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NOTIFICATION

The following notification concerning export subsidy commitments for the calendar years **1998 and 1999** (Tables **ES:1** and **ES:2**) was received from the delegation of **Romania** on 9 November 2000.

During the calendar years 1998 and 1999, export subsidies were only applied to the products appearing in Table ES:1. Other products subject to reduction commitments, as shown in Section II of Part IV of Schedule LXIX – Romania, received no export subsidies during the said period.

Table ES:1

EXPORT SUBSIDIES: Romania

REPORTING PERIOD: Calendar year 1998

Export Subsidies: Budgetary Outlay and Quantity Reduction Commitments

Description of products	Calendar year 1998	Subsidized exports		Food aid	Annual commitment levels	
		Outlays * (billion lei)	Quantity (tonnes)	Quantity	Outlays ** (million lei)	Quantity (tonnes)
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Cereals		22.4	150,000	-	611.4	313,900

* Current prices 1998

** Current prices 1986-1989

EXPORT SUBSIDIES: Romania**REPORTING PERIOD: Calendar year 1998***Export Subsidies: Budgetary Outlay and Quantity Reduction Commitments*

Description of products	Direct export subsidies	Sales of stocks	Producer financed subsidies	Cost reduction measures	Internal transport subsidies	Total product specific export subsidies (billion lei)	Quantity of subsidised exports (tonnes)	Data source
1	2 (billion lei)	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Cereals	22.4					22.4	150,000	Ministry of Agriculture and Food

Table ES:2

EXPORT SUBSIDIES: Romania
REPORTING PERIOD: Calendar Year 1998
Export Subsidies: Notification of Total Exports

Description of products	Calendar year 1998	Quantity of total exports (tonnes)
1	2	3
Cereals		891,550
Oilseeds		194,178
Vegetable oils		112,757
Sugar		2,349
Butter and vegetable fats		39
Cheese		362
Beef meat, pork meat, sheepmeat and meat preparations		9,448
Poultry meat		1,173
Live animals		43,394
Eggs		158 (th. pcs.)
Wine and spirits		69,459 (hl)
Fruit		15,446
Vegetables		13,693

Source: Ministry of Food and Agriculture.

Table ES:1

EXPORT SUBSIDIES: Romania**REPORTING PERIOD: Calendar year 1999***Export Subsidies: Budgetary Outlay and Quantity Reduction Commitments*

Description of products	Calendar year 1999	Subsidized exports		Food aid	Annual commitment levels	
		Outlays * (billion lei)	Quantity (tonnes)	Quantity	Outlays ** (million lei)	Quantity (tonnes)
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Cereals		102	287,000	-	603.6	309,900
Bovine meat; pig-meat; sheep meat; tinned meat and meat products		4.1	949	-	475.3	150,500
Poultry meat		2.2	405	-	204.1	30,400

* Current prices 1999

** Current prices 1986-1989

Supporting Table ES:1

EXPORT SUBSIDIES: Romania

REPORTING PERIOD: Calendar year 1999

Export Subsidies: Budgetary Outlay and Quantity Reduction Commitments

Description of products	Direct export subsidies (billion lei)	Sales of stocks	Producer financed subsidies	Cost reduction measures	Internal transport subsidies	Total product specific export subsidies (billion lei)	Quantity of subsidised exports (tonnes)	Data source
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Cereals	102	-	-	-	-	102	287,000	Ministry of Agriculture and Food
Bovine meat; pig-meat; sheep meat; tinned meat and meat products	4.1	-	-			4.1	949	
Poultry meat	2.2	-	-			2.2	405	

Table ES:2

EXPORT SUBSIDIES: Romania
REPORTING PERIOD: Calendar Year 1999

Export Subsidies: Notification of Total Exports

Description of products	Calendar year 1999	Quantity of total exports (tonnes)
1	2	3
Cereals		1,023,944
Oilseeds		539,576
Vegetable oils		106,372
Sugar		612
Butter and vegetable fats		3
Cheese		1,278
Beef meat, pork meat, sheepmeat and meat preparations		5,921
Poultry meat		864
Live animals		75,784
Eggs		27 (th. pcs.)
Wine and spirits		31,357 (hl)
Fruit		11,446
Vegetables		18,132

Source: Ministry of Food and Agriculture.