COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 3672/83

of 19 December 1983

fixing the reference prices for fishery products for the 1984 fishing year

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 3796/81 of 29 December 1981 on the common organization of the market in fishery products [1], and in particular the first subparagraph of Article 21 (6) thereof,

Whereas Article 21 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 3796/81 provides, among other things, for reference prices valid for the Community to be fixed each year, by product category, for the products specified in Annexes I, II, III, IV (B) and V to that Regulation ;

Whereas Article 21 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 3796/81 provides that the reference price for the products specified in Annex I (A) and (D) thereto must be equal to the withdrawal price fixed in accordance with Article 12 (1) thereof ;

Whereas the withdrawal prices for the 1984 fishing year for the fishery products specified in Annex I (A) and (D) to Regulation (EEC) No 3796/81 were fixed by Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3670/83 [2] ;

Whereas the reference prices for the products specified in Annex II to Regulation (EEC) No 3796/81 must be derived from their guide prices by reference to the price level at which the intervention measures provided for in Article 16 (1) thereof may be taken, and fixed taking account of the situation on the market in those products ; whereas the reference prices for those products should therefore be 85 % of the guide prices fixed by Council Regulation (EEC) No 3573/83 [3] ;

Whereas the reference prices for the tuna specified in Annex III to Regulation (EEC) No 3796/81 are based on the weighted average of the free-at-frontier prices recorded on the most representative markets in the Member States during the three preceding years ;

Whereas the reference prices for the products specified in Annexes I (B) and (C) and IV (B) to Regulation (EEC) No 3796/81 are determined on the basis of the average of the reference prices for the fresh product, account being taken of the processing costs and of the need to ensure a price relationship in keeping with the market situation ;

Whereas, for the frozen products specified in Annex V to Regulation (EEC) No 3796/81 for which no reference price is fixed for the fresh product, the reference prices are determined on the basis of the reference price applied to a commercially similar fresh product ;

Whereas, because of the volume and the conditions of importation of certain products, it is not necessary to fix immediately a reference price for these products ;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Fishery Products,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

The reference prices for the 1984 fishing year for the products specified in Annexes I, II, III, IV (B) and V to Regulation (EEC) No 3796/81 shall be as shown in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 January 1984.

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[1] OJ No L 379, 31. 12. 1981, p. 1.
[2] See page 22 of this Official Journal.
[3] OJ No L 356, 20. 12. 1983, p. 3.

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

Done at Brussels, 19 December 1983.

For the Commission

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Member of the Commission

ANNEX

1. **Reference prices for the products listed in Annex I (A) and (D) to Regulation (EEC) No 3796/81**

Fresh or chilled products		Reference prices (ECU/tonne)			
Species	Size (1)	Gutted fish with head		Whole fish	
		Extra, A (1)	B (1)	Extra, A (1)	B (1)
Herring	1	0	0	242	242
03.01 B I a) 1 aa) and	2	0	0	227	227
03.01 B I a) 2 aa)	3	0	0	143	143
Sardines	1	0	0	251	160
03.01 B I d) 1	2	0	0	251	160
(a) from the Atlantic	3	0	0	388	160
	4	0	0	251	160
	1	0	0	200	127
(b) from the Mediterranean	2	0	0	200	127
	3	0	0	309	127
	4	0	0	200	127
Dogfish	1	502	368	475	334
(Squalus acanthius)	2	428	301	401	268
ex 03.01 B I e) 1 aa)	3	234	167	201	134
Dogfish	1	516	387	484	322
(Scyliorhinus spp)	2	516	387	451	322
ex 03.01 B I e) 1 aa)	3	355	258	290	161
Redfish	1	0	0	633	633
03.01 B I f) 1	2	0	0	633	633
	3	0	0	535	535
Cod	1	758	716	548	421
(Gadus morhua)	2	758	716	548	421
ex 03.01 B I h) 1	3	716	590	421	337
	4	573	396	329	236
	5	404	236	244	160
Saithe	1	436	436	339	339
03.01 B I ij) 1	2	436	436	339	339
	3	436	436	339	339
	4	364	267	194	145
Haddock	1	567	504	441	378
03.01 B I k) 1	2	567	504	441	378
	3	485	410	340	233
	4	460	385	334	233
Whiting	1	464	435	348	232
03.01 B I l) 1	2	464	435	348	232
	3	441	354	319	133
	4	319	215	232	133
Ling	1	590	451	486	347
03.01 B I m) 1	2	576	437	472	333
	3	520	381	416	277

(1) The freshness categories, sizes and presentations are those defined pursuant to Article 2 of Regulation (EEC) No 3796/81.

Fresh or chilled products		Reference prices (ECU/tonne)			
Species	Size (1)	Gutted fish with head		Whole fish	
		Extra, A (1)	B (1)	Extra, A (1)	B (1)
Mackerel	1	0	0	200	200
(Scomber scombrus)	2	0	0	200	177
ex 03.01 B I o) 1 aa) and ex 03.01 B I o) 2) aa)	3	0	0	200	165
Anchovies	1	0	0	321	207
03.01 B I p) 1	2	0	0	390	207
	3	0	0	321	207
	4	0	0	133	133
Plaice	1	533	503	296	296
03.01 B I q) 1	2	533	503	296	296
— 1 January to	3	503	474	296	296
30 April 1984	4	414	385	296	296
— 1 May to	1	720	680	400	400
31 December 1984	2	720	680	400	400
	3	680	640	400	400
	4	560	520	400	400
Hake	1	1 772	1 673	1 378	1 280
(Merluccius merluccius)	2	1 772	1 673	1 378	1 280
ex 03.01 B I t) 1	3	1 575	1 476	1 280	1 083

Simply boiled in water	Size (1)	Reference prices (ECU/tonne)	
		A (1)	B (1)
Shrimps of the genus Crangon crangon	1	820	693
ex 03.03 A IV b) 1	2	378	378

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2. Reference prices for the products listed in Annex II to Regulation (EEC) No 3796/81

CCT heading No	Description	Reference prices (ECU/tonne)
A. Frozen products falling within CCT heading No 03.01 :		
03.01 B I d) 2	Sardines (Sardina pilchardus)	331
03.01 B I s) 2	Sea bream of the species Dentex dentex and Pagellus spp	1 001
B. Frozen products falling within CCT heading No 03.03 :		
03.03 B IV a) 1 aa)	Squid (Loligo spp)	1 982
03.03 B IV a) 1 bb)	Squid (Todarodes sagittatus)	978
03.03 B IV a) 1 cc)	Squid (Illex spp)	978
03.03 B IV a) 2	Cuttle-fish of the species Sepia officinalis, Rossia macrosoma and Sepiola rondeleti	1 278
03.03 B IV a) 3	Octopus	952

3. **Reference prices for the products listed in Annex III to Regulation (EEC) No 3796/81**

Tuna, fresh, chilled or frozen, for the industrial manufacture of products falling within heading No 16.04 — subheading 03.01 B I c) 1

Product	Reference prices (ECU/tonne)		
	Whole	Gilled and gutted	Other
A. Yellowfin tuna (Thunnus albacares) :			
1. weighing more than 10 kg each (1)	731	833	906
2. weighing not more than 10 kg each (1)	665	758	825
B. Albacore (Thunnus alalunga) :			
1. weighing more than 10 kg each (1)	833	949	1 033
2. weighing not more than 10 kg each (1)	1 060	1 208	1 314
C. Other species	468	534	580

(1) Reference to weight applies to whole products.

4. **Reference prices for the products listed in Annex IV (B) and V to Regulation (EEC) No 3796/81**

Frozen products falling within subheadings 03.01 B I, B II and 16.04 G I

Species	Presentation	Reference prices (ECU/tonne)
1. Redfish	Whole fish :	
	— With or without head	716
	— Other	1 101
	Fillets :	
	— With bones (standard)	1 399
	— Boneless	1 645
	— Blocks in immediate packing weighing not more than 4 kg	1 865
	Minced blocks	869
2. Cod	Whole fish :	
	— With or without head	848
	— Other	1 280
	Fillets :	
	— Industrial blocks, with bones (standard)	1 812
	— Industrial blocks, boneless	2 112
	— Individual fillets, with skin	1 925
	— Individual fillets, skinless	2 264
	— Blocks in immediate packing weighing not more than 4 kg	2 367
	Minced blocks	982
3. Saithe	Whole fish :	
	— With or without head	544
	— Other	836
	Fillets :	
	— Industrial blocks, with bones (standard)	1 130
	— Industrial blocks, boneless	1 256
	— Individual fillets, with skin	1 177
	— Individual fillets, skinless	1 317
	— Blocks in immediate packing weighing not more than 4 kg	1 399
	Minced blocks	648

Species	Presentation	Reference prices (ECU/tonne)
4. Haddock	Whole fish :	
	— With or without head	685
	— Other	984
	Fillets :	
	— Industrial blocks, with bones (standard)	1 687
	— Industrial blocks, boneless	2 088
	— Individual fillets, with skin	1 875
	— Individual fillets, skinless	2 109
	— Blocks in immediate packing weighing not more than 4 kg	2 206
	Minced blocks	792
5. Mackerel	Whole fish :	
	— With head	313
	— Headless	348
	— Sides	482
	Fillets	608
6. Hake	Whole fish :	
	— With or without head	635
	— Other	959
	Fillets :	
	— Industrial blocks, with bones (standard)	980
	— Industrial blocks, boneless	1 176
	— Individual fillets, with skin	1 048
	— Individual fillets, skinless	1 244
	— Blocks in immediate packing weighing not more than 4 kg	1 327
	Minced blocks	764