

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 3266/94

of 20 December 1994

fixing the reference prices for fishery products for the 1995 fishing year

(Text with EEA relevance)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 3759/92 of 17 December 1992 on the common organization of the market in fishery and aquaculture products⁽¹⁾, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1891/93⁽²⁾, and in particular the first subparagraph of Articles 22 (6) and 23 (5) thereof,

Whereas Article 22 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 3759/92 provides, among other things, for reference prices valid for the Community to be fixed each year, by product category, for the products specified in Annexes I, II, III, IV (B) and V to that Regulation, subject to the consultation procedures laid down for certain products within the framework of the GATT;

Whereas Article 23 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 3759/92 allows, *inter alia*, the fixing of reference prices for the products referred to in Annex IV (A) before the beginning of each marketing year;

Whereas Article 22 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 3759/92 provides that the reference price for the products specified in Annex I (A), (D) and (E) thereto must be equal, respectively, to the withdrawal and selling prices fixed in accordance with Article 11 (1) and Article 13 thereof;

Whereas Community withdrawal and selling prices for the products concerned were fixed for the 1995 fishing year by Council Regulation (EC) No 3256/94⁽³⁾;

Whereas, the reference prices for the products specified in Annexes I (B) and (C) and IV (B) to Regulation (EEC) No 3759/92 are determined on the basis of the average of the reference prices for the fresh product, account being taken of the processing costs and of the need to ensure a price relationship in keeping with the market situation;

Whereas the reference prices for the products specified in Annex II to Regulation (EEC) No 3759/92 must be derived from their guide prices by reference to the price level at which the intervention measures provided for in Article 16 (1) thereof may be taken, and fixed taking account of the situation on the market in those products;

Whereas the reference prices for the fishes of the species *Thunnus* and *Euthynnus*, specified in Annex III to Regulation (EEC) No 3759/92 are based on the weighted

average of the free-at-frontier prices recorded on the most representative markets in the Member States during the three preceding years;

Whereas for the carp and salmon referred to in Annex IV (A) to Regulation (EEC) No 3759/92, reference prices are fixed on the basis of the average of the producer prices recorded during the three years preceding the date on which the reference price is fixed for a product with commercial characteristics as set out in Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2210/93⁽⁴⁾;

Whereas, for the frozen and salted products specified in Annex V to Regulation (EEC) No 3759/92 for which no reference price is fixed for the fresh product, the reference prices are determined on the basis of the reference price applied to a commercially similar fresh product; however, given the quantities of certain frozen and salted products and the conditions governing their importation, it does not appear necessary to fix a reference price for such products in the immediate future;

Whereas the prices or amounts fixed in ecus by this Regulation are determined in accordance with the agrimonetary system applicable in 1994 as provided for in Council Regulation (EEC) No 3813/92⁽⁵⁾, as amended by Regulation (EC) No 3528/93⁽⁶⁾, and in particular Article 13 (2) thereof; whereas, as a result, they should enter into force in that year;

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 reference prices for the 1995 fishing year for the products specified in Annexes I, II, III, IV (A), (B) and V to Regulation (EEC) No 3759/92 shall be as shown in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 31 December 1994.

It shall apply from 1 January 1995.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 388, 31. 12. 1992, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 172, 15. 7. 1993, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ See page 1 of this Official Journal.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 197, 6. 8. 1993, p. 8.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 387, 31. 12. 1992, p. 1.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 320, 22. 12. 1993, p. 32.

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

Done at Brussels, 20 December 1994.

For the Commission
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Member of the Commission

ANNEX

1. Reference prices of products listed in Annex I (A), (D) and (E) to Regulation (EEC) No 3759/92

| Species | Size (l) | Reference price (ECU/tonne) | | | | |
|--|--|-----------------------------|-------|----------------|-------|-----|
| | | Gutted fish with head (l) | | Whole fish (l) | | |
| | | Extra, A (l) | B (l) | Extra, A (l) | B (l) | |
| Herring of the species <i>Clupea harengus</i> ex 0302 40 10 and ex 0302 40 90 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 175 | 175 | |
| | 2 | 0 | 0 | 165 | 165 | |
| | 3 | 0 | 0 | 103 | 103 | |
| | — from 15 July to 30 September 1995 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 117 | 117 |
| | | 2 | 0 | 0 | 110 | 110 |
| | | 3 | 0 | 0 | 69 | 69 |
| Sardines of the species <i>Sardina pilchardus</i> from the Atlantic ex 0302 61 10 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 199 | 126 | |
| | 2 | 0 | 0 | 199 | 126 | |
| | 3 | 0 | 0 | 307 | 126 | |
| | 4 | 0 | 0 | 199 | 126 | |
| Dogfish <i>(Squalus acanthias)</i> 0302 65 20 | 1 | 525 | 385 | 497 | 350 | |
| | 2 | 448 | 315 | 420 | 280 | |
| | 3 | 245 | 175 | 210 | 140 | |
| Dogfish <i>(Scylliorhinus spp.)</i> 0302 65 50 | 1 | 419 | 314 | 392 | 262 | |
| | 2 | 419 | 314 | 366 | 262 | |
| | 3 | 288 | 209 | 235 | 120 | |
| Redfish <i>(Sebastes spp.)</i> 0302 69 31 and 0302 69 33 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 737 | 737 | |
| | 2 | 0 | 0 | 737 | 737 | |
| | 3 | 0 | 0 | 622 | 622 | |
| Cod of the species <i>Gadus morhua</i> 0302 50 10 | 1 | 917 | 866 | 662 | 509 | |
| | 2 | 917 | 866 | 662 | 509 | |
| | 3 | 866 | 713 | 509 | 407 | |
| | 4 | 682 | 468 | 387 | 275 | |
| | 5 | 479 | 275 | 285 | 183 | |
| Coalfish <i>(Pollachius virens)</i> 0302 63 00 | 1 | 464 | 464 | 361 | 361 | |
| | 2 | 464 | 464 | 361 | 361 | |
| | 3 | 459 | 459 | 355 | 355 | |
| | 4 | 371 | 268 | 196 | 144 | |
| Haddock <i>(Melanogrammus aeglefinus)</i> 0302 62 00 | 1 | 647 | 575 | 503 | 431 | |
| | 2 | 647 | 575 | 503 | 431 | |
| | 3 | 553 | 467 | 388 | 266 | |
| | 4 | 489 | 402 | 366 | 251 | |

| Species | Size (°) | Reference price (ECU/tonne) | | | | |
|--|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------|----------------|-------|-----|
| | | Gutted fish with head (°) | | Whole fish (°) | | |
| | | Extra, A (°) | B (°) | Extra, A (°) | B (°) | |
| Whiting (<i>Merlangius merlangus</i>) 0302 69 41 | 1 | 488 | 457 | 366 | 244 | |
| | 2 | 488 | 457 | 366 | 244 | |
| | 3 | 463 | 372 | 335 | 140 | |
| | 4 | 323 | 219 | 238 | 134 | |
| Ling (<i>Molva</i> spp.) 0302 69 45 | 1 | 635 | 486 | 523 | 374 | |
| | 2 | 620 | 471 | 508 | 359 | |
| | 3 | 560 | 411 | 448 | 299 | |
| Mackerel of the species <i>Scomber scombrus</i> ex 0302 64 10 and ex 0302 64 90 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 171 | 171 | |
| | 2 | 0 | 0 | 171 | 151 | |
| | 3 | 0 | 0 | 171 | 141 | |
| Spanish mackerel of the species <i>Scomber japonicus</i> ex 0302 64 10 and ex 0302 64 90 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 217 | 192 | |
| | 2 | 0 | 0 | 217 | 179 | |
| | 3 | 0 | 0 | 179 | 146 | |
| | 4 | 0 | 0 | 141 | 89 | |
| Anchovies (<i>Engraulis</i> spp.) 0302 69 55 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 658 | 370 | |
| | 2 | 0 | 0 | 699 | 370 | |
| | 3 | 0 | 0 | 575 | 370 | |
| | 4 | 0 | 0 | 238 | 238 | |
| Plaice (<i>Pleuronectes platessa</i>) 0302 22 00 : | — 1 January to 30 April 1994 | 1 | 599 | 566 | 326 | 326 |
| | | 2 | 599 | 566 | 326 | 326 |
| | | 3 | 579 | 533 | 326 | 326 |
| | | 4 | 453 | 399 | 306 | 306 |
| | — 1 May to 31 December 1994 | 1 | 824 | 778 | 449 | 449 |
| | | 2 | 824 | 778 | 449 | 449 |
| | | 3 | 796 | 732 | 449 | 449 |
| | | 4 | 623 | 549 | 421 | 421 |
| Hake of the species <i>Merluccius merluccius</i> ex 0302 69 65 | 1 | 2 812 | 2 643 | 2 221 | 2 052 | |
| | 2 | 2 137 | 1 996 | 1 659 | 1 518 | |
| | 3 | 2 109 | 1 968 | 1 631 | 1 490 | |
| | 4 | 1 799 | 1 659 | 1 406 | 1 153 | |
| | 5 | 1 687 | 1 546 | 1 321 | 1 068 | |
| Megrim (<i>Lepidorhombus</i> spp.) 0302 29 10 | 1 | 1 329 | 1 016 | 1 251 | 938 | |
| | 2 | 1 172 | 860 | 1 094 | 782 | |
| | 3 | 1 094 | 782 | 1 016 | 703 | |
| | 4 | 703 | 391 | 625 | 313 | |
| Ray's bream (<i>Brama</i> spp.) 0302 69 75 | 1 | 993 | 760 | 935 | 701 | |
| | 2 | 701 | 468 | 643 | 409 | |
| Dab (<i>Limanda limanda</i>) ex 0302 29 90 | 1 | 524 | 463 | 432 | 339 | |
| | 2 | 401 | 339 | 308 | 216 | |
| Flounder (<i>Platichthys flesus</i>) ex 0302 29 90 | 1 | 298 | 261 | 261 | 205 | |
| | 2 | 224 | 186 | 186 | 130 | |

| Species | Size (°) | Reference price (ECU/tonne) | | | | |
|--|----------|--|--------------|------------------|--------------|-------|
| | | Gutted fish with head (°) | | Whole fish (°) | | |
| | | Extra, A (°) | B (°) | Extra, A (°) | B (°) | |
| Albacore or longfinned tuna (<i>Thunnus alalunga</i>) 0302 31 10 et 0302 31 90 | 1 | 1 867 | 1 008 | 1 439 | 1 359 | |
| | 2 | 1 867 | 1 008 | 1 359 | 1 279 | |
| Cuttlefish (<i>Sepia officinalis</i> and <i>Rossia macrosoma</i>) ex 0307 41 10 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 838 | 629 | |
| | 2 | 0 | 0 | 838 | 629 | |
| | 3 | 0 | 0 | 524 | 314 | |
| | | Whole or gutted fish, with head (°) | | Without head (°) | | |
| | | Extra, A (°) | B (°) | Extra, A (°) | B (°) | |
| Monkfish (<i>Lophius</i> spp.) 0302 69 81 | 1 | 1 357 | 980 | 3 452 | 2 685 | |
| | 2 | 1 734 | 1 357 | 3 261 | 2 493 | |
| | 3 | 1 734 | 1 357 | 3 069 | 2 302 | |
| | 4 | 1 451 | 1 074 | 2 685 | 1 918 | |
| | 5 | 829 | 452 | 1 918 | 1 151 | |
| | | All presentations | | | | |
| | | A (°) | | B (°) | | |
| Shrimps of the genus <i>Crangon crangon</i> ex 0306 23 31 | 1 | 1 022 | | 865 | | |
| | 2 | 472 | | 472 | | |
| | | Whole (°) | | | | |
| | | 1 053 | | | | |
| Edible crabs (<i>Cancer pagurus</i>) ex 0306 24 30 | 1 | 790 | | | | |
| | 2 | | | | | |
| | | Whole | | | Tails | |
| | | E' (°) | Extra, A (°) | B (°) | Extra, A (°) | B (°) |
| Norway lobster (<i>Nephrops norvegicus</i>) ex 0306 29 30 | 1 | 3 632 | 3 632 | 2 600 | 4 258 | 2 855 |
| | 2 | 3 632 | 2 447 | 1 453 | 3 056 | 1 904 |
| | 3 | 2 409 | 1 720 | 688 | 1 803 | 952 |
| | 4 | 879 | 879 | 344 | 1 503 | 451 |
| | | Gutted fish with head (°) | | Whole fish (°) | | |
| | | Extra, A (°) | B (°) | Extra, A (°) | B (°) | |
| Sole (<i>Solea</i> spp.) 0302 23 00 | 1 | 3 725 | 3 311 | 2 897 | 2 277 | |
| | 2 | 3 725 | 3 311 | 2 897 | 2 277 | |
| | 3 | 3 518 | 3 104 | 2 690 | 2 070 | |
| | 4 | 2 897 | 2 484 | 2 070 | 1 656 | |
| | 5 | 2 484 | 2 070 | 1 656 | 1 449 | |

(°) The freshness categories, sizes and presentations are those defined pursuant to Article 2 of Regulation (EEC) No 3759/92.

2. Reference prices for the products listed in Annex II to Regulation (EEC) No 3759/92

| CN code | Description | Reference price (ECU/tonne) |
|--|--|--------------------------------|
| A. Frozen products falling within CN codes 0303 and 0304 : | | |
| 0303 31 10 | Greenland halibut (<i>Reinhardtius hippoglossoides</i>) | 1 297 |
| 0303 79 71 | Sea bream (<i>Dentex dentex</i> and <i>Pagellus</i> spp.) | 1 075 |
| | Hake (<i>Merluccius</i> spp.) | |
| | Whole fish : | |
| ex 0303 78 10 | — with or without head | 771 |
| | Fillets : | |
| | — industrial blocks, with bones (standard) | 1 036 |
| | — industrial blocks, boneless | 1 220 |
| ex 0304 20 57 | — individual fillets, with skin | 1 055 |
| | — individual fillets, skinless | 1 132 |
| | — blocks in immediate packing weighing not more than 4 kg | 1 197 |
| ex 0304 90 47 | Minced blocks | 777 |
| ex 0303 78 10 | Pieces and other meat | 962 |
| ex 0304 90 47 | | |
| B. Frozen products falling within CN code 0306 | | |
| ex 0306 13 90 | Shrimps (<i>Parapaneus longirostris</i>) | 4 112 |
| | other (<i>Penaeidae</i>) | 5 511 |
| C. Frozen products falling within CN code 0307 | | |
| | Squid of the genus <i>Loligo</i> : | |
| 0307 49 35 | — <i>Loligo patagonica</i> : | |
| | whole, not cleaned | 784 |
| | cleaned | 941 |
| 0307 49 31 | — <i>Loligo vulgaris</i> : | |
| | whole, not cleaned | 1 568 |
| | cleaned | 1 882 |
| 0307 49 33 | — <i>Loligo pealei</i> : | |
| | whole, not cleaned | 941 |
| | cleaned | 1 097 |
| ex 0307 49 38 | — <i>Loligo opalescens</i> : | |
| | whole, not cleaned | 627 |
| | cleaned | 745 |
| 0307 49 38 | — other species : | |
| | whole, not cleaned | 863 |
| | cleaned | 1 019 |
| 0307 49 51 | Squid (<i>Ommastrephes sagittatus</i>): | |
| | whole, not cleaned | 677 |
| | tube | 1 286 |
| | cylinder | 1 928 |
| | <i>Illex</i> spp. | |
| ex 0307 99 11 | — <i>Illex argentinus</i> : | |
| | whole, not cleaned | 644 |
| | tube | 1 223 |
| | cylinder | 1 835 |
| ex 0307 99 11 | — <i>Illex illecebrosus</i> : | |
| | whole, not cleaned | 644 |
| | tube | 1 223 |
| | cylinder | 1 835 |
| ex 0307 99 11 | — other species : | |
| | whole, not cleaned | 644 |
| | tube | 1 223 |
| | cylinder | 1 835 |
| 0307 49 01 | Cuttle-fish (<i>Sepia officinalis</i> and <i>Rossia macrosoma</i>) | |
| 0307 49 11 | and sépioles (<i>Sepiola rondeleti</i>) | 1 346 |
| 0307 59 10 | Octopus (<i>Octopus</i> spp.) | 1 209 |

3. Reference prices for the products listed in Annex III to Regulation (EEC) No 3759/92

Tuna (of the genus *Thunnus*), skipjack or stripe-bellied bonito (*Euthynnus (Katsuwonus) pelamis*) and other species of the genus *Euthynnus*, fresh, chilled or frozen, for the industrial manufacture of products falling within CN code 1604 :

| Product | Reference prices (ECU/tonne) | | |
|---|------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------------------|
| | Whole | Gilled and gutted | Other (for example heads off) |
| A. Albacore or longfinned tuna (<i>Thunnus alalunga</i>), frozen : 0303 41 11, 0303 41 13, 0303 41 19 | 1 175 | 1 339 | 1 456 |
| B. Yellowfin tuna (<i>Thunnus albacares</i>): | | | |
| 1. weighing more than 10 kg each (!) 0302 32 10, 0303 42 12, 0303 42 32, 0303 42 52 | 839 | 957 | 1 040 |
| 2. weighing not more than 10 kg each (!) 0302 32 10, 0303 42 18, 0303 42 38, 0303 42 58 | 654 | 746 | 812 |
| C. Listaos or stripe bellied bonito (<i>Euthynnus (Katsuwonus) pelamis</i>): 0302 33 10, 0303 43 11, 0303 43 13, 0303 43 19 | 520 | 593 | 645 |
| D. Fish of the genus <i>Thunnus</i> and <i>Euthynnus</i> , excluding bluefin tuna (<i>Thunnus thynnus</i>), fresh or chilled and bigeye tuna (<i>Parathunnus obesus</i> or <i>Thunnus obesus</i>), fresh or chilled: ex 0302 39 19, 0302 69 21, ex 0303 49 41, ex 0303 49 43, ex 0303 49 49, 0303 79 21, 0303 79 23, 0303 79 29 | 629 | 717 | 780 |

(!) Reference to weight applies to whole products.

4. Reference prices for certain products listed in Annex IV (A) to Regulation (EEC) No 3759/92 :

| Product | Form | Periods from | Reference prices (ECU/tonne) |
|---|-------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------|
| Carp falling within CN code 0301 93 00 | Live, weighing at least 800 g | 1. 1.1995 to 31. 7.1995 | 1 139 |
| | | 1. 8.1995 to 30.11.1995 | 1 370 |
| | | 1.12.1995 to 31.12.1995 | 1 315 |
| Atlantic salmon (<i>Salmo salar</i>) fresh, chilled or frozen falling within CN codes | | | |
| ex 0302 12 00 | — whole | — | 3 188 |
| ex 0303 22 00 | — gutted | — | 3 542 |
| ex 0304 10 13 | — gutted without head | — | 3 898 |
| ex 0304 20 13 | — fillets | — | 4 606 |

5. Reference prices for the products listed in Annexes IV (B) and V to Regulation (EEC) No 3759/92

Frozen and salted products falling within CN codes 0303 and 0304 :

| Species | Presentation | Reference prices (ECU/tonne) | | |
|--|--------------------------|------------------------------|---|-------|
| 1. Redfish (<i>Sebastes</i> spp.) 0303 79 35 0303 79 37 | Whole fish : | | | |
| | — with or without head | 773 | | |
| | 0304 20 35 0304 20 37 | Filletts : | — with bones (standard) | 1 586 |
| | | | — boneless | 1 828 |
| | | | — blocks in immediate packing weighing not more than 4 kg | 1 838 |
| | 0304 90 31 | Minced blocks | 986 | |
| | 0303 79 35 | Pieces and other meat | 1 086 | |
| | 0303 79 37 | | | |
| | 0304 90 31 | | | |

| Species | Presentation | Reference prices (ECU/tonne) | |
|---|---|--|--------------|
| 2. Cod (<i>Gadus morhua</i> , <i>Gadus ogac</i> and <i>Gadus macrocephalus</i>) and fish of the species <i>Boreogadus saida</i> 0303 60 11, 0303 60 19, 0303 60 90, 0303 79 41 0304 20 21 0304 20 29 0304 90 35 0304 90 38 0304 90 39 0303 60 11, 0303 60 19, 0303 60 90, 0303 79 41, 0304 90 35, 0304 90 38, 0304 90 39 | Whole fish : — with or without head | 935 | |
| | Filletts : — industrial blocks, with bones (standard) — industrial blocks, boneless — individual fillets, with skin — individual fillets, skinless — blocks in immediate packing weighing not more than 4 kg | 2 032 | |
| | | 2 348 | |
| | | 2 224 | |
| | | 2 567 | |
| | | 2 456 | |
| | Minced blocks | 1 008 | |
| | Pieces and other meat | 1 188 | |
| | 3. Coalfish (<i>Pollachius virens</i>) 0303 73 00 0304 20 31 0304 90 41 0303 73 00, 0304 90 41 | Whole fish : — with or without head | 615 |
| | | Filletts : — industrial blocks, with bone (standard) — industrial blocks, boneless — individual fillets, with skin — individual fillets, skinless — blocks in immediate packing weighing not more than 4 kg | 1 220 |
| 1 344 | | | |
| 1 222 | | | |
| 1 379 | | | |
| 1 408 | | | |
| Minced blocks | | 673 | |
| Pieces and other meat | 809 | | |
| 4. Haddock (<i>Melanogrammus aeglefinus</i>) 0303 72 00 0304 20 33 0304 90 45 0303 72 00, 0304 90 45 | Whole fish : — with or without head | 815 | |
| | Filletts : — industrial blocks, with bones (standard) — industrial blocks, boneless — individual fillets, with skin — individual fillets, skinless — blocks in immediate packing weighing not more than 4 kg | 1 820 | |
| | | 2 367 | |
| | | 2 166 | |
| | | 2 487 | |
| | | 2 427 | |
| | Minced blocks | 805 | |
| Pieces and other meat | 933 | | |
| 5. Mackerel of the species <i>Scomber scombrus</i> and <i>Scomber japonicus</i> and fish of the species <i>Orcynopsis unicolor</i> 0303 74 11 0303 74 19 0303 79 61 0303 79 63 0304 20 53 0304 90 97 | Whole fish : — with head — without head | 340 365 | |
| | Filletts | 588 | |
| | Sides | 476 | |
| | Filletts : — industrial blocks, with bones (standard) — industrial blocks, boneless | 933 1 086 | |
| | | | |
| | 6. Alaska pollack (<i>Theragra chalcogramma</i>) 0304 20 85 | Filletts : — industrial blocks, with bones (standard) — industrial blocks, boneless | 933 1 086 |

| Species | Presentation | Reference prices (ECU/tonne) |
|---|---|---------------------------------|
| 7. Swordfish (<i>Xipbias gladius</i>) 0303 79 87 | Whole fish, with or without head | 3 064 |
| 8. Cod (<i>Gadus morhua</i> , <i>Gadus ogac</i> and <i>Gadus macrocephalus</i>) and fish of the species <i>Borreogadus saida</i> 0305 62 00 0305 69 10 | Salted fish, not dried or smoked, and fish in brine | 2 500 |