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## REGULATION (EEC) No 2683/73 OF THE COMMISSION
### of 2 October 1973
### fixing the levies on cereals and on wheat or rye flour, groats and meal

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 organization of the market in cereals, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1346/73 (2), and in particular Article 13 (5) thereof ;

Having regard to the Opinion of the Monetary Committee ;

Whereas the import levies on cereals, wheat and rye flour, and wheat groats and meal were fixed by Regulation (EEC) No 2076/73 (3) and subsequent amending Regulations ;

Whereas, if the levy system is to operate normally, levies should be calculated on the following basis :

— in the case of currencies which are maintained in relation to each other, at any given moment, within a band of 2·25 %, a rate of exchange based on their effective parity ;

— for other currencies an exchange rate based on the arithmetic mean of the spot market rates of each of these currencies recorded for a given period, in relation to the Community currencies referred to in the previous subparagraph ;

Whereas it follows from applying the provisions contained in Regulation (EEC) No 2076/73 to the offer prices and today's quotations known to the Commission that the levies at present in force should be altered as shown in the Annex to this Regulation ;

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

*Article 1*

The import levies to be charged on the products listed in Article 1 (a), (b) and (c) of Regulation No 120/67/EEC are hereby fixed as shown in the Table annexed to this Regulation.

*Article 2*

This Regulation shall enter into force on 3 October 1973.

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

Done at Brussels, 2 October 1973.

*For the Commission*

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(1) OJ No 117, 19. 6. 1967, p. 2269/67.
(2) OJ No L 141, 28. 5. 1973, p. 8.
(3) OJ No L 212, 1. 8. 1973, p. 1.

*ANNEX*

**to the Commission Regulation of 2 October 1973 fixing the levies on cereals and on wheat or rye flour, groats and meal**

| CCT heading No | Description of goods | u.a./ton |
|---|---|---|
| 10.01 A | Common wheat and meslin | 0 |
| 10.01 B | Durum wheat | 0 (1)(4) |
| 10.02 | Rye | 0 (5) |
| 10.03 | Barley | 0 |
| 10.04 | Oats | 0 |
| 10.05 B | Maize other than hybrid maize for sowing | 11·82 (2)(3) |
| 10.07 A | Buckwheat | 0 |
| 10.07 B | Millet | 9·24 |
| 10.07 C | Grain sorghum | 5·51 |
| 10.07 D | Canary seed ; other cereals | 0 (4) |
| 11.01 A | Wheat or meslin flour | 0 |
| 11.01 B | Rye flour | 17·66 |
| 11.02 A I a | Durum wheat groats and meal | 0 |
| 11.02 A I b | Common wheat groats and meal | 0 |

(1) Where durum wheat originating in Morocco is transported directly from that country to the Community, the levy is reduced by 0·50 u.a./metric ton.

(2) Where maize originating in the AASM and OCT is imported into the French Overseas Departments, the levy in reduced by 6 u.a./metric ton.

(3) Where maize originating in Tanzania, Uganda and Kenya is imported into the Community, the levy is reduced by 1 u.a./metric ton.

(4) Where wheat and canary seed produced in Turkey are transported directly from that country to the Community, the levy is reduced by 0·50 u.a./metric ton.

(5) The import levy charged on rye produced in Turkey and transported directly from that country to the Community is laid down in Council Regulation (EEC) No 1234/71 and Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2622/71.