

**COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 1600/95****of 30 June 1995****laying down detailed rules for the application of the import arrangements and opening tariff quotas for milk and milk products**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 804/68 of 27 June 1968 on the common organization of the market in milk and milk products <sup>(1)</sup>, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1538/95 <sup>(2)</sup>, and in particular Articles 13 (3) and 16 (4) thereof,

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2729/81 of 14 September 1981 laying down special rules implementing the system of import and export licences and the advance fixing of refunds in respect of milk and milk products <sup>(3)</sup>, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1094/95 <sup>(4)</sup>, has been repealed by Commission Regulation (EC) No 1466/95 <sup>(5)</sup> with effect from 1 July 1995; whereas special rules must be laid down for the system of import licences for milk products and in particular the amount of the security to be lodged, the period of validity of licences and the operations not covered by the system;

Whereas the Agreement on Agriculture concluded during the Uruguay Round multilateral trade negotiations (hereinafter referred to as the 'Agreement') provides for certain tariff quotas for milk and milk products under the 'current access' and 'minimum access' arrangements; whereas those quotas should be opened for an initial annual period ending on 30 June 1996; whereas rules should be laid down for the management of those quotas;

Whereas tariff quotas are opened under the current access arrangements for specified countries; whereas, in order to check that products imported under the quotas conform to the product description laid down and that the tariff quotas are complied with, use should be made of the arrangements currently in force under which certificates are issued on the responsibility of the exporter country;

Whereas certain special conditions previously applied to imports authorized under special arrangements should be applied to imports of New Zealand butter under the quota provided for in the Agreement in order to monitor their origin and destination;

Whereas tariff quotas under the minimum access arrangements are opened for unspecified countries; whereas, in order to ensure correct and equitable management of the quotas, acceptance of licence applications should be subject to the lodging of a security greater than that required for normal imports and certain conditions should be laid down for the submission of licence applications; whereas the quotas should be spread out over the year and the procedure for the allocation of licences and their period of validity should be laid down; whereas this type of management requires close cooperation between the Member States and the Commission;

Whereas, in the interests of clarity and efficiency, the Regulation should contain provisions on the import of milk products under tariff quotas opened pursuant to other international agreements and on the import of milk products under preferential quota arrangements; whereas checks on the description of the products concerned and, where appropriate, on compliance with the quota may be made on the basis of the system of certificates issued by the exporter country;

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1767/82 <sup>(6)</sup>, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1351/95 <sup>(7)</sup>, may therefore be repealed;

Whereas the special provisions of this Regulation are either supplementary to, or derogate from, the provisions of Regulation (EEC) No 3719/88 <sup>(8)</sup>, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1199/95 <sup>(9)</sup>;

Whereas the Management Committee for Milk and Milk Products has not delivered an opinion within the time limit set by its chairman,

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ No L 148, 28. 6. 1968, p. 13.

<sup>(2)</sup> OJ No L 148, 1. 7. 1995, p. 17.

<sup>(3)</sup> OJ No L 272, 26. 9. 1981, p. 19.

<sup>(4)</sup> OJ No L 109, 16. 5. 1995, p. 31.

<sup>(5)</sup> OJ No L 144, 28. 6. 1995, p. 22.

<sup>(6)</sup> OJ No L 196, 5. 7. 1982, p. 1.

<sup>(7)</sup> OJ No L 131, 15. 6. 1995, p. 12.

<sup>(8)</sup> OJ No L 331, 2. 12. 1988, p. 1.

<sup>(9)</sup> OJ No L 119, 30. 5. 1995, p. 4.

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

## TITLE II

### Tariff quota arrangements

#### TITLE I

#### General Arrangements

##### Article 1

Imports into the Community of any of the products listed in Article 1 of Regulation (EEC) No 804/68 (hereinafter referred to as 'milk products') shall be subject to the presentation of an import licence.

Notwithstanding the fourth indent of Article 5 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 3719/88, however, no import licence shall be required for operations involving not more than:

- 150 kilograms for products falling within CN codes 0405 and 0406,  
and
- 300 kilograms for other milk products.

##### Article 2

The following special rules shall apply to import licences:

1. The security referred to in Article 14 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 3719/88 shall be ECU 10 per 100 kilograms net of product.
2. The combined nomenclature product code shall be entered in Section 16 of both the import licence application and the licence itself. The licence shall be valid only for the product thus designated.
3. The licence shall be valid from the day of issue within the meaning of Article 21 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 3719/88 until the end of the second month following.
4. The licence shall be issued on the working day following the day on which the application is submitted.

##### Article 3

Classification of cheeses falling within CN codes 0406 20 10, 0406 90 02 to 0406 90 06 and 0406 90 19 shall be subject to the presentation of an IMA 1 certificate fulfilling the conditions laid down in Title IV.

CN code 0406 90 01 shall apply only to cheeses imported from third countries.

##### Article 4

For the purposes of this Regulation, 'year of import' means:

- the calendar year for the arrangements referred to in Sections A and C,
- the 12-month period beginning on 1 July for the arrangements referred to in Section B.

#### Section A

Imports of milk products under tariff quotas referred to in the GATT/WTO Agreements opened for specified countries of origin

##### Article 5

This section shall apply to certain tariff quotas for milk products referred to in the Agreements concluded under the Uruguay Round of multilateral trade negotiations (hereinafter referred to as the 'Agreement') opened for specified countries of origin.

##### Article 6

The tariff quotas referred to in Article 5 and the duties to be applied shall be as set out in Annex I. The quota for New Zealand butter for the period 1 July to 31 December 1995, however, shall be 38 334 tonnes.

##### Article 7

1. An import licence for the products listed in Annex I at the rate of duty indicated shall only be issued on presentation of an IMA 1 certificate, or a copy thereof, fulfilling the conditions laid down in Title IV and shall bear the number of that certificate.

2. The period of validity of the IMA 1 certificate may not extend beyond 31 December of the year of issue.

From 1 November of each year, however, certificates valid from the following 1 January may be issued for quantities covered by the quota for the year concerned.

##### Article 8

To be eligible for the import arrangements provided for in this section, on the import licence application and the import licence itself shall be entered:

- in Section 15, the product description in accordance with Annex I,
- in Section 16, the subheading of the combined nomenclature preceded by 'ex',
- in Section 20, one of the following :
  - Válido si va acompañado de un certificado IMA 1 [Reglamento (CE) n° 1600/95],
  - Gyldig ledsaget af et certifikat IMA 1 (forordning (EF) nr. 1600/95),
  - Nur gültig in Verbindung mit einer Bescheinigung IMA 1 (Verordnung (EG) Nr. 1600/95),
  - Ισχύει εάν συνοδεύεται από ένα πιστοποιητικό IMA 1 [Κανονισμός (ΕΚ) αριθ. 1600/95],
  - Valid if accompanied by an IMA 1 certificate (Regulation (EC) No 1600/95),
  - Valable si accompagné d'un certificat IMA 1 [règlement (CE) n° 1600/95],
  - Valido se accompagnato da un certificato IMA 1 [regolamento (CE) n. 1600/95],
  - Geldig wanneer vergezeld van een certificaat IMA 1 (Verordening (EG) nr. 1600/95),
  - Válido quando acompanhado de um certificado IMA 1 [Regulamento (CE) n° 1600/95],
  - Voimassa vain IMA 1 -todistuksen kanssa [Asetus (EY) N:o 1600/95],
  - Giltig endast med IMA 1-intyget (Förordning (EG) nr 1600/95),

and the number of the IMA 1 certificate,

- in Sections 7 and 8, the country of provenance and origin.

The licence shall carry an obligation to import from the country of origin indicated.

#### Article 9

1. The following special rules shall apply to the tariff quota for New Zealand butter referred to in Article 5 :
  - (a) Notwithstanding Article 2 (1), the security shall be ECU 5 per 100 kilograms net of product.
  - (b) Import licence applications may only be submitted in the United Kingdom.
  - (c) The IMA 1 certificate referred to in Title IV shall indicate the date of manufacture of the butter concerned.

2. For the purposes of monitoring the quantities of the tariff quota referred to in paragraph 1, account shall be taken of all quantities for which import declarations have been accepted during the period concerned.

3. Member States shall notify the Commission, by the end of each month, of the quantities of butter imported under the tariff quota referred to in paragraph 1 arriving in their country during the previous month and for which import declarations have been accepted.

#### Article 10

1. At all stages of marketing, New Zealand butter imported into the Community pursuant to this section shall bear an indication of its New Zealand origin.

2. The blending of New Zealand butter with Community butter for direct consumption may only take place in the United Kingdom.

Paragraph 1 shall apply to blending operations only up to the stage of packing in small packages.

The United Kingdom shall inform the Commission of measures taken to that end.

#### Section B

Imports of milk products under tariff quotas referred to in the GATT/WTO Agreements opened for unspecified countries of origin

#### Article 11

This section shall apply to tariff quotas for milk products referred to in the Agreement opened for unspecified countries of origin.

#### Article 12

1. The tariff quotas referred to in Article 11 and the duties to be applied shall be as set out in Annex II.

2. The quantities set out in Annex II for each year of import shall be divided into four equal parts for the three-month periods commencing on 1 July, 1 October, 1 January and 1 April of each year.

#### Article 13

The following provisions shall apply to the import arrangements referred to in Article 11 :

- (a) At the time import licence applications are submitted, applicants must prove to the satisfaction of the competent authorities of the Member State concerned that they have been trading in milk or milk products for at least for preceding 12 months. For applicants in the new Member States, trade with Member States of the Community as constituted on 31 December 1994 shall be considered to be trade with third countries. Retail establishments and restaurants selling their products to the final consumer shall, however, be excluded from these arrangements.
- (b) Licence applications and the licences themselves may show only one of the CN codes set out in Annex II; the licence application must be for a minimum of 10 tonnes and a maximum of 25 % of the quantity of the product or products concerned available for each period referred to in Article 12 for which the licence application is submitted.
- (c) Section 8 of licence applications and licences shall show the country of origin; licences shall carry an obligation to import from the country indicated.
- (d) Section 15 of licence applications shall give a detailed description of the product, in particular:
- the raw material used,
  - the fat content by weight (kg) of the dry matter,
  - the water content by weight (kg) of the non-fatty matter,
  - the fat content by weight (kg);
- (e) Section 20 of licence applications and licences shall show one of the following:
- Reglamento (CE) n° 1600/95, artículo 12,
  - Forordning (EF) nr. 1600/95, artikel 12,
  - Verordnung (EG) Nr. 1600/95, Artikel 12,
  - Κανονισμός (ΕΚ) αριθ. 1600/95, άρθρο 12,
  - Article 12 of Regulation (EC) No 1600/95,
  - Règlement (CE) n° 1600/95, article 12,
  - Regolamento (CE) n. 1600/95, articolo 12,
  - Verordening (EG) nr. 1600/95, artikel 12,
  - Regulamento (CE) n° 1600/95, artigo 12º,
  - Asetus (EY) N:o 1600/95, artikla 12,
  - Förordning (EG) nr 1600/95, artikel 12.
- (f) Section 24 of the licence shall show the rate of duty applicable.

#### Article 14

1. Licence applications may only be submitted during the first 10 days of each period referred to in Article 12

(2) and for the first time during the first 10 days following the entry into force of this Regulation.

2. Licence applications shall only be accepted where the applicant declares in writing that he has not submitted, and undertakes not to submit, any other applications under the import arrangements referred to in this section for the same period for products falling within the same code in the Member State in which the application is being submitted or in any other Member State; in the event that an applicant submits more than one application for the same product, all applications from that applicant shall be invalid.

3. The Member States shall notify the Commission, on the third working day following the end of the application period, of applications submitted for each of the products listed in Annex II. Such notification shall comprise the list of applicants and the quantities applied for by CN code. All notifications, including notification of no applications, shall be made by telex or fax on the working day stipulated, in accordance with the specimen in Annex VIII where no application has been made and with the specimens in Annexes VIII and IX where applications have been made.

4. The Commission shall decide as quickly as possible to what extent applications may be granted and shall inform the Member State of its decision. If the quantities for which licences have been applied for exceed the quantities available, the Commission may reduce the quantities applied for by a fixed percentage. If the total quantity applied for is less than the quantity available, the Commission shall calculate the remaining quantity which shall be added to that available for the following period.

5. If the percentage referred to in paragraph 4 is more than 20 %, applicants may withdraw their applications. In such cases, they shall notify the competent authority within three days of publication of the decision, whereupon their security shall immediately be released. The competent authority shall notify the Commission, within four days of publication of the decision, of the quantities for which applications have been withdrawn and for which the security referred to in Article 16 has been released.

#### Article 15

The period of validity of licences may not extend beyond 30 June following the date of issue within the meaning of Article 21 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 3719/88.

Import licences issued pursuant to this section may only be transferred to the natural or legal persons referred to in Article 13 (a).

#### *Article 16*

Notwithstanding Article 2 (1), the security shall be ECU 35 per 100 kilograms net of product.

#### *Article 17*

Notwithstanding Article 8 (4) of Regulation (EEC) No 3719/88, the quantity imported pursuant to this section may not exceed that shown in Sections 17 and 18 of the import licence. To that end, the figure '0' shall be entered in Section 19 of the licence.

### Section C

Imports of milk products under tariff quotas referred to in other international agreements

#### *Article 18*

This section shall apply to imports of milk products from Norway under the EEA Agreement.

#### *Article 19*

1. The products referred to in Article 18 and the duties applicable shall be as set out in Annex III.
2. Articles 7 and 8 shall apply.

### TITLE III

#### **Non-quota preferential import arrangements**

#### *Article 20*

This Title shall apply to certain milk products imported from third countries under special agreements concluded between those countries and the Community, or under autonomous concessions, at reduced duties without restriction.

#### *Article 21*

The milk products referred to in Article 20 and the duties applicable shall be as set out in Annex IV.

#### *Article 22*

1. An import licence for the products listed in Annex IV at the rate of duty indicated shall only be issued on presentation of an IMA 1 certificate, or a copy thereof,

fulfilling the conditions laid down in Title IV and shall bear the number of that certificate.

2. The first subparagraph of Article 7 (2) shall apply.

#### *Article 23*

The certificate referred to in Article 22, on which the free-at-frontier price must be shown, shall be regarded as valid during the period between the issue of the certificate and the release of the product into free circulation in the Community even where the free-at-frontier value to be observed has altered, provided that:

- (a) the free-at-frontier price shown on the certificate is not less than the free-at-frontier value applicable on the date of issue;  
and
- (b) the certificate was issued less than a month before the change in the free-at-frontier value.

### TITLE IV

#### **Rules applicable to IMA 1 certificates**

#### *Article 24*

The IMA 1 certificate shall be drawn up according to the specimen in Annex V in accordance with the conditions laid down in this section and must be presented on import.

#### *Article 25*

1. The dimensions of the form referred to in Article 22 shall be 210 × 297 mm. The paper used shall weigh at least 40 g/m<sup>2</sup> and shall be white in colour.
2. The forms shall be printed and completed in an official Community language; they may in addition be printed and completed in an official language of the exporter country.
3. The form shall be completed on a single occasion, either in typescript or in manuscript. Block letters shall be used if the form is completed in manuscript.
4. Each certificate shall bear a serial number allocated by the issuing agency.

#### *Article 26*

1. A separate certificate must be drawn up for each type of product referred to in Annexes I, III and IV and for each form of presentation thereof.
2. The certificate must contain, in respect of each type and each form of presentation, the particulars set out in Annex VI.

Except in the case of unforeseeable circumstances or *force majeure*, the original of the certificate shall be presented, along with the products to which it relates, to the customs authorities of the importer Member State before the end of the second month following issue of the certificate.

#### Article 27

1. The period of validity of the certificate shall be the same as that of the import licence referred to in Article 2 (3).
2. The certificate shall be valid only if duly completed and authenticated by an issuing agency listed in Annex VII.
3. The certificate shall be regarded as duly authenticated where it shows the date and place of issue, is stamped by the issuing agency and bears the signature or signatures of the person or persons authorized to sign it.

#### Article 28

1. An issuing agency may be listed in Annex VII only if:
  - (a) it is recognized as such by the exporter country;
  - (b) it undertakes to verify the particulars set out in the certificates;
  - (c) it undertakes to supply the Commission and the Member States, upon request, with any information that may be required to assess the particulars set out in the certificates.
2. Annex VII shall be revised when the condition referred to in paragraph 1 (a) is no longer fulfilled or

when an issuing agency fails to fulfil one of the obligations it has undertaken.

#### Article 29

Member States shall take the measures necessary to check that the system of certificates established by this Title is operating correctly.

### TITLE V

#### General provisions

#### Article 30

The provisions of Title I shall apply to import licences issued under the arrangements laid down in Titles II and III except where otherwise stated.

#### Article 31

Regulation (EEC) No 1767/82 is hereby repealed and all references made to that Regulation shall be understood as being made to this Regulation.

#### Article 32

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

It shall apply from 1 July 1995 to 30 June 1996.

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

Done at Brussels, 30 June 1995.

*For the Commission*

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*Member of the Commission*

## ANNEX I

TARIFF QUOTAS PURSUANT TO THE GATT/WTO AGREEMENTS SPECIFIED BY  
COUNTRY OF ORIGIN

(Calendar year)

Order number in Annex 7 to the combined nomenclature	CN code	Description	Country of origin	Quota quantity in tonnes (Annual)	Import duty in ecus per 100 kg net weight	Rules for completing certificates
28	ex 0405 00 11 ex 0405 00 19	Butter, at least six weeks old, of a fat content by weight of not less than 80 % but less than 82 %, manufactured directly from milk or cream	New Zealand	76 667	86,88	see Article 9
33	0406 90 01	Cheese for processing <sup>(1)</sup>	New Zealand Australia	3 000 500	17,06 17,06	see Annex VI (G) and (H)
35	ex 0406 90 21	Whole Cheddar cheeses (of the conventional flat cylindrical shape of a net weight of not less than 33 kg but not more than 44 kg and cheeses in cubic blocks or in parallelepiped shape, of a net weight of 10 kg or more) of a fat content of 50 % or more by weight in the dry matter, matured for at least three months	New Zealand Australia	6 500 2 500	17,06 17,06	see Annex VI (F)
36	ex 0406 90 21	Cheddar made from unpasteurized milk, of a fat content of 50 % or more, by weight, in the dry matter, matured for at least nine months, of a free-at-frontier value <sup>(2)</sup> per 100 kg net, of not less than :  — ECU 334,20 in standard whole sizes — ECU 354,83 for cheeses of a net weight of not less than 500 g — ECU 368,58 for cheeses of a weight less than 500 g  The expression 'standard whole sizes' shall be taken to apply to cheeses of the :  — Conventional flat cylindrical shape of a net weight of not less than 33 kg but not more than 44 kg — Cubic block shape or parallelepiped shape, of a net weight of 10 kg or more	Canada	2 750	13,75	see Annex VI (E)

<sup>(1)</sup> Monitoring utilization for this particular purpose will be done by applying the Community provisions laid down on the subject.<sup>(2)</sup> 'Free-at-frontier value' means the free-at-frontier price or fob price in the country of export, plus an amount, where appropriate, for delivery and insurance costs to the customs territory of the Community.

## ANNEX II

TARIFF QUOTAS PURSUANT TO GATT/WTO AGREEMENTS, NOT SPECIFIED BY  
COUNTRY OF ORIGIN

(GATT/WTO year)

Order number in Annex 7 to the combined nomenclature	CN code	Description	Country of origin	Quota quantity in tonnes		Import duty in ecus per 100 kg net weight
				Annual	Quarterly	
27	0402 10 19	Skimmed milk powder	all third countries	41 000	10 250,00	47,50
29	0406 10 20 0406 10 80	Pizza cheese, frozen, cut into pieces each weighing not more than 1 g, in containers of 5 kg or more, of a water content, by weight, of 52 % and a fat content, by weight, of 38 % or more	all third countries	811	202,75	13,00
30	ex 0406 30 10 0406 90 07 0406 90 12	Processed Emmentaler Emmentaler	all third countries	4 000	1 000,00	71,90 85,80
31	ex 0406 30 10 0406 90 08 0406 90 14	Processed Gruyère Gruyère, Sbrinz	all third countries	1 000	250,00	71,90 85,80
32	0406 90 01	Cheese for processing (1)	all third countries	4 000	1 000,00	83,50
34	0406 90 21	Cheddar	all third countries	3 000	750,00	21,00
37	ex 0406 10 20 ex 0406 10 80  0406 20 90 0406 30 31 0406 30 39 0406 30 90  0406 40 10 0406 40 50 0406 40 90  0406 90 09 0406 90 16  0406 90 18 0406 90 23 0406 90 25 0406 90 27 0406 90 29 0406 90 31 0406 90 33 0406 90 35 0406 90 37 0406 90 39 0406 90 50	Fresh (unripened or uncured) cheese including whey cheese, and curd, other than pizza cheese of order No 29  Other grated or powdered cheese Other processed cheese  Blue-veined cheese  Bergkäse and Appenzell  Fromage fribourgeois, Vacherin Mont d'Or and Tête de Moine Edam Tilsit Butterkäse Kashkaval Feta, of sheep's milk or buffalo milk Feta, other Kefalo-Tyri Finlandia Jarlsberg Cheese of sheep's milk or buffalo milk	all third countries	5 189	1 297,25	92,60 106,40  94,10 69,00 71,90 102,90  70,40  85,80  75,50



Order number in Annex 7 to the combined nomenclature	CN code	Description	Country of origin	Quota quantity in tonnes		Import duty in ecus per 100 kg net weight
				Annual	Quarterly	
	0406 90 61	Grana Padano, Parmigiano Reggiano				94,10
	0406 90 63	Fiore Sardo, Pecorino				
	0406 90 69	Other				
	0406 90 73	Provolone				75,50
	0406 90 75	Asiago, Caciocavallo, Montasio, Ragusano				
	0406 90 76	Danbo, Fontal, Fontina, Fynbo, Havarti, Maribo, Samsoe				
	0406 90 78	Gouda				
	0406 90 79	Esrom, Italico, Kemhem, Saint-Nectaire, Saint-Paulin, Taleggio				
	0406 90 81	Cantal, Cheshire, Wensleydale, Lancashire, Double Gloucester, Blarney, Colby, Monterey				
	0406 90 82	Camembert				
	0406 90 84	Brie				
	0406 90 85	Kefalograviera, Kasserì				
	0406 90 86	Exceeding 47 % but not exceeding 52 %				
	0406 90 87	Exceeding 52 % but not exceeding 62 %				
	0406 90 88	Exceeding 62 % but not exceeding 72 %				
	0406 90 93	Exceeding 72 %				92,60
	0406 90 99	Other				106,40

(<sup>1</sup>) Monitoring utilization for this particular purpose will be done by applying the Community provisions laid down on the subject.

## ANNEX III

## TARIFF QUOTAS PURSUANT TO OTHER INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENTS

(Calendar year)

Order number	CN code	Description	Country of origin	Quota quantity in tonnes (Annual)	Import duty in ecus per 100 kg net weight	Rules for completing certificates
12	ex 0406 90 39 ex 0406 90 86 ex 0406 90 87 ex 0406 90 88	<p>— Jarlsberg, of a minimum fat content of 45 % by weight in the dry matter, and of a minimum dry matter content of 56 %, matured for at least three months :</p> <p>— Whole with rind, from 8 to 12 kg</p> <p>— In rectangular blocks of a net weight not exceeding 7 kg<sup>(1)</sup></p> <p>— In pieces packed in vacuum or in inert gas, of a net weight of not less than 150 g and not exceeding 1 kg<sup>(1)</sup></p> <p>— Ridder, of a minimum fat content of 60 % by weight in the dry matter and matured for at least four weeks :</p> <p>— Whole with rind, from 1 to 2 kg</p> <p>— In pieces packed in vacuum or in inert gas, with rind on at least one side, of a net weight of not less than 150 g<sup>(1)</sup></p>	Norway	2 200	66,41	see Annex VI L

(<sup>1</sup>) The concession applies to rectangular blocks or pieces packed in vacuum or inert gas provided that the packaging of such goods bears at least the following particulars :

- the name of the cheese,
- the fat content by weight in the dry matter,
- the packer responsible,
- the country of origin of the cheeses.

## ANNEX IV

## NON-QUOTA PREFERENTIAL IMPORT ARRANGEMENTS

Order No	CN code	Description	Country of origin	Import duty in ecus per 100 kg net weight	Rules for completing certificates
1	0402 29 11 ex 0404 90 53 ex 0404 90 93	Special milk for infants <sup>(1)</sup> , in hermetically sealed containers of a net content not exceeding a 500 g, of a fat content by weight exceeding 10 % and not exceeding 27 %	Switzerland	43,80	See Annex VI (A)
2	0406 20 10 0406 90 19	Glaris herb cheese (known as Schabziger) produced from skimmed milk with the addition of finely ground herbs	Switzerland	6 % of the customs value	See Annex VI (C)
3	ex 0406 90 18	Fromage Fribourgeois, Vacherin Mont d'Or and Tête de Moine, of a minimum fat content of 45 % by weight in the dry matter, matured for at least 18 days in the case of Vacherin Mont d'Or and at least two months in the case of Fromage Fribourgeois : — Whole cheese with rind <sup>(2)</sup> (a), of a free-at-frontier value <sup>(3)</sup> of not less than ECU 401,85 and less than ECU 430,62 per 100 kg net weight — Pieces packed in vacuum or in inert gas <sup>(4)</sup> , with rind <sup>(2)</sup> (a) on at least one side, of a net weight of at least 1 kg and less than 5 kg and of a free-at-frontier value <sup>(3)</sup> of not less than ECU 430,62 and less than ECU 459,39 per 100 kg net weight	Switzerland	19,32	See Annex VI (B)
4	ex 0406 90 07 ex 0406 90 08 ex 0406 90 09 ex 0406 90 18	Emmental, Gruyère, Sbrinz and Appenzell, of a minimum fat content of 45 % by weight in the dry matter, matured for at least three months : — Pieces with rind packed in vacuum or in inert gas <sup>(4)</sup> , of a net weight of not more than 450 g and a free-at-frontier value <sup>(3)</sup> of not less than ECU 49,67 per 100 kg net weight — Fromage Fribourgeois, Vacherin Mont d'Or and Tête de Moine, of a minimum fat content of 45 % by weight in the dry matter, matured for at least 18 days in the case of Vacherin Mont d'Or and at least two months in the case of Fromage Fribourgeois : — Whole cheeses with rind <sup>(2)</sup> (a), of a free-at-frontier value <sup>(3)</sup> of not less than ECU 430,62 per 100 kg net weight — Pieces packed in vacuum or in inert gas <sup>(4)</sup> , with rind <sup>(2)</sup> (a) on at least one side, of a net weight of not less than 1 kg and a free-at-frontier value <sup>(3)</sup> of not less than ECU 459,39 per 100 kg net weight — Pieces packed in vacuum or in inert gas <sup>(4)</sup> , of a net weight of not more than 450 g and a free-at-frontier value <sup>(3)</sup> of not less than ECU 499,67 per 100 kg net weight	Switzerland	9,66	See Annex VI (B)

Order No	CN code	Description	Country of origin	Import duty in ecus per 100 kg net weight	Rules for completing certificates
5	ex 0406 30 10	Processed cheese, not grated or powdered, in the blending of which only Emmental, Gruyère and Appenzell have been used and which may contain, as an addition, Glarus herb cheese (known as Schabziger), put up for retail sale (?); of a free-at-frontier value (?) of not less than ECU 289,14 per 100 kg net weight and of a fat content not exceeding 56 % by weight in the dry matter	Switzerland	43,80	See Annex VI (D)
6	ex 0406 90 25	Tilsit, of a fat content not exceeding 48 % by weight in the dry matter	Romania Switzerland	81,76	See Annex VI (I)
7	ex 0406 90 25	Tilsit, of a fat content exceeding 48 % by weight in the dry matter	Romania Switzerland	110,96	See Annex VI (I)
8	ex 0406 90 29	Kashkaval, made exclusively from sheep's milk, matured for at least two months, of a minimum fat content of 45 % in the dry matter and a minimum dry matter content of 58 %, in whole cheeses not exceeding 10 kg, whether wrapped in plastic or not	Bulgaria Cyprus Hungary Israel Romania Turkey Bosnia-Herzegovina, Croatia, Slovenia, Montenegro, Serbia and the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	67,19	See Annex VI (J)
9	0406 90 31 0406 90 50	Cheeses made exclusively from sheep's milk or buffalo milk, in containers containing brine, or in sheepskin or goatskin bottles	Bulgaria Cyprus Hungary Israel Romania Turkey Bosnia-Herzegovina, Croatia, Slovenia, Montenegro, Serbia and the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	67,19	See Annex VI (K)
10	ex 0406 90 86 ex 0406 90 87 ex 0406 90 88	Tulum Peyniri, made from sheep's milk or buffalo milk, in individual plastic packings of a content not exceeding 10 kg	Turkey	67,19	See Annex VI (K)
11	ex 0406 90 50 ex 0406 90 86 ex 0406 90 87 ex 0406 90 88	Halloumi	Cyprus	27,63	See Annex VI (K)

(1) 'Special milk for infants' means products free from pathogenic germs and which have fewer than 10 000 revivable aerobic bacteria and fewer than two coliform bacteria per gram.

(2) (a) 'Whole cheeses, with rind' means whole cheeses of the following net weights:

- Emmental: not less than 60 kg but not more than 130 kg inclusive,
- Gruyère: not less than 20 kg but not more than 45 inclusive,
- Sbrinz: not less than 20 kg but not more than 50 kg inclusive,
- Bergkäse: not less than 20 kg but not more than 60 kg inclusive,
- Appenzell: not less than 6 kg but not more than 8 kg inclusive,
- Fromage Fribourgeois: not less than 6 kg but not more than 10 kg inclusive,
- Tête de moine: not less than 0,700 kg but not more than 4 kg inclusive,
- Vacherin Mont d'Or: not less than 0,400 kg but not more than 3 kg inclusive.

For the purposes of these provisions, 'rind' is defined as follows:

'The rind of such cheeses is the outer layer formed from the cheese itself, having a distinctly more solid consistency and a distinctly darker colour'.

(b) 'Whole Cheddar cheeses' means:

- whole cheeses of a net weight of not less than 33 kg but not more than 44 kg inclusive,
- cubic blocks or parallelepipeds of cheese of a net weight of not less than 10 kg.

(3) 'Free-at-frontier value' means the free-at frontier price or fob price in the country of export, plus an amount, where appropriate, for delivery and insurance costs to the customs territory of the Community.

(4) The concession applies to rectangular blocks or pieces packed in vacuum or in inert gas provided that the packaging of such goods bears at least the following particulars:

- the name of the cheese,
- the fat content by weight in the dry matter,
- the packer responsible,
- the country of origin of the cheese.

(5) 'Put up for retail sale' means cheese put up in immediate packings of a net weight not exceeding 1 kg containing portions or slices of an individual net weight not exceeding 100 g.

## CERTIFICATE IMA 1

1. Seller	2. Serial No of issue	<b>ORIGINAL</b>	
3. Buyer	<b>CERTIFICATE</b> <b>for the admission of certain milk products</b> <b>to certain headings or subheadings of the</b> <b>combined nomenclature</b>		
4. Number and date of invoice	5. Country of origin	6. Member State of destination	
<b>IMPORTANT</b> A. A separate certificate must be made out for each form of presentation of each product. B. The certificate must be in an official language of the European Community. It may also contain a translation into the official language or one official language of the exporting country. C. The certificate must be made out in accordance with the Community provisions in force. D. The original, and where appropriate, a copy of the certificate must be presented to the customs office in the Community at the time when the product is being put into free circulation.			
7. Marks, numbers, number and kind of packages; detailed description of product and particulars of its form of presentation		8. Gross weight (kg)	9. Net weight (kg)
10. Raw material used			
11. Fat content by weight (kg) referred to dry matter			
12. Water content by weight (kg) in non-fat matter			
13. Fat content by weight (kg)			
14. Ripening period			
15. Community free-at-frontier price per 100 kg net weight (in ECU) equal to or more than:			
16. Observations: (a) tariff quota (¹) (b) intended for processing (¹)			
17. IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED — that the particulars set out above are accurate and comply with the Community provisions in force, — that for the products described above no discount, refund, or any other rebate will be granted to the buyer which may lead to the product in question having a value less than the minimum import value fixed for such product (²).			
18. Issuing agency	Place <span style="float: right;"> <div style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; width: 100px; display: inline-block;"></div>  Year      Month      Day </span>		
(Signature and stamp of issuing agency)			

(¹) Delete where not applicable.

(²) This clause is deleted for cheeses of sheep's or buffalo milk, for Glaris, Tilsit and Butterkase and for special milk for infants.

## ANNEX VI

## RULES FOR COMPLETING CERTIFICATES

The following must be completed, in addition to boxes 1 to 6, 9, 17 and 18 of the IMA 1 certificate :

- A. As regards special milk for infants falling within subheadings 0402 29 11, ex 0404 90 53 and 0404 90 93 of the combined nomenclature No 1 in Annex IV :
1. Box 7 by specifying 'special milk for infants which is free from toxigenic or pathogenic germs and contains per gram less than 10 000 revivifiable aerobic bacteria and less than two coliform bacteria' ;
  2. Box 10 by specifying 'exclusively home-produced cows' milk' ;
  3. Box 13 by specifying 'exceeding 10 % but not exceeding 27 %'.
- B. As regards Emmentaler, Gruyère, Sbrinz, Bergkäse, Appenzell, Vacherin Mont d'Or, Fromage Fribourgeois or Tête de Moine cheese falling within subheadings ex 0406 90 02, ex 0406 90 03, ex 0406 90 04, ex 0406 90 05, ex 0406 90 06, ex 0406 90 07, ex 0406 90 08, ex 0406 90 09 and 0406 90 18 of the combined nomenclature Nos 3 and 4 in Annex IV :
1. Box 7 by specifying, as appropriate, 'Emmentaler cheese', 'Gruyère cheese', 'Sbrinz cheese', 'Bergkäse cheese', 'Appenzell cheese', 'Fromage Fribourgeois', 'Vacherin Mont d'Or', or 'Tête de Moine cheese' and as appropriate :
    - 'in whole cheese, with rind',
    - 'in pieces packed in vacuum or in inert gas, with rind on at least on side, and of a weight of not less than 1 kg but less than 5 kg',
    - 'in pieces packed in vacuum or in inert gas, with rind on at least one side, and of a net weight of not less than 1 kg',
    - 'in pieces packed in vacuum or in inert gas, of a net weight not exceeding 450 g' ;
  2. Box 10 by specifying 'exclusively home-produced cows' milk' ;
  3. Box 11 by specifying 'at least 45 %'.
- C. As regards Glarus herb cheese (known as Schabziger) falling within subheading 0406 20 10 and 0406 90 19 of the combined nomenclature (No 2 in Annex IV) :
1. Box 7 by specifying 'Glarus cheese (known as Schabziger)' ;
  2. Box 10 by specifying 'exclusively home-produced skimmed-milk with finely-ground herbs added'.
- D. As regards the processed cheeses listed under No 5 in Annex IV falling within subheading ex 0406 30 10 of the combined nomenclature :
1. Box 7 by specifying 'processed cheese, put up in immediate packaging of a weight not exceeding 1 kg containing portions or slices each weighing not more than 100 g' ;
  2. Box 10 by specifying 'exclusively home-produced Emmentaler, Gruyère, and Appenzell and possibly, as an addition, Glarus herb cheese (known as Schabziger)' for products originating in Switzerland ;
  3. Box 11 by specifying 'not more than 56 %'.
  4. Box 15.
- E. As regards Cheddar listed under No 36 in Annex I and falling within subheading ex 0406 90 21 of the combined nomenclature :
1. Box 7 by specifying, as appropriate :
    - 'whole Cheddar cheeses',
    - 'Cheddar cheese in forms other than whole cheeses, of a net weight of not less than 500 g',
    - 'Cheddar cheese in forms other than whole cheeses, of a net weight of less than 500 g' ;

2. Box 10 by specifying 'exclusively pasteurized home-produced cows milk';
  3. Box 11 by specifying 'at least 50 %';
  4. Box 14 by specifying 'at least nine months';
  5. Boxes 15 and 16 by specifying the period for which the quota is valid.
- F. As regards Cheddar cheeses listed under No 35 Annex I and falling within subheading ex 0406 90 21 of the combined nomenclature ;
1. Box 7 by specifying 'whole Cheddar cheeses';
  2. Box 10 by specifying 'exclusively home-produced cows' milk';
  3. Box 11 by specifying 'at least 50 %';
  4. Box 14 by specifying 'at least three months';
  5. Box 16 by specifying the period for which the quota is valid.
- G. As regards Cheddar cheese intended for processing as listed under No 33 in Annex I and falling within subheading 0406 90 01 of the combined nomenclature :
1. Box 7 by specifying 'whole Cheddar cheeses';
  2. Box 10 by specifying 'exclusively home-produced cows' milk';
  3. Box 16 by specifying the period for which the quota is valid.
- H. As regards cheese other than Cheddar, intended for processing, as listed under No 33 in Annex I and falling within subheading 0406 90 01 of the combined nomenclature :
1. Box 7 by specifying 'exclusively home-produced cows' milk';
  2. Box 16 by specifying the period for which the quota is valid.
- I. As regards Tilsit listed under Nos 6 and 7 in Annex IV and falling within subheading ex 0406 90 25 of the combined nomenclature :
1. Box 7 by specifying 'Tilsit cheese';
  2. Box 10 by specifying 'exclusively home-produced cows' milk';
  3. Boxes 11 and 12.
- J. As regards Kashkaval cheeses listed under No 8 in Annex IV and falling within subheading 0406 90 29 of the combined nomenclature :
1. Box 7 by specifying 'Kashkaval cheese', made from sheep's milk, matured for at least two months, of a minimum dry matter content of 58 %, in whole cheeses not exceeding 10 kg net, whether wrapped in plastic or not;
  2. Box 10 by specifying 'exclusively home-produced sheep's milk';
  3. Box 11.
- K. As regards cheeses of sheep's milk or buffalo milk in containers containing brine, or in sheepskin or goatskin bottles, 'Tulum Peynin' cheese and 'Halloumi' cheese listed under Nos 9, 10 and 11, in Annex IV and covered by CN codes 0406 90 31, 0406 90 50, ex 0406 90 86; ex 0406 90 87 and ex 0406 90 88 :
1. Box 7 by specifying, as appropriate, 'cheese of sheep's milk' or 'cheese of buffalo milk' and 'in containers containing brine' or 'in sheepskin or goatskin bottles' or, in the case of 'Tulum Peynin' cheese, 'in individual plastic packages of a net content not exceeding 10 kilograms'; 'Halloumi' cheese is to be presented in individual plastic packages of a net content not exceeding 1 kilogram or in metal or plastic containers of a net content not exceeding 12 kilograms;
  2. Box 10 by specifying, as appropriate, 'exclusively home-produced sheep's milk' or 'exclusively home-produced buffalo milk' or, in the case of 'Halloumi' cheese, 'home-produced milk';
  3. Boxes 11 and 12.



- L. As regards Jarlsberg and Ridder cheeses listed under No 12 in Annex III and falling within subheadings 0406 90 39, ex 0406 90 86 ex 0406 90 87 and ex 0406 90 88 of the combined nomenclature :
1. Box 7 by specifying either 'Jarlsberg cheese' and as appropriate :
    - 'Whole cheeses with rind with a net weight of 8 to 12 kg inclusive',
    - 'Rectangular blocks with a net weight of not more than 7 kg',
    - 'Pieces packed in vacuum or in inert gas, with a net weight of at least 150 g and not more than 1 kg',or 'Ridder cheese', and as appropriate :
    - 'Whole cheeses with rind of 1 kg to 2 kg',or
    - 'Pieces packed in vacuum or in inert gas, with rind on at least one side, with a net weight of at least 150 g';
  2. Box 11 by specifying as appropriate 'at least 45 %' or 'at least 60 %' ;
  3. Box 14 by specifying as appropriate 'at least three months' or 'at least four months'.
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## ANNEX VII

## ISSUING AGENCIES

Third country	CN code and description of goods		Issuing agency	
			Name	Location
Australia	0406 90 01 0406 90 21	Cheddar and other cheese for processing Cheddar	Department of Primary Industry	Canberra
Bulgaria	ex 0406 90 29 0406 90 31 0406 90 50	Kashkaval Cheeses of sheep's milk or buffalo milk	Bulgarkontrola	Sofia
Canada	0406 90 21	Cheddar	Canadian Dairy Commission Commission canadienne du lait	Ottawa
Cyprus	ex 0406 90 29 0406 90 31 ex 0406 90 50 and ex 0406 90 86 ex 0406 90 87 ex 0406 90 88	Kashkaval Cheeses of sheep's milk or buffalo milk	Ministry of Commerce and Industry	Nicosia
Hungary	ex 0406 90 29 0406 90 31 0406 90 50	Kashkaval Cheeses of sheep's milk or buffalo milk	Tejtermékek Magyar Allami Ilenörző Allomasa	Budapest
Israel	ex 0406 90 29 0406 90 31 0406 90 50	Kashkaval Cheeses of sheep's milk or buffalo milk	Ministry of Industry and Trade Food Division	Jerusalem
Norway	0406 30 0406 90 39 ex 0406 90 86 ex 0406 90 87 ex 0406 90 88	Processed cheese Jarlsberg Ridder	O. Kavli Norske Meierier	Bergen Oslo
New Zealand	0405 00 11 0405 00 19 0406 90 01 0406 90 21	Butter Butter Cheddar and other cheeses for processing Cheddar	New Zealand Dairy Board	Wellington
Romania	0406 90 25 ex 0406 90 29 0406 90 31 0406 90 50	Tilsit Kashkaval Cheeses of sheep's milk or buffalo milk	Organisatia de control al marfurilor 'Romcontrol'	Bucharest
Switzerland	0402 29 11 ex 0404 90 53 ex 0404 90 93	Special milk for infants lactantes	Office fédéral de l'agriculture du départe- ment fédéral de l'économie publique	Berne
	ex 0406 90 02 ex 0406 90 03 ex 0406 90 04 ex 0406 90 05 ex 0406 90 06 ex 0406 90 07 ex 0406 90 08 ex 0406 90 09	Appenzell  Emmental, Gruyere, Sbrinz	Office commercial pour le fromage d'Appenzell  Union suisse du commerce de fromage SA	Saint-Gallen  Berne

Third country	CN code and description of goods		Issuing agency	
			Name	Location
	ex 0406 90 18	Fromage Fribourgeois, Vacherin Mont d'Or, Tête le Moine	Société suisse des fabricants de fromages à pâte molle et mi-dure SFPM	Berne
	0406 20 10 0406 90 19	Glarus herb cheese	Chambre de commerce glaronaise et Société suisse des fabricants de fromages aux herbes à r.l.	Glarus
	0406 30	Processed cheese	Union suisse du commerce de fromage SA	Berne
	04069025	Tilsit	Centrale suisse du commerce du Tilsit and Office fédéral de l'agriculture du départe- ment fédéral de l'économie publique	Weinfelden Berne
Turkey	ex 0406 90 29 ex 0406 90 31 ex 0406 90 50 ex 0406 90 86 ex 0406 90 87 ex 0406 90 88	Kashkaval Cheeses of sheep's milk or buffalo milk  'Tulum Peyniri'	T. C. Tarim Bakanligi	Veterinary services of the Tarim Bankanligi, at various locations in Turkey
Yugoslavia	ex 0406 90 29 0406 90 31 0406 90 50	Kashkaval Cheeses of sheep's milk or buffalo milk		

## ANNEX VIII

## APPLICATION OF ARTICLE 4

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COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES  
DG VI/D/1 — MILK AND MILK PRODUCTS

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APPLICATIONS FOR IMPORT LICENCES AT REDUCED DUTIES

... THREE-MONTH PERIOD

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## ANNEX IX

## APPLICATION OF ARTICLE 14

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COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES  
DG VI/D/1 — MILK AND MILK PRODUCTS

### APPLICATIONS FOR IMPORT LICENCES AT REDUCED DUTIES

... THREE-MONTH PERIOD

Serial number :

Member State :

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## SUMMARY TABLES

CN code	Product description Combined nomenclature	Rates of import duty ECU per 100 kg (unless otherwise indicated)				
		Conventional (%)	Annex I	Annex II	Annex III	Annex IV
0401	Milk and cream, not concentrated nor containing added sugar or other sweetening matter :					
	— Of a fat content, by weight, not exceeding 1 % :	20,2				
0401 10	— — In immediate packings of a net content not exceeding two litres	18,9				
0401 10 90	— — Other					
0401 20	— Of a fat content, by weight, exceeding 1 % but not exceeding 6 % :					
	— — Not exceeding 3 % :					
0401 20 11	— — — In immediate packings of a net content not exceeding two litres	27,6				
0401 20 19	— — — Other	26,3				
	— — Exceeding 3 % :					
0401 20 91	— — — In immediate packings of a net content not exceeding two litres	33,3				
0401 20 99	— — — Other	32,0				
0401 30	— Of a fat content, by weight, exceeding 6 % :					
	— — Not exceeding 21 % :					
0401 30 11	— — — In immediate packings of a net content not exceeding two litres	84,4				
0401 30 19	— — — Other	83,1				
	— — Exceeding 21 % but not exceeding 45 % :					
0401 30 31	— — — In immediate packings of a net content not exceeding two litres	161,5				
0401 30 39	— — — Other	160,2				
	— — Exceeding 45 % :					
0401 30 91	— — — In immediate packings of a net content not exceeding two litres	269,9				
0401 30 99	— — — Other	268,6				
0402	Milk and cream, concentrated or containing added sugar or other sweetening matter :					
	— In powder, granules or other solid forms, of a fat content, by weight, not exceeding 1,5 % :					
	— — Not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter :					
0402 10 11	— — — In immediate packings of a net content not exceeding 2,5 kg	151,6				
0402 10 19	— — — Other	143,6				
	— — Other :					
0402 10 91	— — — In immediate packings of a net content not exceeding 2,5 kg	1,44 Ecu/kg + 33,3 (1)				
0402 10 99	— — — Other	1,44 Ecu/kg + 25,3 (1)				
				47,50		

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		Conventional (*)	Annex I	Annex II	Annex III	Annex IV
	— In powder, granules or other solid forms, of a fat content, by weight, exceeding 1,5 % :					
0402 21	— — Not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter :					
	— — — Of a fat content, by weight, not exceeding 27 % :					
0402 21 11	— — — — In immediate packings of a net content not exceeding 2,5 kg	199,4				
	— — — — Other :					
0402 21 17	— — — — — Of a fat content, by weight, not exceeding 11 % :	191,6				
0402 21 19	— — — — — Of a fat content, by weight, exceeding 11 % but not exceeding 27 % :	191,6				
	— — — Of a fat content, by weight, exceeding 27 % :					
0402 21 91	— — — — In immediate packings of a net content not exceeding 2,5 kg	245,5				
0402 21 99	— — — — — Other	237,7				
0402 29	— — — Other :					
0402 29 11	— — — — Special milk, for infants, in hermetically sealed containers of a net content not exceeding 500 g of a fat content, by weight, exceeding 10 % :					43,80
	— — — — — Other :	1,92 Ecu/kg + 32,3 (*)				
0402 29 15	— — — — — In immediate packings of a net content not exceeding 2,5 kg	1,92 Ecu/kg + 32,3 (*)				
0402 29 19	— — — — — Other	1,92 Ecu/kg + 24,6 (*)				
	— — — Of a fat content, by weight, exceeding 27 % :					
0402 29 91	— — — — In immediate packings of a net content not exceeding 2,5 kg	2,38 Ecu/kg + 32,3 (*)				
0402 29 99	— — — — — Other	2,38 Ecu/kg + 24,6 (*)				
	— — — Other :					
0402 91	— — — Not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter :					
	— — — — Of a fat content, by weight, not exceeding 8 % :					
0402 91 11	— — — — — In immediate packings of a net content not exceeding 2,5 kg	51,0				
0402 91 19	— — — — — Other	51,0				
	— — — Of a fat content, by weight, exceeding 8 % but not exceeding 10 % :					
0402 91 31	— — — — In immediate packings of a net content not exceeding 2,5 kg	63,7				
0402 91 39	— — — — — Other	63,7				
	— — — Of a fat content, by weight, exceeding 10 % but not exceeding 45 % :					
0402 91 51	— — — — In immediate packings of a net content not exceeding 2,5 kg	161,5				
0402 91 59	— — — — — Other	160,2				

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		Conventional (%)	Annex I	Annex II	Annex III	Annex IV
0402 91 91	— — Of a fat content, by weight, exceeding 45 % :	269,9				
0402 91 99	— — — In immediate packings of a net content not exceeding 2,5 kg	268,6				
0402 99	— — — — Other :					
	— — — — — Of a fat content, by weight, not exceeding 9,5 % :					
0402 99 11	— — — — — — In immediate packings of a net content not exceeding 2,5 kg	84,0				
0402 99 19	— — — — — — — Other	84,0				
	— — — — — Of a fat content, by weight, exceeding 9,5 % but not exceeding 45 % :					
0402 99 31	— — — — — — In immediate packings of a net content not exceeding 2,5 kg	1,58 Ecu/kg + 28,5 (%)				
0402 99 39	— — — — — — — Other	1,58 Ecu/kg + 27,2 (%)				
	— — — — — Of a fat content, by weight, exceeding 45 % :					
0402 99 91	— — — — — — In immediate packings of a net content not exceeding 2,5 kg	2,66 Ecu/kg + 28,5 (%)				
0402 99 99	— — — — — — — Other	2,66 Ecu/kg + 27,2 (%)				
0403	Buttermilk, curdled milk and cream, yogurt, kephir and other fermented or acidified milk and cream, whether or not concentrated or containing added sugar or other sweetening matter or flavoured or containing added fruit, nuts or coca :					
0403 10	— Yogurt :					
	— — Not flavoured nor containing added fruit, nuts or coca :					
	— — — In powder, granules or other solid forms :					
	— — — — Not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter, of a fat content, by weight :					
0403 10 02	— — — — — Not exceeding 1,5 %	30,2				
0403 10 04	— — — — — — Exceeding 1,5 % but not exceeding 27 % :					
0403 10 04 * 10 Taric	— — — — — — — Exceeding 1,5 % but not exceeding 3 %	30,2				
0403 10 04 * 20 Taric	— — — — — — — — Exceeding 3 % but not exceeding 6 %	35,8				
0403 10 04 * 30 Taric	— — — — — — — — — Exceeding 6 % but not exceeding 27 %	87,0				
0403 10 06	— — — — — — — Exceeding 27 %	87,0				
	— — — — — Other, of a fat content, by weight :					
0403 10 12	— — — — — — Not exceeding 1,5 %	0,25 Ecu/kg + 31,0 (%)				
0403 10 14	— — — — — — — Exceeding 1,5 % but not exceeding 27 % :					
0403 10 14 * 10 Taric	— — — — — — — — Exceeding 1,5 % but not exceeding 3 %	0,25 Ecu/kg + 31,0 (%)				
0403 10 14 * 20 Taric	— — — — — — — — — Exceeding 3 % but not exceeding 6 %	0,29 Ecu/kg + 31,0 (%)				
0403 10 14 * 30 Taric	— — — — — — — — — — Exceeding 6 % but not exceeding 27 %	0,80 Ecu/kg + 31,0 (%)				
0403 10 16	— — — — — — — — — — Exceeding 27 %	0,80 Ecu/kg + 31,0 (%)				



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		Conventional (*)	Annex I	Annex II	Annex III	Annex IV
	Other :					
	— Not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter, of a fat content, by weight :					
0403 10 22	— — — Not exceeding 3 %	30,2				
0403 10 24	— — — Exceeding 3 % but not exceeding 6 %	35,8				
0403 10 26	— — — Exceeding 6 %	87,0				
	Other, of a fat content, by weight :					
0403 10 32	— — — Not exceeding 3 %	0,25 Ecu/kg + 31,0 (*)				
0403 10 34	— — — Exceeding 3 % but not exceeding 6 %	0,29 Ecu/kg + 31,0 (*)				
0403 10 36	— — — Exceeding 6 %	0,80 Ecu/kg + 31,0 (*)				
0403 90	Other :					
	— Not flavoured nor containing added fruit, nuts or cocoa :					
	— — In powder, granules or other solid forms :					
	— — — Not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter, of a fat content, by weight :					
0403 90 11	— — — Not exceeding 1,5 %	147,4				
0403 90 13	— — — Exceeding 1,5 % but not exceeding 27 %	199,4				
0403 90 19	— — — Exceeding 27 %	245,5				
	Other, of a fat content, by weight :					
0403 90 31	— — — Not exceeding 1,5 %	1,44 Ecu/kg + 32,3 (*)				
0403 90 33	— — — Exceeding 1,5 % but not exceeding 27 %	1,92 Ecu/kg + 32,3 (*)				
0403 90 39	— — — Exceeding 27 %	2,38 Ecu/kg + 32,3 (*)				
	Other :					
	— Not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter, of a fat content, by weight :					
0403 90 51	— — — Not exceeding 3 %	30,2				
0403 90 53	— — — Exceeding 3 % but not exceeding 6 %	35,8				
0403 90 59	— — — Exceeding 6 %	87,0				
	Other, of a fat content, by weight :					
0403 90 61	— — — Not exceeding 3 %	0,25 Ecu/kg + 31,0 (*)				
0403 90 63	— — — Exceeding 3 % but not exceeding 6 %	0,29 Ecu/kg + 31,0 (*)				
0403 90 69	— — — Exceeding 6 %	0,80 Ecu/kg + 31,0 (*)				

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		Conventional (*)	Annex I	Annex II	Annex III	Annex IV
0404						
0404 10	Whey, whether or not concentrated or containing added sugar or other sweetening matter; products consisting of natural milk constituents, whether or not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter:					
	— Whey and modified whey, whether or not concentrated or containing added sugar or other sweetening matter:					
	— — In powder, granules or other solid forms:					
	— — — Not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter, of a protein content, (nitrogen content $\times$ 6,38), by weight:					
	— — — — Not exceeding 15 % and of a fat content, by weight:					
	— — — — — Not exceeding 1,5 %	10,3				
0404 10 02	— — — — — Exceeding 1,5 % but not exceeding 27 %	199,4				
0404 10 04	— — — — — Exceeding 27 %	245,5				
0404 10 06	— — — — — Exceeding 15 %, and of a fat content, by weight:					
	— — — — — Not exceeding 1,5 %	147,4				
0404 10 12	— — — — — Exceeding 1,5 % but not exceeding 27 %	199,4				
0404 10 14	— — — — — Exceeding 27 %	245,5				
0404 10 16	— — — — — Other, of a protein content (nitrogen $\times$ 6,38), by weight:					
	— — — — — Not exceeding 15 % and of a fat content, by weight:					
	— — — — — Not exceeding 1,5 %	0,10 Ecu/kg + 24,6 (*)				
0404 10 26	— — — — — Exceeding 1,5 % but not exceeding 27 %	1,92 Ecu/kg + 32,3 (*)				
0404 10 28	— — — — — Exceeding 27 %	2,38 Ecu/kg + 32,3 (*)				
0404 10 32	— — — — — Exceeding 15 %, and of a fat content, by weight:					
	— — — — — Not exceeding 1,5 %	1,40 Ecu/kg + 32,3 (*)				
0404 10 34	— — — — — Exceeding 1,5 % but not exceeding 27 %	1,92 Ecu/kg + 32,3 (*)				
0404 10 36	— — — — — Exceeding 27 %	2,38 Ecu/kg + 32,3 (*)				
0404 10 38	— — — — — Other:					
	— — — — — Not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter, of a protein content, (nitrogen content $\times$ 6,38), by weight:					
	— — — — — Not exceeding 15 % and of a fat content, by weight:					
	— — — — — Not exceeding 1,5 %	0,10 Ecu/kg (*)				
0404 10 48	— — — — — Exceeding 1,5 % but not exceeding 27 %	199,4				
0404 10 52	— — — — — Exceeding 27 %	245,5				
0404 10 54						

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		Conventional (%)	Annex I	Annex II	Annex III Annex IV
0404 10 56	Exceeding 15 %, and of a fat content, by weight :	147,4			
0404 10 58	Not exceeding 1,5 %	199,4			
0404 10 62	Exceeding 1,5 % but not exceeding 27 %	245,5			
	Exceeding 27 %				
	Other, of a protein content (nitrogen $\times$ 6,38), by weight :				
0404 10 72	Not exceeding 15 % and of a fat content, by weight :	0,10 Ecu/kg + 24,6 (%)			
0404 10 74	Not exceeding 1,5 %	1,92 Ecu/kg + 32,3 (%)			
0404 10 76	Exceeding 1,5 % but not exceeding 27 %	2,38 Ecu/kg + 32,3 (%)			
	Exceeding 27 %				
0404 10 78	Exceeding 15 %, and of a fat content, by weight :	1,40 Ecu/kg + 32,3 (%)			
0404 10 82	Not exceeding 1,5 %	1,92 Ecu/kg + 32,3 (%)			
0404 10 84	Exceeding 1,5 % but not exceeding 27 %	2,38 Ecu/kg + 32,3 (%)			
0404 90	Exceeding 27 %				
	Other :				
	Not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter, of a protein content, (nitrogen content $\times$ 6,38), by weight :				
0404 90 11	Not exceeding 42 % and of a fat content, by weight :	147,4			
0404 90 13	Not exceeding 1,5 %	199,4			
0404 90 19	Exceeding 1,5 % but not exceeding 27 %	245,5			
	Exceeding 27 %				
0404 90 31	Exceeding 42 %, and of a fat content, by weight :	147,4			
0404 90 33	Not exceeding 1,5 %	199,4			
0404 90 39	Exceeding 1,5 % but not exceeding 27 %	245,5			
	Exceeding 27 %				
	Other, of a protein content (nitrogen $\times$ 6,38), by weight :				
	Not exceeding 42 % and of a fat content, by weight :				
0404 90 51	Not exceeding 1,5 %	1,40 Ecu/kg + 32,3 (%)			
0404 90 53	Exceeding 1,5 % but not exceeding 27 %	1,92 Ecu/kg + 32,3 (%)			43,80
0404 90 59	Exceeding 27 %	2,38 Ecu/kg + 32,3 (%)			
	Exceeding 42 %, and of a fat content, by weight :				
0404 90 91	Not exceeding 1,5 %	1,40 Ecu/kg + 32,3 (%)			
0404 90 93	Exceeding 1,5 % but not exceeding 27 %	1,92 Ecu/kg + 32,3 (%)			43,80
0404 90 99	Exceeding 27 %	2,38 Ecu/kg + 32,3 (%)			

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		Conventional (%)	Reduced (%)			
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0405 00	Butter and other fats and oils derived from milk:					
0405 00 11	— Of a fat content, by weight, not exceeding 85 %:					
0405 00 19	— — In immediate packings of a net content not exceeding 1 kg	278,4	86,88			
0405 00 90	— — Other	278,4	86,88			
	— Other	339,7				
0406	Cheese and curd:					
0406 10	— Fresh (unripened or uncured) cheese, including whey cheese, and curd:					
0406 10 20	— — Of a fat content, by weight, not exceeding 40 %:	271,9	13,00	92,60		
0406 10 80	— — Other	324,9	13,00	106,40		
0406 20	— Grated or powdered cheese, of all kinds:					
0406 20 10	— — Glarus herb cheese (known as Schabziger) made from skimmed milk and mixed with finely ground herbs (1)	11,3 %			6,0 %	
0406 20 90	— — Other	276,4	94,10			
0406 30	— Processed cheese, not grated or powdered:					
0406 30 10	— — In the manufacture of which no cheeses other than Emmentaler, Gruyère and Appenzell have been used and which may contain, as an addition, Glarus herb cheese (known as Schabziger); put up for retail sale, of a fat content by weight in the dry matter, not exceeding 56 %	212,8	71,90		43,80	
	— — Other:					
	— — Of a fat content, by weight, not exceeding 36 % and of a fat content, by weight, in the dry matter:					
	— — — Not exceeding 48 %	204,3	69,00			
0406 30 31	— — — Exceeding 48 %	212,8	71,90			
0406 30 39	— — — Of a fat content, by weight, exceeding 36 %	315,8	102,90			
0406 40	— Blue-veined cheese:					
0406 40 10	— — Roquefort	207,0	70,40			
0406 40 50	— — Gorgonzola	207,0	70,40			
0406 40 90	— — Other	207,0	70,40			
0406 90	— Other cheese:					
0406 90 01	— — For processing (1)	245,4	17,06	83,50		

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	Other :					
	Emmentaler, Gruyère, Sbrinz, Bergkäse and Appenzell :					
	Of a fat content of 45 % or more by weight in the dry matter, matured for three months or more :					
0406 90 02	Whole cheese with a free-at-frontier value, per 100 kg net weight exceeding ECU 401,85 but not exceeding ECU 430,62 (*) (*)	25,77 (*) (*)				
0406 90 03	Whole cheese with a free-at-frontier value, per 100 kg net weight exceeding ECU 430,62 (*) (*)	9,66				
0406 90 04	Pieces packed in vacuum or inert gas, with rind on at least one side, of a net weight of 1 kg or more but less than 5 kg and with a free-at-frontier value exceeding ECU 430,62 but not exceeding ECU 459,39 (*) (*)	25,77 (*) (*)				
0406 90 05	Pieces packed in vacuum or inert gas, with rind on at least one side, of a net weight of 1 kg or more and within a free-at-frontier value exceeding ECU 459,39 per 100 kg net weight (*) (*)	9,66				
0406 90 06	Pieces without rind, of a net weight of less than 450 g and with a free-at-frontier value exceeding ECU 499,67 per 100 kg net weight, packed in vacuum or inert gas, in packings bearing the description of the cheese, the fat content, the packer responsible and the country of manufacture (*) (*)	9,66				
	Other :					
0406 90 07	Emmentaler	252,2		85,80		9,66
0406 90 08	Gruyère, Sbrinz	252,2		85,80		9,66
0406 90 09	Bergkäse, Appenzell	252,2		85,80		9,66
	Other :					
0406 90 12	Emmentaler	252,2		85,80		
0406 90 14	Gruyère, Sbrinz	252,2		85,80		
0406 90 16	Bergkäse, Appenzell	252,2		85,80		
0406 90 18	Fromage fribourgeois, Vacherin Mont d'Or and Tête de Moine	252,2		75,50		19,32 9,66
0406 90 19	Glarus herb cheese (known as Schabziger) made from skimmed milk and mixed with finely ground herbs (*)	11,3 %				6,0 %
0406 90 21	Cheddar	245,4	17,06	13,75		
0406 90 23	Edam	221,8		75,50		

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0406 90 25	— — Tilsit	221,8		75,50	81,76
0406 90 27	— — Butterkäse	221,8		75,50	110,96
0406 90 29	— — Kashkaval	221,8		75,50	67,19
	— — Feta :				
0406 90 31	— — Of sheep's milk or buffalo milk in containers containing brine, or in sheep or goatskin bottles	221,8		75,50	67,19
0406 90 33	— — Other	221,8		75,50	
0406 90 35	— — Kefalo-Tyri	221,8		75,50	
0406 90 37	— — Finlandia	221,8		75,50	
0406 90 39	— — Jarlsberg	221,8		75,50	
	— — Other :			66,41	
0406 90 50	— — Of sheep's milk or buffalo milk in containers containing brine, or in sheep or goatskin bottles	221,8		75,50	27,63
	— — Other :				
	— — a fat content, by weight, not exceeding 40 % and of a water content, by weight, in the non-fatty matter :				
	— — Not exceeding 47 % :				
	— — — Grana Padano, Parmigiano Reggiano	276,4		94,10	
0406 90 61	— — — Fiore Sardo, Pecorino	276,4		94,10	
0406 90 63	— — — Other	276,4		94,10	
0406 90 69	— — Exceeding 47 % but not exceeding 72 % :				
	— — — Provolone	221,8		75,50	
0406 90 73	— — — Asiago, Caciocavallo, Montasio, Ragusano	221,8		75,50	
0406 90 75	— — — Danbo, Fontal, Fontina, Fynbo, Havarti, Maribo, Samsøe	221,8		75,50	
0406 90 76	— — — Gouda	221,8		75,50	
0406 90 78	— — — Esrom, Italico, Kernhem, Saint-Nectaire, Saint-Paulin, Taleggio	221,8		75,50	
0406 90 79	— — — Cantal, Cheshire, Wensleydale, Lancashire, Double Gloucester, Blarney, Colby, Monterey	221,8		75,50	
0406 90 81	— — — Camembert	221,8		75,50	
0406 90 82	— — — Brie	221,8		75,50	
0406 90 84	— — — Kefalograviera, Kasseri	221,8		75,50	
0406 90 85					

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				Reduced (°)		
0406 90 86	— — — — — Other cheese, of a water content calculated, by weight, in the non-fatty matter :	221,8		75,50	66,41	27,63
0406 90 87	— — — — — Exceeding 47 % but not exceeding 52 %	221,8		75,50	66,41	27,63
0406 90 88	— — — — — Exceeding 52 % but not exceeding 62 %	221,8		75,50	66,41	27,63
0406 90 93	— — — — — Exceeding 62 % but not exceeding 72 %	271,9		92,60		
0406 90 99	— — — — — Exceeding 72 %	324,9		106,40		
	— — — — — Other					
1702 10	— Lactose and lactose syrup :					
1702 10 10	— — Containing, in the dry state, 99 % or more by weight of the pure product	20,5				
1702 10 90	— — Other	20,5				
	— Flavoured or coloured sugar syrups :					
2106 90 51	— — — — Lactose syrup	20,5				
2309	Preparations of a kind used in animal feeding :					
2309 10	— Dog or cat food, put up for retail sale :					
	— — Containing starch, glucose, glucose syrup, maltodextrine or maltodextrine syrup falling within subheadings 1702 30 51 to 1702 30 99, 1702 40 90, 1702 90 50 and 2106 90 55 or milk products :					
	— — — — Containing starch, glucose, glucose syrup, maltodextrine or maltodextrine syrup :					
	— — — — — Containing no starch or containing 10 % or less by weight of starch :					
2309 10 15	— — — — — Containing not less than 50 % but less than 75 % weight of milk products	107,3				
2309 10 19	— — — — — Containing not less than 75 % by weight of milk products	139,3				
	— — — — — Containing more than 10 % but not more than 30 % by weight of starch :					
2309 10 39	— — — — — Containing not less than 50 % by weight of milk products	130,4				
	— — — — — Containing more than 30 % by weight of starch :					
2309 10 59	— — — — — Containing not less than 50 % by weight of milk products	107,2				
2309 10 70	— — — — — Containing no starch, glucose, glucose syrup, maltodextrine or maltodextrine syrup but containing milk products	139,3				

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2309 90	— Other : — — Other : — — — Containing starch, glucose, glucose syrup, maltodextrine or maltodextrine syrup falling within subheadings 1702 30 51 to 1702 30 99, 1702 40 90, 1702 90 50 and 2106 90 55 or milk products : — — — — Containing starch, glucose syrup, maltodextrine or maltodextrine syrup : — — — — — Containing no starch or containing 10 % or less by weight of starch : — — — — — — Containing not less than 50 % but less than 75 % by weight of milk products — — — — — — — Containing not less than 75 % by weight of milk products — — — — — — — — Containing more than 10 % but not more than 30 % by weight of starch : — — — — — — — — — Containing not less than 50 % by weight of milk products — — — — — — — — — — Containing more than 30 % by weight of starch : — — — — — — — — — — — Containing not less than 50 % by weight of milk products — — — — — — — — — — — — Containing no starch, glucose, glucose syrup, maltodextrine or maltodextrine syrup but containing milk products	107,3 139,3 130,4 107,2 139,3				

<sup>(\*)</sup> Taux de conversion douanier.

<sup>(\*)</sup> Taux de conversion agricole.

<sup>(\*)</sup> The duty on 100 kg of products is equal to the sum of the following :

(a) the amount per kilogram shown, multiplied by the weight of lactic matter contained in 100 kg of product ; and  
(b) the other amount indicated.

<sup>(\*)</sup> The duty on 100 kg of product is equal to :

(a) the amount per kilogram shown, multiplied by the weight of dry lactic matter contained in 100 kg of product plus, where appropriate ;  
(b) the other amount indicated.

<sup>(\*)</sup> Entry under this subheading is subject to conditions laid down in the relevant Community provisions. This subheading shall only be used for imports from third countries.

<sup>(\*)</sup> The Community reserves the right to apply value limits lower than those specified. With effect from 1 July 1970, the value limits shall be adapted automatically on the basis of changes in the factors determining the formation of prices for Emmentaler in the Community. Such adjustments shall be based on an increase or reduction of ECU 16,03 in the minimum value for any upward or downward movement of ECU 1,15 per 100 kg of the common target price for milk in the Community.

<sup>(\*)</sup> The Community reserves the right to reduce customs duties autonomously ECU 27,41 to ECU 20,55 subject to an increase of ECU 6,86 in the value limits (customs duties means the base duties listed in the GATT-schedule)

<sup>(\*)</sup> The applied rate of duty is ECU 19,32/100 kg.