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# **Turkey**

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## **TMO Grain Export Tender**

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#### **Report Highlights:**

The Turkish Grain Board (TMO) has invited only international traders to participate in a tender, to be held on October 15, 2009. TMO intends to export 100,000 MT of feed quality barley, 50,000 MT of red milling wheat, 50,000 MT of white milling wheat and 25,000 MT of durum wheat.

### **General Information:**

The Turkish Grain Board (TMO) will hold a grain export tender at 10.30 a.m. on October 15, 2009 at the TMO headquarters in Ankara.

TMO intends to export 100,000 MT ( $\pm$ -5%) of feed quality barley, 50,000 MT ( $\pm$ -5%) of white milling wheat, 50,000 MT ( $\pm$ -5%) of red milling wheat and 25,000 MT( $\pm$ -5%) of durum

wheat. Only international traders are invited to participate in the tender. Tender forms containing general terms and conditions can be obtained at no cost at TMO branch offices and at commercial sections of Turkish consulates.

The products are from MY 2009 harvest. Specification details are given in Tables below.

The minimum acceptable bid quantity is 10,000 MT (+/- 5%). Table 4 below shows details of tender conditions.

Sealed tenders are being accepted.

The Turkish Grain Board (TMO) previously held a grain export tender on September 10, 2009. Tender results are given in Table 5.

Table 1: Specifications of October 15, 2009 milling wheat export tender

Turkey: Specifications of TMO milling wheat export tender								
	Red Milli	ng Wheat	White Milling Wheat					
Parameters	Izmir port (25,000 MT)	Tekirdag port (25,000 MT)	Mersin port (25,000 MT)	Iskenderun port (25,000 MT)				
Production year	2009	2009	2009	2008				
Moisture content %	11.5 max	13 max	11.5	10				
Hectoliter (kg/hl)	79 min	77 min	77 min	78.5 min				
Total damaged kernels %	2 max	2 max	1.5 max	1.5 max				
Foreign Material %	1.5 max	1.5 max	1.5 max	1.5 max				
Other grain residue %	1 max	1 max	1.5 max	1 max				
Protein content (dry matter basis N*5.7)	11.5	11	11	11.5				

Table 2: Specifications of October 15, 2009 barley export tender

Turkey: Specifications of TMO barley tender						
Parameters	Derince port (50,000 MT)	Mersin port (50,000 MT)				
Production year	2009	2009				
Moisture content %	12 max	11 max				
Hectoliter (kg/hl)	66.5 min	67 min				
Smut content (gr/kg)	1 max	1 max				
Foreign Material %	1.5 max	1.5 max				
Other grain residue %	2 max	1.5 max				

Table 3: Specifications of October 15, 2009 durum wheat export tender

Turkey: Specifications of TMO durum wheat tender						
Parameters	Iskenderun (25,000 MT)					
Production year	2009					
Moisture content %	10 max					
Hectoliter (kg/hl)	79 min					
Total damaged kernels %	1 max					
Foreign Material %	1.5 max					
Other grain residue %	2 max					
Protein content % (dry matter basis N*5.7)	13.5					
Broken kernels %	5 max					
Yellow berry kernel %	15 min					

Table 4: TMO grain export tender conditions

LOADING DATE	_		NAME OF PORT	_	NAME OF PORT
	Mersin (MT)	ISKENDERUN (MT)	TEKIRDAG (MT)	DERINCE (MT)	IZMIR (NEW SILO) (MT)
November 03- November 23,2009		25,000 <sup>3</sup>		50,000 <sup>2</sup>	
November 24- December 15,2009		25,000 <sup>1</sup>	25,000 <sup>4</sup>		25,000 <sup>4</sup>
TOTAL	25,000 <sup>1</sup> 50,000 <sup>2</sup>	25,000 <sup>3</sup> 25,000 <sup>1</sup>	25,000 <sup>4</sup>	50,000 <sup>2</sup>	

<sup>1:</sup> White milling wheat

Table 5: Turkey: TMO grain stocks as of October 6, 2009

Turkey: TMO grain stocks as of August 31, 2009							
TMO		Wheat		Barley			
STOCKS	Local	Imported	Total	Local	Imported	Total	
TOTAL	3,644,918	504,297	1,236,457	33,117	1,236,457		

<sup>2:</sup> Feed type white barley

<sup>3:</sup> Durum Wheat

<sup>4:</sup> Red milling wheat

Table 6: TMO grain procurements on MY 2009

	Turkey: TMO Grain procurement MY 2009 (June 5, 2009-October 07, 2009)					
WHEAT						
UNIT: MT	DURUM	MILLING	FEED			
TOTAL	765,071	2,380,743	798,173	1,316,630		

Table 7: TMO grain procurements on MY 2009

Turkey: TMO tender result (Tender date: September 10,2009)							
Product	Quantity (MT)	Price USD	_	Shipment date			
		Highest	Lowest	_			
Corn	100,000	164.69	161.73	October 26,2009/ November 16, 2009			
Barley	145,000	131.50	122.20	October 01,2009 – November 16,2009			
Red Milling Wheat	40,000	150.01	144.60				
White Milling Wheat	40,000	157.10	155.10				

Table 8: Commodity prices at Konya Commodity Exchange (TL/MT)

	Turkey: Commodity prices at Konya CME (TL/MT)								
Product	Year	January	Feb	March	April	May	June	July	August
Durum Wheat	2009	587	590	583	545	506	509	437	448
Red Milling Wheat	2009	535	538	538	505	500	512	515	486
White Milling Wheat	2009	595	583	617	506	491	486	490	528
Barley	2009	481	478	462	432	420	335	334	335

1 USD:1.46 TL