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## **Grain and Feed**

# **Weekly rice report, Brussels, August 7, 2001**

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### **Report Highlights:**

**This weekly report contains data on rice prices in the U.S., Thailand and the EU. It also lists current import duties and export subsidies in the EU. All information will be published as such in the weekly USDA publication "Rice Market News".**

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Includes PSD changes: No  
Includes Trade Matrix: No  
Unscheduled Report  
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## (1) MARKET SUMMARY

No market comments.

COMMISSION AWARDS UNDER OPEN MARKET EXPORT TENDERS, EU GRAIN MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE OF AUGUST 2, 2001

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No tender bids received because no open market tenders available.

## (2) LOWEST OFFERING PRICES BASIS C&F ARAG (UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED)

### (A) WHOLE LONG-GRAIN

	US\$/MT	US\$/100 LBS
	Bulk	Bulk
<b>UNITED STATES:</b>		
2 Milled 4 pct *	259.03	11.75
2 Brown 4/73 pct	240.29	10.90
1 Brown parb 4/88 **	266.74	12.10
Medium Milled 2/4 *	248.01	11.25

\* F.A.S. basis

\*\* While nominal price quotes are for 1 BROWN PARB 4/88, these quotes in reality refer to rice that meets all U.S. No.1 requirements except for one or two categories. Current and historical trade practice is for rice shipped to the EU to be graded only as No.2 and to be further processed upon arrival.

	US\$/MT	US\$/100 LBS
	Bulk-Rotterdam	Bulk
<b>THAILAND:</b>		
TWR 100% B	225.00 C&F	10.21
Parb LZ 4-88%	260.00 C&F	11.79
Loonzain 100% B	220.00 C&F	9.98

A1 Super	185.00 C&F	8.39
Fragrant WR 100%	350.00 C&F	15.88
Fragrant LZ Super	310.00 C&F	14.06
Fragrant LZ Supreme	320.00 C&F	14.52

	Lira/kg	US\$/MT	US\$/100 LBS
	Bulk	Bulk	Bulk
<b>EUROPEAN UNION (new crop prices) *:</b>			
Milled LG 5 Pct **	850	386.53	17.53
Milled parb LG **	1000	454.74	20.63

## (B) WHOLE RMG

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	Lira/kg	US\$/MT	US\$/100 LBS
	Bulk	Bulk	Bulk
<b>ITALY (new crop prices) *:</b>			
Milled Medium **	870	395.62	17.95
Camolino 5 Pct (FOB)***	N/A	N/A	N/A

\*U.S / Lira exchange 08/07/01 \$1= 2199.06

\*\* Domestic prices, converted into \$ from quotations in ITL/kg

\*\*\* export price

## (3) IMPORT LEVIES ARE CHANGED SINCE 08/02/01

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	EUR/MT	EUR/MT	US\$/MT	US\$/MT
	General	ACP	General	ACP
Brown RG+MG Regul + Parb	264.00	88.06	232.45	77.54
Brown LG Regul + Parb	240.17	79.72	211.47	70.19
Milled RG Regul + Parb	416.00	133.21	366.29	117.29

Milled MG + LG Regul + Parb	416.00	133.21	366.29	117.29
Brokens	128.00	41.18	112.70	36.26

EURO/US\$ exchange rate 08/07/01= 0.8805

(4) EXPORT SUBSIDIES ON RICE, effective 08/01/2001

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The issue of export licenses with advance fixing of the refund is suspended, except for a quantity of 600 MT.

	EUR/MT	US\$/MT
Brown RG+MG+LG Reg, RG+MG+LG Parb, to Switzerland, Liechtenstein, Livigno and Campione d'Italia (R01)	178.00	156.73
Semi-milled RG+MG+LG Reg, RG+MG+LG Parb to Switzerland, Liechtenstein, Livigno and Campione d'Italia (R01)	178.00	156.73
Milled RG+MG+LG Reg, RG+MG+LG Parb, to Switzerland, Liechtenstein, Livigno and Campione d'Italia (R01)	222.00	195.47
Milled RG+MG+LG Reg, RG+MG+LG Parb, to destinations R02 (see below)	194.00	170.82
Milled RG+MG+LG Reg, RG+MG+LG Parb, to destinations R03 (see below)	199.00	175.22
Milled RG+MG+LG Reg, RG+MG+LG Parb, to Hungary (Destination 064)	-	-
Wholly milled rice RG+MG+LG, to Ceuta and Melilla (Destinat. 021 and 023)	194.00	170.82
Milled RG+MG+LG Reg, RG+MG+LG Parb, to destinations mentioned in Art. 34 of amended Comm. Reg. 3665/87 (=Supplies to internat. organiz. established in the EU, supplies to armed forces etc.) (Destination A97)	194.00	170.82

R01: Switzerland, Liechtenstein, communes of Livigno and Campione d'Italia

R02: Morocco, Algeria, Tunisia, Malta, Egypt, Israel, Lebanon, Syria, Ex-Spanish Sahara, Cyprus, Jordan, Iraq, Iran, Yemen, Kuwait, United Arab Emirates, Oman, Bahrain, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, West Bank/Gaza Strip, Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania, Poland, Czech Republic, Slovenia, Slovakia, Norway, Faroe Island, Iceland, Russia, Belarus, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, Yugoslavia, former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Albania, Romania, Bulgaria, Georgia, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Moldova, Ukraine, Kazakhstan, Turkmenistan, Uzbekistan, Tajikistan, Kyrgyzstan.

R03: Colombia, Ecuador, Peru, Bolivia, Chile, Argentina, Uruguay, Paraguay, Brazil, Venezuela, Canada, Mexico, Guatemala, Honduras, El Salvador, Nicaragua, Costa Rica, Panama, Cuba, Bermuda, South Africa, Australia, New Zealand, Hong Kong SAR, A40, A11 except Suriname, Guyana and Madagascar.