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Currency amount for one unit:

Belgian and Luxembourg franc	39,3405	Finnish markka	5,77180
Danish krone	7,36361	Swedish krona	8,44712
German mark	1,91067	Pound sterling	0,812010
Greek drachma	304,154	United States dollar	1,26284
Spanish peseta	161,290	Canadian dollar	1,73236
French franc	6,52003	Japanese yen	138,988
Irish pound	0,784859	Swiss franc	1,55973
Italian lira	1928,45	Norwegian krone	8,19076
Dutch guilder	2,14152	Icelandic krona	84,5722
Austrian schilling	13,4454	Australian dollar	1,58151
Portuguese escudo	195,626	New Zealand dollar	1,81442
		South African rand	5,67077

The Commission has installed a telex with an automatic answering device which gives the conversion rates in a number of currencies. This service is available every day from 3.30 p.m. until 1 p.m. the following day. Users of the service should do as follows:

- call telex number Brussels 23789;
- give their own telex code;
- type the code 'cccc' which puts the automatic system into operation resulting in the transmission of the conversion rates of the ecu;
- the transmission should not be interrupted until the end of the message, which is marked by the code 'ffff'.

Note: The Commission also has an automatic fax answering service (No 296 10 97/296 60 11) providing daily data concerning calculation of the conversion rates applicable for the purposes of the common agricultural policy.

(¹) Council Regulation (EEC) No 3180/78 of 18 December 1978 (OJ No L 379, 30. 12. 1978, p. 1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1971/89 (OJ No L 189, 4. 7. 1989, p. 1).
Council Decision 80/1184/EEC of 18 December 1980 (Convention of Lomé) (OJ No L 349, 23. 12. 1980, p. 34).

Commission Decision No 3334/80/ECSC of 19 December 1980 (OJ No L 349, 23. 12. 1980, p. 27).

Financial Regulation of 16 December 1980 concerning the general budget of the European Communities (OJ No L 345, 20. 12. 1980, p. 23).

Council Regulation (EEC) No 3308/80 of 16 December 1980 (OJ No L 345, 20. 12. 1980, p. 1).

Decision of the Council of Governors of the European Investment Bank of 13 May 1981 (OJ No L 311, 30. 10. 1981, p. 1).