

## COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 3874/92

of 30 December 1992

## fixing the premiums to be added to the import levies on cereals, flour and malt

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 of the Council of 29 October 1975 on the common organization of the market in cereals<sup>(1)</sup>, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1738/92<sup>(2)</sup>, and in particular Article 15 (6) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1676/85 of 11 June 1985 on the value of the unit of account and the exchange rates to be applied for the purposes of the common agricultural policy<sup>(3)</sup>, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2205/90<sup>(4)</sup>, and in particular Article 3 thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 3813/92 of 28 December 1992 on the unit of account and the conversion rates to be applied for the purposes of the common agricultural policy<sup>(5)</sup>, and in particular Article 5 thereof,

Whereas the scale of premiums to be added to the import levies fixed in advance for cereals must include a premium for the current month and a premium for each of the three following months; whereas the amount of each premium must be the same throughout the Community;

Whereas Regulation (EEC) No 2745/75 of the Council<sup>(6)</sup> laid down rules for the advance fixing of levies on cereals;

Whereas, under the terms of that Regulation, where the cif price for a cereal determined on the day on which the scale of premiums is fixed is higher than the cif forward delivery price for that cereal, the scale of the premium should, as a general rule, be equal to the difference between these two prices; whereas the cif price is that determined in accordance with Article 13 of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 on the day on which the scale of premiums is fixed; whereas the cif forward delivery price is also determined in accordance with Article 13 of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 but on the basis of offers at North Sea ports; whereas this price must be the cif price for shipment during the month in which the import licence is issued in the case of imports to be effected during that month; whereas, in the case of imports to be effected during the month following the month in which the import licence is issued, this price must be the cif

price for shipment during that month; whereas, in the case of imports to be effected during the last two months for which the import licence is valid, this price must be the cif price for shipment during the month preceding the month in which importation is expected to take place;

Whereas this price must be the cif price for shipment during the month preceding the month in which importation is expected to take place in the case of imports to be effected during the last two months for which the import licence is valid;

Whereas the premium shall be ECU 0 if the cif price determined on the day on which the premiums are fixed is equal to the cif forward delivery price or exceeds that price by not more than ECU 0,151 per tonne;

Whereas the premium may, however, be fixed at a higher level in exceptional circumstances and within certain specific limits;

Whereas Article 3 of CN code Regulation (EEC) No 1579/74 of the Commission of 24 June 1974 on the procedure for calculating the import levy on products processed from cereals and rice and for the advance fixing of this levy for these products and for compound feeding-stuffs manufactured from cereals<sup>(7)</sup>, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1740/78<sup>(8)</sup>, provides for the addition of a premium to the levy fixed in advance for products falling within CN code 1107; whereas this premium is, per 100 kilograms of processed product, equal to the premium applicable on the day of application for an import licence to the quantity of basic product taken as a basis for the calculation of the variable component of the levy;

Whereas, pursuant to Regulation (EEC) No 971/73 of the Commission of 9 April 1973 on the advance fixing of the levy on wheat and meslin flour<sup>(9)</sup>, a premium is added to the levy fixed in advance for the products falling within CN code 1101 00 00 referred to in Article 1 (c) of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75; whereas this premium is, per tonne of processed product, equal to the premium applicable on the date of application for an import licence for the basic product, account being taken of the quantity of the basic cereal required for the production of one tonne of flour;

Whereas, in accordance with Article 18 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75, the nomenclature provided for in this Regulation is incorporated in the combined nomenclature;

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

<sup>(2)</sup> OJ No L 180, 1. 7. 1992, p. 1.

<sup>(3)</sup> OJ No L 164, 24. 6. 1985, p. 1.

<sup>(4)</sup> OJ No L 201, 31. 7. 1990, p. 9.

<sup>(5)</sup> OJ No L 387, 31. 12. 1992, p. 1.

<sup>(6)</sup> OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 76.

<sup>(7)</sup> OJ No L 168, 25. 6. 1974, p. 7.

<sup>(8)</sup> OJ No L 202, 26. 7. 1978, p. 8.

<sup>(9)</sup> OJ No L 95, 11. 4. 1973, p. 10.

Whereas, in order to make it possible for the levy arrangements to function normally, the representative market rate established during the reference period from 30 December 1992, as regards floating currencies, should be used to calculate the levies;

Whereas it follows from applying all these provisions that the premiums should be as set out in the Annex hereto; whereas the amount of the premiums should be altered only if application of the abovementioned provisions entails a change of more than 0,151 ECU,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

*Article 1*

The premiums referred to in Article 15 of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 to be added to the import levies fixed in advance in respect of cereals and malt shall be as set out in the Annex hereto.

*Article 2*

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 January 1993.

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

Done at Brussels, 30 December 1992.

*For the Commission*

Ray MAC SHARRY

*Member of the Commission*

## ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 30 December 1992 fixing the premiums to be added to the import levies on cereals, flour and malt

## A. Cereals and flour

*(ECU/tonne)*

CN code	Current	1st period	2nd period	3rd period
	1	2	3	4
0709 90 60	0	0	0	0
0712 90 19	0	0	0	0
1001 10 00	0	0	0	0
1001 90 91	0	0	0	0
1001 90 99	0	0	0	0
1002 00 00	0	0	0	0
1003 00 10	0	0	0	0
1003 00 20	0	0	0	0
1003 00 80	0	0	0	0
1004 00 00	0	0	0	0
1004 00 10	0	0	0	0
1005 10 90	0	0	0	0
1005 90 00	0	0	0	0
1007 00 90	0	0	0	0
1008 10 00	0	0	0	0
1008 20 00	0	0	0	0
1008 30 00	0	0	0	0
1008 90 90	0	0	0	0
1101 00 00	0	0	0	0

## B. Malt

*(ECU/tonne)*

CN code	Current	1st period	2nd period	3rd period	4th period
	1	2	3	4	5
1107 10 11	0	0	0	0	0
1107 10 19	0	0	0	0	0
1107 10 91	0	0	0	0	0
1107 10 99	0	0	0	0	0
1107 20 00	0	0	0	0	0