REGULATION (EEC) No 2075/73 OF THE COMMISSION

of 31 July 1973

fixing the sluice-gate prices and levies on pigmeat

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community;

Having regard to Council Regulation No 121/67/EEC [1] of 13 June 1967 on the common organization of the market in pigmeat, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1652/73 [2], and in particular Articles 8 and 12 (1) thereof;

Whereas for pig carcases and the other products listed in Article 1 of Council Regulation No 134/67/EEC [3] of 13 June 1967 establishing the list of products for which sluice-gate prices are fixed and adopting the rules for fixing the sluice-gate price for pig carcases, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 231/73 [4], the sluice-gate prices must be fixed in advance for each quarter; whereas the sluice-gate prices were last fixed by Regulation (EEC) No 1099/73 [5] for the period 1 May to 31 July 1973 and must be fixed anew for the period 1 August to 31 October 1973;

Whereas the sluice-gate price for pig carcases is made up of three components;

Whereas the first amount shall be equal to the value on the world market of a quantity of feed grain equivalent to the quantity of feeding-stuffs required for the production in third countries of one kilogramme of pigmeat, established and composed as provided under Article 2 (1) of Regulation No 134/67/EEC;

Whereas the price of that quantity of cereals shall be established in accordance with Article 2 (2) and (3) of Regulation No 134/67/EEC;

Whereas Article 2 requires that the price of each cereal on the world market shall be equal to the average cif price of this cereal for the period of six months preceding the quarter during which the first amount is calculated; whereas that period runs from 1 November 1972 to 30 April 1973;

Whereas the second amount representing the extra cost, over feed grain, of feeding-stuffs other than grain required for the production of one kilogramme of pigmeat shall be, in accordance with Article 3 (1) of Regulation No 134/67/EEC, 15% of the value of the quantity of feed grain;

Whereas the third amount representing overhead costs of production and marketing shall be 20 units of account per 100 kilogrammes of pig carcases, in accordance with Article 3 (2) of Regulation No 134/67/EEC;

Whereas the sluice-gate prices of products listed in Article 1 of Regulation No 134/67/EEC, other than pig carcases, shall be derived from the sluice-gate price for pig carcases on the basis of the coefficients fixed for such products under Article 10 (4) of Regulation No 121/67/EEC, by Commission Regulation No 204/67/EEC [6] of 28 June 1967 fixing coefficients for calculating levies on pigmeat products other than pig carcases, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 460/73 [7];

Whereas imports into the Community of any of the products listed in Article 1 (1) of Regulation 121/67/EEC shall be subject to a levy fixed in advance for each quarter; whereas levies were last fixed by Regulation (EEC) No 1099/73 for the period 1 May to 31 July 1973, and must therefore be fixed anew for the period 1 August to 31 October 1973;

Whereas the levy applicable to pigmeat is made up of two components;

Whereas the first component shall be equal to the difference between prices within the Community and on the world market for the quantity of feed grain determined and composed as provided under Article

(1) OJ No 117, 19. 6. 1967, p. 2283/67.
(2) OJ No L 166, 23. 6. 1973, p. 1.
(3) OJ No 120, 21. 6. 1967, p. 2367/67.
(4) OJ No L 28, 1. 2. 1973, p. 3.
(5) OJ No L 112, 28. 4. 1973, p. 12.
(6) OJ No 134, 30. 6. 1967, p. 2840/67.
(7) OJ No L 53, 26. 2. 1973, p. 19.

1 of Council Regulation No 133/67/EEC [1] of 13 June 1967 laying down the rules calculating a component of the levy on pig carcases;

Whereas the price of the quantity of feed grain within the Community shall be determined in accordance with Article 2 of Regulation No 133/67/EEC; whereas the price of the same quantity on the world market shall be determined in accordance with Article 3 of that Regulation;

Whereas Article 3 provides that on the world market the price for each cereal shall be equal to the average of the cif prices determined for this cereal for the period of six months preceding the quarter during which the first component is calculated; whereas that period runs from 1 November 1972 to 30 April 1973;

Whereas the second component shall be equal to 7% of the average sluice-gate prices applicable for the four quarters preceding 1 May of each year;

Whereas the levy applicable to products listed in Article 1 (1) (a) and (b) of Regulation No 121/67/EEC, other than pig carcases, shall be derived from the levy on pig carcases on the basis of the coefficients laid down in Annex I to Regulation No 204/67/EEC;

Whereas the levy applicable to products listed in Article 1 (1) (c) of Regulation No 121/67/EEC is made up of two components;

Whereas the first component shall be derived from the levy on pig carcases on the basis of the coefficient laid down in Annex II to Regulation No 204/67/EEC;

Whereas the second component shall be equal to 7%, and for products falling within heading No ex 16.02 of the Common Customs Tariff to 10%, of the average offer prices for imports during the 12 months preceding 1 May; whereas it is appropriate to determine this average by means of all the information available relating to the exports of third countries into the Community and into other third countries by taking into account, in the last-named case, differences in the cost of transport and, generally, the differences in quality and the representative character of prices;

Whereas for the products listed under heading Nos 02.01 B II c) 1 to 7, 15.01 A I, 16.01 A and 16.02 A II of the Common Customs Tariff, in respect of which the rate of duty has been bound against increase within GATT, levies must be confined to the amount resulting from that binding;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

For the period from 1 August to 31 October 1973, the sluice-gate prices provided for by Article 12 of Regulation No 121/67/EEC for the products listed in Article 1 of Regulation 134/67/EEC are fixed as shown in Annex A.

Article 2

1. For the period from 1 August to 31 October 1973, the levies provided for by Article 8 of Regulation No 121/67/EEC for the products listed in Article 1 (1) of that Regulation are fixed as shown in Annex B.

2. However, for the products appearing under the headings 02.01 B II c) 1 to 7, 15.01 A I, 16.01 A and 16.02 A II of the Common Customs Tariff, in respect of which the rate of duty, as shown in Annex C, has been bound within GATT, levies shall be confined to the amount resulting from that binding.

Article 3

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 August 1973.

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

Done at Brussels, 31 July 1973.

For the Commission

The President

François-Xavier ORTOLI

[1] OJ No 120, 21. 6. 1967, p. 2366/67.

ANNEX A

Sluice-gate price for pigmeat products

CCT heading No	Description	Sluice-gate price u.a./100 kg
01.03	Live swine:	
	A. Domestic species:	
	II. Other:	
	a) Sows having farrowed at least once, of a weight of not less than 160 kg	46·2853
	b) Other	54·4241
02.01	Meat and edible offals of animals falling within heading Nos 01.01 to 01.04 inclusive, fresh, chilled or frozen:	
	A. Meat:	
	III. Of swine:	
	a) Of domestic swine:	
	1. Carcases or half-carcases, with or without heads, feet or flare fat	70·7726
	2. Hams and cuts of ham, unboned (bone-in)	109·6975
	3. Shoulders and cuts of shoulders, unboned (bone-in)	86·3426
	4. Loins and cuts of loins, unboned (bone-in)	114·6516
	5. Breasts (streaky) and cuts of breasts	61·5722
02.05	Pig fat free of lean meat and poultry fat (not rendered or solvent-extracted), fresh, chilled, frozen, salted, in brine dried or smoked:	
	A. Back-fat:	
	I. Fresh, chilled, frozen, salted or in brine	29·7245
02.06	Meat and edible meat offals (except poultry liver), salted, in brine, dried or smoked:	
	B. Meat and edible meat offals of domestic swine:	
	I. Meat:	
	a) Salted or in brine:	
	1. Carcases or half-carcases, with or without heads, feet or flare fat	70·7726
	2. Half-carcases of bacon 3/4 forequarters, 3/4 hind or middle quarters:	
	aa) Half-carcases of bacon	95·5430
	3. Hams and cuts of ham, unboned (bone-in)	109·6975
	4. Shoulders and cuts of shoulders, unboned (bone-in)	86·3426
	5. Loins and cuts of loins, unboned (bone-in)	114·6516
	6. Breast, and cuts of breasts	61·5722
15.01	Lard, other pig fat and poultry fat, rendered or solvent-extracted:	
	A. Lard and other pig fat:	28·3090
	II. Other	

ANNEX B

Amount of levies on pigmeat products

CCT heading No	Description	Amount of levies u.a./100 kg
01.03	Live swine:	
	A. Domestic species:	
	II. Other:	
	a) Sows having farrowed at least once, of a weight of not less than 160 kg	11·1414
	b) Other:	13·1005
02.01	Meat and edible offals of animals falling within heading Nos 01.01 to 01.04 inclusive, fresh, chilled or frozen	
	A. Meat:	
	III. Of swine:	
	a) Of domestic swine:	
	1. Carcases or half-carcases, with or without heads, feet or flare fat	17·0358
	2. Hams and cuts of hams, unboned (bone-in)	26·4055
	3. Shoulders and cuts of shoulders, unboned (bone-in)	20·7837
	4. Loins and cuts of loins, unboned (bone-in)	27·5979
	5. Breasts (streaky) and cuts of breasts	14·8211
	6. Other	27·5979
	B. Offals:	
	II. Other:	
	c) Of domestic swine:	
	1. Heads and cuts of heads, necks	5·4514
	2. Feet and tails	1·5332
	3. Kidneys	17·8876
	4. Livers	20·6133
	5. Hearts, tongues and lungs	10·2214
	6. Livers, hearts, tongues and lungs attached to the trachea and gullet	14·9916
	7. Other	14·9916
02.05	Pig fat free of lean meat and poultry fat (not rendered or solvent-extracted), fresh, chilled, frozen, salted, in brine, dried or smoked:	
	A. Back-fat:	
	I. Fresh, chilled, frozen, salted or in brine	7·1551
	II. Dried or smoked	8·3475
	B. Pig fat other than that falling within subheading A	4·7700

CCT heading No	Description	Amount of levies u.a./100 kg
02.06	Meat and edible meat offals (except poultry liver), salted, in brine, dried or smoked:	
	B. Of domestic swine:	
	I. Meat:	
	a) Salted or in brine:	
	1. Carcases or half-carcases, with or without heads, feet or flare fat	17·0358
	2. Half-carcases of bacon, 3/4 forequarters, 3/4 hindquarters or middle quarters:	
	aa) Half-carcases of bacon	22·9983
	bb) 3/4 forequarters	22·9983
	cc) 3/4 hind or middle quarters	25·5537
	3. Hams and cuts of ham, unboned (bone-in) ...	26·4055
	4. Shoulders and cuts of shoulders, unboned (bone-in)	20·7837
	5. Loins and cuts of loins, unboned (bone-in) ...	27·5979
	6. Breasts (streaky) and cuts of breasts	14·8211
	7. Others	27·5979
	b) Dried or smoked:	
	1. Carcases or half-carcases, with or without heads, feet, or flare fat	25·5537
	2. Half-carcases of bacon, 3/4 forequarters, 3/4 hind or middle quarters:	
	aa) Half-carcases of bacon	25·5537
	bb) 3/4 forequarters	25·5537
	cc) 3/4 hind or middle quarters	28·1091
	3. Hams and cuts of ham, unboned (bone-in):	
	aa) Slightly dried or smoked	34·0716
	bb) Other	48·0409
	4. Shoulders and cuts of shoulders, unboned (bone-in):	
	aa) Slightly dried or smoked	23·8502
	bb) Other	37·8195
	5. Loins and cuts of loins, unboned (bone-in):	
	aa) Slightly dried or smoked	35·7751
	bb) Other	47·5299
	6. Breasts (streaky) and cuts of breasts:	
	aa) Slightly dried or smoked	17·0358
	bb) Other	24·7019
	7. Other:	
	aa) Slightly dried or smoked	35·7751
	bb) Other	48·0409
	II. Offals:	
	a) Heads and cuts of heads, necks	5·4514
	b) Feet and tails	1·5332
	c) Kidneys	17·8876
	d) Livers	20·6133
	e) Hearts, tongues and lungs	10·2214
	f) Livers, hearts, tongues and lungs attached to the trachea and gullet	14·9916
	g) Other	14·9916

CCT heading No	Description	Amount of levies u.a./100 kg
15.01	Lard, other pig fat and poultry fat, rendered or solvent-extracted:	
	A. Lard and other pig fat:	
	I. For industrial uses other than the manufacture of foodstuffs for human consumption (a)	6·8144
	II. Other	6·8144
16.01	Sausages and the like, of meat, meat offal or animal blood:	
	A. Liver sausages	33·0648
	B. Other (b)	
	I. Sausages, dry or for spreading, uncooked	58·6895
	II. Other	40·4830
16.02	Other prepared or preserved meat or meat offal:	
	A. Liver:	
	II. Other	34·5205
	B. Other	
	III. Other:	
	a) Containing meat or offals of domestic swine and containing by weight:	
	1. 80 % or more of meat or offal, of any kind, including fats of any kind or origin:	
	aa) Hams, fillets and loins; pieces thereof ...	63·1449
	bb) Shoulders and pieces thereof	50·9788
	cc) Other	36·5537
	2. 40 % or more but less than 80 % of meat or offal, of any kind, including fats of any kind or origin	31·2948
	3. Less than 40 % of meat or offal, of any kind, including fats of any kind or origin	21·6065

(a) Entry under this subheading is subject to conditions to be determined by the competent authorities.

(b) The levy applicable to sausages imported in containers which also contain preservative liquid is collected on the net weight, ie after the deduction of the weight of the liquid.

ANNEX C

List of products bound within GATT and the customs duties applicable thereto

CCT heading No	Description	Amount of levies u.a./100 kg
02.01	Meat and edible offals of the animals falling within heading Nos 01.01 to 01.04 inclusive, fresh, chilled or frozen:	
	B. Offals:	
	II. Other:	
	c) Of domestic swine:	
	1. Heads and cuts of heads; necks	12
	2. Feet and tails	12
	3. Kidneys	12
	4. Livers	14
	5. Hearts, tongues and lungs	12
	6. Livers, hearts, tongues and lungs attached to the trachea and gullet	12
	7. Other	12
15.01	Lard, other pig fat and poultry fat, rendered or solvent-extracted:	
	A. Lard and other pig fat:	
	I. For industrial uses other than the manufacture of foodstuffs for human consumption (a)	3
16.01	Sausages and the like, of meat, meat offal or animal blood:	
	A. Liver sausages:.....	24
16.02	Other prepared or preserved meat offal:	
	A. Liver:	
	II. Other	25

(a) Entry under this subheading is subject to conditions to be determined by the competent authorities.