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REGULATION (EEC) No 458/70 OF THE COMMISSION

of 11 March 1970

amending the Annex to Regulation No 225/67/EEC as regards the coefficients of equivalence for sunflower seed

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community;

Having regard to Council Regulation No 136/66/EEC[1] of 22 September 1966 on the establishment of a common organisation of the market in oils and fats, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2146/68[2];

Having regard to Council Regulation No 115/67/EEC[3] of 6 June 1967 laying down criteria for determining world market prices for oil seeds and fixing the frontier crossing point, and in particular Article 7 thereof;

Whereas Article 3 of Commission Regulation No 225/67/EEC[4] of 28 June 1967 on detailed rules for determining the world market price for oil seeds, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1365/69[5], provides that where the offers and quotations used relate to a quality other than the standard quality for which the target price was fixed they must be adjusted on the basis of the coefficients of equivalence shown in the Annex;

Whereas it appears that the quality of sunflower seed delivered by certain exporting countries differs in certain respects from the quality specified in the contracts of sale and that these contracts make no provision for price increases or reductions in respect of this difference; whereas the coefficients shown in the Annex to Regulation No 225/67/EEC should therefore be amended to allow for the net value of that seed being higher or lower than standard quality seed;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Part B of the Annex to Regulation No 225/67/EEC shall be amended as follows:

	Coefficient of equivalence	
	Amount to be deducted	Amount to be added
B. *Sunflower seed*	(u.a./100 kg)	(u.a./100 kg)
Seed from European countries and territories	0·14	
Seed from other sources:		
for each percentage point of oil content:		
— above that of the standard quality	0·16	
— below that of the standard quality		0·16
for each percentage point of moisture:		
— above that of the standard quality		0·08
— below that of the standard quality	0·08	
for each percentage point of impurities:		
— above that of the standard quality		0·04
— below that of the standard quality	0·04	

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the third day following its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities.*

[1] OJ No 172, 30.9.1966, p. 3025/66.
[2] OJ No L 314, 31.12.1968, p. 1.
[3] OJ No 111, 10.6.1967, p. 2196/67.
[4] OJ No 136, 30.6.1967, p. 2919/67.
[5] OJ No L 176, 17.7.1969, p. 7.

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

Done at Brussels, 11 March 1970.

For the Commission

The President

Jean REY