

**Comparison between EU and U.S. Governmental Support of the Fruit,  
Vegetable, and Wine Sectors for Marketing Years 1996/97 and 1997/98**

	1996/97 TOTAL AMS *		1997/98 TOTAL AMS *	
	Mil. USD **		Mil. USD ***	
	EU	U.S.	EU	U.S.
<b>Fresh Hort. Products</b>				
Apples	2,632	0	2,210	0
Pears	745	0	692	0
Apricots	177	0	116	0
Cherries	175	0	110	0
Peaches	588	0	258	0
Table Grapes	277	0	262	0
Plums	86	0	73.6	0
Lemons	481	0	460	0
Clementines	204	0	204	0
Mandarins	83	0	71	0
Satsumas	50	0	41	0
Oranges	569	0	478	0
Cucumbers	545	0	692	0
Courgettes	313	0	186	0
Artichokes	266	0	254	0
Tomatoes	6,113	0	5,127	0
Bananas	259	0	235	0
<b>Processed Hort. Prod.</b>				
Pineapple	3	0	3	0
Citrus	198	0	167	0
Lemons	51	0	47	0
Peaches	91	0	50	0
Plums	53	0	24	0
Pears	49	0	39	0
Figs	8	0	7	0
Tomatoes	401	0	380	0
Grapes	152	0	130	0
Olive Oil	2,346	0	2,566	0
<b>Wine</b>	2,192	0	2,192	0
<b>Total AMS * (Mil. USD)</b>	<b>19,340</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>17,073</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Total Export Subsidies (Mil. USD)</b>	<b>165</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Grand Total (Mil. USD)</b>	<b>19,505</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>17,151</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Grand Total (Mil. ECU)</b>	<b>15,571</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>15,156</b>	<b>0</b>

\* AMS (Aggregate Measure of Support): The product specific AMS includes market price support, direct payments, and other product specific support. Market price support is calculated using a pricing gap methodology, which is the difference between the government-set internal price and the world price, multiplied by the amount of production eligible to receive the government price.

\*\* Interbank Average Exchange Rate between 1/1/96 and 1/1/97 was 1 ECU = 1.25266 USD

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