3796/81.

ANNEX III

Withdrawal or sale price in the Community of the products listed in Annex I (A), (D) and (E) to Regulation (EEC) No 3796/81

Species	Size (°)	Withdrawal price (ECU/tonne)				
		Gutted fish with head		Whole fish		
		Extra, A (°)	B (°)	Extra, A (°)	B (°)	
Herrings of the species <i>Clupea harengus</i>	— 1 January to 31 July 1992 and 1 October to 31 December 1992	{ 1	0	0	185	185
		{ 2	0	0	174	174
		{ 3	0	0	109	109
	— 1 August to 30 September 1992	{ 1	0	0	157	157
		{ 2	0	0	148	148
		{ 3	0	0	92	92
Sardines of the species <i>Sardina pilchardus</i> from the Atlantic:	(a) Member States other than Spain and Portugal	{ 1	0	0	223	142
		{ 2	0	0	223	142
		{ 3	0	0	344	142
		{ 4	0	0	223	142
	(b) Spain and Portugal	{ 1	0	0	193	123
		{ 2	0	0	193	123
		{ 3	0	0	298	123
		{ 4	0	0	193	123

Species	Size (°)	Withdrawal price (ECU/tonne)			
		Gutted fish with head		Whole fish	
		Extra, A (°)	B (°)	Extra, A (°)	B (°)
Sardines of the species <i>Sardina pilchardus</i> from the Mediterranean	1	0	0	214	136
	2	0	0	214	136
	3	0	0	331	136
	4	0	0	214	136
Dogfish (<i>Squalus acanthias</i>)	1	526	386	498	351
	2	449	316	421	281
	3	246	175	210	140
Dogfish (<i>Scyliorhinus</i> spp.)	1	484	363	454	303
	2	484	363	424	303
	3	333	242	273	151
Redfish (<i>Sebastes</i> spp.)	1	0	0	748	748
	2	0	0	748	748
	3	0	0	631	631
Cod of the species <i>Gadus morhua</i>	1	948	895	684	526
	2	948	895	684	526
	3	895	737	526	421
	4	705	484	400	284
	5	495	284	295	190
Coalfish (<i>Pollachius virens</i>)	1	480	480	373	373
	2	480	480	373	373
	3	474	474	368	368
	4	384	277	202	149
Haddock (<i>Melanogrammus aeglefinus</i>)	1	696	618	541	464
	2	696	618	541	464
	3	595	502	417	286
	4	549	448	410	286
Whiting (<i>Merlangus merlangus</i>)	1	526	493	395	263
	2	526	493	395	263
	3	500	401	362	151
	4	362	243	263	151
Ling (<i>Molva</i> spp.)	1	649	497	535	382
	2	634	481	520	367
	3	573	420	458	306
Mackerel of the species <i>Scomber scombrus</i>	1	0	0	189	189
	2	0	0	189	166
	3	0	0	189	155
Spanish mackerel of the species <i>Scomber japonicus</i>	1	0	0	246	217
	2	0	0	246	203
	3	0	0	203	165
	4	0	0	159	116
Anchovies (<i>Engraulis</i> spp.):	1	0	0	646	363
	2	0	0	686	363
	3	0	0	565	363
	4	0	0	234	234

Species	Size (°)	Withdrawal price (ECU/t)				
		Gutted fish with head		Whole fish		
		Extra, A (°)	B (°)	Extra, A (°)	B (°)	
Plaice (<i>Pleuronectes platessa</i>): — 1 January to 30 April 1992 — 1 May to 31 December 1992	{ 1 2 3 4	595	562	324	324	
		595	562	324	324	
		562	529	324	324	
		429	396	304	304	
	{ 1 2 3 4	810	765	441	441	
		810	765	441	441	
		765	720	441	441	
		585	540	414	414	
Hake of the species <i>Merluccius merluccius</i>	1	2 766	2 600	2 185	2 019	
	2	2 102	1 964	1 632	1 493	
	3	2 074	1 936	1 604	1 466	
	4	1 770	1 632	1 383	1 134	
	5	1 659	1 521	1 300	1 051	
Megrim (<i>Lepidorhombus</i> spp.)	1	1 307	999	1 230	923	
	2	1 153	846	1 076	769	
	3	1 076	769	999	692	
	4	692	384	615	308	
Ray's bream (<i>Brama</i> spp.)	1	1 059	810	996	747	
	2	747	498	685	436	
Monkfish (<i>Lophius</i> spp.)	1	Whole or gutted fish, with head		Without head		
		Extra, A (°)	B (°)	Extra, A (°)	B (°)	
	2	1 321	954	3 887	3 023	
	3	1 688	1 321	3 671	2 807	
	4	1 688	1 321	3 455	2 591	
	5	1 413	1 046	3 023	2 159	
Shrimps of the genus <i>Crangon crangon</i>	1 2	A (°)		B (°)		
		986		834		
Edible crabs (<i>Cancer pagurus</i>)	1 2	Sale prices (ECU/tonne)				
		Whole (°)				
Norway lobster (<i>Nephrops norvegicus</i>)	1 2 3 4	Whole			Tails	
		E' (°)	Extra, A (°)	B (°)	Extra, A (°)	B (°)
		3 755	3 755	2 688	5 918	3 969
		3 755	2 530	1 502	4 247	2 646
		2 490	1 779	712	2 506	1 323
		909	909	356	2 089	627

(°) The freshness categories, sizes and presentations are those defined pursuant to Article 2 of Regulation (EEC) No 3796/81.

ANNEX IV

Species	Landing area	Conversion factor	Size ⁽¹⁾	Withdrawal prices (ECU/tonne)			
				Gutted fish, with head		Whole fish	
				Extra, A ⁽¹⁾	B ⁽¹⁾	Extra, A ⁽¹⁾	B ⁽¹⁾
Mackerel of the species <i>Scomber scombrus</i>	Coastal areas and islands of Ireland	0,80	{ 1 2 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	151 151 151	151 133 124
	Coastal areas and islands of Cornwall and Devon in the United Kingdom	0,83	{ 1 2 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	157 157 157	157 138 129
	Coastal areas from Portpatrick in south-west Scotland to Wick in north-east Scotland and the islands to the west and north of these areas, coastal areas and islands of Northern Ireland	0,89	{ 1 2 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	168 168 168	168 148 138
	Coastal areas from Wick to Aberdeen in the north-east of Scotland	0,95	{ 1 2 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	179 179 179	179 158 148
Sardines from sardines of the species <i>Sardina pilchardus</i> from the Atlantic	Coastal areas and islands of the counties of Cornwall and Devon in the United Kingdom	0,63	{ 1 2 3 4	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	140 140 217 140	89 89 89 89
	Coastal areas of the Atlantic of Spain and Portugal	0,65	3	0	0	194	0
Hake of the species <i>Merluccius merluccius</i>	Coastal areas from Troon in south-west Scotland to Wick in north-east Scotland and the islands to the west and north of these areas	0,64	{ 1 2 3 4 5	1 770 1 345 1 328 1 133 1 062	1 664 1 257 1 239 1 044 974	1 398 1 044 1 027 885 832	1 292 956 938 726 673
	Coastal areas and islands of Ireland	0,87	{ 1 2 3 4 5	2 406 1 829 1 805 1 540 1 444	2 262 1 708 1 684 1 420 1 323	1 901 1 420 1 396 1 203 1 131	1 756 1 299 1 275 987 914

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