
Arrangement Regarding Bovine Meat

INTERNATIONAL MEAT COUNCIL

Reply to Questionnaire¹

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Note: The present reply relates to:

PART A: Table A.1

PART B: Tables B.1, B.2, B.3, B.4

PART C: Tables C.1.1, C.1.2, C.2.1, C.2.2, C.2.3, C.2.4, C.3.1,
C.3.2, C.4.1, C.4.2, C.4.3, C.4.4

PART D: Table D.1

PART E: Table E.1

PART F: Table F.1

¹Divergences of the sums are due to the roundings of the data.

PART A

Table A.1 Bovine Cattle Numbers and Herd Structure

	('000 head)	
3 December of preceding year	1983	Percentage change 1983/82
Total cattle and calves	2,546	+ 0.6
Bulls ^{1/}	608	+ 0.8
Dairy cows ^{1/}	971	- 0.4
Dairy heifers ^{1/}	408	+ 2.3
Beef cows ^{1/}		
Beef heifers ^{1/}	247	+ 0.4
Steers ^{1/}	37	+ 2.8
Calves ^{1/}	276	+ 1.8

^{1/} Reporting country to provide explanatory note on how it defines these classes of stock if different from the following: dairy cows - female stock aged two years or more and kept mainly for milk purposes; dairy heifers - female stock aged one to two years being raised mainly for milk purposes; beef cows - female stock aged two years or more and kept mainly for beef purposes; beef heifers - female stock aged one to two years being kept mainly for beef purposes; calves - all cattle aged less than one year.

PART B

**Table B.1 Inspected and Total Slaughtering and
Average Dressed Carcass Weights (Av.D.C.W.)**

('000 head)

	Cows and heifers			Adult male cattle			Calves			Total cattle and calves		
	Inspected	Total	Av.D.C.W. (kg.)	Inspected	Total	Av.D.C.W. (kg.)	Inspected	Total	Av.D.C.W. (kg.)	Inspected	Total	Av.D.C.W. (kg.)
<u>1982</u>												
I	53	54		84	85		47	48		184	187	
II	44	45		96	97		51	51		191	193	
III	46	46		93	93		44	45		183	184	
IV	55	56		81	81		46	47		182	184	
<u>Total</u>	197	202	274	354	358	350	189	196	84	740	756	265

PART B

Table B.2 Total Production of Bovine Meat

(¹000 metric tons, dressed carcass weight)

	Total meat production from slaughtered animals		
	Beef	Veal	Total
1979/80	195.5	15	210.5
1980/81	188.5	17	205.5
1981/82	183.5	16	199.5

PART B

Table B.3 Private and Public Stocks of Bovine Meat

('000 metric tons, dressed carcass weight)

A. Private stocks of bovine meat (at wholesale level)					
B. Stocks held by or for regulatory or marketing authorities					
	Beef		Veal		Total
	A.	B.	A.	B.	
1977/78	n.a.	3	n.a.	.	3
1978/79	n.a.	5	n.a.	.	5
1979/80	n.a.	5	n.a.	.	5
1980/81	n.a.	5	n.a.	.	5
1981/82	n.a.	4	n.a.	.	4

Note: Basis to be specified if other than those used in table.

. = quantity negligible./quantité négligeable./cantidad insignificante

PART B

Table B.4 Consumption of Bovine Meat

	Total consumption of bovine meat, thousand metric tons, dressed carcass weight	Per caput consumption (kg.)
1977/78	186.5	24.8
1978/79	188.5	25.1
1979/80	187.5	24.9
1980/81	189.0	25.1
1981/82	184.0	24.5

Table C.1.1. Imports of Cattle, Beef and Veal by Volume

('000 head or '000 metric tons,
dressed carcass weight equivalent)

	Live cattle ^{3/}		Beef and veal			Total beef and veal	Total cattle, beef and veal
	Number ('000 head)	Weight	Fresh and chilled	Frozen	Other (canned, cooked etc.)		
<u>1982</u>							
	I	0	0	3	n.a.	3	3
	II	0	0	1	n.a.	1	1
	III	0	0	0	n.a.	1	1
	IV	0	0	1	n.a.	4	4
<u>Total</u>		0	0	2	7	n.a.	9

^{3/} Excluding cattle imported for breeding purposes

PART C

Table C.1.2 Imports of Cattle, Beef and Veal by Value (free frontier)

(Mio S)					
	A	B	C	D	E
	Cattle ^{4/}	Beef and veal ^{5/}	Total (A+B)	Total value (free frontier) merchandise imports	Ratio C/D
<u>1982</u>					
I	0	19	19	81,854	0.02
II	0	7	7	85,017	0.01
III	0	25	25	83,843	0.03
IV	0	39	39	81,837	0.05
<u>Total</u>	0	91	91	332,551	0.03

^{4/} Excluding cattle imported for breeding purposes

^{5/} Fresh, chilled, frozen and other (canned, cooked, etc.)

PART C

Table C.2.1 Imports of Cattle⁶ by Country of Origin,
Quantity ("Q" = '000 head) and Value "V" = Mio S Free Frontier)

	1982								Total 1982	
	I		II		III		IV			
	Q	V	Q	V	Q	V	Q	V	Q	V
TOTAL IMPORTS	QUANTITY NEGLIGIBLE									
of which from:										
(1)										
(2)										
(3)										
(4)										
(5)										
(6)										
(7)										
(8)										
(9)										
(10) OTHERS										

⁶ Excluding cattle imported for breeding purposes

PART C

Table C.2.3 Imports of Frozen Beef and Veal by Country of Origin,
Quantity ("Q" = Product Weight, '000 Metric Tons) and Value ("V" = Mio S Free Frontier)

	1982								Total	
	I		II		III		IV		1982	
	Q	V	Q	V	Q	V	Q	V	Q	V
TOTAL IMPORTS	3	117	1	45	0	22	3	92	7	277
of which from:										
(1) URUGUAY.....	2	54	0	8	0	4	2	56	4	123
(2) ARGENTINA.....	1	23	0	7	0	2	0	14	1	46
(3) CSSR.....	0	28	0	16	0	12	0	11	1	67
(4) OTHERS.....	0	12	0	14	0	4	1	11	1	41

Table C.3.1 Exports of Cattle, Beef and Veal by Volume

('000 head or '000 metric tons, dressed carcass weight equivalent)

	Live cattle ⁷		Beef and veal			Total beef and veal	Total cattle, beef and veal
	Number ('000 head)	Weight	Fresh and chilled	Frozen	Other (canned, cooked etc.)		
<u>1982</u>							
I	7	4	5	0	n.a.	5	9
II	4	3	7	0	n.a.	7	10
III	4	2	6	0	n.a.	6	8
IV	5	3	4	0	n.a.	4	7
<u>Total</u>	20	12	23	0	n.a.	23	35

⁷Excluding cattle exported for breeding purposes

PART C

Table C:3.2 Exports of Cattle, Beef and Veal by Value (free frontier)

(MIO S)

	A	B	C	D	E
	Cattle ⁸	Beef and veal ⁹	Total (A and B)	Total value (free frontier) merchandise exports	Ratio C/D
<u>1982</u>					
I	86	233	319	64,737	0.49
II	53	329	382	68,329	0.56
III	38	276	314	63,794	0.49
IV	55	195	250	70,000	0.36
<u>Total</u>	231	1,033	1,264	266,860	0.47

⁸Excluding cattle exported for breeding purposes

⁹Fresh, chilled, frozen and other (canned, cooked, etc.)

PART C

Table C.4.1 Exports of Cattle¹⁰ by Country of Destination,
Quantity ("Q" = '000 head) and Value ("V" = MIO S, free frontier)

	1982								Total 1982	
	I		II		III		IV			
	Q	V	Q	V	Q	V	Q	V	Q	V
TOTAL EXPORTS	7	86	4	53	4	38	5	55	20	231
of which to:										
(1) LIBYA	6	70	2	28	1	13	4	42	14	153
(2) ITALY	1	16	2	25	2	26	1	13	6	79
(3) OTHERS										

¹⁰ Excluding Cattle exported for breeding purposes

PART C

Table C.4.2 Exports of Fresh and Chilled Beef and Veal
by Country of Destination, Quantity ("Q" = Product Weight, '000 Metric tons)
and Value ("V" = MIO \$, free frontier)

	1982								TOTAL 1982	
	I		II		III		IV			
	Q	V	Q	V	Q	V	Q	V	Q	V
TOTAL EXPORTS	5	233	7	329	6	276	4	195	23	1,032
of which to:										
(1) ITALY.....	5	229	7	324	6	267	4	191	22	1,011
(2) OTHERS.....	0	4	0	5	0	9	0	4	1	21

Table D.1 Beef Prices¹¹

(S per 100 kg.)

Year	Average minimum price if any, guaranteed to the producer	Average price received by producers	Average wholesale prices		Average retail price for beef	Average import prices (free frontier)	Average retail price for major competing meat	Real per capita disposable income 1937 = 100	Consumer price index 1970 = 100	Average export price (free frontier)
			Manufacturing grade	Table grade						
1982	-	2,434	5.415	-	14.100	5.146	11.000	408.8	207.0	4.583

¹¹ See attached note

Notes to Questionnaire: Table D.1

There is no average minimum price guaranteed to the producer.

Average price received by producers is a national average price for slaughter cattle per 100 kg.

Average wholesale price, manufacturing grade, is for boneless beef, frozen.

Average retail price for beef is a national average retail price for strip loin.

Average import price (free frontier) is the ratio between the value of total imports of beef and veal, fresh and chilled, and the quantity of these imports.

Average retail price for major competing meat is a national average retail price for "escalope Viennoise" of pork.

Real per capita disposable income shows the index of per capita income of employees.

Average export price (free frontier) is the ratio between the value of total exports of beef and veal, fresh and chilled, and the quantity of these exports.

**Table E.1 Production, Consumption, Imports, Exports and
Prices of Offals of Bovine Animals¹²**

('000 metric tons)

	Production	Consumption	Imports	Exports	Representative prices ¹³
<u>1977/78</u>	30	32	3	1	
<u>1978/79</u>	32	33.5	2.5	1	
<u>1979/80</u>	33	34	2	1	
<u>1980/81</u>	31	33.5	3.5	1	
<u>1981/82</u>	32.5	34.5	2.5	0.5	
FORECAST 1982 1983					

¹²Including offals of horses, pigs, sheep and goats

¹³Not available

PART F

Table F.1 Production, Imports, Exports and Prices of Cattle Hides¹⁴

	(in metric tons)			
	Production ¹⁵	Imports	Exports	Index representative prices ¹⁶
<u>1977</u>	26,986	7,537	4,310	
<u>1978</u>	25,889	3,522	6,605	140.2
<u>1979</u>	27,496	5,458	5,219	188.4
<u>1980</u>	30,254	7,547	3,240	159.5
<u>1981</u>	32,452	5,617	3,533	111.2
<u>1982</u>	35,600	8,951	4,405	156.5
FORECAST				
1983				
1984				

¹⁴ Excluding calfskins

¹⁵ Consumption

¹⁶ Cowhides (30-39.5 kg.)
1st quarter of each year
1961 = 100

Notes/Notas

1/ Les chiffres ayant été arrondis, leur somme ne coïncide pas nécessairement avec le total indiqué./Las divergencias en los totales provienen del redondeo de las cifras.

2/ Prière de fournir une note expliquant comment sont définies ces catégories de bétail si leurs définitions diffèrent des suivantes: vaches laitières - femelles de deux ans ou plus élevées principalement pour la production de lait; génisses laitières - femelles d'un à deux ans élevées principalement pour la production de lait; vaches de boucherie - femelles de deux ans ou plus élevées principalement pour la boucherie; génisses de boucherie - femelles d'un an à deux ans élevées principalement pour la boucherie; veaux - tous les bovins de moins d'un an./Explíquese en una nota cómo se definen estas categorías de ganado en caso de que difieran de las siguientes: vacas lecheras - hembras de dos o más años destinadas principalmente a la producción de leche; vaquillonas lecheras - hembras de entre uno y dos años destinadas principalmente a la producción de leche; vacas para carne - hembras de dos o más años destinadas principalmente a la producción de carne; vaquillonas para carne - hembras de entre uno y dos años destinadas principalmente a la producción de carne; terneros - machos y hembras de menos de un año.

3/ A l'exclusion des bovins importés pour la reproduction./Excluidos los animales importados para reproducción.

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5/ Fraîches, réfrigérées, congelées ou autres (en boîte, cuisinées, etc.)/ Fresca, refrigerada, congelada y en otra forma (en lata, cocinada, etc.)

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12/ Y compris les abats d'animaux des espèces chevaline, porcine, ovine et caprine./Incluidos los despojos de ganado caballar, porcino, ovino y caprino.

13/ Inconnu./No disponible

14/ A l'exclusion des peaux de veaux./Con exclusión de las pieles de becerro.

15/ Consommation./Consumo

16/ Cuir de vaches (30-39,5 kg)./Cueros de vaca (30 a 39,5 kg)
Premier trimestre de chaque année./Primer trimestre de cada año
1961=100./1961=100