

# GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

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Milk Powders

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Committee of the Protocol Regarding Certain Cheeses

## SURVEY OF GOVERNMENT MEASURES TO EXPAND DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION OF DAIRY PRODUCTS

### Addendum

#### JAPAN

#### (A) INFORMATION ON GOVERNMENT PROGRAMMES TO EXPAND CONSUMPTION:

##### I. Welfare and social programmes

##### (a) Milk for the school lunch programme

This programme is designed to stabilize the condition of dairy farms by increasing milk consumption and to improve the physical condition of children. The subsidized rate is ¥ 5/200 cc.

##### Subsidized quantities

1979 fiscal year	576 kl.	(600,000 tons)
1980	589	(613,000 tons)
1981	605	(630,000 tons)
1982	628	(654,000 tons)
(estimate)		

##### Total amounts of subsidies

1979 fiscal year	¥ 16,773 million
1980	¥ 17,135 million
1981	¥ 15,788 million
1982	¥ 15,601 million

##### (b) Institutions and needy persons programmes

None

(c) Food stamp programmes

None

(d) Milk consumption promotion programme

This programme is designed to promote milk consumption. Kindergartens, expectant and nursing women, institutions for elderly people, and other organizations and groups receive milk at special low prices. This programme is done by the National Milk Promotion Association and is subsidized. The rates of discount per 200 cc. in 1982 fiscal year are as follows:

	Discount (₹)	Of which, amount of Government subsidy (part of discount) (₹)
Nursing and expectant women	20	6
Kindergartens	(7 3)	3 (milk sold through stores) 3 (milk sold by producers directly)
Elderly persons	6	3

Subsidized quantities

1979 fiscal year	16,500 kl	(17,200 tons)
1980	31,800	(33,100 tons)
1981	32,900	(34,300 tons)
1982	35,000	(36,500 tons)

Total amounts of subsidies

1979 fiscal year	₹ 675 million
1980	₹ 865 million
1981	₹ 593 million
1982	₹ 608 million

II. Direct consumer subsidies for butter

None

III. Direct subsidies for use of skim milk and liquid skim milk for animal feed

(a) Liquid skim milk for:

- (1) Farm retention use
- (2) Selling back to farmers

None

(b) Skim milk powder for:

- (1) Calves and veal production
- (2) Pigs and poultry feed

None

(c) Other animal feed programmes:

None

IV. Sales and/or donations of government support stocks not included in Part AI, II and III

None

V. Direct subsidies to consumers for products other than butter and skimmed milk powder including cheese and milk for human consumption

None

(B) (1) Proportion of total consumption of butter, skimmed milk powder, cheese and milk for human consumption, supported by government programmes per year.

(1,000 tons)

Fiscal Year	Milk for drink			Butter		Skim milk powder <sup>1</sup>		Cheese	
	Total	Supported	Share	Total	Supported	Total	Supported	Total	Supported
1979	3,905	617	15.8	62	-	132	-	86	-
1980	4,010	646	16.1	68	-	140	-	81	-
1981	4,141	664	16.0	72	-	153	-	84	-
1982	n.a.	691	n.a.	n.a.	-	n.a.	-	n.a.	-

<sup>1</sup>Excluding skim milk powder for feed.

(2) Total net expenditure of such programmes per year.

1979 fiscal year	¥ 17,448 million
1980	¥ 18,000 million
1981	¥ 16,381 million
1982	¥ 16,209 million

COMPARATIVE GENERAL OVERVIEW<sup>1</sup>

Milk for human consumption

	<u>Fiscal year</u>	<u>Unit</u>	
Total consumption .	1979	1,000 tons	3,905
	1980	1,000 tons	4,010
	1981	1,000 tons	4,141
	1982	1,000 tons	n.a.
Proportion of total consumption supported by government measures	1979	%	15.8
	1980	%	16.1
	1981	%	16.0
	1982	%	n.a.
Total net government expenditure on consumption programmes	1979	¥ million	17,448
	1980	¥ million	18,000
	1981	¥ million	16,381
	1982	¥ million	16,209

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<sup>1</sup>Compiled by the secretariat.