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REGULATION (EEC) No 2394/70 OF THE COMMISSION

of 27 November 1970

on the exchange of quantitative information on imports and exports of wheat and flour between Member States and the Commission

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community;

Having regard to Council Regulation No 120/67/EEC[1] of 13 June 1967 on the common organisation of the market in cereals, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1253/70,[2] and in particular Article 24 thereof;

Whereas for the management of the market in cereals it is important to know, in addition to the quantities of wheat and wheat flour for which licences were issued, what quantities were actually imported or exported by the Community; whereas quantitative information on the Community's actual imports and exports is also necessary in order to fulfil certain obligations under the International Grains Arrangement, to which the Community is a party, and in particular Article 16 thereof; whereas for these purposes it is sufficient to know the quantities imported and exported which were subject to levies or refunds under Regulation No 120/67/EEC;

Whereas to attain these objectives, it is essential that communications on imports and exports be forwarded to the Commission with the least possible delay; whereas, to facilitate the use of information received from Member States, that information should be communicated using standard forms;

Whereas, so that Member States may be well informed on the state of the Community market, the total information received should be communicated to them regularly;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the Opinion of the Management Committee for Cereals;

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. Member States shall communicate by telex to the Commission, in the detail specified in the Annexes, the quantities of common wheat, durum wheat, wheat flour, certified wheat seed and common wheat which is denatured or intended for denaturing, imported from or exported to third countries between the 1st and the 10th, the 11th and the 20th and the 21st and the last day of each month.

This information shall be communicated to the Commission not later than the eighth day following each of the above-mentioned periods. If the eighth day is not a working day, the information shall be communicated on the next working day.

2. Forty days after the end of each month, a revised statement of imports and exports of the above-mentioned products from and to third countries during that month shall also be forwarded to the Commission using the form shown in the Annexes.

Article 2

At the end of each month, and, for the first occasion, at the end of the third month following the entry into

[1] OJ No 117, 19.6.1967, p. 2269/67.
[2] OJ No L 143, 1.7.1970, p. 1.

force of this Regulation, the Commission shall forward to Member States a summary table of imports and exports based on the information received.

Article 3

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 January 1971.

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

Done at Brussels, 27 November 1970.

For the Commission

The President

Franco M. MALFATTI

ANNEX I

Imports **of wheat and wheat flour**

Exports[1] Country: .....

Period: .....

(metric tons)

Exporting country Importing country[1]	Certified wheat seed	Durum wheat	Denatured wheat	Wheat to be denatured	Other wheat	Wheat flour (by weight of product)	Wheat flour (by weight of grains)[3]	Total (by weight of grains)
Commercial transactions								
I. Exporting Member States[2]								
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Total								
II. Importing Member States[2]								
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Total								
III. Non-member countries[2]								
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Total								

[1] Delete as appropriate.

[2] Within the framework of the International Grains Arrangement.

[3] Calculated in accordance with the breakdown indicated in Article 1 (1) of Commission Regulation No 162/67/EEC of 23 June 1967 or, failing that, on the basis of the standard milling level provided for in the International Grains Arrangement.

ANNEX II

Imports **of wheat and wheat flour**

Exports[1] Country: .....

Period: .....

(metric tons)

Exporting country Importing country[1]	Certified wheat seed	Durum wheat	Denatured wheat	Wheat to be denatured	Other wheat	Wheat flour (by weight of product)	Wheat flour (by weight of grains)[3]	Total (by weight of grains)
Special transactions								
I. Exporting Member States[2]								
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Total								
II. Importing Member States[2]								
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.....								
Total								
III. Non-member countries[2]								
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Total								

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