COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 2966/95

of 19 December 1995

fixing, for the 1996 fishing year, the withdrawal and selling prices for fishery products listed in Annex I (A), (D) and (E) of Council Regulation (EEC) No 3759/92

(Text with EEA relevance)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 3759/92 of 17 December 1992 on the common organization of the market in fishery and aquaculture products [1], as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 3318/94 [2], and in particular Article 11 (3) and Article 13 thereof,

Whereas Article 11 (1) and Article 13 of Regulation (EEC) No 3759/92 provide that the Community withdrawal and selling prices for each of the products listed respectively, in Annex I (A) and (D) and in Annex I (E) are to be fixed by applying the conversion factor for the product category concerned to an amount equal to at least 70 % but not more than 90 % of the relevant guide price;

Whereas changes in production and marketing structures in the Community make it necessary to alter the basis for calculating the withdrawal and the sale prices in the Community as compared with those of the preceding fishing year;

Whereas Article 11 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 3759/92 provides that the withdrawal price may be multiplied by conversion factors in landing areas which are very distant from main centres of consumption in the Community;

Whereas the guide prices for the 1994 fishing year were fixed for all the products in question by Council Regulation (EC) No 2816/95 [3];

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 percentages of the guide price which are used as a basis for calculating the Community withdrawal and selling prices shall be as shown in Annex I for the products concerned.

Article 2

The conversion factors which are used for calculating the Community withdrawal and selling prices for the products listed, respectively, in Annex I (A) and (D) and in Annex I (E) of Regulation (EEC) No 3759/92, shall be as shown in Annex II.

Article 3

The Community withdrawal and selling prices applicable for the 1996 fishing year and the products to which they refer, shall be as shown in Annex III.

Article 4

The withdrawal prices applicable for the 1996 fishing year in the landing areas which are very distant from the main centres of consumption in the Community and the products to which those prices relate, shall be as shown in Annex IV.

Article 5

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 January 1996.

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

Done at Brussels, 19 December 1995.

For the Commission

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Member of the Commission

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[1] OJ No L 388, 31. 12. 1992, p. 1.
[2] OJ No L 350, 31. 12. 1994, p. 15.
[3] OJ No L 292, 7. 12. 1995, p. 1.

ANNEX I

Percentage of guide price used in calculating withdrawal or sale prices

Product	%
Herrings of the species *Clupea harengus*	85
Sardines of the species *Sardina pilchardus*	85
Dogfish *(Squalus acanthias)*	80
Dogfish (*Scyliorhinus* spp.)	80
Redfish (*Sebastes* spp.)	90
Cod of the species *Gadus morhua*	80
Coalfish *(Pollachius virens)*	80
Haddock *(Melanogrammus aeglefinus)*	80
Whiting *(Merlangius merlangus)*	80
Ling (*Molva* spp.)	80
Mackerel of the species *Scomber scombrus*	85
Mackerel of the species *Scomber japonicus*	90
Anchovies (*Engraulis* spp.)	85
Plaice *(Pleuronectes platessa)*	83
Hake of the species *Merluccius merluccius*	90
Megrim (*Lepidorhombus* spp.)	80
Ray's bream (*Brama* spp.)	80
Monkfish (*Lophius* spp.)	85
Shrimps of the species *Crangon crangon* and deep-water prawns *(Pandalus borealis)*	90
Crabs of the species *(Cancer pagurus)*	90
Norway lobster *(Nephrops norvegicus)*	90
Dab *(Limanda limanda)*	83
Flounder *(Platichthys flesus)*	83
Albacore or longfinned tuna *(Thunnus alalunga)*	90
Cuttlefish *(Sepia officinalis and Rossia macrosoma)*	80
Sole (*Solea* spp.)	83

ANNEX II

Conversion factor of the products listed in Annex I (A), (D) and (E) to Regulation (EEC) No 3759/92

Species	Size (1)	Conversion			
		Gutted fish, with head (1)		Whole fish (1)	
		Extra, A (1)	B (1)	Extra, A (1)	B (1)
Herring of the species *Clupea harengus*	1	0,00	0,00	0,85	0,85
	2	0,00	0,00	0,80	0,80
	3	0,00	0,00	0,50	0,50
Sardines of the species *Sardina pilchardus*	1	0,00	0,00	0,55	0,35
	2	0,00	0,00	0,55	0,35
	3	0,00	0,00	0,85	0,35
	4	0,00	0,00	0,55	0,35
Dogfish *(Squalus acanthias)*	1	0,75	0,55	0,75	0,50
	2	0,64	0,45	0,64	0,40
	3	0,35	0,25	0,35	0,20
Dogfish (*Scyliorhinus* spp.)	1	0,80	0,60	0,75	0,50
	2	0,80	0,60	0,70	0,50
	3	0,55	0,40	0,45	0,23

Species	Size (1)	Conversion			
		Gutted fish, with head (1)		Whole fish (1)	
		Extra, A (1)	B (1)	Extra, A (1)	B (1)
Redfish (*Sebastes* spp.)	1	0,00	0,00	0,90	0,90
	2	0,00	0,00	0,90	0,90
	3	0,00	0,00	0,76	0,76
Cod of the species *Gadus morhua*	1	0,90	0,85	0,65	0,50
	2	0,90	0,85	0,65	0,50
	3	0,85	0,70	0,50	0,40
	4	0,67	0,46	0,38	0,27
	5	0,47	0,27	0,28	0,18
Coalfish *(Pollachius virens)*	1	0,90	0,90	0,70	0,70
	2	0,90	0,90	0,70	0,70
	3	0,89	0,89	0,69	0,69
	4	0,76	0,52	0,38	0,28
Haddock *(Melanogrammus aeglefinus)*	1	0,90	0,80	0,70	0,60
	2	0,90	0,80	0,70	0,60
	3	0,77	0,65	0,54	0,37
	4	0,68	0,56	0,51	0,35
Whiting *(Merlangius merlangus)*	1	0,80	0,75	0,60	0,40
	2	0,80	0,75	0,60	0,40
	3	0,76	0,61	0,55	0,23
	4	0,53	0,36	0,39	0,22
Ling (*Molva* spp.)	1	0,85	0,65	0,70	0,50
	2	0,83	0,63	0,68	0,48
	3	0,75	0,55	0,60	0,40
Mackerel of the species *Scomber scombrus*	1	0,00	0,00	0,85	0,85
	2	0,00	0,00	0,85	0,75
	3	0,00	0,00	0,85	0,70
Spanish mackerel of the species *Scomber japonicus*	1	0,00	0,00	0,85	0,75
	2	0,00	0,00	0,85	0,70
	3	0,00	0,00	0,70	0,57
	4	0,00	0,00	0,55	0,35
Anchovies (*Engraulis* spp.)	1	0,00	0,00	0,80	0,45
	2	0,00	0,00	0,85	0,45
	3	0,00	0,00	0,70	0,45
	4	0,00	0,00	0,29	0,29
Plaice *(Pleuronectes platessa)*	1	0,90	0,85	0,49	0,49
	2	0,90	0,85	0,49	0,49
	3	0,87	0,80	0,49	0,49
	4	0,68	0,60	0,46	0,46
Hake of the species *Merluccius merluccius*	1	1,00	0,94	0,79	0,73
	2	0,76	0,71	0,59	0,54
	3	0,75	0,70	0,58	0,53
	4	0,64	0,59	0,50	0,41
	5	0,60	0,55	0,47	0,38
Megrim (*Lepidorhombus* spp.)	1	0,85	0,65	0,80	0,60
	2	0,75	0,55	0,70	0,50
	3	0,70	0,50	0,65	0,45
	4	0,45	0,25	0,40	0,20

Species	Size (1)	Conversion			
		Gutted fish, with head (1)		Whole fish (1)	
		Extra, A (1)	B (1)	Extra, A (1)	B (1)
Ray's bream (*Brama* spp.)	1	0,85	0,65	0,80	0,60
	2	0,60	0,40	0,55	0,35
Dab *(Limanda limanda)*	1	0,85	0,75	0,70	0,55
	2	0,65	0,55	0,50	0,35
Flounder *(Platichthys flesus)*	1	0,80	0,70	0,70	0,55
	2	0,60	0,50	0,50	0,35
Albacore or longfinned tuna *(Thunnus alalunga)*	1	1,00	0,60	0,90	0,85
	2	1,00	0,57	0,85	0,80
Cuttlefish *(Sepia officinalis* and *Rossia macrosoma)*	1	0,00	0,00	0,80	0,60
	2	0,00	0,00	0,80	0,60
	3	0,00	0,00	0,50	0,30
		Whole fish or gutted, with head (1)		Fish without head (1)	
		Extra, A (1)	B (1)	Extra, A (1)	B (1)
Monkfish (*Lophius* spp.)	1	0,72	0,52	0,90	0,70
	2	0,92	0,72	0,85	0,65
	3	0,92	0,72	0,80	0,60
	4	0,77	0,57	0,70	0,50
	5	0,44	0,24	0,50	0,30
		All presentations			
		A (1)		B (1)	
Shrimps of the genus *Crangon crangon*	1	0,65		0,55	
	2	0,30		0,30	
		Cooked in water		Fresh or chilled	
		A (1)	B (1)	A (1)	B (1)
Deep-water prawns *(Pandalus borealis)*	1	0,85	0,75	0,75	0,60
	2	0,30	0,30	—	—
		Whole (1)			
Edible crabs *(Cancer pagurus)*	1	0,80			
	2	0,60			
		Whole			Tails	
		E (1)	Extra, A (1)	B (1)	Extra, A (1)	B (1)
Norway lobster *(Nephrops norvegicus)*	1	0,95	0,95	0,68	0,90	0,60
	2	0,95	0,64	0,38	0,75	0,40
	3	0,63	0,45	0,18	0,55	0,29
	4	0,23	0,23	0,09	0,46	0,14

Species	Size (1)	Gutted fish, with head (1)		Whole fish (1)	
		Extra, A (1)	B (1)	Extra, A (1)	B (1)
Sole (*Solea* spp.)	1	0,90	0,80	0,70	0,55
	2	0,90	0,80	0,70	0,55
	3	0,85	0,75	0,65	0,50
	4	0,70	0,60	0,50	0,40
	5	0,60	0,50	0,40	0,35

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ANNEX III

Withdrawal or sale price in the Community of the products listed in Annex I (A), (D) and (E) to Regulation (EEC) No 3759/92

Species	Size (1)	Withdrawal price (ECU/t)			
		Gutted fish with head (1)		Whole fish (1)	
		Extra, A (1)	B (1)	Extra, A (1)	B (1)
Herrings of the species *Clupea harengus*	1	0	0	199	199
	2	0	0	187	187
	3	0	0	117	117
Sardines of the species *Sardina pilchardus*	1	0	0	235	150
	2	0	0	235	150
	3	0	0	363	150
	4	0	0	235	150
Dogfish *(Squalus acanthias)*	1	628	460	628	418
	2	536	377	536	335
	3	293	209	293	167
Dogfish (*Scyliorhinus* spp.)	1	506	379	474	316
	2	506	379	442	316
	3	348	253	284	145
Redfish (*Sebastes* spp.)	1	0	0	908	908
	2	0	0	908	908
	3	0	0	767	767
Cod of the species *Gadus morhua*	1	1 084	1 024	783	602
	2	1 084	1 024	783	602
	3	1 024	843	602	482
	4	807	554	458	325
	5	566	325	337	217
Coalfish *(Pollachius virens)*	1	554	554	431	431
	2	554	554	431	431
	3	548	548	425	425
	4	468	320	234	172
Haddock *(Melanogrammus aeglefinus)*	1	750	666	583	500
	2	750	666	583	500
	3	641	541	450	308
	4	566	466	425	291
Whiting *(Merlangius merlangus)*	1	577	541	433	289
	2	577	541	433	289
	3	548	440	397	166
	4	382	260	281	159
Ling (*Molva* spp.)	1	767	587	632	451
	2	749	569	614	433
	3	677	496	541	361

Species	Size (1)	Withdrawal price (ECU/t)			
		Gutted fish with head (1)		Whole fish (1)	
		Extra, A (1)	B (1)	Extra, A (1)	B (1)
Mackerel of the species *Scomber scombrus*	1	0	0	197	197
	2	0	0	197	173
	3	0	0	197	162
Spanish mackerel of the species *Scomber japonicus*	1	0	0	246	217
	2	0	0	246	203
	3	0	0	203	165
	4	0	0	159	101
Anchovies (*Engraulis* spp.)	1	0	0	794	447
	2	0	0	844	447
	3	0	0	695	447
	4	0	0	288	288
Plaice *(Pleuronectes platessa)*					
	1	731	690	398	398
— 1 January to	2	731	690	398	398
30 April 1996	3	706	649	398	398
	4	552	487	373	373
	1	1 005	949	547	547
— 1 May to	2	1 005	949	547	547
31 December 1996	3	971	893	547	547
	4	759	670	514	514
Hake of the species *Merluccius merluccius*	1	3 327	3 128	2 629	2 429
	2	2 529	2 362	1 963	1 797
	3	2 495	2 329	1 930	1 763
	4	2 129	1 963	1 664	1 364
	5	1 996	1 830	1 564	1 264
Megrim (*Lepidorhombus* spp.)	1	1 572	1 202	1 480	1 110
	2	1 387	1 017	1 295	925
	3	1 295	925	1 202	832
	4	832	462	740	370
Rays' bream (*Brama* spp.)	1	1 200	917	1 129	847
	2	847	564	776	494
Dab *(Limanda limanda)*	1	646	570	532	418
	2	494	418	380	266
Flounder *(Platichthys flesus)*	1	360	315	315	247
	2	270	225	225	157
Albacore or longfinned tuna *(Thunnus alalunga)*	1	2 186	1 312	1 686	1 593
	2	2 186	1 246	1 593	1 499
Cuttlefish *(Sepia officinalis* and *Rossia macrosoma)*	1	0	0	1 023	767
	2	0	0	1 023	767
	3	0	0	639	384

Species	Size (1)	Whole or gutted fish, with head (1)		Without head (1)	
		Extra, A (1)	B (1)	Extra, A (1)	B (1)
Monkfish (*Lophius* spp.)	1	1 638	1 183	4 168	3 242
	2	2 093	1 638	3 937	3 011
	3	2 093	1 638	3 705	2 779
	4	1 752	1 297	3 242	2 316
	5	1 001	546	2 316	1 389

		All presentations	
		A (1)	B (1)
Shrimps of the species *Crangon crangon*	1	1 296	1 097
	2	598	598

		Cooked in water		Fresh or chilled	
		A (1)	B (1)	A (1)	B (1)
Deep-water prawns *(Pandalus borealis)*	1	4 743	4 185	1 141	913
	2	1 674	1 674	—	—

		Sale price (ECU/t)
		Whole (1)
Edible crabs *(Cancer pagurus)*	1	1 272
	2	954

		Whole (1)			Tails (1)	
		E' (1)	Extra, A (1)	B (1)	Extra, A (1)	B (1)
Norway lobster *(Nephrops norvegicus)*	1	4 385	4 385	3 139	3 521	2 347
	2	4 385	2 954	1 754	2 934	1 565
	3	2 908	2 077	831	2 152	1 135
	4	1 062	1 062	415	1 800	548

		Gutted fish with head (1)		Whole fish (1)	
		Extra, A	B (1)	Extra, A (1)	B (1)
Sole (*Solea* spp.)	1	4 498	3 999	3 499	2 749
	2	4 498	3 999	3 499	2 749
	3	4 249	3 749	3 249	2 499
	4	3 499	2 999	2 499	1 999
	5	2 999	2 499	1 999	1 749

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ANNEX IV

Species	Landing area	Conversion factor	Size (1)	Withdrawal prices (ECU/tonne)			
				Gutted fish, with head (1)		Whole fish (1)	
				Extra, A (1)	B (1)	Extra, A (1)	B (1)
Herring of the species *Clupea harengus*	Coastal areas and islands of Ireland	0,76	1	0	0	151	151
			2	0	0	142	142
			3	0	0	89	89
	Coastal areas in the east of England from Berwick to Dover. Coastal areas of Scotland from Portpatrick to Eyemouth including the islands to the west and the north of these regions. Coastal areas of County Down (Northern Ireland)	0,76	1	0	0	151	151
			2	0	0	142	142
			3	0	0	89	89
Mackerel of the species *Scomber scombrus*	Coastal areas and islands of Ireland	0,85	1	0	0	167	167
			2	0	0	167	147
			3	0	0	167	138
	Coastal areas and islands of Cornwall and Devon in the United Kingdom	0,85	1	0	0	167	167
			2	0	0	167	147
			3	0	0	167	138
	Coastal areas from Portpatrick in south-west Scotland to Wick in north-east Scotland and the islands to the west and north of these areas, coastal areas and islands of Northern Ireland	0,91	1	0	0	179	179
			2	0	0	179	158
			3	0	0	179	147
	Coastal areas from Wick to Aberdeen in the north-east of Scotland	0,97	1	0	0	191	191
			2	0	0	191	168
			3	0	0	191	157
Hake of the species *Merluccius merluccius*	Coastal areas from Troon in south-west Scoltand to Wick in north-east Scotland and the islands to the west and north of these areas	0,69	1	2 296	2 158	1 814	1 676
			2	1 745	1 630	1 355	1 240
			3	1 722	1 607	1 332	1 217
			4	1 469	1 355	1 148	941
			5	1 378	1 263	1 079	872
	Coastal areas and islands of Ireland	0,92	1	3 061	2 877	2 418	2 235
			2	2 326	2 173	1 806	1 653
			3	2 296	2 143	1 775	1 622
			4	1 959	1 806	1 531	1 255
			5	1 837	1 684	1 439	1 163
Albacore or longfinned tuna *(Thunnus alalunga)*	Azores and Madeira	0,48	1	1 049	567	809	765
			2	1 049	567	765	720

Species	Landing area	Conversion factor	Size (1)	Withdrawal prices (ECU/tonne)			
				Gutted fish, with head (1)		Whole fish (1)	
				Extra, A (1)	B (1)	Extra, A (1)	B (1)
Sardines of the species *Sardina pilchardus*	Canary Islands	0,48	1	0	0	113	72
			2	0	0	113	72
			3	0	0	174	72
			4	0	0	113	72
	Coastal areas and islands of the counties of Cornwall and Devon in the United Kingdom	0,67	1	0	0	158	100
			2	0	0	158	100
			3	0	0	243	100
			4	0	0	158	100
	Coastal areas on the Atlantic seaboard of Spain (excluding the Canaries)	0,85	1	0	0	200	127
			2	0	0	200	127
			3	0	0	309	127
			4	0	0	200	127
	Coastal areas on the Atlantic seaboard of Portugal	0,65	3	0	0	236	—

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