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FOREWORD

In 1989 and 1990 this updating of the directory of bilateral agreements had to be suspended for logistical reasons, as the Directorate-General for External Relations had to devote all available staff resources to priority work made necessary by the momentous events occurring at that time; with the publication of this document the Treaties Office is now able to resume its task of providing information for external users.

The concern for legal certainty requires that the extensive array of bilateral agreements spread through the different spheres of activity of the European Communities, and hence negotiated and administered by different departments, should be brought together within a single framework.

As in the past the contents of the directory are confined to agreements in the strict sense of the term which were in force on the date specified(1). Any other document relating to specific sectors, or any other relevant item of information, may be obtained by contacting the Treaties Office of DG I (Mrs Colletti-Fossati, tel. 235 61 62). Additional copies of the directory are available from the secretariat (enquiries to Mrs Guillaume-Junek, tel. 235 15 55).

As in the case of other documents providing information, whether of a legal or other nature, concerning the external relations of the European Communities at this historic time, the period that has elapsed between the compilation of this edition of the directory and its publication has been crowded with events. For this reason, in a number of cases the information given will only partially reflect the reality. In this context the attention of readers is drawn to the negotiations currently under way on establishing new relations with groups of non-Community countries in Northern and Eastern Europe, which are likely to result in the gradual establishment of a new order and the possibility of the European Communities welcoming new members.

The next edition of the directory will take account of international legal acts resulting from the new Community policies, both in Europe and further afield; the date of publication will depend on the resources available to the Treaties Office(2).

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- (1) Unlike the previous editions, which listed only those agreements which were still in force, this edition includes a small number that had already expired before the beginning of 1990. This is due to the non-appearance of the directory in the previous year, and to the concern to avoid any suggestion of a legal vacuum.
 - (2) It is outlined that, due to translation's and technical's delay it has been possible to update this english version as at 31 september 1991, as indicated in the cover page. For subsequent modification of the EEC agreement network due to political events (end of 1991) arising in eastern countries and especially Yugoslavia, readers are invited to consult the person responsible in the Treaties Office, directly.

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NORTHERN EUROPE *

*EFTA

Agreement was reached on 22 October 1991 on a package of conditions for an association agreement between the Community and the EFTA countries, establishing a European economic area (EEA). This agreement has yet to be given formal expression. The various aspects covered by the draft text are as follows: (1) General provisions. (2) Free movement of goods. (3) Free movement of persons, services and capital. (4) Common rules (competition, state aids, etc.). (5) Across-the-board back-up measures. (6) Cooperation arrangements. (7) Institutions. (8) Final provisions. In the meantime, both sides are working towards the closest possible approximation in all fields. Among the most recent examples are the signing of the Erasmus agreements on 9 October 1991 and the agreements on transit and aviation. The next edition of the directory will contain a description of the "new order" being negotiated.

COUNTRY: ANDORRA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 374/90 page 16	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Principality of Andorra	EEC Treaty Articles 99 and 113	Entered into force on 1 January 1991 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee (Art. 17)	<p>An Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters, signed on 28 June 1990, was required to confirm the acceptance of the Agreement by both parties (see OJ L 374/90 page 13).</p> <p>The Agreement provides for a customs union and lays down the arrangements for products which are not covered by this union.</p> <p>There are a number of accompanying documents, including an appendix concerning the definition of "originating products" and methods of administrative cooperation.</p> <p>See also OJ L 43/91 for a correction.</p>

COUNTRY: AUSTRIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 300/72 page 93	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Austria	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 22 July 1972. In force since 1 January 1973 for an unlimited period. The trade provisions of the Agreement entered into force on 1 October 1972. Extended to Spain and Portugal by exchange of letters, 1 January - 28 February 1986 (see OJ L 370/85). See specific Protocol for ensuing period.	Joint Committee (Articles 29-31). The future developments clause makes the role of the Joint Committee a fairly important one. It has the power to make decisions which are binding on both parties.	Non-specific or advanced trade agreement. This is a preferential agreement, establishing a free trade area and laying down a detailed schedule for the dismantling of tariffs, on completion of which industrial products circulate freely. The scope of this Agreement is wider than that of standard trade agreements, creating strong links between the two parties and embracing a great number of products. It does not contain a most-favoured-nation clause. The future developments clause states that if one of the contracting parties considers that it would be beneficial to develop the relationship defined by the Agreement, extending its scope to encompass sectors not originally covered, it may submit a reasoned request to that effect to the other party. The Joint Committee may be instructed to examine the matter. With this measure, the Agreement is made completely open. For amendments or derogations, see: OJ L 298/76, OJ L 338/76, OJ L 302/78. Protocol 3 to the Agreement has been amended on several occasions by Joint Committee decisions or by exchanges of letters. In 1984, it became necessary to consolidate all provisions then in force in a single document. This was done by means of an exchange of letters to which was annexed the new text of Protocol 3, which replaces that of the original Protocol 3 to the Agreement (see OJ L 323/84). See also OJ L 134/86, OJ L 47/86, OJ L 199/86, OJ L 100/87, OJ L 236/87, OJ L 388/87, OJ L 186/88, OJ L 149/88, OJ L 199/90, OJ L 176/90, OJ L 210/90 and OJ L 336/90. Concerning technical barriers to trade, see OJ L 291/90, page 1.

COUNTRY: AUSTRIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 294/72 page 87	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Austria on the application of the rules on Community transit	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 30 November 1972. In force since 1 January 1974 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee (Articles 15 and 16)	Amended by exchange of letters. See OJ L 151/77, OJ L 155/80, OJ L 107/81, OJ L 19/82. The Greek language version of the Agreement was itself the subject of an Agreement (see OJ L 147/81), as were the Spanish and Portuguese language versions (see OJ L 143/86, p.1). See also: OJ L 227/81; OJ L 383/81; OJ L 355/82; OJ L 26/85; OJ L 180/82; OJ L 339/83; OJ L 209/85; OJ L 285/82; OJ L 312/84; OJ L 99/87. Most recently amended by an Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters, OJ L 332/87, page 1. See also OJ L 199/86 for amendment and Additional Protocol ES-PT following the accession of Spain and Portugal.
OJ L 350/73 page 33	Agreement between the Member States of the European Coal and Steel Community and the ECSC, of the one part, and the Republic of Austria, of the other part	ECSC Treaty EEC-Austria Agreement of 22 July 1972	Signed on 22 July 1972. In force since 1 January 1973 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee (Articles 26-28)	A specific Agreement of 26 July 1957 established through international tariffs for the carriage of ECSC products through Austria; for amendments see: OJ ECSC No 6/58, OJ ECSC 68/61, OJ ECSC 72/61, OJ ECSC 229/66, OJ C 118/71, OJ C 6/74, OJ C 23/78, OJ C 6/85, OJ C 4/81 and OJ L 332/83, and Supplementary Protocol, OJ L 12/79. Second Supplementary Protocol, OJ L 227/81.
OJ L 106/75 page 1	Supplementary Protocol to the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Austria	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 29 May 1975. In force since 29 May 1975 for an unlimited period.		Scope extended by Agreement between the European Economic Community, Switzerland and Austria, see: OJ L 142/77, page 1.

COUNTRY: AUSTRIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 188/75 page 1	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Austria	EEC Treaty	Signed on 11 June 1975. In force since 1 May 1975 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee set up pursuant to Art. 15 of the Agreement on transit (Art. 8).	Concerns the simplification of formalities in respect of trade in goods with Greece and Turkey when the said goods are forwarded from Austria. Amendments: see OJ L 107/81.
OJ L 142/77 page 3	Agreement between the European Economic Community, the Swiss Confederation and the Republic of Austria on the extension of the application of the rules on Community transit	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 12 July 1977 for an unlimited period.		The Spanish and Portuguese language versions of the Agreement were themselves the subject of a specific Agreement (see OJ L 375/86).
Not published see: SEC(78) 1493	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the Commission of the European Communities and Austria concerning cooperation on environmental matters	EEC Treaty	Signed on 28 April 1978. In force since 28 April 1978 for an unlimited period.	Consultations at high official level.	
Not published	Exchange of letters between the Commission and the Republic of Austria on recognition of the laissez-passer issued by the Communities to members and servants of the institutions	Protocol on the privileges and immunities of the European Communities (Art. 7), annexed to the Merger Treaty of 1965	Signed on 11 July 1980 for an unlimited period.		

COUNTRY: AUSTRIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 357/80 page 1	Additional Protocol to the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Austria consequent on the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Community	EEC Treaty Art. 113. Treaty on the accession of Greece to the EEC. EEC-Austria Agreement	Signed on 28 November 1980. In force since 1 January 1981 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee set up by Articles 29-31 of the Agreement between the EEC and Republic of Austria.	
Not yet published	Additional Protocol to the Agreement between the Member States of the European Coal and Steel Community and the European Coal and Steel Community, of the one part, and the Republic of Austria, of the other part, consequent on the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Community	ECSC Treaty. Treaty on the accession of Greece to the EEC. ECSC-Austria Agreement (of 22 July 1972)	Signed on 28 November 1980. Concluded for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee set up by Articles 26-28 of the ECSC-Austria Agreement.	Joint agreement (i.e. this was not a case which involved Community powers exclusively).
OJ L 137/81 page 1	Arrangement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Austria on trade in mutton, lamb and goatmeat	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 10 July 1981. Entered into force retroactively on 1 January 1981 for an initial period to run until 31 March 1984. Subsequently renewed for an unlimited period.	Advisory Committee	Voluntary restraint agreement. Clause 2 of the Arrangement is covered by an exchange of letters. Renewable automatically subject to one year's notice in writing. See also OJ L 154/84.

COUNTRY: AUSTRIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 389/81 page 1	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Austria on the control and reciprocal protection of quality wines and certain wines bearing a geographical ascription	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 21 October 1981. Entered into force on 1 March 1982 for an unlimited period.	"The representatives of the Contracting Parties shall maintain direct contact on all matters relating to the implementation of this Agreement". (Art. 12)	Accompanied by a Protocol and an exchange of letters concerning Art. 12, which form an integral part of the Agreement (Art. 16). The exchange of letters specifies the competent bodies of the Republic of Austria for the purposes of administration of the Agreement. Negotiations concerning an amendment to the Agreement led to an Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters, the conclusion of which is still pending (December 1988).
OJ L 328/86 page 1	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters concerning non-agricultural and processed agricultural products not covered by the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Austria	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 14 July 1986. In force from 1 March 1986 to 1 January 1993.	Joint Committee	
OJ L 328/86 page 58	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Austria concerning agriculture	EEC Treaty Art. 113 (see also EEC-Austria free trade Agreement Art. 15)	In force from 1 March 1986 for an unlimited period. Signed on 14 July 1986.	Joint Committee	Agreement made necessary by the accession of Spain and Portugal, comprising three exchanges of letters of 14 July 1986.

COUNTRY: AUSTRIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 321/86 page 1	Additional Protocol to the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Austria consequent on the accession of the Kingdom of Spain and the Portuguese Republic to the Community	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 14 July 1986 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee	For amendments and derogations see Second and Third Additional Protocols, OJ L 136/89 and OJ L 206/89.
Not published	Additional Protocol to the Agreement between the Member States of the ECSC, of the one part, and the Republic of Austria, of the other part, consequent on the accession of the Kingdom of Spain and the Portuguese Republic to the Community	ECSC Treaty ECSC-Austria Agreement	Signed on 14 July 1986 for an unlimited period.		Joint agreement.
OJ L 213/87 page 36	Arrangement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Austria concerning reciprocal trade in cheese	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 31 July 1987 for an unlimited period.	Special system for cooperation and exchange of information (point 3, second paragraph, and Annex).	Agreement concluded with the aim of fostering the harmonious development of trade in this agricultural product, in the spirit of Art. 15 of the EEC-Austria Agreement. Replaces previous agreements in this sector.

COUNTRY: AUSTRIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 216/86 page 7	Framework Agreement for scientific and technical cooperation between the European Communities and the Republic of Austria	EEC Treaty Euratom Treaty	Signed on 15 July 1986. Entered into force on 30 July 1987 for an unlimited period.	Austria-Communities Research Committee (Articles 10 and 11)	Framework Agreement designed to set up and develop scientific and technical cooperation, to be implemented by means of specific agreements establishing scientific and technical objectives, the rules concerning dissemination of knowledge and intellectual property, and financial aspects. These framework agreements reflect the conclusions of the meeting of EEC and EFTA ministers held in Luxembourg on 9 April 1984 with a view to promoting scientific and technical cooperation in Europe.
OJ L 90/90 page 20	Agreement between the Federal Republic of Germany and the European Economic Community, on the one hand, and the Republic of Austria, on the other, on management of water resources in the Danube basin		Signed on 1 December 1987 for an unlimited period.		Joint agreement sui generis. The position of the most affected Member State is highlighted by the fact that this is a tripartite agreement.
OJ L 276/88 page 1	Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Austria on research related to advanced materials	EEC Treaty Art. 235	Concluded for the duration of the programme (1986-89) (Art. 7).	Austria-Communities Research Committee (Articles 10 and 11 of the Framework Agreement)	This Agreement forms part of the system envisaged by the Framework Agreement, setting up cooperation in this sector which is designed to be mutually beneficial and to eliminate duplicated research. The programme concerned was replaced in 1989 by the Brite/Euram programme (1989-92) (OJ L 98/89).

COUNTRY: AUSTRIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 224/88 page 2	Agreement in the form of agreed minutes relating to certain agricultural products negotiated between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Austria under Article XXVIII of the GATT	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 4 July 1988 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee	This Agreement amends and supplements the exchange of letters of 21 July 1972, last amended by the exchange of letters of 14 July 1986 (OJ L 328/86). The changes concerned consist of the modification or withdrawal of customs concessions for certain agricultural products.
OJ L 348/88 page 57	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Austria on reciprocal tariff quotas for certain quality wines	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 23 December 1988. In force from 1 January 1989 to 30 June 1992.	Consultations held at the request of either party (Art. 9).	Agreement concluded within the framework of the EEC-Austria Agreement, signed on 22 July 1972 (see OJ L 300/72), which provides for the promotion of increased reciprocal trade. Consultations will take place in the second half of 1991 to determine whether and on what terms the Agreement should be extended (Art. 11).
OJ L 56/89 page 2	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Austria on the control and reciprocal protection of quality wines and "retsina" wine	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 23 December 1988. Entered into force on 1 February 1989 for an unlimited period.	The representatives of the contracting parties maintain direct contact on all matters relating to the implementation of the Agreement (Art. 13).	This Agreement replaces that of 21 October 1981 (OJ L 389/81). The two parties designate one or more bodies to be responsible for the enforcement of the rules governing the wine sector (Art. 5).

COUNTRY: AUSTRIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 352/89 page 59	Supplementary Protocol to the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Austria concerning the elimination of existing and prevention of new quantitative restrictions affecting exports or measures having equivalent effect	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 31 October 1989. Entered into force on 1 May 1990 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee (Articles 29-31) The Committee has the power to make decisions which are binding on both parties.	The trade Agreement signed on 22 July 1972 (OJ L 300/72) was amended by the parties as follows: insertion of Articles 13a, 13b and 24a; replacement of Art. 27; and addition of Protocol 6.
OJ L 400/89 page 2	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Austria on trade electronic data interchange systems	EEC Treaty Art. 235	Signed on 7 December 1989. Entered into force on 1 February 1990 for the duration of the Tedis programme (1988-89). Tedis II is currently being negotiated.		Aims of the programme: coordinating the development of electronic data transfer systems in trade, industry and administration, bearing in mind the specific requirements of users, and SME in particular.
OJ L 102/90 page 1	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Austria establishing cooperation in the field of training in the context of the implementation of Comett II (1990-94)	EEC Treaty Art. 235	Signed on 19 December 1989. Entered into force on 1 January 1990 for the period of the programme (1990-94) (Art. 15).	Joint Committee (Art. 7)	The Agreement provides for a series of measures designed to promote cooperation between Austrian and Community universities and industry, particularly as regards initial and continuous training in the field of technology.

COUNTRY: AUSTRIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 74/90 page 8	Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Austria in the field of medical and health research	EEC Treaty Art. 130q (2)	Concluded for the period from 1 January 1988 to 31 December 1991. Signed and entered into force on 11 March 1991	Management and Coordination Advisory Committee (CGC)	Areas of research: - cancer; - AIDS; - health problems related to environment and lifestyle.
OJ L 50/90 page 1	Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Austria on a programme to stimulate the international cooperation and interchange needed by European research scientists (Science)	EEC Treaty Art. 130q (2)	From 1 July 1989 to 31 December 1992.	Committee for the European Development of Science and Technology (Codest) (Art. 4)	Objectives: improving the general quality of science and technology R & D; promoting training through research; improving mobility of researchers in Europe; developing intra-European scientific and technical cooperation; promoting the setting-up of scientific networks.

COUNTRY : AUSTRIA

Référence	Title of agreement	Legal basis	Périod of validity	Administration	Remarks
O.J. L 61/91 page 1	Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Austria on a European Stimulation Plan for Economic Science (SPES)	EEC Treaty Art.130q(2)	Signed and entered into force on 11 march 1991 (art. 10).	Responsible for implementation are EEC Commission and Austrian Federal Ministry for Science and Research (art.6)	This agreement is placed within the framework of the agreement for scientific and technical cooperation. It regulate the Republic of Austria with the European SPES program.

COUNTRY: FINLAND

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 328/73 page 1	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Finland	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 5 October 1973. In force since 1 January 1974 for an unlimited period. May be denounced with 3 months' notice, but may continue to be applied for 9 months after expiry (Article 33). From 1 January 1986 to 28 February 1986 extended to Spain and Portugal by exchange of letters (see OJ L 370/85). For ensuing period see specific Protocol.	Joint Committee (Articles 29-31). The Committee has the power to make decisions which are binding on both parties.	Non-specific or advanced trade agreement. This is a preferential agreement, establishing a free trade area and laying down a detailed schedule for the dismantling of tariffs, on completion of which industrial products circulate freely. The scope of this Agreement is wider than that of standard trade agreements, creating strong links between the two parties and embracing a great number of products. It contains neither a most-favoured-nation clause nor a future developments clause. For amendments or derogations, see OJ L 163/74, OJ L 322/79, OJ L 298/76, OJ L 209/80, OJ L 338/76, OJ L 276/81, OJ L 302/78, OJ L 174/82 Protocol 3 to the Agreement has been amended on several occasions by Joint Committee decision or by exchanges of letters. In 1984, it became necessary to consolidate all provisions then in force in a single document. This was done by means of an exchange of letters to which was annexed the new text of Protocol 3, which replaces that of the original Protocol 3 to the Agreement (see OJ L 323/84). See also: OJ L 47/86; OJ L 134/86; OJ L 199/86; OJ L 236/87; OJ L 100/87; OJ L 388/87 and OJ L 149/88; OJ L 199/90; OJ L 176/90; OJ L 210/90 and OJ L 336/90. Concerning technical barriers to trade, see OJ L 291/90, p. 1.
OJ L 348/74 page 1	Agreement between the Member States of the ECSC and the ECSC, of the one part, and the Republic of Finland, of the other part	ECSC Treaty EEC-Finland Agreement of 5 October 1973	Signed on 5 October 1973. In force since 1 January 1975 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee (Articles 25-27)	Amendment: see OJ L 385/80.

COUNTRY: FINLAND

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 106/75 page 4	Supplementary Protocol to the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Finland	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 29 May 1975. In force since 29 May 1975 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee	Contains amendments to the Agreement and to Protocols 1, 2, 3 and 4.
OJ L 357/80 page 27	Additional Protocol to the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Finland consequent on the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Community	EEC Treaty Art. 113 Treaty on the accession of Greece to the EEC. EEC-Finland Agreement.	Signed on 6 November 1980. Entered into force on 1 March 1988 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee	
Not yet published	Additional Protocol to the Agreement between the Member States of the ECSC and the Republic of Finland consequent on the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Community	ECSC Treaty Treaty on the accession of Greece to the EEC. ECSC-Finland Agreement	Signed on 6 November 1980. Concluded for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee	

COUNTRY: FINLAND

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 192/83 page 6	Agreement on fisheries between the European Economic Community and the Government of Finland	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 6 July 1983. Entered into force on 5 January 1984 for a period of ten years. Remains in force for periods of six years, unless denounced nine months before expiry of each period.	Consultations between the Contracting Parties (Article 7)	The purpose of the Agreement is to achieve a satisfactory balance in the parties' reciprocal fishery relations. It provides for cooperation in the conservation and management of fish stocks and for relevant research. The Agreement also regulates the issue of licences and the obligations of fishing vessels. See also the exchange of letters concerning Art. 2(1)(b) of the Agreement, in OJ L 192/83, page 10.
OJ L 370/85 page 4	Mutual restraint Arrangement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Finland on trade in cheese	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 23 December 1985. Entered into force on 1 January 1986 for an unlimited period.	Information and cooperation mechanisms (see Annex).	This Arrangement replaces the temporary concerted discipline arrangement between the Republic of Finland and the EEC signed on 9 December 1981 (see OJ L 359/81. For subsequent amendments, see: OJ L 264/83, page 13; OJ L 126/84, page 34; and OJ L 18/85, page 11).
OJ L 78/86 page 23	Framework Agreement for scientific and technical cooperation between the European Communities and the Republic of Finland	EEC Treaty ECSC Treaty	Signed on 29 April 1986. Entered into force on 17 July 1987 for an unlimited period.	Finland-Communities Research Committee (Articles 10 & 11)	Agreement designed to set up and develop scientific and technical cooperation in a number of fields of mutual interest. Implementation will be covered by specific agreements establishing scientific and technical objectives, the rules concerning dissemination of knowledge and intellectual property, and financial aspects. These framework agreements reflect the conclusions of the meeting of EEC and EFTA ministers held in Luxembourg on 9 April 1984, which encouraged scientific and technical cooperation in Europe. The agreements are intended essentially as a starting point for further developments which may embrace any sector falling within the Community's jurisdiction where scientific cooperation is appropriate.

COUNTRY: FINLAND

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 328/86 page 12	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters concerning non-agricultural and processed agricultural products not covered by the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Finland	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 14 July 1986 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee	Agreement concluded to take account of the accession of Spain and Portugal.
OJ L 328/86 page 67	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Finland concerning agriculture	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 14 July 1986. In force from 1 March 1986 to 1 January 1993.	Joint Committee	Two-part agreement. The second part is made up of two exchanges of letters and contains a clause covering the Canary Islands and Ceuta and Melilla. This Agreement will expire at the end of the transitional period specified by the Agreement on the accession of Spain and Portugal.
OJ L 383/86 page 46	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Finland on trade in certain spirituous beverages	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 13 December 1986 with effect from 1 January 1987 for an unlimited period.	Consultations held at the request of either party (point 3).	The purpose of the Agreement is to develop trade in this sector. Both parties may terminate the Agreement, subject to one year's notice in writing.

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Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 321/86 page 63	Additional Protocol to the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Finland consequent on the accession of the Kingdom of Spain and the Portuguese Republic to the Community	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 14 July 1986. Due to enter into force on 1 March 1986 (Art. 18) or on the first day following notification of the second month ratification. Concluded for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee set up by the EEC-Finland Agreement.	Contains 8 Annexes which form an integral part of the Agreement. For amendments and derogations in Second and Third Additional Protocols, see OJ L 136/89 and OJ L 206/89.
OJ L 276/88 page 17	Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Finland on research in the field of wood, including cork as a renewable raw material	EEC Treaty Art. 235	1986-89. Signed on 16 December 1988. Entered into force on 1 January 1988 (Art. 10).	Joint Committee (Art. 4)	This Agreement was concluded for the period covered by the Community programme for 1987-89 (Art. 8(1)). Renewed when a new programme was adopted for 1990-92 (OJ L 359/89).

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Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 400/89 page 7	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Finland on trade electronic data interchange systems	EEC Treaty Art. 235	Signed on 7 December 1989. Entered into force on 1 February 1990 for the period covered by the Tedis programme (1988-89). Tedis II is currently being negotiated.		Aims of the programme: coordinating the development of electronic data interchange systems in trade, industry and administration, bearing in mind the specific requirements of users, and SME in particular.
OJ L 295/89 page 2	Supplementary Protocol to the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Finland concerning the elimination of existing and prevention of new quantitative restrictions affecting exports or measures having equivalent effect	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 26 July 1989. Entered into force on 1 January 1990 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee	Supplements the Agreement signed on 5 October 1973 (OJ L 328/73) by inserting Articles 13a, 13b and 24a, replacing Art. 27, and adding Protocol 7.

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Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 102/90 page 11	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Finland establishing cooperation in the field of training in the context of the implementation of Comett II (1990-94)	EEC Treaty Art. 235	Signed on 19 December 1989. Entered into force on 1 January 1990 for the period covered by the programme (1990-94) (Art. 15).	Joint Committee (Art. 7)	The Agreement provides for a series of measures designed to promote cooperation between Finnish and Community universities and industry particularly as regards initial and continuous training in the field of technology.
OJ L 74/90 page 14	Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Finland in the field of medical and health research	EEC Treaty Art. 130q (2)	1 January 1988 to 31 December 1991.	Management and Coordination Advisory Committee (CGC)	Areas of research: - cancer; - AIDS; - health problems related to environment and lifestyle.
OJ L 50/90 page 8	Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Finland on a programme to stimulate the international cooperation and interchange needed by European research scientists (Science)	EEC Treaty Art. 130q (2)	1 July 1989 to 31 December 1992.	Committee for the European Development of Science and Technology (Codest) (Art. 4)	Objectives: improving the general quality of science and technology R & D; promoting training through research; improving mobility of researchers in Europe; developing intra-European scientific and technical cooperation; promoting the setting up of scientific networks.

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Référence	Title of agreement	Legal basis	Périod of validity	Administration	Remarks
O.J. L 61/91 page 7	Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Finland on a European Stimulation Plan for Economic Science (SPES)	EEC Treaty Art.130q(2)	Signed on 27 march 1991 Can be renewed or renegotiated.	Responsible for implementation are EEC Commission and Finnish Ministry for Science and Research	This Agreement is placed within the framework of the agreement for scientific and technical cooperation. It regulate the Republic of Finland with the European SPES program.
O.J. L 61/91 page 31	Cooperation Agreement between th European Economic Community and the Republic of Finland on a research and developement programme for the European Economic Community in the field of applied meteorology and chemical analysis(BCR)	EEC Treaty Art. 130 q(2)	Signed on 27 march 1991. Can be renewed and renegotiated.	EEC Commission and the Finnish Center for technical inspection are responsible for the implementation.	Annexes A and B which form integral part of this agreement, placed within the framework of the agreement for scientific and technical cooperation

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Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 301/72 page 1	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Iceland	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 22 July 1972. In force since 1 April 1973 for an unlimited period. May be denounced subject to 12 months' prior notice. From 1 January 1986 to 28 February 1986 extended to Spain and Portugal by exchange of letters (see OJ L 370/85). See specific Protocol for ensuing period.	Joint Committee (Articles 30-32). The future developments clause makes the role of the Joint Committee a fairly important one. The Committee has the power to make decisions which are binding on the parties concerned.	Non-specific or advanced trade agreement. This is a preferential agreement, establishing a free trade area and laying down a detailed schedule for the dismantling of tariffs, on completion of which industrial products circulate freely. The scope of this Agreement is wider than that of standard trade agreements, creating strong links between the two parties and embracing a great number of products. It does not contain a most-favoured-nation clause. The future developments clause states that if one of the contracting parties considers that it would be beneficial to develop the relationship defined by the Agreement, extending its scope to encompass sectors not originally covered, it may submit a reasoned request to that effect to the other party. The Joint Committee may be instructed to examine the matter. With this measure, the Agreement is made completely open. It is complemented by a supplementary Protocol concerning the amendments that were necessary as a result of Norway's decision not to accede to the European Communities (see OJ L 106/75). For amendments or derogations see: OJ L 217/76; OJ L 298/76; OJ L 338/76; OJ L 123/80 and OJ L 174/82. Protocol 3 to the Agreement has been amended on several occasions by Joint Committee decisions or by exchanges of letters. In 1984, it became necessary to consolidate all provisions then in force in a single document. This was done by means of an exchange of letters to which was annexed the new text of Protocol 3, which replaces that of the original Protocol 3 to the Agreement (see OJ L 323/84). See also OJ L 134/86, OJ L 47/86, OJ L 199/86, OJ L 236/87, OJ L 100/87, OJ L 388/87, OJ L 100/88, OJ L 180/88 and OJ L 318/89. Concerning technical barriers to trade, see OJ L 291/90, p.1

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Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 350/73 page 2	Agreement between the Member States of the ECSC and the Republic of Iceland	EEC-Iceland Agreement of 22 July 1972. ECSC Treaty	Signed on 22 July 1972. In force since 1 January 1974 for an unlimited period.	Consultations between the Contracting Parties (Art. 4)	Amendment: see OJ L 385/80.
OJ L 357/80 page 53	Additional Protocol to the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Iceland consequent on the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Community	EEC Treaty Art. 113 Treaty on the accession of Greece to the EEC. EEC-Iceland Agreement	Signed on 6 November 1980. Entered into force on 1 January 1981 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee set up by Articles 30-32 of the EEC-Iceland Agreement	
Not yet published	Additional Protocol to the Agreement between the Member States of the ECSC and the Republic of Iceland consequent on the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Community	ECSC Treaty Treaty on the accession of Greece to the EEC. ECSC-Iceland Agreement	Signed on 6 November 1980. Concluded for an unlimited period.	In the absence of specific provision, see ECSC-Iceland Agreement.	

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Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 137/81 page 1	Arrangement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Iceland on trade in sheepmeat and goatmeat	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 15 May 1981. Entered into force retroactively on 1 January 1981. In force initially until 31 March 1984. Subsequently renewed for an unlimited period.	Consultations at the request of either party, subject to fourteen days' notice.	Voluntary restraint agreement. Clause 2 of the Arrangement is covered by an exchange of letters (see OJ L 137/81, page 8). Tacit renewal unless one year's notice is given in writing. See also OJ L 154/84.
OJ L 321/ 86 page 121	Additional Protocol to the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Iceland consequent on the accession of the Kingdom of Spain and the Portuguese Republic to the Community	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 14 July 1986 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee	For amendments or derogations see Second and Third Additional Protocols, OJ L 136/89 and OJ L 206/89.
Not published	Additional Protocol annexed to the Agreement between the Member States of the ECSC and the Republic of Iceland consequent on the accession of the Kingdom of Spain and the Portuguese Republic to the Community	ECSC Treaty ECSC-Iceland Agreement	Signed on 14 July 1986 for an unlimited period.		

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Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 328/86 page 50	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters concerning non-agricultural and processed agricultural products not covered by the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Iceland	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 14 July 1986 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee	Agreement concluded to take account of the accession of Spain and Portugal.
OJ L 14/90 page 18	Framework Agreement for scientific and technical cooperation between the European Communities and the Republic of Iceland	EEC Treaty Art. 130q (2) Euratom Treaty Art. 101 second paragraph	Signed on 30 October 1989. Entered into force on 6 June 1990 for an unlimited period. May be denounced or revised subject to 12 months' notice.	Iceland-Communities Research Committee (Article 10)	This Agreement establishes a framework for the development of scientific and technical cooperation. Fields of mutual interest include: geothermal energy; exchanges of researchers; aquaculture; medical research; marine science and technology; natural hazards; biotechnology and information technology. Specific agreements will be concluded in line with cooperation requirements. A separate protocol may be drawn up to cover the domain of the ECSC.

COUNTRY: ICELAND

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 400/89 page 11	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Iceland on trade electronic data interchange systems	EEC Treaty Art. 235	Entered into force on 1 February 1990 for the period covered by the Tedis programme (1988-89). Tedis II is currently being negotiated.	Signed on 15 December 1989.	Aims of the programme: coordinating the development of electronic data interchange systems in trade, industry and administration, bearing in mind the specific requirements of users, and SME in particular.
OJ L 295/89 page 9	Supplementary Protocol to the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Iceland concerning the elimination of existing and prevention of new quantitative restrictions affecting exports or measures having equivalent effect	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 25 July 1989. Entered into force on 1 January 1990 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee	The contracting parties to this Protocol made the following amendments to the Agreement signed on 22 July 1972 (OJ L 301/72): insertion of Articles 13a, 13b and 25a; replacement of Art. 28; and addition of Protocol 7.

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Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 102/90 page 21	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Iceland establishing cooperation in the field of training in the context of the implementation of Comett II (1990-94)	EEC Treaty Art. 235	Signed on 19 December 1989. Entered into force on 1 January 1990 for the period covered by the programme (1990-94) (Art. 15).	Joint Committee (Art. 7)	The Agreement provides for a series of measures designed to promote cooperation between Icelandic and Community universities and industry, in particular as regards initial and continuous training in the field of technology.

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Référence	Title of agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
O.J. L 84/91 page 16	Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Iceland on a programme plan to stimulate the international cooperation and interchange needed by European research scientists (Science)	EEC Treaty Art. 130 q(2)	Signed on 18 July 1991	Ad hoc Committee (CODEST) see art. 4	Agreement placed within the system set up by framework agreement for scientific and technical cooperation (into force on 6 June 1990).
O.J. C 163/91 page 6	Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Iceland on research and development in the field of the environment : Science and Technology for Environmental Protection (STEP) and European Programme on Climatology and Natural Hazards (EPOCH).	EEC Treaty Art. 130q(2)	1989-1993 Can be removed or renegotiated	Cooperation Committee is established for the purposes of this agreement (art.3).	Agreement placed within the system set up by framework agreement for scientific and technical cooperation (into force on 6 June 1990).

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Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 171/73 page 2	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Norway and provisions for its implementation	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 14 May 1973. In force since 1 July 1973 for an unlimited period. May be denounced subject to 12 months' notice. From 1 January 1986 to 28 February 1986 extended to Spain and Portugal by an exchange of letters (see OJ L 370/85). See specific Protocol for ensuing period.	Joint Committee (Articles 29-31). The future developments clause makes the role of the Joint Committee a fairly important one. It has the power to make decisions which are binding on the parties concerned.	Non-specific or advanced trade Agreement. This is a preferential agreement, establishing a free trade area and laying down a detailed schedule for the dismantling of tariffs, on completion of which industrial products circulate freely. The scope of this Agreement is wider than that of standard trade agreements, creating strong links between the two parties and embracing a great number of products. It does not contain a most-favoured-nation clause. The future developments clause states that if one of the contracting parties considers that it would be beneficial to develop the relationship defined by the Agreement, extending its scope to encompass sectors not originally covered, it may submit a reasoned request to that effect to the other party. The Joint Committee may be instructed to examine the matter. With this measure, the Agreement is made completely open. For amendments and derogations, see: OJ L 357/73, OJ L 303/78, OJ L 298/76, OJ L 174/82, OJ L 338/76, OJ L 382/82. Protocol 3 to the Agreement has been amended on several occasions by Joint Committee decisions or by exchanges of letters. In 1984, it became necessary to consolidate all provisions then in force in a single document. This was done by means of an exchange of letters to which was annexed the new text of Protocol 3, which replaces that of the original Protocol 3 to the Agreement (see OJ L 323/84). See also OJ L 134/86, OJ L 47/86, OJ L 199/86, OJ L 100/87, OJ L 388/87, OJ L 100/88, OJ L 180/88 and OJ L 318/89. Concerning technical barriers to trade, see OJ 291/90, page 1.

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Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 348/74 page 17	Agreement between the Member States of the ECSC and the ECSC, of the one part, and the Kingdom of Norway, of the other part	ECSC Treaty EEC-Norway Agreement of 14 May 1973	Signed on 14 May 1973. In force since 1 January 1975 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee (Articles 26-28)	Joint agreement. Amendment: see OJ L 385/80.
OJ L 226/80 page 47	Agreement on fisheries between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Norway	EEC Treaty Art. 43	Signed on 27 February 1980. In force from 16 June 1981 until 16 June 1991. Renewable tacitly thereafter for periods of six years unless denounced (not less than nine months' notice).	Consultations between the parties (Art. 8).	Based on the principle of reciprocal access to fisheries. The application of Articles 2 and 7 of this Agreement is determined annually in the consultations between the Parties. The act resulting from these consultations is incorporated into Community law.
OJ L 357/80 page 78	Additional Protocol to the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Norway consequent on the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Community	EEC Treaty Art. 113 Treaty on the accession of Greece to the EEC. EEC-Norway Agreement	Signed on 6 November 1980. Entered into force on 1 January 1981 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee set up under the EEC-Norway Agreement.	
Not yet published	Additional Protocol to the Agreement between the Member States of the ECSC and the Kingdom of Norway consequent on the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Community	ECSC Treaty Treaty on the accession of Greece to the EEC. ECSC-Norway Agreement	Signed on 6 November 1980. Concluded for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee set up under the ECSC-Norway Agreement.	

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Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
Not published, see: SEC(81) 244	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the Commission of the European Communities and Norway concerning cooperation on environmental matters	EEC Treaty	Signed on 2 February 1981. In force for an unlimited period.	Consultations at high official level.	
Not published, see: SEC(83) 1909	Exchange of letters concerning cooperation between Norway and the Commission of the European Communities in the field of consumer protection	EEC Treaty	Signed on 21 November 1983 for an unlimited period.	Annual meeting of responsible officials.	
OJ L 78/86 page 26	Framework Agreement for scientific and technical cooperation between the European Communities and the Kingdom of Norway	EEC Treaty Euratom Treaty	Signed on 27 June 1986. Entered into force on 17 July 1987 for an unlimited period.	Norway-Communities Research Committee (Art. 10)	Framework Agreement to set up and develop scientific and technical collaboration, to be implemented by means of specific agreements establishing aims, rules governing dissemination of knowledge and intellectual property, and financial aspects. These framework agreements reflect the conclusions of the meeting of EEC and EFTA ministers held in Luxembourg on 9 April 1984 with a view to promoting scientific and technical cooperation in Europe.

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Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 328/86 page 21	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters concerning non-agricultural and processed agricultural products not covered by the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Norway	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 14 July 1986 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee	Agreement concluded to take account of the accession of Spain and Portugal.
OJ L 328/86 page 76	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Norway concerning agriculture and fisheries	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 14 July 1986 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee	Agreement concluded in the spirit of Art. 15 of the free trade Agreement, made necessary by the accession of Spain and Portugal to the Community. The second Agreement consists of three exchanges of letters and contains a clause concerning the Canary Islands and Ceuta and Melilla.

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Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 196/87 page 77	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters amending the Agreement of 14 July 1986 adjusting the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Norway concerning mutual trade in cheese	EEC Treaty Art. 113	From 1 April 1987 for the duration of the transitional period provided for by the Act of Accession of Spain to the Community.		
OJ L 337/86 page 1	Additional Protocol to the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Norway consequent on the accession of the Kingdom of Spain and the Portuguese Republic to the Community	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 14 July 1986. Entered into force on 1 March 1987 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee	Contains 8 Annexes which form an integral part of the Agreement. For amendments or derogations, see: OJ L 136/89 page 14 - Third Additional Protocol, OJ L 206/89 page 11.
OJ L 362/88 page 52	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Norway concerning reciprocal trade in cheese	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 21 December 1988. Entered into force on 1 January 1989.	Joint Committee	Replaces previous agreement (see OJ L 22/86 page 25). Annual cheese quotas are specified for 1989/90/91. The quotas for the ensuing years will be determined in the first half of 1991.

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Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 295/89 page 15	Supplementary Protocol to the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Norway concerning the elimination of existing and prevention of new quantitative restrictions affecting exports or measures having equivalent effect	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 18 July 1989. Entered into force on 1 January 1990 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee	The contracting parties to this Protocol amended the Agreement signed on 22 July 1972 (OJ L 300/72) as follows: insertion of Articles 13a, 13b and 24a; replacement of Art. 27; and addition of Protocol 5.
OJ L 400/89 page 16	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Norway on trade electronic data interchange systems	EEC Treaty Art. 235	Signed on 7 December 1989. Entered into force on 1 February 1990 for the period covered by the Tedis programme (1988-89). Tedis II is currently being negotiated.		Aims of the programme: coordinating the development of electronic data interchange systems in trade, industry and administration, bearing in mind the specific requirements of users, and SME in particular.

COUNTRY: NORWAY

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 102/90 page 31	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Norway establishing cooperation in the field of training in context of the implementation of Comett II (1990-94)	EEC Treaty Art. 235	Signed on 19 December 1989. Entered into force on 1 January 1990 for the period covered by the programme (1990-94) (Art. 15).	Joint Committee (Art. 7)	The Agreement provides for a series of measures designed to promote cooperation between Norwegian and Community universities and industry, particularly as regards initial and continuous training in the field of technology.
OJ L 74/90 page 20	Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Norway in the field of medical and health research	EEC Treaty Art. 130q(2)	1 January 1988 to 31 December 1991	Management and Coordination Advisory Committee (CGC)	Areas of research: - cancer; - AIDS; - health problems related to environment and lifestyle.
OJ L 50/90 page 15	Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Norway on a programme to stimulate the international cooperation and interchange needed by European research scientists (Science)	EEC Treaty Art. 130q(2)	1 July 1989 to 31 December 1992	Committee for the European Development of Science and Technology (Codest) (Art. 4)	Objectives: improving the general quality of science and technology R & D; promoting training through research; improving mobility of researchers in Europe; developing intra-European scientific and technical cooperation; promoting the setting-up of scientific networks.

COUNTRY : NORWAY

Référence	Title of agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
O.J. L 61/91 page 13	Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Norway on a European Stimulation plan for Economic Science (SPES)	EEC Treaty Art 130 q (2)	1989 to 1992	Commission and Royal Norwegian Ministry for Science and Culture. (art. 6).	Agreement within the system set up by framework agreement for scientific and technical cooperation.
O.J. C 179/91 page 10	Cooperation Agreement on Science and Technology for Environmental Protection (STEP) between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Norway.	EEC Treaty Art. 130q(2)	1989 to 1993	Cooperation Committee (art. 3).	Agreement within the system set up by framework cooperation agreement for scientific and technical cooperation. Implementation of this particular agreement is set out in Annexes A and B as well as the Community's rate of financial participation. Annexes C and D containing programme , timetable and Norway's financial contribution, form also an integral part of the agreement (art. 8).

COUNTRY: SWEDEN

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 300/72 page 96	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Sweden and provisions for its implementation	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 22 July 1972. In force since 1 January 1973 for an unlimited period. May be denounced subject to 12 months' notice. From 1 January 1986 to 26 February 1986, extension to Spain and Portugal by exchange of letters (OJ L 370/85). See specific Protocol for ensuing period.	Joint Committee (Articles 29-31). The future developments clause makes the role of the Joint Committee a fairly important one. It has the power to make decisions which are binding on the parties concerned.	Non-specific or advanced trade agreement. This is a preferential agreement, establishing a free trade area and laying down a detailed schedule for the dismantling of tariffs, on completion of which industrial products circulate freely. The scope of this Agreement is wider than that of standard trade agreements, creating strong links between the two parties and embracing a great number of products. It does not contain a most-favoured-nation clause. The future developments clause states that if one of the contracting parties considers that it would be beneficial to develop the relationship defined by the Agreement, extending its scope to encompass sectors not originally covered, it may submit a reasoned request to that effect to the other party. The Joint Committee may be instructed to examine the matter. With this measure, the Agreement is made completely open. For amendment and derogations, see: OJ L 298/76, OJ L 210/78, OJ L 174/82, OJ L 338/76, OJ L 303/78, OJ L 382/82. For the amendments necessary as a result of Norway's decision not to accede to the European Communities, see OJ L 106/75. Protocol 3 to the Agreement has been amended on several occasions by Joint Committee decisions or by exchanges of letters. In 1984, it became necessary to consolidate all provisions then in force in a single document. This was done by means of an exchange of letters to which was annexed the new text of Protocol 3, which replaces that of the original Protocol 3 to the Agreement (see OJ L 323/84). See also OJ L 134/86, OJ L 47/86, OJ L 199/86, OJ L 100/87, OJ L 388/87, OJ L 100/88, OJ L 216/88, OJ L 197/89 and OJ L 318/89. Concerning technical barriers to trade, see OJ L 291/90, page 1.

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OJ L 350/73 page 76	Agreement between the Member States of the ECSC and the ECSC, of the one part, and the Kingdom of Sweden, of the other part	ECSC Treaty EEC-Sweden Agreement of 22 July 1972.	Signed on 22 July 1972. In force since 1 January 1973 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee (Articles 26-28)	Amendment: see OJ L 385/80.
Not published See: SEC(77) 4022	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the Commission of the European Communities and Sweden concerning cooperation on environmental matters	EEC Treaty	Signed on 9 December 1977. In force for an unlimited period.	Consultations at high official level.	
OJ L 162/76 page 28	Agreement for cooperation between the European Atomic Energy Community and Sweden in the field of controlled thermonuclear fusion and plasma physics	Euratam Treaty Art. 101 second paragraph	Entered into force on 10 May 1976. Of unlimited duration in practice, as it is linked to the existence of Community programmes.	Euratam-Sweden Fusion Committee (Art. 12)	Agreement whereby the contracting parties link the research programme under way in Sweden to the Euratom programme. The programmes in question are described in Annexes I and II. Amended by specific Protocol, see OJ L 116/82.

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Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 226/80 page 1	Agreement on fisheries between the European Economic Community and the Government of Sweden	EEC Treaty Art. 43	Signed on 21 March 1977 and implemented provisionally from that date. Entered into force on 7 April 1981. Concluded for a period of ten years from the date of entry into force (Art. 12). Tacitly renewable for periods of six years unless denounced.	Consultations between the parties (Art. 7).	Based on the principle of reciprocal access to fisheries. The application of Articles 2 and 7 of this Agreement is determined annually in the consultations between the parties. The act resulting from these consultations is incorporated into Community law.
OJ L 357/80 page 104	Additional Protocol to the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Sweden consequent on the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Community	EEC Treaty Art. 113 Treaty on the accession of Greece to the EEC. EEC-Sweden Agreement	Signed on 6 November 1980. Entered into force on 1 January 1981 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee set up under the EEC-Sweden Agreement.	
Not yet published	Additional Protocol to the Agreement between the Member States of the ECSC and the ECSC, of the one part, and the Kingdom of Sweden of the other part, consequent on the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Community	ECSC Treaty. Treaty on the accession of Greece to the EEC. ECSC-Sweden Agreement	Signed on 6 November 1980 for an unlimited period. Entered into force on 1 March 1988.	Joint Committee set up under the ECSC-Sweden Agreement.	Joint agreement.

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Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
Not published, see: SEC(80) 1835	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the Commission of the European Communities and Sweden in the field of consumer protection	EEC Treaty	Signed on 15 December 1980. In force for an unlimited period.	Consultations at high official level.	
OJ L 226/80 page 7	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Swedish Government relating to certain measures intended to promote the reproduction of salmon in the Baltic Sea	EEC Treaty Art. 43	Signed on 21 November 1979. Entered into force on the date on which the parties notified each other that the necessary formalities had been completed (Art. 4). To remain in force for as long as the Agreement signed on 21 March 1977 between the Community and Sweden on fisheries remains in force (Art. 5).		This Agreement is linked to the fisheries Agreement of 1977, and will remain in force as long as the latter does (Art. 5).

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Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 313/85 page 1	Framework Agreement for scientific and technical cooperation between the European Communities and the Kingdom of Sweden	EEC Treaty Euratom Treaty	Signed on 13 January 1986. Entered into force on 27 August 1987 for an unlimited period.	Sweden-Communities Research Committee (Articles 10 and 11)	Agreement establishing a framework covering all cooperation in the field of research, to be implemented by means of specific agreements laying down the procedures and means for each cooperation project. A separate protocol may be concluded for the areas covered by the ECSC Treaty (Art. 12).
OJ L 337/86 page 59	Additional Protocol to the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Sweden consequent on the accession of the Kingdom of Spain and the Portuguese Republic to the Community	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 14 July 1986 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee	For amendments or derogations see Second and Third Additional Protocols, OJ L 136/89 and OJ L 206/89.
OJ L 328/86 page 30	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters on non-agricultural and processed agricultural products not covered by the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Sweden	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 14 July 1986 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee	Agreement concluded to take account of the accession of Spain and Portugal.

COUNTRY: SWEDEN

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 328/86 pages 89 & 99	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Sweden on agriculture and fisheries	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 14 July 1986 for an unlimited period.		Two agreements, the second of which consists of 5 exchanges of letters, the last of which contains a clause on the Canary Islands, Ceuta and Melilla. The Community agrees to reciprocal tariff concessions consequent on the accession of the Kingdom of Spain and the Portuguese Republic.
OJ L 276/88 page 5	Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Sweden on research in the field of wood, including cork, as a renewable raw material	EEC Treaty Art. 235 Council Decision 86/235/EEC Art. 6 EEC-Sweden Framework Agreement for scientific and technical cooperation.	1986-89 Signed on 16 March 1989. Valid for the period covered by the Community programme of 1986-89 (Art. 8(1)). Entered into force on 1 January 1988 (Art. 10). The Agreement was tacitly renewed by adoption of a new programme for the period 1990-92. See OJ L 359/89.	Commission and Committee on "Raw Materials and Other Materials" enlarged to include Swedish representatives (Art. 4)	Council Decision 86/235/EEC adopted a research programme on materials (see OJ L 159/86, page 36) with which Sweden becomes fully associated as a result of this Agreement. In this way, the R & D programmes are now coordinated.
OJ L 276/88 page 11	Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Sweden on research in the field of the recycling and utilization of waste	EEC Treaty Art. 235 Council Decision 86/235/EEC (Art. 6) EEC-Sweden Framework Agreement for scientific and technical cooperation.	1986-89 Signed on 16 March 1989. Entered into force on 1 January 1988 (Art. 11) for the duration of the Community programme 1986-89 (Art. 9(1)). Renewed by the adoption of a new programme (REWARD) for the period 1990-92. See OJ L 359/89.	Commission and Committee on "Raw Materials and Other Materials" enlarged to include Swedish representatives (Art. 4)	Council Decision 86/235/EEC adopted a research programme on materials (see OJ L 159/86, page 36) with which Sweden becomes fully associated as a result of this Agreement. In this way, the R & D programmes are now coordinated.

COUNTRY: SWEDEN

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 295/89 page 22	Supplementary Protocol between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Sweden concerning the elimination of existing and prevention of new quantitative restrictions affecting exports or measures having equivalent effect	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 18 July 1989. Entered into force on 1 January 1990 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee	The contracting parties to this Protocol amended the Agreement signed on 22 July 1972 (OJ L 300/72) by inserting Articles 13a, 13b and 24a, replacing Art. 27 and adding Protocol 5.
OJ L 400/89 page 21	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Sweden on trade electronic data interchange systems	EEC Treaty Art. 235	Signed on 7 December 1989. Entered into force on 1 February 1990 for the period covered by the Tedis programme (1988-89). Tedis II is currently being negotiated.		Aims of the programme: coordinating the development of electronic data interchange systems in trade, industry and administration, bearing in mind the specific requirements of users, and SME in particular.

COUNTRY: SWEDEN

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 74/90 page 26	Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Sweden in the field of medical and health research	EEC Treaty Art. 130q(2)	Signed on 27 April 1990. In force from 30 March 1990. Valid from 1 January 1988 to 31 December 1991.	Management and Coordination Advisory Committee (CGC)	Areas of research: - cancer; - AIDS; - health problems related to environment and lifestyle.
OJ L 50/90 page 22	Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Sweden on a programme to stimulate the international cooperation and interchange needed by European research scientists (Science)	EEC Treaty Art. 130q(2)	Signed on 30 March 1990. Valid from 1 July 1989 to 31 December 1992.	Committee for the European Development of Science and Technology (Codest) (Art. 4)	Objectives: improving the general quality of science and technology R & D; promoting training through research; improving mobility of researchers in Europe; developing intra-European science and technology cooperation; promoting the setting-up of scientific networks.

COUNTRY: SWEDEN

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 102/90 page 41	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Sweden establishing cooperation in the field of training in context of the implementation of Comett II (1990-94)	EEC Treaty Art. 235	Signed on 19 December 1989. Entered into force on 1 January 1990 for the period covered by the programme (1990-94) (Art. 15).	Joint Committee (Art. 7)	The Agreement provides for a series of measures designed to promote cooperation between Swedish and Community universities and industry, particularly as regards initial and continuous training in the field of technology.
OJ L 228/90 page 35	Cooperation Agreement between the European Atomic Energy Community and the Kingdom of Sweden on research and training in the field of radiation protection	Euratom Treaty Art. 101, third paragraph	Signed on 3 August 1990. Entered into force on 25 September 1990 for the duration of the Community programme (1990-91) (Art. 9).	The Commission oversees the programme assisted by an Advisory Committee which has two Swedish representatives (Art. 4).	The aim is to develop a scientific basis for the regular updating of the "Basic Safety Standards for the health protection of the general public and workers against dangers of ionizing radiation". Fields of research: - Human exposure to radiation and radioactivity; - Consequences of radiation exposure to man: assessment, prevention and treatment; - Risks and management of radiation exposure. The Agreement may be renegotiated or renewed if the Community adopts a new programme.

COUNTRY : SWEDEN

Référence	Title of agreement	Legal basis	Périod of validity	Administration	Remarks
O.J. L 61/91 page 19	Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Sweden on a European Stimulation Plan for Economic Science (SPES).	EEC Treaty art.130 q(2)	1989 to 1992.	EEC Commission and swedish Council for planification and coordination of the research.	Agreement within the system set up by framework agreement for scientific and technical cooperation.
O.J. L 61/91 page 37	Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Sweden on a research and development programme for the European Economic Community in the field of applied metrology and chemical analysis (BCR).	EEC Treaty Art. 1 30q(2)	1989-1992. Signed and entered into force on 8 May 1991.	EEC Commission and swedish Council for technical inspection (art.7).	Agreement within the system set up by framework agreement for scientific and technical cooperation. Annexes A, B and C form an integral part of this agreement.
O.J. C 163/91 page 6	Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Sweden on research and development in the field of the environment: Science and Technology for Environmental Protection (STEP) and European Programme on Climatology and Natural Hazards (EPOCH).	EEC Treaty Art. 130q(2)	1989-1993 Can be removed or renegotiated.	Cooperation Committee (art. 3).	Agreement placed within the system set up by framework agreement for scientific and technical cooperation (into force on 27 august 1987). The annexes A, B, C and D form integral part of this agreement and contain scientific and financial provisions as well as a timetable.

COUNTRY: SWITZERLAND

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ ECSC 17/57 page 223	Agreement on the introduction of through international railway tariffs for the carriage of coal through Swiss territory	ECSC Treaty	Signed on 28 July 1956. In force since 1 June 1957 for an unlimited period.	Transport Committee (Articles 6-7)	Supplementary Protocol to the Agreement, see OJ L 12/79. Second Supplementary Protocol (text of the Agreement in the Greek language), see: OJ L 227/81 and OJ L 307/81. Text of the Agreement in Spanish and Portuguese, see OJ L 379/87, page 7.
OJ L 257/69 page 3	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Swiss Confederation concerning certain cheeses	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Initialled on 29 June 1967. Entered into force on 1 July 1979 for an unlimited period.	Consultations between the parties.	Amended by an agreement in the form of an exchange of letters. Signed on 5 November 1987 (see OJ L 289/87, page 32).
OJ L 350/73 page 13 page 29	Agreement between the Member States of the ECSC and the Swiss Confederation Additional Agreement concerning the validity of the Agreement for the Principality of Liechtenstein	ECSC Treaty	Signed on 22 July 1972. In force since 1 January 1974 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee (Articles 25-27)	Joint agreement. See also: Consultation Agreement between the Swiss Confederation and the High Authority of the ECSC, signed in 1956 (OJ ECSC 7/57).

COUNTRY: SWITZERLAND

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 300/72 page 189	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Swiss Confederation	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 22 July 1972. In force since 1 January 1973 for an unlimited period. May be denounced subject to 12 months' notice. From 1 January 1986 to 26 February 1986, extension to Spain and Portugal by exchange of letters (OJ L 370/85). See specific Protocol for ensuing period.	Joint Committee (Art. 29-31) (The future developments clause makes the role of the Joint Committee a fairly important one). It has the power to make decisions which are binding on the parties concerned.	Non-specific or advanced trade agreement. This is a preferential agreement, creating a free trade area and laying down a detailed schedule for the dismantling of tariffs, on completion of which industrial products circulate freely. The scope of this Agreement is wider than that of standard trade agreements, creating strong links between the two parties and embracing a great number of products. It does not contain a most-favoured-nation clause. The future developments clause states that if one of the contracting parties considers that it would be beneficial to develop the relationship defined by the Agreement, extending its scope to encompass sectors not originally covered, it may submit a reasoned request to that effect to the other party. The Joint Committee may be instructed to examine the matter. With this measure, the Agreement is made completely open. For amendments and derogations see: OJ L 298/76, OJ L 338/76, OJ L 116/78, OJ L 303/78, OJ L 174/82, OJ L 337/83. For amendments introduced as a result of Norway's decision not to accede to the European Communities, see OJ L 106/75. Protocol 3 to the Agreement has been amended on several occasions by Joint Committee decisions or by exchanges of letters. In 1984, it became necessary to consolidate all provisions then in force in a single document. This was done by means of an exchange of letters to which was annexed the new text of Protocol 3, which replaces that of the original Protocol 3 to the Agreement (see OJ L 323/84). See also OJ L 134/86, OJ L 47/86, OJ L 199/86. For subsequent amendments see OJ L 100/87, OJ L 388/87 and OJ L 100/88. Concerning technical barriers to trade, see OJ L 291/90, p.1.

COUNTRY: SWITZERLAND

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
Not yet published	Exchange of letters between the Commission and the Swiss Confederation concerning recognition by the Swiss authorities of the laissez-passer issued by the Communities to members and servants of the institutions	Protocol on the privileges and immunities of the European Communities (Art. 7), annexed to the Merger Treaty of 1965	Signed on 5 December 1974 for an unlimited period.		
OJ L 294/72 page 1	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Swiss Confederation on the application of the rules on Community transit	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 23 November 1972. In force since 1 January 1974 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee (Articles 15-16)	Scope extended by Agreement between the European Economic Community, Switzerland and Austria, see OJ L 142/77. For the Greek language version of the text, see OJ L 147/81. For the Spanish and Portuguese language versions, see OJ L 143/86, page 187. Amendments and derogations, see: OJ L 151/77, OJ L 180/82, OJ L 155/80, OJ L 285/82, OJ L 108/81, OJ L 355/82, OJ L 383/81, OJ L 339/83, OJ L 19/82, OJ L 312/84, OJ L 26/85, OJ L 209/85, OJ L 99/87 and OJ L 332/87. See also OJ L 199/86 with ES-PT amendment and Additional Protocol following the accession of Spain and Portugal.

COUNTRY: SWITZERLAND

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
Not published	Agreement concerning products of the clock and watch industry between the European Economic Community and its Member States and the Swiss Confederation	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 30 June 1967. In force since 1 January 1968 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee (Art. 9)	Amended by new list relating to Art. 2, see: OJ C 253/77. Joint agreement in that it is also signed by the Member States. See also amendment to Additional Agreement of 24 October 1986 (see OJ C 94/87, page 1).
OJ L 118/74 page 11	Additional Agreement to the Agreement concerning products of the clock and watch industry between the European Economic Community and its Member States and the Swiss Confederation	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 30 June 1967. In force since 1 January 1968 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee set up under Art. 9 of the EEC-Switzerland Agreement concerning products of the clock and watch industry.	Amended by new list relating to Art. 2, see: OJ C 251/84. Joint agreement in that it is also signed by the Member States.
Not published, see: SEC(75) 4081	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the Commission of the European Communities and Switzerland concerning cooperation on environmental matters	EEC Treaty	Signed on 12 December 1975. In force from 12 December 1975 for an unlimited period.	Consultations at high official level.	

COUNTRY: SWITZERLAND

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 242/78 page 1	Cooperation Agreement between the European Atomic Energy Community and the Swiss Confederation in the field of controlled thermonuclear fusion and plasma physics	Euratom Treaty Art. 101 second paragraph	Entered into force on 30 May 1979. Of unlimited duration in practice, as it is linked to the existence of Community programmes.	Euratom-Switzerland Fusion Committee (Art. 16)	For amending Protocol, see: OJ L 116/82.
OJ L 357/80 page 130	Additional Protocol to the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Swiss Confederation consequent on the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Community	EEC Treaty Article 113. Treaty on the accession of Greece to the EEC. EEC-Switzerland Agreement.	Signed on 17 July 1980. Entered into force on 1 January 1981. Renewed from 1 March 1988 (date of entry into force) for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee set up by the EEC-Switzerland Agreement. See above.	
Not yet published	Additional Protocol to the Agreement between the Member States of the ECSC and the Swiss Confederation consequent on the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Community	ECSC Treaty Treaty on the accession of Greece to the EEC. EEC-Switzerland Agreement.	Signed on 6 November 1980. Renewed on 1 March 1988 (date of entry into force) for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee set up by the ECSC-Switzerland Agreement. See above.	Joint agreement.

COUNTRY: SWITZERLAND

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
Not yet published	Supplementary Protocol to the Additional Agreement concerning the validity, for the Principality of Liechtenstein, of the Agreement between the Member States of the European Coal and Steel Community and the Swiss Confederation consequent on the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Community	ECSC Treaty. Treaty on the accession of Greece to the EEC. ECSC-Switzerland Agreement.	Signed on 6 November 1980. Concluded for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee set up by the ECSC-Switzerland Agreement. See above.	Joint agreement.
OJ L 83/82 page 1	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Swiss Confederation on a concerted action project in the field of the detection of the tendency to thrombosis	EEC Treaty	Signed on 24 March 1982. In force until 31 March 1984. Subsequently renewed.	The Concerted Action Committee, set up on 18 March 1980, was enlarged to include Switzerland (Art. 3 and Annex II).	The purpose of the Agreement is to coordinate the Community concerted action programme with the corresponding programme of Switzerland. Extended and amended by an Agreement between the parties signed on 21 March 1986, approved by the Council Decision of 24 February 1986 (see OJ L 75/86, page 31).

COUNTRY: SWITZERLAND

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ C 154/83 page 33	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Swiss Confederation on direct insurance other than life insurance	EEC Treaty (the appropriate article is under discussion).	Initialled on 25 June 1982. Signed in October 1989.	Joint Committee (with the power to amend the provisions of the Agreement itself; future development is envisaged).	The purpose of the Agreement is to provide reciprocal guarantees for non-life insurance companies, with registered place of business in the Community or Switzerland, regarding identical conditions of access and practice on the territory of the other contracting party. It is the first EEC agreement on right of establishment in the insurance sector and in the services sector in general. It establishes the automatic right of insurance companies incorporated in the territory of one of the contracting parties to set up agencies and branches in the territory of the other contracting party which are not required to have separate solvency margins.
Not published	Bilateral R & D Cooperation Agreement in the field of radioactive waste management between the International Cooperative for the Storage of Radioactive Waste (CEDRA Switzerland) and the European Atomic Energy Community	Euratom Treaty Art. 101, third paragraph	Signed on 21 June 1984 for a period of 5 years. Renewable.	Administrators designated by the parties (Art. 5)	Purpose: exchange of information on research carried out in this field by the two parties, and in particular research on waste disposal in geological formations. Characterization and monitoring of highly radioactive waste.

COUNTRY: SWITZERLAND

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 187/84 page 1	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Swiss Confederation founding direct cooperation between the authorities of the Member States of the Community responsible for the prevention of fraud and the competent Swiss authorities	EEC Treaty	Signed on 15 October 1984 for an unlimited period. May be denounced subject to one year's notice in writing.	Exchanges of information (points 2 to 5) by the authorities concerned.	Purpose: cooperation between the authorities responsible for official control of wine. Agreement also effective in the Principality of Liechtenstein.
OJ L 309/85 page 22	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Swiss Confederation on trade arrangements for soups, sauces and condiments	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 18 November 1985. The arrangements will enter into force on 1 January 1986 for an unlimited period.	The Agreement makes no provision for its administration.	The annex contains amended tables in respect of Protocol 2 to the Agreement of 22 July 1972 between the European Economic Community and the Swiss Confederation.
OJ L 313/85 page 5	Framework Agreement for scientific and technical cooperation between the European Communities and the Swiss Confederation	EEC Treaty Euratom Treaty	Signed on 8 January 1986. Entered into force on 17 July 1987.	Switzerland-Communities Research Committee (Articles 10 and 11)	Agreement establishing a framework encompassing cooperation in all fields of research. A separate protocol may be concluded for the fields covered by the ECSC Treaty (Art. 12).
OJ L 337/86 page 120	Additional Protocol to the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Swiss Confederation consequent on the accession of the Kingdom of Spain and the Portuguese Republic to the Community	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 14 April 1986. Entry into force scheduled for 1 March 1986 (Art. 18) for an unlimited period.		See also exchange of letters concerning Spanish imports of the products falling within subheading 84.41 A I of the CCT. For amendments or derogations, see Second and Third Additional Protocols, OJ L 136/89 and OJ L 206/89.

COUNTRY: SWITZERLAND

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 328/86 page 38	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters concerning non-agricultural and processed agricultural products not covered by the agreement between the European Economic Community and the Swiss Confederation	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 14 July 1986 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee	Agreement concluded to take account of the accession of Spain and Portugal.
OJ L 328/86 page 98	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Swiss Confederation on agriculture and fisheries	EEC Treaty Art. 13	Signed on 14 July 1986 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee	The second Agreement is made up of 5 exchanges of letters and contains a clause on the Canary Islands and Ceuta and Melilla.
OJ L 195/88 page 80	Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Swiss Confederation on research and development in the field of advanced materials (EURAM)	EEC Treaty Art. 235	Valid for the duration of the programme of the contracting party which expires first (Art. 7).	Meetings attended by the persons responsible for the Swiss and Community programmes.	The programmes in question are described in Annexes A and B to the Agreement. In 1990 the participation procedure changed.
Not published	Agreement between the ECSC Member States and the Swiss Confederation consequent on the accession of the Kingdom of Spain and the Portuguese Republic to the Community	ECSC Treaty ECSC - Switzerland Agreement.	Signed on 14 July 1986 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee set up under the EEC-Switzerland Agreement.	See also the Supplementary Protocol to the Additional Agreement on the validity of this Agreement for the Principality of Liechtenstein (also signed on 14 July 1986).

COUNTRY: SWITZERLAND

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 400/89 page 26	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Swiss Confederation on trade electronic data interchange systems	EEC Treaty Art. 235	Signed on 7 December 1989. Entered into force on 1 February 1990 for the period covered by the Tedis programme (1988-89). Tedis II is currently being negotiated.		Aims of the programme: coordinating the development of electronic data interchange systems in trade, industry and administration, bearing in mind the specific requirements of users, and SME in particular.
OJ L 295/89 page 29	Supplementary Protocol to the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Swiss Confederation concerning the elimination of existing and prevention of new quantitative restrictions affecting exports or measures having equivalent effect.	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 12 July 1989. Entered into force on 1 November 1990 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee set up under the EEC-Switzerland Agreement.	The contracting parties to this Protocol amended the Agreement signed on 22 July 1972 (see OJ L 300/72) by inserting Articles 13a, 13b and 24a; replacing Art. 7, Annex 7 and Art. 27; and adding Protocol 6.
OJ L 50/90 page 29	Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Swiss Confederation on a programme to stimulate the international cooperation and interchange needed by European research scientists (Science)	EEC Treaty Art. 130q(2)	1 July 1989 to 31 December 1992.	Committee for the European Development of Science and Technology (Codest) (Art. 4)	Objectives: improving the general quality of science and technology R & D; promoting training through research; improving mobility of researchers in Europe; developing intra-European science and technology cooperation; promoting the setting-up of scientific networks.

COUNTRY: SWITZERLAND

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 74/ 90 page 32	Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Swiss Confederation in the field of medical and health research	EEC Treaty Art. 130q(2)	1 January 1988 to 31 December 1991.	Management and Coordination Advisory Committee (CCG)	Areas of research: - cancer - AIDS - age-related health problems - health problems related to environment and lifestyle.

COUNTRY: SWITZERLAND

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 102/90 page 51	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Swiss Confederation establishing cooperation in the field of training in the context of the implementation of Comett II (1990-94)	EEC Treaty Art. 235	Signed on 19 December 1989. Entered into force on 1 January 1990 for the period covered by the programme (Art. 15).	Joint Committee (Article 7)	The Agreement provides for a series of measures designed to promote cooperation between Swiss and Community universities and industry, particularly as regards initial and continuous training in the field of technology.
OJ C 287/90	R & D Cooperation Agreement in the field of radioactive waste management between the European Atomic Energy Community and the National Cooperative for the Storage of Radioactive Waste (Switzerland)	Euratom Treaty Art. 101	Signed and entered into force on 17 October 1990 for a period of 5 years (Art. X).	Annual meeting of administrators (Art. V)	Aims: information exchanges on research carried out in this field by both parties, particularly research on waste disposal in geological formations. Characterization and monitoring of highly radioactive waste.

COUNTRY : SWITZERLAND

Référence	Title of agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
O.J. L 61/91 page 25	Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Swiss Confederation on a European Stimulation Plan for Economic Science (SPES).	EEC Treaty Art. 130q(2)	1989-1992.	EEC Commission and Swiss Federal Council (art.6).	Agreement within the system set up by framework agreement for scientific and technical cooperation.
O.J. L 61/91 page 43	Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Swiss Confederation on a research and development programme for the European Economic Community in the field of applied metrology and chemical analysis (BCR).	EEC Treaty Art.130q(2)	1989 to 1992. Signed and entered into force on 8 may 1991.	EEC Commission and Swiss Federal Council (art. 7).	Agreement within the system set up by framework agreement for scientific and technical cooperation. Annexes A, B and C form an integral part of the agreement.
O.J. L 205/91 Page 2	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Swiss Confederation concerning direct insurance other than life insurance.	EEC Treaty Art. 57(2) Art. 235	Signed on 10 october 1989 Concerning the period between the date of signature and the date of entry into force, see "Joint Declaration" in O.J. L 205/91, page 45	Mixed Committee (art. 37).	Agreement of great juridical interest. It sets up a very precise and detailed system of rules in this particularly new field. It contains 5 annexes, 4 protocols, 9 exchanges of letters and a Final Act.

COUNTRY: FAROES (Denmark)

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 226/80 page 11	Agreement on fisheries between the European Economic Community, of the one part, and the Government of Denmark and the Home Government of the Faroe Islands, of the other part	EEC Treaty Art. 43	Signed on 15 March 1977 and implemented provisionally with retroactive effect from 1 January 1977 (Art. 11). Initially concluded for a period of ten years. If none of the parties terminates the Agreement, it will remain in force for additional periods of six years, barring denunciation (Art. 12).	Consultations between the parties (Art. 7)	Based on the principle of reciprocal access to fisheries. The special arrangements to be agreed annually are determined in consultations between the parties. The measures resulting from these consultations are incorporated into Community law.

COUNTRY: GREENLAND (Denmark)

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 29/85 page 9	Agreement on fisheries between the European Economic Community, on the one hand, and the Government of Denmark and the local Government of Greenland, on the other	EEC Treaty Art. 43	In force initially for a period of 10 years and to remain in force for further periods of 6 years. Entered into force on 1 February 1985.	Consultations between the parties on matters relating to the Agreement and the Protocols concluded for its implementation (Art. 14).	It establishes the principles and the rules which will govern the fishing activities in Greenland waters of Member States' vessels. It stresses the importance of ensuring the conservation and rational management of fish stocks. It provides for financial compensation to be paid by the Community to Greenland in return for the fishing possibilities accorded to Community fishermen in Greenland waters.
OJ L 29/85 page 14	Protocol on the conditions relating to fishing between the European Economic Community, on the one hand, and the Government of Denmark and the local Government of Greenland, on the other	EEC Treaty Art. 43	In force for 5 years from the date of the Agreement's entry into force. Entered into force on 1 February 1985.	Consultations between the parties on matters relating to the Agreement and the Protocols concluded for its implementation (Art. 14).	Fixes the financial compensation at ECU 26 500 000 payable annually at the beginning of the fishing season.

SOUTHERN EUROPE

COUNTRY: CYPRUS

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 133/73 page 1	Agreement establishing an Association between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Cyprus	EEC Treaty Art. 238	Signed on 19 December 1972. In force since 1 June 1973. The first stage should have been completed on 30 June 1977 but was subsequently extended for an unlimited period.	Association Council (Articles 12-14)	<p>First stage extended by Additional Protocol or unilaterally. Procedure for progress to the second stage decided by the Association Council on 24 November 1980. See Protocol in OJ L 174/81, signed on 18 March 1981 and entered into force on 1 July 1981. The Protocol concerning the trade arrangements to be applied during 1983 entered into force on 1 December 1983 (OJ L 353/83, pages 1 and 7). Its provisions were unilaterally extended up to 30 June 1984 (OJ L 369/83, page 1) and subsequently extended until 31.12.1985.</p> <p>The first stage was due to be completed by 30 June 1977, but was subsequently extended. The Protocol laying down the conditions and procedures for the implementation of the second stage of the Agreement establishing an Association between the EEC and the Republic of Cyprus and adapting certain provisions of the Agreement was signed on 19 October 1987 and entered into force on 2 January 1988 (see below). It provides for the establishment of a customs union. (See OJ C 343/87).</p>
OJ L 133/73 page 87	Protocol laying down certain provisions relating to the Agreement establishing an Association between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Cyprus consequent on the accession of new Member States to the EEC	EEC Treaty Art. 238 Act annexed to the Accession Treaty, Art. 108	Signed on 19 December 1972. In force since 1 June 1973, for an unlimited period.	Association Council (Articles 12-14)	

COUNTRY: CYPRUS

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 339/77 page 2	Additional Protocol to the Agreement establishing an Association between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Cyprus + annex	EEC Treaty Art. 238	Signed on 15 September 1977. Entered into force on 1 June 1978 for an unlimited period.	Association Council set up by the EEC-Cyprus Agreement.	The Protocol and the annex thereto form an integral part of the Association Agreement. For amendment see OJ L 288/85.
OJ L 172/78 page 2	Supplementary Protocol to the Agreement establishing an Association between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Cyprus	EEC Treaty Art. 238	Signed on 11 May 1978. Entered into force on 1 July 1978 for an unlimited period.	Association Council set up by the EEC-Cyprus Agreement.	The Protocol forms an integral part of the Association Agreement.
OJ L 174/81 page 1	Protocol to the Agreement establishing an Association between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Cyprus consequent on the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Community	EEC Treaty Art. 238 Treaty on the accession of Greece to the EEC.	Signed on 12 December 1980. Entered into force on 1 August 1981 for an unlimited period.	Association Council set up by the EEC-Cyprus Agreement.	The Protocol and the annexes thereto form an integral part of the Association Agreement.

COUNTRY: CYPRUS

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 393/87 page 37	Protocol to the Association Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Cyprus consequent on the accession of the Kingdom of Spain and the Portuguese Republic to the Community	EEC Treaty Art. 238	Signed on 19 October 1987.		
OJ L 393/87 page 2	Protocol laying down the conditions and procedures for the implementation of the second stage of the Agreement establishing an Association between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Cyprus and adapting certain provisions of the Agreement	EEC Treaty Art. 238	Signed on 19 October 1987 in Luxembourg. Entered into force on 1 January 1988.	Association Council set up by the EEC-Cyprus Agreement.	<p>The Protocol provides for the establishment of a customs union in two phases:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - During a first phase of 10 years (1988-97 in principle), Cyprus is to abolish customs duties for industrial products originating in the EEC and to adopt the CCT. <p>The two parties will abolish their customs duties for the agricultural products covered by reciprocal concessions in the Association Agreement. The Community will progressively increase the tariff quotas for Cyprus's principal agricultural export products.</p> <p>Cyprus will grant concessions for Community exports of cereals, beef and veal and vegetable oils.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The second phase (5 years) will enter into force by a decision of the Association Council. The measures necessary to implement the free movement of agricultural products in a customs union will be applied. <p>The Protocol, together with its Annexes 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 and the exchanges of letters annexed to the Final Act, forms an integral part of the Association Agreement.</p>

COUNTRY: CYPRUS

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 82/90 page 32	Protocol on financial and technical cooperation between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Cyprus	EEC Treaty Art. 238	1990-93. Entered into force on 1 June 1990.	Association Council set up by the EEC-Cyprus Agreement. The execution, management and maintenance of schemes that are the subject of financing is the responsibility of Cyprus, while the European Communities will supervise the expenditure of aid.	This follows the Protocols of 1979 and 1984, the second of which covered the period ending 31 December 1988 (see OJ L 85/84, page 37). The present Protocol provides for an aggregate amount of ECU 62 million, breaking down into ECU 44 million in the form of loans from the EIB, ECU 13 million from the Community budget in the form of grants, and ECU 5 million from the Community budget in the form of risk capital. Eligible for financing: infrastructure, technical cooperation and training projects.

COUNTRY: MALTA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks																
L 61/71 page 1	Agreement establishing an Association between the European Economic Community and Malta	EEC Treaty Art. 238	Signed on 5 December 1970. Entered into force on 1 April 1971 for an unlimited period.	Association Council (Articles 12-14)	<p>The Agreement provides for two stages: the first (duration: five years) was twice extended by an Agreement and an Additional Protocol (expiring on 31 December 1980), see: OJ L 81/76 OJ L 304/77.</p> <p>The trade provisions of the Agreement and the Protocols were unilaterally extended until 30 June 1984 (OJ L 366/83). Subsequently extended to 31 December 1985.</p> <p>The Community and Malta subsequently implemented unilaterally the trade provisions of the Agreement, which provide for substantial concessions. The following series of financial Protocols has been concluded (figures in ECU million):</p> <table data-bbox="1378 564 2028 713"> <thead> <tr> <th></th> <th>EIB</th> <th>Special loans</th> <th>Aid</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>1st Protocol (1978-83)</td> <td>16</td> <td>5</td> <td>5</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2nd Protocol (1983-88)</td> <td>13</td> <td>3</td> <td>10.5</td> </tr> <tr> <td>3rd Protocol (1988-92)</td> <td>23</td> <td>2.5</td> <td>12.5</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>The special loans are granted for a period of 40 years, with a 10-year grace period, at 1% interest.</p>		EIB	Special loans	Aid	1st Protocol (1978-83)	16	5	5	2nd Protocol (1983-88)	13	3	10.5	3rd Protocol (1988-92)	23	2.5	12.5
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COUNTRY: MALTA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 111/76 pages 1 and 11	Protocol laying down certain provisions relating to the Agreement establishing an Association between the European Economic Community and Malta and Protocol concerning the definition of the concept of "originating products" and methods of administrative cooperation	EEC Treaty Art. 238	Signed on 4 March 1976. Entered into force on 1 June 1976 for an unlimited period.	Association Council (Articles 12-14)	Forms an integral part of the Association Agreement. For amendments see OJ L 143/84, OJ L 196/84, OJ L 44/86 and OJ L 361/86.
OJ L 81/89 page 1	Supplementary Protocol to the Agreement establishing an Association between the European Economic Community and Malta	EEC Treaty Art. 238	Signed on 14 December 1988. Entered into force on 1 April 1989 until 31 December 1990.	Association Council set up by the EEC-Malta Agreement.	Extends the first stage of the Association Agreement until 31 December 1990. It improves the rules governing Community imports of certain products - particularly agricultural products - originating in Malta, with a view to maintaining traditional trade flows in the new situation brought about by the enlargement of the Community. This Protocol and its annexes form an integral part of the Association Agreement (see also OJ L 198/90).

COUNTRY: MALTA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 81/89 page 10	Protocol to the Agreement establishing an Association between the European Economic Community and Malta consequent on the accession of the Kingdom of Spain and the Portuguese Republic to the Community	EEC Treaty Art. 238	Signed on 14 December 1988 for an unlimited period.	Association Council set up by the EEC-Malta Agreement.	Contains the measures to be taken by both parties with a view to the progressive application of the association arrangements in trade relations between Malta and the two new Member States. This Protocol and its annexes form an integral part of the Association Agreement. See also OJ L 198/90, pages 1-5.

COUNTRY: TURKEY

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
<p>OJ No 217 of 29 December 1964, pages 3685 and 3705</p> <p>OJ L 293/72 pages 1 and 68</p> <p>page 57</p>	<p>Agreement establishing an Association between the European Economic Community and Turkey</p> <p><u>Annexed:</u> Provisional Protocol, Financial Protocol</p> <p><u>Annexed:</u> (with effect from 1 January 1973): Additional Protocol (amended by exchange of letters, see: OJ L 34/74);</p> <p>Financial Protocol (an Internal Agreement on the Financial Protocol established the implementing conditions)</p>	EEC Treaty Article 238	<p>Signed on 12 September 1963. In force from 1 December 1964 for an unlimited period.</p> <p>Signed on 23 November 1970.</p>	<p>Association Council (Articles 6 and 23) with power to take decisions on the attainment of the objectives set by the Agreement (Articles 22-23) and to set up committees (Article 24). It may also settle disputes (Article 25). Provision is also made for contacts between Turkish and European bodies other than the Commission (notably Parliament) (Article 27).</p>	<p>Agreement establishing a customs union and in principle paving the way for accession. It comprises three stages:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - a preparatory stage (duration: around five years); - a transitional stage (twelve years) involving the establishment of a customs union; - a final stage. <p>This Protocol established conditions, arrangements and a timetable for the transitional stage. In September 1982, Turkey asked for deferment of application of Article 10 of the Protocol.</p> <p>A proposal for a Regulation implementing Association Council Decision 3/80 extending the social security arrangements of the Community Member States to Turkish workers and their families is before the Council.</p>
<p>OJ No 217/64 page 3703</p>	<p>Agreement on measures and procedures required for the implementation of the Agreement establishing an Association and Agreement on the Financial Protocol</p>	EEC Treaty (Art. 238) EEC-Turkey Association Agreement	<p>Signed on 12 September 1963. In force from 17 November 1964 for an unlimited period.</p>	As above	

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Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 293/72 page 63	Agreement on products within the province of the ECSC	ECSC Treaty EEC Treaty, Art. 232	Signed on 23 November 1970. In force from 1 January 1973 for an unlimited period.	Consultations between the Parties (Art. 4).	Supplementary Protocol, see: OJ L 361/77, page 187. Joint agreement.
OJ L 361/77 page 1	Supplementary Protocol between the European Economic Community and Turkey consequent on the accession of new Member States to the Community:	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 30 June 1973. Concluded for an unlimited period. Ratified by Turkey on 12 November 1982. Entered into force on 1 March 1986 (OJ L 48/86).	Association Council set up by the EEC-Turkey Agreement.	Replaces the preceding interim agreement.
page 187	Supplementary Protocol on products within the province of the ECSC	ECSC Treaty	Entered into force on 1 March 1986 (OJ L 48/86).		
page 217	Supplementary Internal Financial Agreement				

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OJ L 67/79 page 14	Financial Protocol between the European Economic Community and Turkey	EEC Treaty Art. 238	Signed on 12 May 1977. In force from 1 May 1979 to 31 October 1981. No provisions in force for the current period.	Association Council set up by the EEC- Turkey Agreement. The schemes covered by this Protocol are the beneficiaries' responsibility, subject to supervision by the EIB (Art. 8).	Third financial Protocol. Negotiations on the fourth Protocol were completed on 19 June 1981. The Protocol was eventually signed in June 1990. It provides for a total package of ECU 600 million, consisting of ECU 225 million from the resources of the EIB, ECU 325 million in the form of special loans and ECU 50 million in the form of grants. As at 22 October 1990, Greek opposition continued to block the release of the ECU 600 million set aside by this Protocol for the financing of development and cooperation projects over a period of 5 years (1991-96). However, in the same month (October 1990), to allow for the consequences of the Gulf crisis, the European Communities adopted an economic aid programme for Turkey, Jordan and Egypt totalling ECU 1.5 billion (ECU 500 million to be provided by the European Communities and ECU 1 billion to be provided by the Member States).
OJ C 115/87 page 7	Protocol to the Association Agreement between the European Economic Community and Turkey consequent on the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Community	EEC Treaty Art. 238 Treaty on the accession of Greece to the EEC. (Art. 118 of the Act annexed to this Agreement).	Signed in Brussels on 23 July 1987. Not yet ratified by all Member States.		Application suspended.

COUNTRY: TURKEY

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ C 104/87 page 30	Supplementary Protocol to the Association Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Turkey	EEC Treaty Art. 238	Signed on 23 July 1987.	Association Council	Forms an integral part of the Association Agreement. Lays down adjustments to certain provisions of the Agreement with a view to maintaining Turkey's traditional export trade flows to the European Communities.
Not yet published	Protocol to the Agreement establishing an Association between the European Economic Community and Turkey consequent on the accession of the Kingdom of Spain and the Portuguese Republic to the Community	EEC Treaty Art. 238	Signed on 23 July 1987 for an unlimited period.		
Not yet published	Protocol to the Agreement between the Member States of the European Coal and Steel Community and Turkey concerning products within the province of the ECSC consequent on the accession of the Kingdom of Spain and the Portuguese Republic to the Community	ECSC Treaty. ECSC-Turkey Agreement.	Signed on 23 July 1987 for an unlimited period.	Association Council set up by the EEC-Turkey Agreement.	Joint agreement.

COUNTRY: TURKEY

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 53/88 page 91	Supplementary Protocol to the Agreement establishing an Association between the European Economic Community and Turkey	EEC Treaty Art. 238	Signed on 22 February 1988. Entered into force on 1 April 1988 (OJ L 103/88).	EEC-Turkey Association Council	This Protocol confirms the two parties' commitment to maintaining Turkey's traditional export trade flows to the Community. It forms an integral part of the EEC-Turkey Association Agreement.
Not published	Arrangement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Turkey on trade in clothing products	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Initialled on 20 December 1988. Valid for 2 years.	As above	The Arrangement specified the provisions for administrative cooperation on trade in clothing products that are particularly sensitive on Community markets. It lays down the arrangements for monitoring exports based on quantities for 14 product categories.
OJ L 358/88 page 11	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and Turkey fixing the additional amount to be deducted from the levy on imports into the Community of untreated olive oil, originating in Turkey, for the period 1 November 1987 to 31 December 1990	EEC Treaty Art. 113	1 November 1987 to 31 December 1990.	As above	Preferential agreement. Renewable.

COUNTRY :TURKEY

Référence	Title of agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ C 76/91 page 4	Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Turkey in the field of medical and health research.	EEC Treaty art. 130q(2)	1st January 1990 to 31 December 1991	(CGC). Ad hoc consultative Committee for coordination of research.	Annex A specify the single research fields covered by the agreement which is the first cooperation agreement in a scientific framework between EEC and Turkey.

COUNTRY: YUGOSLAVIA(*)

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 147/81 page 5.	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters concerning the application of paragraph 2 of the Joint Declaration on Protocol 1 and Articles 8, 9 and 10, annexed to the Interim Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia on trade and trade cooperation	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 31 March 1981. Implemented from 1 April 1981 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee set up by the EEC-Yugoslavia Agreement.	
OJ L 237/83 page 1	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters establishing certain procedures for the use of the system of generalized tariff preferences following the entry into force of the Agreement between the Member States of the European Coal and Steel Community and the ECSC, of the one part, and the Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia, of the other part	ECSC Treaty	Signed on 26 July 1983 for an unlimited period.		This exchange of letters is accompanied by an annex on the implementation of the preferential arrangements for ECSC products originating in Yugoslavia.

(*)Due to recent events in Yugoslavia, the agreement is denounced.
(See OJ L 325/91, page 23).

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Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 41/83 page 1	<p>Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia</p> <p>Accompanied by Protocol 1 on the products referred to in Art. 15, Protocol 2 on financial cooperation, and Protocol 3 (for amendments see OJ L 192/83) concerning the definition of the concept of "originating products" and methods of administrative cooperation; also a Final Act</p>	EEC Treaty	Signed on 2 April 1980. The Agreement is for an unlimited period (except for the trade and financial provisions which are for a period of five years). Entered into force on 1 April 1983.	Cooperation Council (Art. 48) with powers of decision Assisted by Cooperation Committee (Art. 51). The Council adopts its own rules of procedure.	<p>A comprehensive agreement on cooperation going further than other Mediterranean agreements. It is a joint agreement, i.e. it is also signed by the Member States.</p> <p><u>Trade:</u> to promote trade and improve access for Yugoslav products to the Community market. (The EEC receives most-favoured-nation treatment.)</p> <p><u>Agriculture:</u> it provides for specific tariff concessions on products of particular concern to Yugoslavia, such as baby-beef.</p> <p><u>Industrial cooperation:</u> is widened and will extend to SME. It will also cover energy, transport, tourism, environment and fishing.</p> <p>Among the activities in this sector, special mention must be made of the opening of a Business Cooperation Centre, which brings Yugoslav and Community firms closer together, with the ultimate aim of creating commercial partnerships.</p> <p>A Supplementary Protocol to the Cooperation Agreement establishes the arrangements governing the textiles sector for the period 1987-91.</p> <p><u>Finance:</u> Following the first Protocol committing ECU 200 million, a second Protocol on financial and technical cooperation was signed on 10 December 1987. It provided for a total package of ECU 550 million, to be committed in the form of EIB loans in accordance with the arrangements, conditions and procedures laid down in its statute (Art. 2 et seq.). This Protocol covers the period ending on 30 June 1991 (see OJ L 389/87, page 65).</p>

COUNTRY: YUGOSLAVIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 41/83 page 113	Agreement between the Member States of the ECSC and the ECSC, of the one part, and the Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia, of the other part	ECSC Treaty	Signed on 2 April 1980. The Agreement is for an unlimited period. Entered into force on 1 April 1983.	Joint Committee (Articles. 8-10)	Agreement established in conjunction with the EEC-Yugoslavia Cooperation Agreement (see in this connection the first recital). Joint agreement.
OJ L 137/81 page 29	Exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia on trade in sheepmeat and goatmeat	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 8 May 1981. Entered into force retroactively on 1 January 1981. In force until 31 March 1984. Renewed thereafter. Amended and renewed on 27 April 1990.	Advisory Committee (point 10)	Voluntary restraint agreement. Tacit renewal unless one year's notice is given in writing. See also OJ L 154/84. Amended by an Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters, see OJ L 95/90 page 25.

COUNTRY: YUGOSLAVIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 366/86 page 25	Additional Protocol to the Supplementary Protocol to the Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia on trade in textile products consequent on the accession of the Kingdom of Spain and the Portuguese Republic to the Community	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Entered into force on 1 January 1986. To remain in force during the period of validity of the Supplementary Protocol to the Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia.	Cooperation Council set up by the EEC-Yugoslavia Agreement.	Forms an integral part of the Supplementary Protocol.
Not yet published	Protocol to the Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia consequent on the accession of the Kingdom of Spain and the Portuguese Republic to the Community	EEC Treaty Art. 238	Signed on 10 December 1987.	Cooperation Council.	

COUNTRY: YUGOSLAVIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
Not yet published	Protocol to the Agreement between the Member States of the European Coal and Steel Community and the ECSC, of the one part, and the Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia, of the other part, consequent on the accession of the Kingdom of Spain and the Portuguese Republic to the Community	ECSC Treaty	Signed on 10 December 1987.		
OJ L 389/87 page 66	Second Protocol on financial cooperation between the European Economic Community and the Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia	EEC Treaty	Signed on 10 December 1987. Entered into force on 1 February 1988, until 30 June 1991.	Cooperation Council set up by the EEC-Yugoslavia Agreement.	Forms an integral part of the Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and Yugoslavia. It provides for an aggregate amount of ECU 550 million to be committed in the form of loans from the EIB granted from its own resources.

COUNTRY: YUGOSLAVIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 389/87 page 73	Additional Protocol to the Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia establishing new trade arrangements	EEC Treaty Art. 238 EEC-Yugoslavia Cooperation Agreement, Art. 58.	Some provisions will apply until 31 December 1991, others until 31 December 1995 (see Art. 6). Signed on 10 December 1987. Entered into force on 1 January 1988.	Cooperation Council	This Agreement was necessary owing to the expiry (on 30 June 1985) of the first stage of the Agreement as regards trade, and to the new dimension created by the accession to the European Communities of Spain and Portugal. It is also based on the preamble to the Agreement and on Article 14 thereof. It forms an integral part of the Cooperation Agreement and contains five annexes and a Final Act.
OJ L 352/90 page 120	Supplementary Protocol to the Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia on trade in textile products	EEC Treaty Art. 113	1 January 1987 to 31 December 1991.	Special consultation procedures (Art. 17).	Forms an integral part of the Cooperation Agreement (Art. 1). A special agreement in the series of bilateral textiles agreements in that the Community took account of the particular nature of the relationship with Yugoslavia in consenting to significant improvements in both legal content and economic substance. Provisionally applied by Council Decision 87/537/EEC of 11 December 1986. See also OJ L 318/87, page 51.

COUNTRY : YUGOSLAVIA

Référence	Title of agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ C 134/91 page 5	Third Protocol on financial cooperation between the European Economic Community and the Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia.	EEC Treaty Art. 238	Until 30 June 1996. Signed on 24 June 1991 (before war).	Under responsibility of users mentioned in article 3.1 art. 7.	See foot note on first page of Yugoslavia. Total Amount of this protocol should reach normally 730 billions ECUs.
OJ C 181/91 page 5	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia in the field of transports	EEC Treaty Art. 75	Ten years Renewable. Signed on 24 June 1991	Mixed Committee (Art. 26).	Accompanied by seven annexes.

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COUNTRY: BULGARIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
Not yet published	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the People's Republic of Bulgaria on trade in textile products.	EEC Treaty Art. 113 See Council Decision in OJ L 287/87, page 1.	Initialed on 13 July 1986. Not yet signed. Provisionally applied from 1 January 1987. Valid until 31 December 1991.	Consultations between the parties (Art. 14). Double checking system, (Protocol A)	Voluntary restraint agreement. Provisionally applied by Council Decision 87/496/EEC of 11 December 1986. This Agreement is one of the new generation of textiles agreements, which differ from earlier versions. Modifications : see OJ L 53/91 page 18.
OJ L 43/82 pages 12, 18 and 20 OJ L 95/90 page 2	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the People's Republic of Bulgaria on trade in the sheepmeat and goatmeat sector	EEC Treaty Art. 113	In force from 1 January 1982 until 31 March 1984. Subsequently renewed. Amended and renewed in March 1990.	Consultations between the Parties (point 9).	Accompanied by a second exchange of letters concerning the subjects of the consultations provided for in point 9 of the EEC-Bulgaria Agreement and by a third exchange of letters relating to point 2 of the same Agreement. See also OJ L 154/84. Tacit renewal for periods of two years, unless written notice of termination is given at least six months prior to the date of expiry of each period. Amended by an Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters: see OJ L 95/90, page 2.

COUNTRY: BULGARIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
JO L 291/90 page 8	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the People's Republic of Bulgaria on trade and commercial and economic cooperation	EEC Treaty Articles 113 and 235	Signed on 8 May 1990 for an initial period of 10 years.	Joint Committee	<p>Non-preferential trade agreement. Contains most-favoured-nation clause, a safeguard clause, a price clause and a review clause, which would be activated if Bulgaria were to become a member of GATT.</p> <p>The Agreement lays down the arrangements for trade in industrial and agricultural products, with the exception of those covered by the ECSC or by the sectoral agreements on textile and agricultural products. As regards commercial cooperation, the Agreement provides for promotion, development and diversification of trade. Economic cooperation constitutes a significant section of the Agreement, with a large number of objectives covering a wide range of sectors and extending to training and research.</p>

COUNTRY: CZECHOSLOVAKIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
Agreement not yet published Council Decision, see OJ L 287/87 page 89	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Czechoslovak Socialist Republic on trade in textile products	EEC Treaty Art. 113 MFA Art. 4	Initialled on 19 June 1986. Not yet signed. Provisional application from 1 January 1987. Valid until 31 December 1991.	Consultations between the parties (Art. 14). Administrative Cooperation (Protocol A, Title V).	Voluntary restraint agreement. Provisionally applied by Council Decision 87/498/EEC of 11 December 1986. One of the new generation of textiles agreements, retaining the anti-fraud clause but no longer containing the anti-surge clause. For modifications, see OJ L 13/91, page 17 and OJ L 53/917 page 34.
OJ L 204/82 page 29 OJ L 95/90 page 21	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Czechoslovak Socialist Republic on trade in the sheepmeat and goatmeat sector	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 5 November 1982. In force with retroactive effect from 1 January 1982 to 31 March 1984 (point 13). Subsequently renewed. Renewed and amended in March 1990.	Consultations between the Parties (point 9).	Voluntary restraint agreement. Supplemented by exchanges of letters on points 2 and 9 of the Agreement. The Agreement is renewed tacitly unless six months' written notice of termination is given. See also OJ L 154/84. Amended by an Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters, see OJ L 95/90 page 21.
OJ L 88/89 page 2	Agreement between the European Economic Community and Czechoslovakia on a new import scheme. ("Testausschreibung")	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 19 December 1988. Valid from 1 April 1989 until 31 March 1992.		Experimental scheme.

COUNTRY: CZECHOSLOVAKIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
O.J. L 291/90 p. 28	Agreement on trade and commercial and economic cooperation between the European Economic Community and the European Atomic Energy Community, on the one hand, and the Czech and Slovak Federal Republic, on the other.	EEC Treaty Articles 113 and 235 Euratom Treaty Art. 101(2).	Signed on 7 May 1990 for an initial period of 10 years.	Joint Committee	<p>Replaces a less comprehensive Agreement signed on 19 December 1988. Contains an important section on economic cooperation, including cooperation in the fields of energy and nuclear safety. Products falling within the scope of the ECSC Treaty are covered by a separate arrangement. This is a non-preferential trade agreement, containing a most-favoured-nation clause.</p> <p>As regards commercial cooperation, the Agreement provides for promotion, development and diversification of trade. As regards economic cooperation, it establishes objectives, the sectors concerned, and the measures to be adopted. In December 1990, the Council of the European Communities reached complete agreement on negotiating directives with a view to establishing an agreement along the lines of an association agreement.</p>

COUNTRY: HUNGARY

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 150/81 pages 6 and 10 OJ L 95/90 page 7	Exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Hungarian People's Republic on trade in the sheepmeat and goatmeat sector	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 10 July 1981. Entered into force retroactively on 1 January 1981. Applicable until 31 March 1984. Renewed on 23 July 1984. Amended and renewed in March 1990.	Consultations between the parties (point 9).	Voluntary restraint agreement. Point 2 and point 9 of the first exchange of letters were themselves the subject of exchanges of letters - OJ L 150/81, pages 13 and 15 and OJ L 154/84 (with an error rectified by a further exchange of letters, OJ L 191/85). May be renewed tacitly for periods of two years, unless written notice of termination is given in writing at least six months prior to the date of expiry of each period. Amended by an Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters, see OJ L 95/90, page 7.
Not yet published Council Decision, see OJ L 331/87 page 1	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Hungarian People's Republic on trade in textile products	EEC Treaty Art. 113 Multifibre Arrangement Art. 4	Initialed on 11 July 1987. Not yet signed. Provisionally applied from 1 January 1987. Valid until 31 December 1991.	Consultations between the parties (Articles 5-8).	Voluntary restraint agreement, which differs from earlier textiles agreements. As with other textiles agreements, it has not yet been signed, but was provisionally applied by Council Decision 87/549/EEC of 11 December 1986. For provisional implementation, see OJ 285/90, p.26. Modifications: see OJ L 53/91, p.23.

COUNTRY: HUNGARY

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 327/88 page 1	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Hungarian People's Republic on trade and commercial and economic cooperation	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 26 September 1988. Entered into force on 1 December 1988.	Joint Committee	Provides for the abolition of all specific quantitative restrictions on Hungarian exports to the Community, taking into account the Protocol for the accession of Hungary to GATT. In return, Hungary undertakes to accord non-discriminatory treatment to Community products and businesses as regards quotas, licensing systems and commercial facilities. This Agreement is of great significance, as it was the first to be concluded under the EEC's new policy in respect of the CMEA. In view of the increasingly close ties between the parties, in December 1990 the Council of the European Communities approved the negotiating directives for an association agreement.

COUNTRY: POLAND

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
Not yet published Council Decision, see OJ L 156/87 page 40	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Polish People's Republic on trade in textile products	EEC Treaty Art. 113 Multifibre Arrangement Art. 4	Initialed on 27 June 1986. Not yet signed. Provisionally applied from 1 January 1987. Agreement valid until 31 December 1991.	Consultations between the parties (Art. 14). Administrative cooperation (Protocol A, Title V)	Voluntary restraint agreement provisionally applied by Council Decision 87/300/EEC of 11 December 1986. One of the new generation of textiles agreements, retaining the anti-fraud clause but without the anti-surge clause. Amended by Agreed Minute, see OJ L 285/90, page 22. For provisional implementation: see OJ 285/90,p.22. For modifications:see OJ L 53/91, p.26.
OJ L 137/81 pages 1 and 13 OJ L 95/90 page 12	Exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Polish People's Republic on trade in the sheepmeat and goatmeat sector	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 16 September 1981. Entered into force retroactively on 1 January 1981. Applicable until 31 March 1984. Subsequently renewed. Amended and renewed in March 1990.	Consultations between the parties (clause 8).	Voluntary restraint agreement. May be renewed tacitly for periods of one year, unless notice of termination is given in writing at least six months prior to the date of expiry of each period. Amended by an Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters, see OJ L 95/90, page 12.
OJ L 339/89 pages 1-60	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Polish People's Republic on trade and commercial and economic cooperation	EEC Treaty Articles 133 and 235	Signed on 19 September 1989.	Joint Committee	Agreement covering both agricultural and industrial products (with the exception of ECSC products, which are subject to specific arrangements). The most-favoured-nation clause, the safeguard clause, and the prices clause all feature in this Agreement. Cooperation is as sophisticated and extensive as possible. In December 1990, the Council of the European Communities reached full agreement on the negotiating directives for establishing an association agreement.

COUNTRY: ROMANIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
Not yet published Council Decision, see OJ L 318/87 page 1	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Socialist Republic of Romania on trade in textile products	EEC Treaty Art. 113 Multifibre Arrangement Art. 4	Not yet signed. Provisionally applied from 1 January 1987. Valid until 31 December 1991.	Special consultation procedures (Art. 8(2)). Administrative cooperation (Protocol A, Title V).	Voluntary restraint agreement. Provisionally applied by Council Decision 87/536/EEC of 11 December 1986. One of the new generation of textiles agreements, retaining the anti-fraud clause but without the anti-surge clause. Modifications: see OJ L 53/91, p.30.
OJ L 137/81 pages 2 and 21	Exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Socialist Republic of Romania on trade in sheepmeat and goatmeat	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 28 April 1981. Renewed on 25 February 1985.	Consultations between the parties (point 10).	Voluntary restraint agreement. Renewable. Amended on 25 February 1985. Point 2 of this Agreement is the subject of an arrangement extended by exchange of letters (see OJ L 96/85, page 30), signed on 15 April 1985.
OJ L 79/91 page 12	Agreement on trade and commercial and economic cooperation between the European Economic Community and the European Atomic Energy Community and Romania	EEC Treaty Articles 113 and 235	Initialled on 8 June 1990. Signed on 22 October 1990 for a period of 5 years.	Joint Committee set up by the Agreement.	Replaces the Agreement on trade in industrial products of 1980 and the Agreement on the establishment of the Joint Committee of 28 July 1980, as it provides for a wider and better-defined framework for mutual relations. Steel products are covered by a separate arrangement, renewable annually, and textiles are also dealt with separately under a specific agreement.

COUNTRY: USSR

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 68/90 pages 1 and 2	Agreement between the European Economic Community, the European Atomic Energy Community and the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics on trade and commercial and economic cooperation	EEC Treaty Articles 113 and 235 Euratom Treaty Art. 101, second paragraph	Signed on 18 December 1989. Entered into force on 1 April 1990 for an initial period of ten years. Automatically renewed unless denounced in writing six months before expiry.	Joint Committee (Art. 22)	<p>First agreement concluded between the European Communities and the USSR. It is a non-preferential agreement covering trade in all types of products, with the exception of those covered by the ECSC Treaty, textile products and fisheries products, which are the subject of specific agreements. See also OJ L 138/90, page 1.</p> <p><u>Trade:</u> progressive lifting of quantitative restrictions, to be re-examined by 30 June 1992. A safeguard clause is included in case of serious difficulties.</p> <p><u>Commercial cooperation:</u> the scope of the objectives is among the most extensive to be found in Community agreements.</p> <p><u>Economic cooperation:</u> one of the most important parts of the Agreement, specifying the appropriate aims, areas and measures for cooperation whilst leaving it to the Joint Committee to decide on the operations to be implemented.</p> <p>The Agreement contains 3 annexes, a joint declaration and an Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters concerning the experimental application of a new import scheme ("Testausschreibung", see OJ L 68/90 pages 18-19).</p>

COUNTRY : URSS

Référence	Title of agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 164/91 page 1	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics on trade in textile products.	EEC Treaty Art.113	Initialled on 11 december 1989. Applied as from 1st January 1990	Consultations between the Parties (art. 3) according to the procedure of article 18.	De facto application, see EEC Decision 89/674 in OJ L 397/89. Council conclusion on 3 June 1991. Purposes are listed in art. 1. Self-restraining in art. 2. Accompanied by 3 Annexes and 4 Protocols and 7 agreed minutes as well as by an agreement in the form of an exchange of letters.
OJ L 202/91 page 39	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics on a credit guarantee for exports of agricultural products and foodstuffs from the Community to the Soviet Union.	EEC Treaty Article 113.	Will be signed on November 1991 and enter into force the same day (see point VIII).	Exchange of information between EEC Commission and Government of USSR and if necessary consultations (point VII).	Aims to introduce a credit guarantee for exports of agricultural products and foodstuffs from EEC USSR (point 1).

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COUNTRY: ALGERIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 263/78 page 1	Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the People's Democratic Republic of Algeria	EEC Treaty Art. 238	Signed on 26 April 1976. Did not enter into force until 1 November 1978, with effect from 1 January 1979. Concluded for an unlimited period.	Cooperation Council (Articles 42-46) assisted by a Cooperation Committee or any other committee it may decide to set up (Art. 45). Powers extended to cover sectoral agreements (see below).	<p>Comprehensive cooperation agreement. The trade provisions were implemented from 1 July 1976, by means of an Interim Agreement (see OJ L 141/76). The initial financial Protocol to the Agreement expired on 31 October 1981. The new Protocol negotiated for the period 1 November 1981 to 31 October 1986 entered into force on 1 January 1983 (aggregate amount of ECU 151 million - see OJ L 337/82).</p> <p>The negotiations for the revision of the trade arrangements, with the primary aim of resolving problems raised by the enlargement of the European Communities, resulting in an Agreement being initialled on 20 January 1987. The third Protocol on financial and technical cooperation was signed on 26 October 1987. For reference see below.</p>
OJ L 263/78 page 119	Agreement between the Member States of the European Coal and Steel Community and the People's Democratic Republic of Algeria	ECSC Treaty EEC-Algeria Cooperation Agreement	Signed on 26 April 1976. Did not enter into force until 1 November 1978, with effect from 1 January 1979. Concluded for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee (Art. 7)	

COUNTRY: ALGERIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 358/88 page 5	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the People's Democratic Republic of Algeria fixing the additional amount to be deducted from the levy on imports into the Community of untreated olive oil, originating in Algeria, for the period 1 November 1987 to 31 December 1990	EEC Treaty Art. 113 EEC-Algeria Cooperation Agreement	1 November 1987 to 31 December 1990.	Cooperation Council	Renewable, preferential agreement.
OJ L 297/87 page 1	Additional Protocol to the Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the People's Democratic Republic of Algeria	EEC Treaty Art. 238	Signed on 25 June 1987 for an unlimited period.	Cooperation Council	Phasing out of customs duties on EEC imports of certain products originating in Algeria (listed in Annex A).
OJ L 358/88 page 17	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the People's Democratic Republic of Algeria on the import into the Community of preserved fruit salads originating in Algeria	EEC Treaty Art. 113 EEC-Algeria Cooperation Agreement	Annual.	Cooperation Council	Renewable, preferential agreement.

COUNTRY: ALGERIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 358/88 page 14	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the People's Democratic Republic of Algeria on the import into the Community of tomato concentrates originating in Algeria	EEC Treaty Art. 113 EEC-Algeria Cooperation Agreement	Annual.	Cooperation Council	Renewable, preferential agreement.
Not yet published	Protocol to the Agreement between the Member States of the European Coal and Steel Community and the People's Democratic Republic of Algeria consequent on the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Community	ECSC Treaty EEC-Greece Accession Treaty EEC-Algeria Cooperation Agreement	Signed on 7 November 1983 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee set up by the ECSC-Algeria Agreement.	

COUNTRY: ALGERIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
Not yet published	Protocol to the Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the People's Democratic Republic of Algeria consequent on the accession of the Kingdom of Spain and the Portuguese Republic to the Community	EEC Treaty Art. 238 EEC-Algeria Agreement	Initialled on 15 January 1987, for an unlimited period.	Cooperation Council	
OJ L 22/88 pages 2 to 8	Protocol on financial and technical cooperation between the European Economic Community and the People's Democratic Republic of Algeria	EEC Treaty Art. 238	Signed on 26 October 1987. Entered into force on 1 March 1988 until 31 October 1991.	Cooperation Council	Provides for a total package of ECU 239 million, breaking down into ECU 183 million in EIB loans from the Bank's own resources, and ECU 56 million from the Community budget (ECU 52 million in grants and ECU 4 million in contributions to risk capital formation). See also OJ L 135/91, page 4.

COUNTRY : ALGERIA

Référence	Title of agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 80/91 page 40	Exchange of Letters between the European Economic Community and the People's Democratic Republic of Algeria fixing the additional amount to be deducted from the levy on imports into the Community of untreated olive oil originating in Algeria, for the period 1 November 1987 to 31 December 1991.	EEC Treaty Art. 113	1 November 1987 to 31 December 1991.	Joint Committee of the cooperation agreement.	See supra OJ L 358/88, page 5.
Not yet published see preparatory Act OJ C135/91 page 4	Protocol on financial and technical cooperation between the European Economic Community and the People's Democratic Republic of Algeria.	EEC Treaty Art. 238.	Signed on 20 June 1991.	Implementation under the responsibility of Algeria Government or other beneficiaries within a provisional programme agreed with EEC and ex post control (art.12).	Not yet into force.

COUNTRY: EGYPT

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 266/78 page 1	Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Arab Republic of Egypt	EEC Treaty Art. 238	Signed on 18 January 1977. In force from 1 November 1978 for an unlimited period beginning on 1 January 1979.	Cooperation Council (Articles 37-41) which may set up any committee that can assist it in carrying out its duties (Art. 40).	<p>Comprehensive cooperation agreement. The financial aspects are the subject of separate Protocols. A new financial Protocol negotiated for the period 1 November 1981 to 31 October 1986 entered into force on 1 January 1983 (aggregate amount of ECU 276 million, see OJ L 337/82). At the present time, Egypt wishes to set up a procedure for re-examining the Agreement in order to reinforce some of its aspects.</p> <p>Negotiations for the revision of the trade arrangements, to take account of the enlargement of the Community, were conducted in October 1986. For amendment of the Protocol to the Agreement, see OJ L 288/85 and OJ L 371/87. The third Protocol on financial and technical cooperation was signed on 26 October 1987. See below for reference.</p>
OJ L 316/79 page 2	Agreement between the Member States of the European Coal and Steel Community and the Arab Republic of Egypt	ECSC Treaty EEC-Egypt Cooperation Agreement	Signed on 18 January 1977, entered into force on 1 January 1980. Concluded for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee (Articles 10-12)	

COUNTRY: EGYPT

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 297/87 page 10	Additional Protocol to the Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Arab Republic of Egypt	EEC Treaty Art. 238	Signed on 25 June 1987 for an unlimited period.	Trade and Economic Cooperation Committee set up for the purpose (Art. 5).	Forms an integral part of the Cooperation Agreement. Establishes measures adjusting certain provisions of the Agreement to enable Egypt's traditional export trade with the Community to be maintained.
Not published	Protocol to the EEC-Egypt Cooperation Agreement consequent on the accession of the Kingdom of Spain and the Portuguese Republic to the Community	EEC Treaty Art. 238 EEC-Egypt Agreement.	Signed on 25 June 1987 for an unlimited period.	Cooperation Council	
Not published	Protocol to the ECSC-Egypt Agreement consequent on the accession of the Kingdom of Spain and the Portuguese Republic to the Community	ECSC Treaty ECSC-Egypt Agreement.	Signed on 25 June 1987.	Cooperation Council	

COUNTRY: EGYPT

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
Not yet published	Additional Protocol to the Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Arab Republic of Egypt consequent on the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Community	EEC Treaty Art. 113 Treaty on the accession of Greece to the EEC. EEC-Egypt Cooperation Agreement.	Signed on 12 December 1980. Already implemented by the Community on a unilateral basis. Concluded for an unlimited period.	Bodies set up by the EEC-Egypt Cooperation Agreement.	
Not yet published	Protocol to the Agreement between the Member States of the ECSC and the Arab Republic of Egypt consequent on the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Community	ECSC Treaty. Treaty on the accession of Greece to the EEC. ECSC-Egypt Agreement.	Signed on 12 December 1980. Already implemented by the Community on a unilateral basis. Concluded for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee set up by the ECSC-Egypt Agreement.	
OJ L 22/88 pages 10 to 16	Protocol on financial and technical cooperation between the European Economic Community and the Arab Republic of Egypt	EEC Treaty Art. 238	Signed on 26 October 1987. Valid until 31 October 1991.	Cooperation Council	Provides for a total package of ECU 449 million, breaking down into ECU 249 million in EIB loans from the Bank's own resources, and ECU 200 million from the Community budget (ECU 189 million in grants and ECU 11 million in contributions to risk capital formation). See also OJ C 135/91, page 4.

COUNTRY: ISRAEL

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 136/75 page 1	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the State of Israel	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 11 May 1975. Entered into force on 1 July 1975, for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee, which became a Cooperation Council pursuant to the Additional Protocol published in OJ L 270/78 (Articles 10-13).	Free trade and cooperation agreement. For amendments see: second Additional Protocol in OJ L 102/81; entered into force on 1 October 1981. Article 30 of Protocol 3 amended by decision of the Cooperation Council (see OJ L 360/83). Third Additional Protocol signed on 18 December 1984 (see OJ L 332/84, page 2), entered into force on 1 January 1985. The negotiations for the revision of the trade arrangements, undertaken primarily to resolve problems arising from the enlargement of the Communities, resulted in an agreement being initialled on 8 December 1986.
OJ L 165/75 page 62	Agreement between the Member States of the European Coal and Steel Community, of the one part, and the State of Israel, of the other part	ECSC Treaty EEC-Israel Agreement	Signed on 11 May 1975. Entered into force on 1 May 1978 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee (Articles 18-20)	
OJ L 23/77 page 13	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters relating to Article 9 of Protocol 1 to the EEC-Israel Agreement and concerning the import into the Community of tomato concentrates originating in Israel	EEC Treaty Art. 113 EEC-Israel Agreement	Signed and entered into force on 28 January 1977. Retroactive application on 1 July 1977. Concluded for an unlimited period.		Agreement noting that the exchange of letters provided for by Article 9 of Protocol 1 to the Agreement had not been concluded and, consequently, suspending implementation of Article 9. See also exchange of letters in OJ L 13/76.

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Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 270/78 page 1	Additional Protocol to the EEC-Israel Agreement and Protocol relating to financial cooperation	EEC Treaty Art. 238	Signed on 8 February 1977. Concluded for an unlimited period.	Cooperation Council. The execution, management and maintenance of the schemes covered by the financial Protocol are the responsibility of the beneficiaries, subject to supervision by the EIB (Art. 5).	Forms an integral part of the EEC-Israel Agreement. The purpose of the Additional Protocol is to establish comprehensive cooperation. The financial Protocol, which expired on 31 October 1981, was renegotiated for the period 1 November 1981 - 31 October 1986, and was signed on 24 June 1983. It provides for loans from the EIB on normal terms for an aggregate amount of ECU 40 million. (See OJ L 335/83, page 8). Entered into force on 1 January 1984. For amendment to the Protocol, see OJ L 288/85. The third Protocol on financial cooperation was signed on 15 December 1987 (see below for ref.).
OJ L 102/81 page 1	Second Additional Protocol to the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the State of Israel	EEC Treaty Art. 113 EEC-Israel Agreement, Art. 22.	Signed on 18 March 1981. Of unlimited duration.	Cooperation Council set up by the EEC-Israel Agreement.	This Protocol defers by two years the timetable for the dismantling of tariffs in respect of certain industrial products and the date of expiry of the new industries clause.

COUNTRY: ISRAEL

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
Not yet published	Additional Protocol to the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the State of Israel consequent on the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Community	EEC Treaty Art. 113 Treaty on the accession of Greece to the EEC. EEC-Israel Agreement	Signed on 12 December 1980. For an unlimited period. Already implemented by the Community on a unilateral basis.	Bodies set up by the EEC-Israel Cooperation Agreement.	
Not yet published	Additional Protocol to the Agreement between the Member States of the ECSC and the State of Israel consequent on the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Community	ECSC Treaty Treaty on the accession of Greece to the EEC. ECSC-Israel Agreement	Signed on 12 December 1980. Concluded for an unlimited period. Already implemented by the Community on a unilateral basis.	Joint Committee set up by the ECSC-Israel Agreement.	
OJ L 332/84 page 1	Third Additional Protocol to the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the State of Israel	EEC Treaty Art. 113 EEC-Israel Agreement Art. 22(2).	Signed on 18 December 1984.	Cooperation Council	

COUNTRY: ISRAEL

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ C 104/87 page 8	Fourth Additional Protocol to the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the State of Israel	EEC Treaty Art. 238 EEC-Israel Agreement. Additional Protocol of 1977.	Signed on 15 December 1987. Concluded for an unlimited period.	Trade and Economic Cooperation Committee set up for the purpose (Art. 5).	Forms an integral part of the Cooperation Agreement. Establishes measures adjusting certain provisions of the Agreement to enable Israel's traditional export trade to the Community to be maintained.
Not yet published	Protocol to the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the State of Israel consequent on the accession of the Kingdom of Spain and the Portuguese Republic to the Community	EEC Treaty Art. 238 EEC-Israel Agreement.	Signed on 15 December 1987, for an unlimited period.	Cooperation Council	Not yet concluded.
Not yet published	Protocol to the Agreement between the Member States of the European Coal and Steel Community and the State of Israel consequent on the accession of the Kingdom of Spain and the Portuguese Republic to the Community	ECSC Treaty. ECSC-Israel Agreement.	Signed on 15 December 1987 for an unlimited period.	Cooperation Council	Not yet concluded.

COUNTRY: ISRAEL

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 358/88 page 20	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters relating to Article 9 of Protocol No 1 to the Agreement between the European Economic Communities and the State of Israel and concerning the import into the Community of preserved fruit salads originating in Israel	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 20 March 1986. Annual.	Cooperation Council	Israel undertakes to ensure that the quantities supplied to the Community will not exceed 220 tonnes per annum.
OJ L 327/88 page 52	Protocol on financial cooperation between the European Economic Community and the State of Israel	EEC Treaty Art. 238 EEC-Israel Agreement.	Signed on 15 December 1987. In force from 1 February 1988 to 31 October 1991.	Cooperation Council	Forms an integral part of the Agreement between the EEC and the State of Israel, signed on 11 May 1975. Provides for an amount of ECU 63 million which may be committed by the EIB in the form of loans. See also OJ C135/91, page 12.

COUNTRY : ISRAEL

Référence	Title of agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ C 135/91 page 12	Protocol on financial cooperation between the European Economic Community and the State of Israel.	EEC Treaty art. 238	Signed on 12 June 1991 the period covered will expire on 31 october 1996	Implementation shall be the responsibility of Israel or the other beneficiaries, while the Bank shall ensure a sort of an "ex-post" control (art. 5).	This agreement aims to the financing of projects designed to contribute to the economic development of Israel. For this purpose the Community will ask the European Investment Bank to make available funds up to 82 millions ECU. Duration and conditions of loans as well as the interest rate will be appreciated for each individual project as well as co-financing operations.

COUNTRY: JORDAN

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 268/78 page 1	Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan	EEC Treaty Art. 238	Signed on 18 January 1977. Entered into force on 1 November 1979 for an unlimited period with retroactive effect from 1 January 1979.	Cooperation Council (Articles 34-38). It can set up any committee that can assist it in carrying out its duties (Art. 37).	Comprehensive cooperation agreement. The trade provisions were implemented from 1 July 1977 by means of an Interim Agreement (see OJ L 126/77). The initial financial Protocol to the Agreement expired on 31 October 1981. The new Protocol negotiated for the period 1 November 1981 - 31 October 1986 entered into force on 1 January 1983 (aggregate amount of ECU 63 million - see OJ L 337/82). For amendments to the Protocol to the Agreement, see OJ L 288/85 and OJ L 371/87. The third Protocol on financial and technical cooperation was signed on 26 October 1987, and will be valid for a period of five years. Protocol concerning the accession of Spain and Portugal to the European Communities signed on 9 July 1987 (see below for ref.).
OJ L 316/79 page 13	Agreement between the Member States of the ECSC and the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan	ECSC Treaty EEC-Jordan Cooperation Agreement.	Signed on 18 January 1977. Entered into force on 1 January 1980. Concluded for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee (Articles 10-12)	
Not yet published	Additional Protocol to the Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan consequent on the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Community	EEC Treaty Art. 113 Treaty on the accession of Greece to the EEC. EEC-Jordan Cooperation Agreement.	Signed on 12 December 1980. Concluded for an unlimited period. Already implemented by the Community on a unilateral basis.	Bodies set up by the EEC-Jordan Cooperation Agreement.	

COUNTRY: JORDAN

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
Not yet published	Additional Protocol to the Agreement between the Member States of the ECSC and the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan consequent on the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Community	ECSC Treaty. Treaty on the accession of Greece to the EEC. EEC-Jordan Agreement.	Signed on 12 December 1980. Concluded for an unlimited period. Already implemented by the Community on a unilateral basis.	Joint Committee set up by the ECSC-Jordan Agreement.	
OJ L 297/87 page 18	Additional Protocol to the cooperation agreement between the European Economic Community and the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan	EEC Treaty Art. 238	Signed on 9 July 1987. Due to enter into force on 1 January 1988. Concluded for an unlimited period.	Trade and Economic Cooperation Committee set up for the purpose (Art. 3).	Forms an integral part of the Cooperation Agreement. Establishes measures adjusting certain provisions of the Agreement to enable Jordan's traditional export trade with the Community to be maintained.
Not yet published	Protocol to the Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan consequent on the accession of the Kingdom of Spain and the Portuguese Republic to the Community	EEC Treaty Art. 238 EEC-Jordan Agreement	Signed on 9 July 1987 for an unlimited period.		
OJ L 22/88 page 18	Protocol on financial and technical cooperation between the European Community and the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan	EEC Treaty Art. 238	Signed on 26 October 1987. In force from 1 December 1987 to 31 December 1991.	Cooperation Council	Provides for a total package of ECU 100 million, breaking down into ECU 63 million in EIB loans and ECU 37 million from the Community budget (ECU 35 million in grants and ECU 2 million in contributions to risk capital formation). See also OJ C 162/91, page 5.

COUNTRY: LEBANON

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 267/78 page 1	Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Lebanese Republic	EEC Treaty Art. 238	Signed on 3 May 1977. In force from 1 November 1978 for an unlimited period.	Cooperation Council (Articles 35-39) which may set up any committee that can assist it in carrying out its duties (Art. 38).	Comprehensive cooperation agreement. The trade provisions of the Agreement were implemented from 1 July 1977 by an Interim Agreement (see OJ L 133/77). The initial financial Protocol to the Agreement expired on 31 October 1981. The new Protocol negotiated for the period 1 November 1981 - 31 October 1986 entered into force on 1 January 1983 (aggregate amount of ECU 50 million, see OJ L 337/82). For amendments to the Protocol to the Agreement, see OJ L 288/85 and OJ L 371/87. The third financial Protocol was signed on 21 December 1987 (see below).
OJ L 316/79 page 24	Agreement between the Member States of the European Coal and Steel Community and the Lebanese Republic	ECSC Treaty EEC-Lebanon Cooperation Agreement	Signed on 3 May 1977. Entered into force on 1 January 1980. Concluded for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee (Articles 9-11)	

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Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
Not yet published	Protocol to the Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Lebanese Republic consequent on the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Community	EEC Treaty Art. 113 Treaty on the accession of Greece to the EEC. EEC-Lebanon Cooperation Agreement.	Signed on 12 December 1980. Concluded for an unlimited period. Already implemented by the Community on a unilateral basis.	Bodies set up by the EEC-Lebanon Cooperation Agreement.	
Not yet published	Protocol to the Agreement between the Member States of the ECSC and the Lebanese Republic consequent on the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Community.	ECSC Treaty Treaty on the accession of Greece to the EEC. ECSC-Lebanon Agreement	Signed on 12 December 1980. Concluded for an unlimited period. Already implemented by the Community on a unilateral basis.	Joint Committee set up by the ECSC-Lebanon Agreement.	
Not yet published	Protocol to the Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Lebanese Republic consequent on the accession of the Kingdom of Spain and the Portuguese Republic to the Community	EEC Treaty Art. 238	Signed on 9 July 1987. Concluded for an unlimited period.		

COUNTRY: LEBANON

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 297/87 page 29	Additional Protocol to the Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Lebanese Republic	EEC Treaty Art. 238	Signed on 9 July 1987. Concluded for an unlimited period.	Trade and Economic Cooperation Committee set up for the purpose (Art. 2).	Forms an integral part of the Agreement. Establishes measures adjusting certain provisions of the Agreement to enable Lebanon's traditional export trade with the Community to be maintained.
Not yet published	Protocol to the Agreement between the European Coal and Steel Community and the Lebanese Republic consequent on the accession of the Kingdom of Spain and the Portuguese Republic to the Community	ECSC Treaty	Signed on 9 July 1987. Concluded for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee set up by the ECSC-Lebanon Agreement.	
OJ L 22/88 page 28	Protocol on financial and technical cooperation between the EEC and the Lebanese Republic	EEC Treaty Art. 238	Signed on 2 December 1987. In force from 1 February 1988 to 31 October 1991.	Cooperation Council	Provides for a total package of ECU 73 million, breaking down into ECU 53 million in EIB loans and ECU 20 million from the Community budget (ECU 19 million in grants and ECU 1 million in contributions to risk capital formation). See also OJ C 162/91/page 7.

COUNTRY: MOROCCO

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 264/78 page 1	Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Morocco	EEC Treaty Art. 238	Signed on 27 April 1976. Entered into force on 1 November 1978 for an unlimited period with effect from 1 January 1979.	Cooperation Council (Articles 44-48) assisted by a Cooperation Committee or any other committee it may decide to set up (Art. 47).	Comprehensive cooperation agreement. Preceded by an Association Agreement signed in 1969 for a five-year period (see OJ L 197/69). The trade provisions of the Cooperation Agreement were implemented by means of an Interim Agreement (OJ L 141/76 and OJ L 159/77). For amendments see: OJ L 329/81 and OJ L 371/87. The initial financial Protocol to the Agreement expired on 31 October 1981. The new Protocol negotiated for the period 1 November 1981 - 31 October 1986 entered into force on 1 January 1983 (aggregate amount of ECU 50 million - see OJ L 337/82). The third financial Protocol was signed on 26 May 1988 (see below for reference).
OJ L 264/78 page 119	Agreement between the Member States of the European Coal and Steel Community and the Kingdom of Morocco	ECSC Treaty EEC-Morocco Cooperation Agreement.	Signed on 27 April 1976. Entered into force on 1 November 1978 for an unlimited period with effect from 1 January 1979.	Joint Committee (Articles 7-9).	

COUNTRY: MOROCCO

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 169/76 page 53	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters relating to Article 23 of the Cooperation Agreement and Article 16 of the Interim Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Morocco and concerning the import into the Community of bran and sharps originating in Morocco	EEC Treaty Art. 113 EEC-Morocco Cooperation Agreement and Interim Agreement.	Signed and entered into force on 29 June 1976 for an unlimited period.	Bodies set up by the EEC-Morocco Cooperation Agreement.	
OJ L 358/88 page 8	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Morocco fixing the additional amount to be deducted from the levy on imports into the Community of untreated olive oil, originating in Morocco, for the period 1 November 1987 to 31 December 1990	EEC Treaty Art. 113 EEC-Morocco Cooperation Agreement	1 November 1987 to 31 December 1990. Signed on 2 March 1989.	Bodies set up by the EEC-Morocco Cooperation Agreement.	Renewable, preferential agreement.

COUNTRY: MOROCCO

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 358/88 page 23	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Morocco concerning the import into the Community of preserved fruit salads originating in Morocco (1987)	EEC Treaty Art. 113 EEC-Morocco Cooperation Agreement	Annual. Signed on 2 March 1989.	Bodies set up by the EEC-Morocco Cooperation Agreement.	Renewable, preferential agreement.
Not yet published	Additional Protocol to the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Morocco consequent on the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Community	EEC Treaty Art. 113 Treaty on the accession of Greece to the EEC. EEC-Morocco Agreement.	Not yet signed. Initialled on 22 July 1981. Concluded for an unlimited period. Already implemented by the Community on a unilateral basis.	Bodies set up by the EEC-Morocco Agreement.	
Not yet published	Additional Protocol to the Agreement between the Member States of the ECSC and the Kingdom of Morocco consequent on the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Community	ECSC Treaty Treaty on the accession of Greece to the EEC. ECSC-Morocco Agreement	Not yet signed. Initialled on 22 July 1981. Concluded for an unlimited period. Already implemented by the Community on a unilateral basis.	Joint Committee set up by the ECSC-Morocco Agreement.	
OJ L 224/88 page 18	Additional Protocol to the Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Morocco	EEC Treaty Art. 238	Signed on 26 May 1988. Entered into force on 1 October 1988.	Cooperation Council	See OJ L 264/78.

COUNTRY: MOROCCO

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 224/88 page 33	Protocol on financial and technical cooperation between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Morocco	EEC Treaty Art. 238	Signed on 26 May 1988. Entered into force on 1 November 1988 for an unlimited period.	Cooperation Council	Provides for a total package of ECU 324 million, breaking down into ECU 173 million in grants and ECU 151 million in EIB loans. Concerning new financial protocol, see OJ C 135/91 page 4.
OJ L 181/88 page 3	Agreement on relations in the sea fisheries sector between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Morocco	EEC Treaty Articles 43 and 113	Signed on 26 May 1988. Entered into force on 23 September 1988. Valid for four years commencing on 1 March 1988.	Joint Committee set up to supervise the implementation of the Agreement (Art. 10(1)).	Provisionally implemented by an Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters (see OJ L 99/88, page 47). The Agreement contains an Annex I concerning the conditions for the exercise of fishing activities, establishing authorized periods and tonnage by fishing zone together with licence and fishing fees, and an Annex II concerning the procedure for importing prepared or preserved sardines. It also contains a Protocol 1 (see OJ L 99/88, page 61) setting out in great detail the fishing opportunities for the period from 1 March 1988 to 29 February 1992, together with the financial compensation, which is set at ECU 272 million payable in four annual instalments, plus a further ECU 3.5 million for training. There is a Protocol 2 on experimental fishing (page 64).
OJ L 99/88 page 47	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters concerning the provisional application of the Agreement on relations in the sea fisheries sector between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Morocco	EEC Treaty Art. 43 and 113. Act of accession of Spain and Portugal, Art. 155(2)(b), Art. 167(3), Art. 354(4).	Initialled on 25 February 1988. Signed on 26 May 1988. Provisionally implemented from 1 March 1988, for a period of 4 years.	Joint Committee Art. 10.	

COUNTRY: MOROCCO

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
Not yet published	Protocol to the Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Morocco consequent on the accession of the Kingdom of Spain and the Portuguese Republic to the Community.	EEC Treaty Art. 238	Signed on 26 May 1988. In force from 1 November 1988 for an unlimited period.		
L 78/91 page 10	Protocol establishing for the period 1 April 1991 to 29 February 1992 the crawfish fishing opportunities and the corresponding financial compensation provided for in the Agreement on relation in the sea fisheries sector between the EEC and the Kingdom of Morocco.	EEC Treaty art.43 Act of accession of Spain and Portugal art.155 (2) (5)	1st April 1991 to 2d February 1992	Joint Committee	Application decided by agreement in the form of exchange of letters (see OJ L 195/91, p. 39).

COUNTRY: SYRIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 269/78 page 1	Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Syrian Arab Republic	EEC Treaty Art. 238	Signed on 18 January 1977. In force from 1 November 1978 for an unlimited period.	Cooperation Council (Articles 35-39), which may decide to set up any committee that can assist it in carrying out its duties (Art. 38).	Comprehensive cooperation agreement. The trade provisions were implemented on 1 July 1977 by means of an Interim Agreement (see OJ L 126/77). The initial financial Protocol to the Agreement expired on 31 October 1981. The new Protocol negotiated for the period 1 November 1981 - 31 October 1986 entered into force on 1 January 1983 (aggregate amount of ECU 97 million - see OJ L 337/82). Concerning new financial Protocol signed on 17.1.1991, see OJ 162/91, page 9.
OJ L 316/79 page 35	Agreement between the Member States of the European Coal and Steel Community and the Syrian Arab Republic	ECSC Treaty EEC-Syria Cooperation Agreement	Signed on 18 January 1977. Entered into force on 1 January 1980. Concluded for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee (Articles 10-12)	

COUNTRY: SYRIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
Not yet published	Additional Protocol to the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Syrian Arab Republic consequent on the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Community	EEC Treaty Art. 113 Treaty on the accession of Greece to the EEC. EEC-Syria Agreement.	Initialed in July 1981. Concluded for an unlimited period. Already implemented by the Community on a unilateral basis.	Bodies set up by the EEC-Syria Cooperation Agreement.	
Not yet published	Additional Protocol to the Agreement between the Member States of the ECSC and the Syrian Arab Republic consequent on the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Community	ECSC Treaty Treaty on the accession of Greece to the EEC. ECSC-Syria Agreement	Initialed in July 1981. Concluded for an unlimited period. Already implemented by the Community on a unilateral basis.	Joint Committee set up by the ECSC-Syria Agreement.	
OJ L 327/88 page 58	Additional Protocol to the Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Republic and the Syrian Arab Republic	EEC-Syria Cooperation Agreement.	Signed on 16 June 1988. Entered into force on 1 December 1988 for an unlimited period.	Trade and Economic Cooperation Committee set up for the purpose (Art.2).	Forms an integral part of the Cooperation Agreement. Provides for the phasing out of customs duties for certain products originating in Syria (see annex).

COUNTRY: TUNISIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 265/78 page 1	Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Tunisia	EEC Treaty Art. 238	Signed on 25 April 1976. Entered into force on 1 November 1978 for an unlimited period to run from 1 January 1979.	Cooperation Council (Articles 43-49) assisted by a Cooperation Committee or any other committee it may decide to set up (Art. 46).	Comprehensive cooperation agreement. Preceded by an Association Agreement (see OJ L 198/69). The trade provisions of the Cooperation Agreement were implemented by means of an Interim Agreement (see OJ L 141/76 and OJ L 185/76). The negotiations for the revision of the trade arrangements, with the primary aim of resolving the problems raised by the enlargement of the Communities, resulted in the initialling of the Agreement of 12 December 1986. Under this Agreement, the financial arrangements were governed by specific protocols. For current period, see OJ L 22/88.
OJ L 265/78 page 119	Agreement between the Member States of the European Coal and Steel Community and the Republic of Tunisia	ECSC Treaty EEC-Tunisia Cooperation Agreement	Signed on 25 April 1976. In force from 1 November 1978 for an unlimited period.	Joint Committee (Articles 7-9)	

COUNTRY: TUNISIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 169/76 page 19	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters relating to Art. 22 of the Cooperation Agreement and Art. 15 of the Interim Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Tunisia, and concerning the import into the Community of bran and sharps originating in Tunisia	EEC Treaty Art. 113 EEC-Tunisia Cooperation Agreement and Interim Agreement.	Signed and entered into force on 29 June 1976 for an unlimited period.	Bodies set up by the EEC-Tunisia Cooperation Agreement.	Preferential agreement.
OJ L 296/78 page 1	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Tunisia concerning certain wines originating in Tunisia and entitled to a designation of origin	EEC Treaty Art. 113 EEC-Tunisia Cooperation Agreement and Interim Agreement.	Signed and entered into force on 1 November 1978 for an unlimited period.	Bodies set up by the EEC-Tunisia Cooperation Agreement.	Preferential agreement. Amended by an Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters (see OJ L 340/87 page 27).

COUNTRY: TUNISIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ C 115/83 page 1	Protocol to the Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Tunisia consequent on the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Community	EEC Treaty Art. 238	Signed on 20 July 1983 for an unlimited period.	Bodies set up by the EEC-Tunisia Cooperation Agreement.	Accompanied by two annexes which form an integral part of the Protocol, which is itself part of the Cooperation Agreement.
Not yet published	Protocol to the Agreement between the ECSC and the Republic of Tunisia consequent on the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Community	ECSC Treaty	Signed on 20 July 1983 for an unlimited period.	Bodies set up by the EEC-Tunisia Cooperation Agreement.	
Not yet published	Protocol to the Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Tunisia consequent on the accession of the Kingdom of Spain and the Portuguese Republic to the Community	EEC Treaty Art. 238	Signed on 26 May 1987 for an unlimited period.	Bodies set up by the EEC-Tunisia Cooperation Agreement.	Forms an integral part of the Cooperation Agreement. The Protocol was made necessary by the accession of Spain and Portugal, and reflects the Community's broader Mediterranean policy. It confirms that Tunisian industrial products have full duty-free access to the Community, and provides for the gradual extension of this arrangement to Spain and Portugal. As regards Tunisian agricultural products, the Protocol establishes a series of measures designed to ensure that traditional trade flows are maintained. Pending the implementation of this Protocol, the EEC has adopted certain measures unilaterally, such as Council Regulation (EEC) No 3159/87 of 19 October 1987 concerning olive oil.

COUNTRY: TUNISIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 73/89 page 50	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Tunisia concerning the import into the Community of preserved fruit salads originating in Tunisia	EEC Treaty Art. 113 EEC-Tunisia Cooperation Agreement	Annual.	Bodies set up by the EEC-Tunisia Cooperation Agreement.	Preferential agreement. Renewable.
OJ L 297/87 page 34	Additional Protocol to the Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Tunisia	EEC Treaty Art. 238	Signed on 26 May 1987. Entered into force on 1 November 1987 for an unlimited period.	Trade and Economic Cooperation Committee set up for the purpose (Art. 5).	Forms an integral part of the Cooperation Agreement. Establishes measures adjusting certain provisions of the Agreement to enable Tunisia's traditional export trade with the Community to be maintained.
OJ L 22/88 page 34	Protocol on financial and technical cooperation between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Tunisia	EEC Treaty Art. 238	Signed on 26 October 1987. In force from 1 May 1988 to 31 October 1991.	Cooperation Council	Provides for a total package of ECU 224 million, breaking down into ECU 93 million from the Community budget including ECU 6 million in contributions to risk capital formation, and ECU 131 million in EIB loans. For new financial protocol, signed on 20 June 1991 see OJ C 135/91, page 4.

COUNTRY: TUNISIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 56/91 page 21	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Tunisia laying down the arrangements applicable from 1 January 1991 to imports into the Community of untreated olive oil originating in Tunisia	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 8 March 1991 for an unlimited period.	Trade and Economic Cooperation Committee.	The arrangements applicable from 1 January 1991 were reviewed by the Community and Tunisia in accordance with Article 4 of the Additional Protocol to the Cooperation Agreement between the EEC and the Republic of Tunisia. The renewal of the arrangements laid down in the Additional Protocol is designed to support Tunisia's efforts to restructure its olive oil sector with a view, in particular, to increasing domestic consumption of olive oil and exports of olive oil to the world market.

COUNTRY: YEMEN

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 26/85 page 1	Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Yemen Arab Republic	EEC Treaty Articles 113 and 235	Signed on 9 October 1984. Duration 5 years - entered into force on 1 February 1985.	Joint Cooperation Committee	<p>Framework agreement covering cooperation in the trade, economic and development fields.</p> <p>Non-preferential agreement, which with regard to trade is based on the most-favoured-nation system.</p> <p><u>Trade cooperation:</u> the parties undertake to promote the development and diversification of their mutual trade.</p> <p><u>Economic cooperation:</u> the parties undertake to foster cooperation and to contribute to Yemen's agriculture, agro-industries, fisheries, tourism, human resources, energy and technological and scientific progress.</p> <p>The parties undertake to maintain and develop a climate favouring investment.</p> <p><u>Development:</u> the Community pronounces itself ready to continue and develop its financial and technical cooperation for the development of Yemen. A Joint Cooperation Committee is set up to promote and keep under review the various cooperation activities envisaged in the Agreement.</p>

COUNCIL OF ARAB ECONOMIC UNITY (CAEU)

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 300/82 page 23	Cooperation Agreement between the Council of Arab Economic Unity (CAEU) and the European Communities	EEC, Euratom and ECSC Treaties	Signed on 7 June 1982 and in force for a period of five years. Renewable.		Agreement <u>sui generis</u> on cooperation in areas of common interest involving economic development.

GULF COOPERATION COUNCIL (GCC) (United Arab Emirates, the State of Bahrain, the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, the Sultanate of Oman, the State of Qatar and the State of Kuwait)

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
Not yet published	Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community, of the one part, and the countries parties to the Charter of the Cooperation Council for the Arab States of the Gulf (the State of the United Arab Emirates, the State of Bahrain, the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, the Sultanate of Oman, the State of Qatar and the State of Kuwait, of the other part	EEC Treaty Articles 113 and 235	Signed on 15 June 1986 for an unlimited period.	Joint Council for GCC/Community cooperation. Empowered to take decisions.	Agreement providing for cooperation in a number of fields (economy, agriculture, fisheries, industry, science, energy, technology, environment etc.) and in particular for the transfer of technology by means of joint ventures and the joint analysis of the oil, gas and petroleum products market. As regards trade, the current Agreement provides only for the most-favoured-nation clause but both parties have confirmed their desire to conclude an additional trade agreement with a view to expanding their mutual trade.

NORTH AMERICA

COUNTRY: CANADA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ 60/59 page 1165	Agreement between Canada and the EAEC for cooperation in the peaceful uses of atomic energy	Euratom Treaty Article 101	Signed on 6 October 1959. In force from 18 November 1959 to 17 November 1969; tacitly renewed thereafter.	Consultations and reciprocal visits (Article IX(3) and XIII (1))	Amended by Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters of 16 January 1978 (see OJ L 65/78) and exchange of letters of 18 December 1980 (see OJ L 27/82). Updated and complemented by an Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters amending the Agreement for cooperation between the European Atomic Energy Community and the Canadian government of 6 October 1959 on the peaceful uses of atomic energy, together with the accompanying Protocol; signed on 21 June 1985, yet to be concluded.
Not published see: SEC/75/2132 final	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the Commission of the European Communities and Canada concerning cooperation on environmental matters	EEC Treaty	Signed on 6 November 1975. In force from 6 November 1975 for an unlimited period.	Meetings at high official level	
OJ L 260/76 page 1	Framework Agreement for commercial and economic cooperation between the European Communities and Canada	EEC Treaty Articles 113 and 235	Signed on 6 July 1976. In force from 1 October 1976 for an unlimited period.	Joint Cooperation Committee (Article IV) assisted by subcommittees on specific matters	Non-preferential Agreement. Concluded by the Commission (Decision 76/753) as regards the EAEC also, on the basis of the second paragraph of Article 101 of the Treaty establishing the EAEC (see OJ L 260/76, page 22). Following a relatively quiet period, this Agreement was relaunched following a meeting between representatives of the European Parliament and the Canadian Parliament (29 October 1986).

COUNTRY: CANADA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 260/78 page 27	Protocol concerning commercial and economic cooperation between the European Coal and Steel Community and Canada	ECSC Treaty Articles 6 and 8	Signed on 26 July 1976. In force from 1 February 1982 for an unlimited period.	Joint Cooperation Committee set up by the EC-Canada Framework Agreement.	Implements Articles I to V of the Framework Agreement for cooperation in the matters covered by the ECSC Treaty.
Not published see: COM(80)290 final	Agreement for cooperation with Canada (AECL) in the field of nuclear waste management	Euratom Treaty Art. 101, third paragraph	Signed on 3 November 1980 for an initial period of five years. Renewable. Extended on 29 November 1985.	Meetings of administrators (Art. V) to be held at least once a year.	Falls within the wider context of the EAEC-Canada Agreement and the Framework Agreement for cooperation. Concerned more particularly with research.
OJ L 379/81 page 53	Agreement on fisheries between the European Economic Community and the Government of Canada	EEC Treaty Art. 43	Signed on 30 December 1981. In force from 1 January 1982. Concluded for an unlimited period. May be denounced subject to written notice of at least twelve months (Art.XVI).	Bilateral Consultations (Art. X)	Framework Agreement establishing the principle of reciprocal fishing rights.
OJ L 379/81 page 58	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Government of Canada concerning their fisheries relations	EEC-Canada fisheries Agreement Art. VII	Signed on 30 December 1981 for an unlimited period.	Consultations between the Parties	Establishes tariff concessions, quotas and the extent of fishing rights. Accompanied by two annexes. Amended by an Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters (see OJ L 371/83, page 34) which supplements the existing arrangements.

COUNTRY: CANADA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
Not published	Joint declaration of intent by the Commission of the European Communities and the Government of Canada on cooperation in the field of research into waste water treatment	EEC Treaty. Framework Agreement for EC-Canada cooperation, (Art. III(2))	Signed on 16 March 1983 for an unlimited period.	Meeting of the ad hoc subcommittee of the Joint Cooperation Committee set up by the EC-Canada Framework Agreement. Two high-level officials are appointed as the administrators.	Agreement concluded in accordance with Article III.2 of the Framework Agreement for cooperation, providing for technological and scientific exchanges (see above, OJ L 260/76). Reference is also made to the exchange of letters on environmental matters.
OJ L 292/84 page 7	Arrangement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Government of Canada on the establishment of a scientific observation programme in the Regulatory Area of the NAFO Convention	EEC Treaty Art. 43	Signed on 14 November 1984. Valid until 31 December 1987, subject to six months' notice of termination. Implemented provisionally by Council Regulation (EEC) No 1988/84 (see OJ L 186/84).		This Arrangement implements a NAFO Fisheries Commission resolution on establishing an observation programme (text of resolution is annexed to the arrangement). Scientific observers from the contracting parties may be placed on board vessels fishing in the Regulatory Area.

COUNTRY: CANADA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 35/86 page 9	Memorandum of Understanding between the European Atomic Energy Community and the Government of Canada concerning cooperation in the field of fusion research and development	Euratom Treaty Art. 101	Concluded for a period of 5 years to run from the date of entry into force. Signed on 6 March 1986.	Joint Committee Art. III	Contains an annex identifying fusion R&D topics particularly suitable for EAEC-Canada cooperation.
OJ L 291/88 page 75	Memorandum of Understanding between the European Atomic Energy Community and the Government of Canada on the involvement of Canada in the European Atomic Energy Community contribution to the International Thermonuclear Experimental Reactor (ITER) Conceptual Design Activities	Euratom Treaty Art. 101, second paragraph	Signed on 3 October 1988. Valid until 31 December 1990.	The director of the Canadian National Fusion Programme and the director of the European Community Fusion Programme define the specific tasks to be performed.	The basis for cooperation is provided by design (Art. 6) and R&D (Art. 7) activities. The overall objective of ITER is to demonstrate the scientific and technological feasibility of fusion energy. Each party bears the costs incurred by its contribution to the conceptual design activities.

COUNTRY: UNITED STATES

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 17/59 page 309	Agreement between the European Atomic Energy Community and the Government of the United States	Euratom Treaty Art. 101, second paragraph	Signed on 29 May 1958. In force from 27 August 1958 for an unlimited period.		
OJ L 17/59 page 312	Agreement for cooperation between the Government of the United States and the European Atomic Energy Community (Euratom) concerning peaceful uses of atomic energy	Euratom Treaty-EAEC United States Agreement	Signed on 8 November 1958. In force from 18 February 1959 until 31 December 1985. Extended until 31 December 1995.	"Frequent consultations and exchanges of visits" (Art.XII(C))	An Additional Agreement to this Agreement was signed on 11 June 1960 (see OJ L 31/61 of 29 April 1961). An Amendment was signed in May 1962 (see OJ L 72/62). The Additional Agreement was amended in May 1962 (OJ L 72/62) and August 1963 (OJ L 139/74).
Not published, see: SEC (74) 2518 final	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the Commission of the European Communities and the United States concerning cooperation on environmental matters	EEC Treaty	Signed on 1 July 1974. In force from 1 July 1974 for an unlimited period.	Meetings at high official level and, where appropriate, at expert level	

COUNTRY: UNITED STATES

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
Not published see: SEC (79) 949	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters concerning cooperation and the exchange of information in certain fields of safety and hygiene at work	EEC Treaty Art. 235	Concluded for an unlimited period to run from June 1979.	Meetings at official level	
Not published	Agreement between the European Atomic Energy Community and the United States of America for cooperation on research and development in the field of nuclear safeguards	Euratom Treaty Art. 101, third paragraph	Signed on 28 January 1982 for a period of 5 years. Extended for a further 5 years in 1988.	Coordinators designated by the parties (Art. III)	
Not published	Agreement between the European Atomic Energy Community and the United States of America (US DOE) in the field of radioactive waste management research and development	Euratom Treaty Art. 101, third paragraph	Signed on 6 December 1982 for a period of five years. Renewable.		Cooperation concentrated on the following two areas of research: characterization of waste types and disposal in geological formations. The Agreement also covers the exchange of scientific equipment.
Not published	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters concerning cooperation on research and development in the field of renewable energy sources	EEC Treaty Art. 211	Signed on 17 December 1982 for an unlimited period.	Meetings of high-level officials at least once a year.	

COUNTRY: UNITED STATES

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
Not published	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the Directorate-General for External Relations and the United States Department of the Treasury relating to wine	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 26 July 1983 for an unlimited period.		Agreement expressing the EEC's wish to alter its rules as necessary to allow the import into the Community of certain American wines made using processes not authorized in the Community.
Not published	Agreement in the form of a joint declaration of intent between the Commission of the European Communities and the US Department of the Interior, Bureau of Mines, on the exchange of information in the sphere of mining technology	EEC Treaty	Signed on 16 January 1984 for an initial period of five years, with the possibility of renewal.	Meetings of representatives at least once a year.	The proposed exchange of information will be concerned initially with two sectors, namely research on extraction and research into mineral resources.
OJ L 272/84 page 1	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Government of the United States of America concerning fisheries off the coasts of the United States	EEC Treaty Art. 43	In force from 14 November 1984 to 1 July 1989. Amended and renewed until 1 July 1991.	Bilateral consultations (Art. XIV)	Framework agreement. Establishes fishing rights for EEC vessels off the US coasts, in return for greater access to the Community market for US fishery products. This Agreement is of particular interest to Germany for cod, to the Netherlands for mackerel and to Italy for squid. The period between the expiry of the 1977 Agreement and the entry into force of this Agreement was governed by an Agreement in the form of an exchange of notes (see OJ L 208/84 page 56). Amended and renewed (see OJ L 63/89). Newly amended in 1991. See OJ L 166/91, page 84.

COUNTRY: UNITED STATES

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L46/87 page 49	Agreement for cooperation between the European Atomic Energy Community and the United States Department of Energy in the field of controlled thermonuclear fusion	Euratom Treaty Art. 101, second paragraph	Signed on 15 December 1986. In force from that date for a period of 10 years.	Coordinating Committee (Art. IV)	Agreement for scientific cooperation in the following fields: tokamaks and other branches of magnetic confinement fusion technology; plasma theory and applied plasma physics; other appropriate areas. The Agreement contains provisions on the procedures for inventions and discoveries, and for the protection of intellectual property rights. It also provides for exchanges of personnel and equipment. Sweden and Switzerland are also included in the Agreement (Art. XVI(2)).
OJ L 98/87 page 1	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the United States of America for the conclusion of negotiations under GATT Article XXIV.6	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Initialled on 29 January 1987. Concluded for a period of 4 years.		Agreement concluded following the accession of Spain and Portugal to the European Communities to take account of that enlargement. See also OJ L 17/91, page 17 for additional provisions.
OJ L 62/87 page 22	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the United States of America on the Mediterranean preferences, citrus and pasta	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 24 February 1987 for an unlimited period.		Agreement ending a long-standing dispute concerning the preferential agreements concluded by the EEC in the Mediterranean. The pasta sector is the subject of a specific arrangement. The exchange of letters covers the Agreement itself plus an annex and side letters.

COUNTRY: UNITED STATES

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 275/87 page 36	Settlement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the United States of America on Community exports of pasta products to the United States of America	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 15 September 1987. Provisionally implemented on 1 October 1987	Consultations between the parties (point 9)	Comprises an exchange of letters, the Settlement itself and an Annex which forms an integral part of the Settlement. Concerns CCT heading No 19.03 and, with effect from 1 January 1988, HS codes 1902.11 and 1902.19. The EEC undertakes to reduce export refunds under this Settlement, the terms of which are to be reviewed on a quarterly basis. This Settlement complements the more general Agreement on the Mediterranean preferences, citrus and pasta (see above).
OJ L 368/89 page 101	Arrangement between the ECSC and the EEC, and the Government of the United States of America, concerning trade in certain steel products	EEC Treaty Art. 113 ECSC Treaty Art. 95	Signed on 20 November 1989. In force from that date until 31 March 1992.	Consultation between the parties	The objective of the Arrangement is "to contribute to the orderly transition to open markets and to restore fair and open steel trade".
OJ L 368/89 page 128	Arrangement between the EEC and the Government of the United States of America concerning trade in steel pipes and tubes	EEC Treaty Art. 113 ECSC Treaty Art. 95	Signed on 20 November 1989. In force from that date until 31 March 1992.	Consultations between the parties (point 9)	The purpose of this Arrangement is to protect the "vital" interests of Community producers exporting to the US market. Accompanied by a "Consensus" (see below) and an annex.
OJ L 368/89 page 139	Consensus with the United States of America concerning trade in certain steel products	EEC Treaty Art. 113 ECSC Treaty Art. 95	Signed on 20 November 1989. In force from that date until 31 March 1992.		

COUNTRY: UNITED STATES

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 102/88 page 31	Agreement of participation by the European Atomic Energy Community in the International Thermonuclear Experimental Reactor (ITER) Conceptual Design Activities, together with Japan, the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics, and the United States of America	Euratom Treaty Art. 101, second paragraph	Signed on 26 February 1988. Valid until 31 December 1990.	ITER Council (IC) and the ITER Management Committee (IMC). The IC meets at least twice a year and is advised by the ITER Scientific and Technical Advisory Committee (ISTAC).	Cooperation is based on design (Art. 6) and R&D (Art. 7) activities. The overall objective is to demonstrate the scientific and technological feasibility of fusion power. Each party bears the costs related to its contribution to the conceptual design activities.

LATIN AMERICA

COUNTRY: ARGENTINA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 275/80 page 13	Arrangement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Argentine Republic on trade in mutton and lamb	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 17 October 1980. In force from 20 October 1980. Renewable.	Consultative Committee (clause 10)	Voluntary restraint agreement. Renewable tacitly unless one year's notice is given in writing. An exchange of letters concerning clause 2 of this Arrangement was signed on 22 October 1985 (see OJ L 251/85, page 58).
OJ L 40/91 page 1	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Argentine Republic on trade in textile products	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 30 September 1986. Implemented provisionally from 1 January 1987.	Consultations between the parties	Agreement concluded within the framework of MFA IV, laying down voluntary restraint arrangements for certain categories of products. Contains only the "anti-fraud" clause, since the agreements covering the period 1987-90 are amended versions of the prior agreements. (For the Council Decision concerning the provisional implementation of the Agreement and the text itself, as negotiated, see OJ L 156/87.)

COUNTRY: ARGENTINA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 396/89 page 18	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters adapting the Agreement between the European Community and Argentina on trade in mutton, lamb and goatmeat	EEC Treaty Art. 113	In force from 1 January 1989 until 31 December 1992 (clause 4).	Consultations on request at any time (clause 2)	Provides for derogations from main agreement. Accompanied by annex on price monitoring procedure.
OJ L 295/90 page 66	Framework Agreement for trade and economic cooperation between the European Economic Community and the Argentine Republic	EEC Treaty Articles 113 and 235	Signed on 2 April 1990 for a period of five years. Renewable thereafter on an annual basis unless notice of termination is given.	Joint Cooperation Committee (Article 7). Specialized subcommittees may be set up.	Accompanied by an exchange of letters on shipping, which forms an integral part of the Agreement. The Agreement constitutes a highly structured framework for trade and economic cooperation in general, and for agricultural, industrial and technological cooperation in particular. It identifies various sectors and methods for cooperation. Owing to its future developments clause, supplementing most-favoured nation treatment, the Agreement ranks amongst the most progressive of Community agreements. It is interesting to note the terms of Article 1 on the democratic basis for cooperation between the EC and Argentina and also those of Article 8 on "other agreements", which spells out the legal framework for the development of Community policy towards non-member countries.

COUNTRY: BRAZIL

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 281/82 page 1	Framework Agreement for cooperation between the European Economic Community and the Federative Republic of Brazil	EEC Treaty Articles 113 and 235	Signed on 18 September 1980. Entered into force on 1 October 1982 for a period of five years. Renewable automatically thereafter on an annual basis unless notice of termination is given. (Art. 4).	Joint Cooperation Committee (Art. 4)	Replaces the Trade Agreement (see OJ L 102/74). Non-preferential framework agreement containing a future developments clause and providing for wide-ranging commercial and economic cooperation. On the economic front, the Agreement promotes mutual industrial development, the exploitation of new supply sources and increased trade in manufactures. On the trade front the aim is to develop and diversify trade and to reduce non-tariff barriers. See also the Protocol concerning commercial and economic cooperation between the ECSC and the Federative Republic of Brazil.
OJ L 40/91 page 39	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Federative Republic of Brazil on trade in textile products	EEC Treaty Art. 113 Multifibre Arrangement Art. 4	Initialled on 12 September 1986. In force from 1 January 1987 until 31 December 1991.	Consultations between the parties	Implemented provisionally under Council Decision 87/470/EEC of 11 December 1986

COUNTRY: BRAZIL

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 219/82 page 58	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Federative Republic of Brazil concerning imports of maniac from Brazil and other supplier countries which are members of the GATT	EEC Treaty Art. 113	1982-86 Tacit renewal thereafter.	Consultations between the parties (point 2 (e))	See remarks for parallel agreement between EEC and Indonesia.
OJ L 150/ 83 page 1	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters concerning Article 10 of the Framework Agreement for cooperation between the European Economic Community and the Federative Republic of Brazil	EEC Treaty Articles 113 and 235	Signed on 14 October 1983, to run for the same period as the Framework Agreement.		Concerns and contains the text of the Agreement in Greek.
OJ L 150/83 page 33	Additional Protocol annexed, following the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the European Communities, to the Protocol concerning commercial and economic cooperation between the ECSC and the Federative Republic of Brazil	ECSC Treaty Accession Treaty Art. 4(2)	Signed on 14 October 1983, to run for the same period as the ECSC-Brazil Protocol.		Concerns ECSC products and the Greek text of the Protocol.

COUNTRY: CHILE

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 79/91 page 1	Framework Agreement for cooperation between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Chile	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 12 December 1990 for a period of five years (currently awaiting assent). Renewable thereafter on a yearly basis unless notice of termination is given six months before the date of expiry. Entry into force on 1st May 1991	Joint Cooperation Committee (Art. 17)	An exchange of letters on maritime transport is annexed to the Agreement. The Agreement establishes very comprehensive arrangements concerning economic cooperation (Art. 2), industrial cooperation (Art. 3) and measures for promoting and improving investment relating to the environment. Moreover, further provisions may be added subsequently under the terms of the future developments clause. It also provides for cooperation on science and technology, trade, social development, government and information and communication. Art. 15 is concerned with the integration of any action taken at regional level. However, the Agreement does not give details as to resources; Art. 16 merely requires that they be "appropriate". MFN clause (Art. 9).

COUNTRY: COLOMBIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 292/87 page 1	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Colombia on trade in textile products	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Initialed on 3 June 1986. In force from 1 January 1987 to 31 December 1991.	Consultations between the parties	Implemented on a provisional basis under a Council Decision of 11 December 1986. Concluded by Council Decision of 14 September 1987.

COUNTRY: GUATEMALA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 292/87 page 25	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Guatemala on trade in textile products	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 3 December 1987. Scheduled to be in force from 1 January 1987 to 31 December 1991.	Administrative cooperation. Provision made for investigations.	Implemented on a provisional basis under a Council Decision of 11 December 1987. Concluded by Council Decision 87/502/EEC of 14 September 1987.

COUNTRY: HAITI (token entry)*

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 292/87 page 49	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Haiti on trade in textile products	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Initialed on 6 August 1986. Scheduled to be in force from 1 January 1987 to 31 December 1991.	Administrative cooperation (clause 6)	Implemented on a provisional basis under a Council Decision of 11 December 1986. Concluded by Council Decision 87/503/EEC of 14 September 1987.

* Haiti is one of the ACP States covered by the fourth Lamé Convention (see below).

COUNTRY: MEXICO

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 247/75 page 10	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the United Mexican States	EEC Treaty Articles 113 and 114	Signed on 15 July 1975. In force from 1 November 1975 to 31 October 1980. Subsequently renewed.	Joint Committee (Articles 6 and 7)	<p>Non-preferential agreement for commercial and economic cooperation concluded for five years but renewable automatically on an annual basis unless six months' notice of termination is given. One of the oldest agreements of its kind. Despite initial difficulties, certain objectives have been met following recent meetings of the Joint Committees. These objectives concern industrial cooperation and cooperation on energy and research and development cooperation. Over the years, Mexico's balance of trade with the Community has improved considerably.</p> <p>An agreement more in line with the Community's outlook has been signed on April 26, 1991. Conclusion by EC Council is pending.</p>
OJ L 292/87 page 73	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the United Mexican States on trade in textile products	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 3 December 1987. Scheduled to be in force from 1 January 1987 to 31 December 1991.	Administrative cooperation. Provision made for investigations (clause 6).	Implemented on a provisional basis under a Council Decision of 11 December 1986. Concluded by Council Decision 87/504/EEC of 14 September 1987.

COUNTRY: PERU

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 40/91 page 73	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Peru on trade in textile products	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Initialled on 13 June 1986. Implemented on a provisional basis from 1 January 1987. Due to expire on 31 December 1990.	Administrative cooperation (Title V) and consultations between the parties.	Implemented on a provisional basis under Council Decision 87/472/EEC of 11 December 1986.

COUNTRY: URUGUAY

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 333/73 page 1	Trade Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Eastern Republic of Uruguay	EEC Treaty Articles 113 and 114	Signed on 2 April 1973. Entered into force on 1 August 1974. Concluded for a period of three years. Subsequently renewed.	Joint Committee (Art. 5)	Non-preferential agreement. Renewable automatically on an annual basis unless three months' notice of termination is given before the expiry of each period. The two parties grant each other GATT most-favoured-nation treatment and undertake to grant each other, in their trade relations, the highest degree of liberalization which they generally apply to third countries. In view of the predominance of agricultural goods in Uruguay's exports, the agreement also contains a section on agricultural cooperation. Both parties agree to exchange information concerning trade in agricultural goods, examine problems relating to health protection and work at international level to find solutions to problems of common interest. A new framework on cooperation has been initialled.
Not yet published For Council Decision see OJ L 263/87 page 121	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Eastern Republic of Uruguay on trade in textile products	EEC Treaty Art. 113. Multifibre Arrangement Art. 4	Initialled on 10 November 1986. Implemented on a provisional basis from 1 January 1987. Expires on 31 December 1991.	Administrative cooperation (Protocol A, Title V) and consultations between the parties (Art. 16).	Implemented on a provisional basis under Council Decision 87/473/EEC of 11 December 1986.

COUNTRY: URUGUAY

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 69/90 page 61	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters adjusting the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Eastern Republic of Uruguay on trade in mutton and lamb	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 23 February 1990. Remains in force as long as the main Agreement.	Consultations at the request of either party, at any time (clause 2).	Establishes temporary derogations from certain provisions of the main Agreement, particularly those concerning the completion of the Community internal market. Contains an annex on price monitoring.

COUNTRY: ANDEAN GROUP - BOLIVIA, COLOMBIA, ECUADOR, PERU, VENEZUELA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 153/84 page 1	Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community, of the one part, and the Cartagena Agreement and the member countries thereof - Bolivia, Colombia, Ecuador, Peru and Venezuela - of the other part.	EEC Treaty Articles 113 and 235	Initialed on 28 October 1983. Signed on 17 December 1983 for a five-year period. Renewable automatically thereafter for periods of two years unless six months' notice of termination given in writing. Entered into force on 1 February 1987.	Joint Cooperation Committee (Art. 5) authorized to set up subcommittees on specific matters.	This is a non-preferential framework agreement on economic, trade and development cooperation. It exhibits certain improvements upon the Agreement between the Community and the ASEAN countries on which it is modelled. Both parties agree to accord each other most-favoured-nation treatment under the GATT. Accompanied by a Protocol on commercial and economic cooperation between the ECSC and its Member States, and the Andean Group and Bolivia, Colombia, Ecuador, Peru and Venezuela (joint agreement).

COUNTRY: CENTRAL AMERICAN ISTHMUS (COSTA RICA, EL SALVADOR, GUATEMALA, HONDURAS AND NICARAGUA) AND PANAMA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 172/86 page 1	Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community, of the one part, and the countries parties to the General Treaty on Central American Economic Integration (Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras and Nicaragua) and Panama, of the other part	EEC Treaty Articles 113 and 235	Signed on 12 November 1985 for an initial period of five years. Renewable automatically thereafter for periods of two years, unless notice of termination is given. Entered into force on 1 March 1987.	Joint Cooperation Committee (Art. 7), composed of representatives of the Community and of representatives of the countries of Central America assisted by representatives of the bodies of the Central American Economic Integration Treaty. Their function is to promote measures in line with objectives of the Agreement and, in particular, to ensure the effectiveness of cooperation activities. The Joint Committee may, if necessary, set up subcommittees.	Framework agreement on economic, trade and development cooperation. This framework agreement takes precedence over any other agreements which may be concluded with the Member States, but does not otherwise preclude agreements compatible with it. The following are integral parts of the Agreement: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - a declaration by the European Economic Community concerning the generalized preferences system (Annex I); - a declaration by the Community concerning development cooperation (Annex II); and - an exchange of letters on sea transport. The parties undertake to establish the broadest possible economic cooperation, from which no fields are excluded in advance, taking into account their different levels of development (Art. 3). The need to implement agreements for the protection and promotion of private investment is reiterated (Art. 3(2)(e)). The priorities for cooperation work will be determined by the Central American countries. The volume of trade will be increased to the maximum possible level and trade barriers gradually removed. The contracting parties will grant each other most-favoured-nation treatment, taking account, however, of the individual characteristics of the region. As part of the programmes it carries out for the benefit of the ALA developing countries, the Community will provide development assistance to Central America with a view to promoting development and regional cooperation.

ASIA

COUNTRY: BANGLADESH

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 319/76 page 1	Commercial Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and Bangladesh	EEC Treaty Articles 113 and 114	Signed on 19 October 1976 and in force from 1 December 1976 for a period of five years. Renewable tacitly on an annual basis unless either party gives notice of termination six months prior to expiry.	Joint Commission (Articles 8-10) which also ensures the proper functioning of "any sectoral Agreements between the Contracting Parties and, to this end, shall exercise the responsibilities entrusted to the joint bodies which have been or may be set up under such Agreements" (Art. 11). See also Annex 1 "Joint Declaration concerning the functioning of the Joint Commission".	Non-preferential agreement under the terms of which the Contracting Parties "undertake to promote the development and diversification of their mutual trade to the highest possible level". They also agree to develop their economic cooperation, where linked with trade. Thus the Agreement is designed to provide a framework for cooperation. The two main forms of cooperation provided for in the Agreement are: <u>trade promotion</u> (e.g. taking part in trade fairs and missions, attending meetings and seminars and providing experts); and <u>economic cooperation</u> (with the intention of launching joint ventures and encouraging foreign investors to participate in Bangladesh's industrialization programme). In addition, Bangladesh is a major recipient of technical and financial aid to ALA developing countries (projects and trade promotion in particular), given in the form of grants, and also of food aid.

COUNTRY: BANGLADESH

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 325/90 page 1	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the People's Republic of Bangladesh on trade in textile products	EEC Treaty Art. 113 Multifibre Arrangement Art. 4	Initialled on 16 July 1986. Implemented on a provisional basis from 1 January 1987. Expires on 31 December 1990.	Consultations between the parties (see Art. 16). Administrative cooperation (Protocol A, Title V)	Voluntary restraint agreement. Implemented on a provisional basis under Council Decision 87/420/EEC of 11 December 1986.

COUNTRY: CHINA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 250/85 page 1	Trade and Economic Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the People's Republic of China	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 21 May 1985. Entered into force on 1 October 1985 for five years. Renewable tacitly on a yearly basis.	Joint Committee, whose task it is to examine new opportunities for developing trade and economic cooperation and to make recommendations.	<p>Framework cooperation Agreement providing for future developments and identifying the objectives and the means of achieving them in the field of economic and trade cooperation.</p> <p><u>With regard to trade-related matters</u>, the terms of the Agreement are the same as those of the 1978 non-preferential Trade Agreement. The most-favoured-nation clause, amongst others, is unchanged.</p> <p><u>With regard to economic cooperation</u>, the Agreement states that the contracting parties will develop cooperation in the following areas: industry and mining; agriculture; science and technology; energy; transport and communications; environmental protection; and cooperation in developing countries generally. The parties also agree to encourage the various forms of industrial and technical cooperation, promote investment and improve the climate for investment. The Community states its willingness to continue its development activities in China, both within the framework of its aid programme for ALA developing countries and also in any other potential areas for cooperation with China. The system of generalized preferences has been applied to China since 1980, since when the range of products entering the Community duty free under the system has been steadily expanding from year to year. At its meeting on 12 January 1987, the Joint Committee noted, amongst other things, a further increase in the volume of trade, accompanied by an appreciable reduction in the Chinese deficit. This was largely due to an increase in Chinese exports to the Community.</p> <p>Domestic political events in China in 1989 dealt a harsh blow to EEC-China relations, although opinion is now shifting towards a more realistic approach.</p>

COUNTRY: CHINA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 352/90 page 1	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the People's Republic of China on trade in textile products	EEC Treaty Art. 113 Multifibre Arrangement Art. 4	Initialed on 9 December 1988. Implemented from 1 January 1989 for a period of four years.	Textile Committee (Art. 16(1)) Consultation procedures (Art. 16(2))	<p>The Agreement, concluded on the same basis as the previous one, is a standard Agreement (MFA framework), albeit containing certain provisions relating to cooperation. The Agreement provides for increases in basic quotas, but also for new restrictions. In addition quotas are imposed on a number of products the movement of which was hitherto unrestricted, as a result of amendments to the system of textile product categories made necessary by the introduction of the Harmonized System nomenclature.</p> <p>China also undertakes to supply more raw silk. The Agreement strikes a balance between the Community's need to take account of the situation in its industrial sector, the importance of China as a supplier and of trade with China, given its special situation. From the legal point of view, it is interesting to note the clause providing for consultation to resolve problems relating to intellectual property.</p>

COUNTRY: HONG KONG

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 388/86 page 1	Agreement between the European Economic Community and Hong Kong on trade in textile products	EEC Treaty Art. 113 Multifibre Arrangement Art. 4	Initialed on 1 October 1986.	Consultations between the parties (Art. 16) Administrative cooperation (Protocol A, Title V)	Voluntary restraint agreement.

COUNTRY: INDIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 328/81 page 5	Agreement for commercial and economic cooperation between the European Economic Community and India	EEC Treaty Articles 113 and 235	Signed on 23 June 1981. Entered into force on 1 December 1981. Concluded for an initial period of five years. Extended automatically unless specific notice of termination is given.	Joint Commission (Articles 10 and 11). The Joint Commission also ensures the proper functioning of the sectoral agreements concluded or which may be concluded and "to this end it shall exercise the responsibilities entrusted to the Joint Commissions set up under these agreements" (Art. 12). The Joint Commission's area of responsibility also covers the use of Community funds given as aid and other funds made available to India.	Non-preferential agreement. Replaces the 1973 Agreement (see OJ L 82/74) and has a different basis. Cooperation extends to a large number of sectors; no field is excluded under the future developments clause. With regard to trade, the Agreement contains all of the provisions included in the previous cooperation Agreement, including the most-favoured-nation clause. It also stresses the contracting parties' intention to promote the development and diversification of trade between them to the highest possible level by means of a whole series of specific measures (Art. 4). Economic cooperation is to cover all areas where such cooperation would be of benefit to both parties. The purpose is to encourage economic development on both sides (promotion of industrial cooperation, technology transfers, promotion of investment, contacts between economic operators - including SME - seminars, etc). The Agreement also provides a firm legal basis for technological and scientific cooperation (Art. 5). The amount of development aid given to India makes it one of the main beneficiaries amongst the ALA developing countries. Aid takes the form of direct concessional transfers or institutional or other forms of finance. The Agreement covers a large number of sectors, many of which are related to agriculture.

COUNTRY: INDIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 352/81 page 28	Protocol concerning commercial and economic cooperation between the European Coal and Steel Community and India	ECSC Treaty EEC-India Agreement for cooperation	Signed on 23 June 1981.	Joint Commission set up under the EEC-India Agreement.	This Protocol ceases to apply if the EEC-India Agreement for cooperation is denounced (Art. 3). Under the Protocol, the provisions of the Agreement for cooperation relating to commercial, economic, scientific and technological cooperation are extended to the areas covered by the ECSC Treaty.
Not yet published	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of India on trade in textile products	EEC Treaty Art. 113 Multifibre Arrangement Art. 4	Initialed on 31 October 1986. Expires on 31 December 1990.	Consultations between the parties	Voluntary restraint agreement.

COUNTRY: INDIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 292/85 pages 1 and 5	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of India on cane sugar	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed and entered into force on 18 July 1975 for an unlimited period.	Joint Commission set up under the EEC-India Agreement for commercial cooperation.	Quantities and prices are negotiated separately. (Parallel arrangements to those established for the ACP countries). From 1 July 1981, the quantity of preferential sugar was reduced to zero by the Commission pursuant to the provisions of Art. 7(2) of the Agreement. But an Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters signed on 27 April 1984 (see OJ L 120/84, page 1) reestablished "an agreed quantity of preferential sugar" for India. The Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters for the 1986/87 delivery period was signed on 15 June 1987. (See OJ L 185/87, page 9). It is similar to the agreement with certain ACP States.

COUNTRY: INDONESIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 219/82 page 56	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Indonesia concerning imports of manioc from Indonesia and other supplier countries which are members of the GATT	EEC Treaty Art. 113	1982-86 Renewed tacitly thereafter for a period of three years.	Consultations between the parties (point 2(f))	Under the Agreement the Community fixes the annual tariff quotas (see Agreements with Thailand and Brazil).
OJ L 329/90 page 1	Agreement between the European Economic Community and Indonesia on trade in textile products	EEC Treaty Art. 113 Multifibre Arrangement Art. 4	Initialed on 28 June 1986. Implemented on a provisional basis from 1 January 1987. In force until 31 December 1990.	Consultation between the parties (Art. 16) Administrative cooperation (Protocol A, Title V).	Voluntary restraint agreement. Implemented on a provisional basis under Council Decision 87/421/EEC of 11 December 1986.

COUNTRY: JAPAN

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
Not published see: C(77)645	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the Commission of the European Communities and Japan concerning cooperation on environmental matters	EEC Treaty	Signed on 1 June 1977. Concluded for an unlimited period.	Meetings of official experts on an <u>ad hoc</u> basis.	
OJ L 57/89 page 62	Agreement for cooperation between the European Atomic Energy Community and the Government of Japan in the field of controlled thermonuclear fusion	Euratom Treaty Art. 101, second paragraph	Signed on 20 February 1989. Entered into force on 20 February 1989 for a period of three years. The Agreement will remain in force thereafter unless either party terminates it, giving six months' written notice. (Art. X)	Coordinating Committee meeting annually (Art. V).	Scientific cooperation Agreement covering the following areas: tokamaks and alternative lines; fusion technology; plasma theory and applied plasma physics and other areas which may be agreed upon (Art. II). The Agreement contains provisions relating to any invention or discovery which may be made and also intellectual property rights. Provision is made for exchanges of both personnel and equipment.

COUNTRY: KOREA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
Not yet published For Council Decision, see OJ L 263/87 page 37	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Korea on trade in textile products	EEC Treaty Art. 113 Multifibre Arrangement Art. 4	Initialed on 8 August 1986. Implemented on a provisional basis from 1 January 1987. Expires on 31 December 1991.	Consultations between the parties (Art. 16) Administrative cooperation (Protocol A, Title V).	Voluntary restraint agreement. Implemented on a provisional basis under Council Decision 87/471/EEC of 11 December 1986.

COUNTRY: MACAO

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
Not yet published For Council Decision see OJ L 287/87 page 46	Agreement between the European Economic Community and Macao on trade in textile products	EEC Treaty Art. 113 Multifibre Arrangement Art. 4	Initialed on 19 July 1986. Implemented on a provisional basis from 1 January 1987. In force until 31 December 1990.	Consultations between the parties (Art. 16) Administrative cooperation (Protocol A, Title V)	Voluntary restraint agreement. Implemented on a provisional basis under Council Decision 87/497/EEC of 11 December 1986.

COUNTRY: MALAYSIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 339/90 page 42	Agreement between the European Economic Community and Malaysia on trade in textile products	EEC Treaty Art. 113 Multifibre Arrangement Art. 4	Initialed on 26 August 1986. Implemented on a provisional basis from 1 January 1987. In force until 31 December 1990.	Consultations between parties (Art. 16) Administrative cooperation (Protocol A, Title V)	Voluntary restraint agreement. Implemented on a provisional basis under Council Decision 87/422/EEC of 11 December 1986.

COUNTRY: PAKISTAN

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 108/86 page 1	Agreement for commercial, economic and development cooperation between the European Economic Community and the Islamic Republic of Pakistan	EEC Treaty Articles 113 and 235	Signed on 23 July 1985 for a period of five years. Entered into force on 1 May 1986. Automatically renewable on an annual basis unless denounced by either party six months before the date of expiry.	Joint Commission (Art. 7), also responsible for ensuring the proper functioning of any sectoral agreements and supervising joint bodies which have been, or may be, set up under such agreements.	This Agreement builds on the 1976 trade cooperation Agreement and covers two new areas, namely economic and development cooperation. It also reinforces cooperation in the fields of trade and development. The Agreement does not exclude any area which could be covered by economic cooperation and which falls within the Community's powers. The contracting parties agree to promote industrial cooperation between economic operators, investment and joint research programmes. The Community undertakes to do everything possible to step up the financial and technical assistance it gives to development programmes in Pakistan (Pakistan is a beneficiary of the aid programme for ALA developing countries). With regard to trade, (the EC is Pakistan's leading trading partner), the contracting parties confirm the provisions of the 1976 Agreement and reinforce their commitment to consult each other problems on any arising at either bilateral or multilateral level. In addition, a trade promotion programme has been established by the Joint Commission.
OJ L 352/90 page 74	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Islamic Republic of Pakistan on trade in textile products	EEC Treaty Art. 113 Multifibre Arrangement Art. 4	Initialed on 12 September 1986. Implemented on a provisional basis from 1 January 1987. In force until 31 December 1991.	Consultations between the parties (Art. 16) Administrative cooperation (Protocol A, Title V)	Voluntary restraint agreement. Implemented on a provisional basis under Council Decision 87/458/EEC of 11 December 1986.

COUNTRY: PHILIPPINES

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 339/90 page 1	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of the Philippines on trade in textile products	EEC Treaty Art. 113 Multifibre Arrangement Art. 4	Initialled on 26 August 1986. Implemented on a provisional basis from 1 January 1987. In force until 31 December 1991.	Consultations between the parties (Art. 16) Administrative cooperation (Protocol A, Title V)	Voluntary restraint agreement. Implemented on a provisional basis under Council Decision 87/458/EEC of 11 December 1986.

COUNTRY: SINGAPORE

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 329/90 page 1	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Singapore on trade in textile products	EEC Treaty Art. 113 Multifibre Arrangement Art. 4	Initialed on 26 August 1986. Implemented on a provisional basis from 1 January 1987. In force until 31 December 1991.	Consultations between the parties (Art. 16) Administrative cooperation (Protocol A, Title V)	Voluntary restraint agreement. Implemented on a provisional basis under Council Decision 87/301/EEC of 11 December 1986.

COUNTRY: SRI LANKA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 247/75 page 1	Agreement on commercial cooperation between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Sri Lanka	EEC Treaty Articles 113 and 114	Signed on 22 July 1975. Entered into force on 1 December 1975. Renewable tacitly on an annual basis unless either party gives notice of termination six months prior to expiry.	Joint Commission (Articles 8-10) which also supervises the sector agreements (Art. 11).	Non-preferential agreement aimed at developing trade between the parties "to as high a level as possible". The parties grant each other most-favoured-nation treatment and undertake to promote trade by all possible means and to develop economic cooperation "when linked with trade". Cooperation is to be gradually intensified. The parties will endeavour to promote joint enterprises between Sri Lankan and European businesses. The measures to promote trade will include the setting-up of two Sri Lankan trade and investment centres in Europe, taking part in trade fairs and providing experts. Sri Lanka receives substantial amounts of technical and financial aid under the programme for non-associated developing countries. Most of this aid, in Sri Lanka's case, is spent on rural projects and trade promotion.

COUNTRY: SRI LANKA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
Not yet published For Council Decision see OJ L 255/87 page 85	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Sri Lanka on trade in textile products	EEC Treaty Art. 113 Multifibre Arrangement Art. 4	Initialled on 31 May 1986. Implemented on a provisional basis from 1 January 1987. In force until 31 December 1990.	Consultations between the parties (Art. 16) Administrative cooperation (Protocol A, Title V)	A new textiles Agreement covering the period 1986-90 was initialled on 31 January 1986. The new Agreement imposes quantitative restrictions on four categories of products, instead of six under the previous Agreement. The quantities set for the categories in question take account of the levels of development in Sri Lanka and the established annual rates of increase have been raised appreciably. The Agreement also sets limits for outward processing traffic. Implemented on a provisional basis under Council Decision 87/479/EEC of 11 December 1986.
Not published	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Sri Lanka on trade in coir products	EEC Treaty Art. 113	In force from 1 January 1975 for an unlimited period.	Joint Commission set up by the EEC-Sri Lanka Agreement on commercial cooperation.	

COUNTRY: THAILAND

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
Not published	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Thailand on trade in jute products	EEC Treaty Art. 113	In force from 1 January 1975 for an unlimited period.		
OJ L 219/82 page 52	Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Thailand on manioc production, marketing and trade	EEC Treaty Art. 113	Signed on 3 September 1982 for an initial period of five years (1 January 1982 - 31 December 1986) and possibly subsequent periods of three years thereafter.	Working Group and, if necessary, joint meetings at ministerial level (Art. 7).	Voluntary restraint agreement laying down different export quantities for the five years in question (see also Agreements with Brazil and Indonesia). Any renewal of the Agreement will be based on the quantities established for 1986. In return, the Community agrees to supply technical and financial assistance for rural development and crop diversification projects in Thailand.

COUNTRY: THAILAND

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 325/90 page 40	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Thailand on trade in textile products	EEC Treaty Art. 113 Multifibre Arrangement Art. 4	Initialled on 26 August 1986. Implemented on a provisional basis from 1 January 1987. In force until 31 December 1990.	Consultations between the parties (Art. 16) Administrative cooperation (Protocol A, Title V)	Voluntary restraint agreement. Implemented on a provisional basis under Council Decision 87/460/EEC of 11 December 1986. Modifications : see OJ L 256/91 page 59.
OJ L 155/86 page 8	Protocol renewing the cooperation agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Thailand on manioc production, marketing and trade	EEC Treaty Art. 113	From 1 January 1987 until 31 December 1990. Signed on 23 May 1986.	Same arrangements as in Cooperation Agreement on manioc	The Protocol renews the Agreement, making amendments where necessary, to Articles 1, 3 and 9 in particular. Takes account of the fact that it was not possible to meet all of the objectives concerning the development and diversification in the agricultural sector in Thailand. Since the Cooperation Agreement renewed by this Protocol came into force, Thailand has become a member of GATT. For the four-year period from 1 January 1987 to 31 December 1990 and for each subsequent four-year period the total export quantity is 21 million tonnes (Art. 2), with a maximum import levy of 6% ad valorem. The Agreement was renewed again by a Protocol signed on 15 November 1990 and published in OJ 347/90, page 23. The Protocol covers the four-year period starting 1 January 1991.

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 144/80 page 1	Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and Indonesia, Malaysia, the Philippines, Singapore and Thailand - member countries of the Association of South East Asian Nations	EEC Treaty Articles 113 and 235	Signed on 7 March 1980. In force for five years from 1 October 1980 to 30 September 1985. Renewable thereafter for two-year periods.	Joint Cooperation Committee (Art. 5)	<p>Framework agreement for commercial, economic and development cooperation. Contains most-favoured-nation clause.</p> <p>Under the heading of <u>commercial cooperation</u>, the parties undertake to study ways and means of overcoming trade barriers, ease access to the markets of both regions, establish new trade patterns by bringing together economic operators, recommend trade promotion measures and consult each other on measures which could affect trade. The Committee recently modified its trade promotion policy to encourage measures at regional level.</p> <p>In the field of <u>economic cooperation</u> they undertake to foster contacts and industrial and technological cooperation between firms in the two regions.</p> <p><u>Development cooperation</u>: the parties undertake to work for the development of ASEAN and increased regional cooperation through Community programmes for ALA developing countries, in coordination with the Member States (around 20% of total aid to the ALA countries). Efforts will be made in the sphere of development and industrial cooperation.</p> <p>A Protocol signed on 15 November 1984 (see OJ L 81/85) stipulates (Article 2) that the provisions of the Agreement and the Protocol relating to Article 1 shall also apply to Brunei Darussalam, as the ASEAN states had requested that the Agreement be extended to include the organization's sixth member.</p>

ACP

LOME CONVENTION

COUNTRIES: ANGOLA, ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA, BAHAMAS, BARBADOS, BELIZE, BENIN, BOTSWANA, BURKINA FASO, BURUNDI, CAMEROON, CAPE VERDE, CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC, CHAD, COMOROS, CONGO, CÔTE d'IVOIRE, DJIBOUTI, DOMINICA, DOMINICAN REPUBLIC, EQUATORIAL GUINEA, ETHIOPIA, FIJI, GABON, GAMBIA, GHANA, GRENADA, GUINEA, GUINEA-BISSAU, GUYANA, HAITI, JAMAICA, KENYA, KIRIBATI, LESOTHO, LIBERIA, MADAGASCAR, MALAWI, MALI, MAURITANIA, MAURITIUS, MOZAMBIQUE, NIGER, NIGERIA, PAPUA NEW GUINEA, RWANDA, ST. CHRISTOPHER AND NEVIS, ST. LUCIA, ST. VINCENT AND THE GRENADINES, SAO TOME AND PRINCIPE, SENEGAL, SEYCHELLES, SIERRA LEONE, SOLOMON ISLANDS, SOMALIA, SUDAN, SURINAME, SWAZILAND, TANZANIA, TOGO, TONGA, TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO, TUVALU, UGANDA, VANUATU, WESTERN SAMOA, ZAIRE, ZAMBIA, ZIMBABWE.*

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration
OJ L 229/91 page 3	Fourth ACP-EEC Convention (with 9 Protocols, including one concerning products within the province of the ECSC, and a Final Act)	EEC Treaty Art. 238 Georgetown Agreement of 6 June 1975	Signed on 15 December 1989. In force for a period of ten years from 1 March 1990. The Convention may be terminated either by the Community with regard to any ACP State or by any ACP State with regard to the Community on condition that six month's notice is given.	Responsibility for implementing the Convention is shared by a number of bodies with different spheres of competence, the most important being the Council of Ministers (Articles 338-345), the Committee of Ambassadors (Articles 346 and 347) (see also the terms of Articles 348 and 349 for the overlap between these two bodies) and the Joint Assembly (Articles 350 and 351). See also Articles 352-355 laying down ad hoc procedures. Each body adopts its own rules of procedure and operating arrangements. European Community bodies, notably the EIB, act in matters within their sphere of responsibility. Other bodies are provided for by certain of the Protocols to the Convention (e.g., Customs Cooperation Committee, permanent joint group for bananas and joint working party for rum).

*Namibia became the 69th ACP State when it gained independence in April 1990.

LOME CONVENTION

Remarks

Comprehensive agreement, officially known as a "cooperation Convention" (Art. 1, first paragraph).

Differs from previous Conventions in that it is valid for ten years. What really distinguishes the fourth Convention from its predecessors, however, is its new approach, centred around people and the quality of life. Amongst the more important of the new features are: the new structural adjustment facility; the inclusion of a new sphere of activity, i.e. environmental protection; the dropping of the requirement to pay back STABEX transfers and SYSMIN loans; and concern about developing the service sector.

The main text of the Convention is divided into five parts.

Part One contains the general provisions of ACP-EEC cooperation (this section highlights the approach to development "centred on man" and describes the new-style guidelines).

Part Two sets out the areas of ACP-EEC cooperation, namely: the environment (Articles 33-41); agricultural cooperation, food security and rural development (Articles 42-57); development of fisheries (Articles 58-68); cooperation on commodities (Articles 69-76); industrial development, manufacturing and processing (Articles 77-98); mining development (Articles 99-104); energy development (Articles 105-109); enterprise development (Articles 110-113); development of services (Articles 114-134); and trade development (Articles 135-138). The human and cultural dimension is dealt with in Articles 139-149, Articles 150-152 are concerned with education and training and scientific cooperation while Articles 153-155 cover the role of women, health and nutrition, population and demography. Regional cooperation between ACP States is included in a separate section of its own (Articles 156-166).

Part Three (Articles 167-337), on the instruments of cooperation, examines trade cooperation, cooperation in the field of commodities and financial instruments. See in particular Articles 213 on sugar, 186 et seq. on Stabex, 214 et seq. on the Sysmin facility and, in Title III, 220-230 on development finance cooperation.

For the completely new section on problems relating to debt and structural adjustment, see Articles 239-250. The provisions concerning investment are set out in Articles 258-272. (There is no protection clause as such but the Convention does establish the framework for such protection.) Articles 291-310 relate to the financing agreements and the procedures reiterating rules already established.

Articles 311-323 lay down administrative arrangements. See in particular Articles 324-327 on the ACP-EEC Committee. Title IV contains special provisions for the least-developed, landlocked and island ACP States and gives a list of them as adopted for the purposes of the Convention.

Part Four of the Convention is concerned with the institutions (see previous page) and how they function (Articles 338-355). Part Five contains the final provisions (Articles 356-369).

The Convention is accompanied by a Financial Protocol and nine other Protocols (Protocol 1 concerning the definition of the concept of "originating products" and methods of administrative cooperation, Protocol 2 on the operating expenditure of the joint institutions, Protocol 3 on privileges and immunities, Protocol 4 on the implementation of Article 178, Protocol 5 on bananas, Protocol 6 on rum, Protocol 7 on beef and veal, Protocol 8 containing the text of Protocol 3 on ACP sugar appearing in the ACP-EEC Convention of Lomé signed on 28 February 1975 and the corresponding declarations annexed to that Convention, and Protocol 9 concerning products within the province of the European Coal and Steel Community). There is also a Final Act, with 78 annexes and the minutes of the signing of the Convention contain eight annexes.

LOME CONVENTION

Remarks

The Financial Protocol annexed to the Convention covers financial assistance for the first five-year period.

The total amount is ECU 12 000 million, of which ECU 10 800 million from the Fund, allocated as follows:

1. ECU 7 995 million in the form of grants, including ECU 1 150 million for structural adjustment support;
2. ECU 825 million in the form of risk capital;
3. ECU 1 500 million for Stabex and ECU 480 million for Sysmin; and
4. ECU 1 200 million in the form of EIB loans, to be administered by the Bank.

The increase in financial assistance for the OCT (amounting to ECU 165 million, of which ECU 140 million is administered by the Fund and the remaining ECU 25 million in loans by the EIB) is even greater than for the ACP States. The new arrangements are particularly advantageous for the OCT, which benefit from both the Lomé Convention and from Community integration. Particular emphasis has been placed on promoting industrial development and small and medium-sized businesses, which also benefit from the ad hoc information network set up by the EEC.

SUGAR AGREEMENT

COUNTRIES: BARBADOS, BELIZE, CONGO, CÔTE D'IVOIRE, FIJI, GUYANA, JAMAICA, KENYA, MADAGASCAR, MALAWI, MAURITIUS, ST. CHRISTOPHER AND NEVIS, SURINAME, SWAZILAND, TANZANIA, TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO, UGANDA, ZIMBABWE

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
Not yet published	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the EEC and Barbados, Belize, the People's Republic of the Congo, Côte d'Ivoire, Fiji, the Cooperative Republic of Guyana, Jamaica, the Republic of Kenya, the Democratic Republic of Madagascar, the Republic of Malawi, Mauritius, St. Christopher and Nevis, the Republic of Suriname, the Kingdom of Swaziland, the United Republic of Tanzania, the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago, the Republic of Uganda and the Republic of Zimbabwe on the guaranteed prices for cane sugar	EEC Treaty Art. 113 ACP-EEC Convention Protocol 8	The Agreement for the 1988/89 marketing year was due to be signed on 17 April 1991. For the 1989/90 and 1990/91 marketing years, negotiations are currently under way.	In the absence of provisions, see Protocol 7 to the Lamé Convention of 31 October 1979.	See parallel ad hoc agreement with India. This Agreement falls within the framework of the Protocol on sugar annexed to the Lamé Convention, which commits the EEC to the purchase of some 1.3 million tones of sugar, expressed in terms of white sugar, at guaranteed prices. If a country fails to deliver the agreed quantity, the full quantity for that country is reduced in respect of future delivery periods by the quantity not delivered and the Commission may decide (Article 7(4)) to re-allocate that quantity. Unrefined sugar prices for the 1987/88 sugar marketing year were set at ECU 44.92/100kg. This was the outcome of the last negotiations to result in an agreement which was formally concluded by the Council (see OJ L 179/88, page 48). Negotiations for the 1989/90 and 1990/91 marketing years are still under way and are proving to be somewhat difficult.

COUNTRY: ANGOLA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 341/87 page 1	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Government of the People's Republic of Angola on fishing off Angola	EEC Treaty Art. 43	Initialled on 30 April 1987. Implemented on a provisional basis with retroactive effect from 3 May 1989. In force for an initial period of three years from date of entry into force (Art. 14). Renewable every two years. Signed on 1 February 1989.	Consultations between the parties. Collaboration between research institutions (Art. 5)	Agreement providing for licences allowing European vessels to fish for tuna and shrimps and for financial compensation for Angola. Entered into force on date of signing (Art. 15). The Annex on the conditions for the pursuit of fishing activities remains in force until revoked by the Annex to the Protocol of 3 May 1989.
OJ L 341/89 page 8	Protocol defining, for the period 3 May 1989 to 2 May 1990, the fishing opportunities and financial compensation provided for in the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Government of the People's Republic of Angola on fishing off Angola	EEC Treaty Art. 43	1 year. Entered into force on date of signing but applicable from 3 May 1989.		Fishing rights as follows: (i) shrimp vessels: May 1989: 39 vessels; 1 June to 31 December 1989: 29 vessels; 1 January to 2 May 1990: 22 vessels; (ii) ocean-going freezer boats: 28 vessels; (iii) fishing on an experimental basis: 5 vessels. Financial compensation: ECU 7 925 000. Community contribution to scientific programmes: ECU 400 000; to staff training: ECU 270 000; and for study grants: ECU 390 000. Replaced on expiry by Protocol published in OJ L 379/90 (see following page).

COUNTRY: ANGOLA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 379/90 page 34	Protocol defining, for the period from 3 May 1990 to 2 May 1992, the fishing opportunities and financial compensation provided for in the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Government of the People's Republic of Angola on fishing off Angola	EEC Treaty Art. 43 Angola-EEC fishing Agreement of 3 May 1990	Two years. Entered into force on date of signing but applicable from 3 May 1990.		Ensures continuity when the previous Protocol expires. Fishing rights: 24 shrimp vessels; 28 ocean-going tuna freezer boats; five wet tuna boats; and two demersal trawlers (max. 600 GRT per month). Financial compensation: ECU 15 850 000 payable in two equal annual instalments; ECU 800 000 for scientific programmes; a maximum of ECU 540 000 for staff training (to pay salaries of foreign teachers); and ECU 780 000 for study grants to Angolan nationals. An Annex governing fishing activities repeals and replaces the previous arrangements (Art. 6 of the Protocol).

COUNTRY: CAPE VERDE

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ C 115/90 page 8	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Cape Verde on fishing off the coast of Cape Verde	EEC Treaty Art. 43 Act of Accession of Spain and Portugal (Art. 155(2)(b))	Valid for an initial period of three years from date of entry into force.	Joint Committee (Art. 9)	The Agreement has an Annex laying down the conditions for the exercise of fishing activities. A separate Protocol establishes, for the same period, the fishing rights (21 seiners, 24 pole-and-line vessels and surface longliners, two bottom longliners and two experimental cephalopod fishing vessels) and the amount of financial compensation (ECU 1 950 000 payable in three instalments, ECU 500 000 for scientific programmes and a maximum of ECU 160 000 for study grants).

COUNTRY: COMOROS

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 137/88 page 18	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Islamic Federal Republic of the Comoros on fishing off the Comoros	EEC Treaty Art. 43	Initialled on 23 October 1987. Signed on 20 July 1988 and entered into force on same day, for an initial period of three years.	Joint Committee (Art. 7)	Agreement providing for the granting of licences to 40 Community ocean-going freezer tuna vessels and for financial compensation of ECU 300 000 per annum, in payment for fishing rights and ECU 500 000 for a scientific programme. The licence fee payable by shipowners is set at ECU 20 per tonne caught. The Annex and the Protocol form an integral part of the Agreement.

COUNTRY: IVORY COAST

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 379/90 page 3	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of the Ivory Coast on fishing off the Ivory Coast	EEC Treaty Art. 43 Act of Accession of Spain and Portugal (Art. 155(2)(b))	Signed on 6 September 1990. Valid for an initial period of three years from the date of entry into force.	Joint Committee (Art. 10)	Accompanied by an Annex laying down the conditions for the exercise of fishing activities. A separate Protocol establishes, for the same period, the fishing rights (35 surface longliners and pole-and-line tuna vessels and 54 tuna seiners) plus 6 300 GRT per month for freezer trawlers fishing for demersal species and the amount of financial compensation (ECU 6 million, 40% of which is to be paid during the first year, with the remaining 60% payable in two equal annual instalments, ECU 600 000 to help finance scientific programmes and a maximum of ECU 500 000 for study grants).

COUNTRY: DOMINICA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 321/87 page 6	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Government of the Commonwealth of Dominica on fisheries	EEC Treaty Art. 43	Initialed on 14 May 1987. Valid for an initial period of three years from the date of entry into force. Not yet signed in 1991.	Joint Committee (Art. 9)	Agreement relating to small Community vessels (not exceeding 30 feet in length) registered in Guadeloupe and Martinique (170 licences to be issued for the area more than 12 miles from the baselines and 30 licences for the area between 6 and 12 miles from the baselines. Dominica is entitled to 20 licences to fish in Community waters, ECU 1.05 million in financial compensation, ECU 250 000 for a scientific programme and six study grants. The Agreement has been initialled but no steps have been taken beyond that stage.

COUNTRY: EQUATORIAL GUINEA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 188/84 page 1	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Government of the Republic of Equatorial Guinea on fishing off the coast of Equatorial Guinea	EEC Treaty Art. 43	Signed on 15 June 1984 for a period of three years from the date of entry into force. Entered into force on 3 December 1984. Amended and renewed for the period from 27 June 1986 to 26 June 1989.	Joint Committee (Art. 8)	Provisionally implemented by an exchange of letters (see OJ L 237/83) and by Council Decision of 26 July 1983 (legal basis EEC Treaty, Article 103). A new Agreement amending the original Agreement, to take account of the accession of Spain and Portugal to the European Communities (see OJ L 29/87, page 1), provisionally implemented by an exchange of letters, was signed on 4 November 1987.
OJ L 29/87 page 8	Protocol establishing fishing rights and financial compensation		From 27 June 1986 to 26 June 1989.		Fishing rights granted: 9 000 GRT per month for freezer trawlers, 48 freezer tuna seiners and 11 pole-and-line tuna vessels. In return, the Community will pay ECU 5 115 000 in financial compensation and ECU 200 000 for a scientific programme. A report will be drawn up on the use of the funds allocated to the programme.
OJ L 125/90 page 17	Protocol establishing for the period 27 June 1989 to 26 June 1992 the fishing rights and financial compensation provided for in the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Government of the Republic of Equatorial Guinea on fishing off the coast of Equatorial Guinea	EEC Treaty Art. 43. EEC-Equatorial Guinea Agreement.	Three years. Entered into force on date of signing. Applies from 27 June 1989 (Art. 8).	Joint Committee (Art. 8 of the Agreement)	Fishing rights: freezer trawlers: 9 000 GRT per month; tuna seiners: 40 vessels; surface longliners: 30 vessels. Financial compensation: ECU 6 million payable in three annual instalments; ECU 500 000 for research programmes and a maximum of ECU 665 000 for training grants. The Protocol has an Annex, laying down the conditions for the exercise of fishing activities. It replaces and repeals the Annex to the Agreement.

COUNTRY: GABON

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
Not yet published	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Gabonese Republic on fishing off Gabon	EEC Treaty Art. 43	Initialed on 26 February 1988 pending conclusion. For an initial period of three years.		Fishing rights are as follows: freezer trawlers: 15 000 GRT; tuna seiners: 54 vessels; and surface longliners: 12 vessels. In return, Gabon will receive: ECU 2 850 000 per annum in financial compensation; ECU 600 000 for the Gabonese scientific programme; and several study grants for Gabonese nationals. The licence fee payable by shipowners is set at ECU 20 per tonne for tuna and ECU 82 per GRT for the freezer trawlers.

COUNTRY: GAMBIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ C 42/87 page 10	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Government of the Republic of the Gambia on fishing off the Gambia	EEC Treaty Art. 43. Act of Accession of Spain and Portugal Art. 155(2)(b)	Signed on 25 May 1987. Entered into force on 1 July 1987 for an initial period of three years. Renewable thereafter every two years.	Joint Committee (Art. 11)	The Agreement lays down the conditions (both the principle and the rules) governing the pursuit of fishing activities by Community vessels in the Gambia's fishing zone. The amount of financial compensation, provided for in Article 9, is determined by an <u>ad hoc</u> protocol.
OJ C 42/87 page 17	Protocol between the European Economic Community and the Government of the Republic of the Gambia	EEC Treaty Art. 43. Act of Accession of Spain and Portugal Art. 155(2)(b)	Three years from 1 July 1987 (Art. 9).	Joint Committee (Art. 11 of the Agreement)	The Protocol provides for ECU 3 300 000 to be in financial compensation over a three-year period and ECU 80 000 to be contributed towards the financing of a specific programme. The cost of fishing licences for Community vessels will vary in accordance with either the intensity of their fishing activities or the capacity of the vessel.
OJ L 379/90 page 17	Protocol establishing the fishing rights and financial compensation provided for in the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Government of the Republic of the Gambia on fishing off the coast of the Gambia	EEC Treaty Art. 43. EEC-Gambia Agreement Art. 4	From 1 July 1990 to 30 June 1993. Entered into force on date of signing. Applied from 1 July 1990.	Joint Committee (Art. 11 of the Agreement)	Fishing rights: freezer seiners: 40 vessels; pole-and-line: 17 vessels; and surface longliners: 8 vessels. Trawlers and all other categories of vessel together are allowed up to 17 270 GRT, including shrimp vessels. Financial compensation: ECU 3 870 000 payable in three annual instalments; ECU 80 000 for scientific programmes and ECU 160 000 for study grants. An annex to the Protocol lays down the conditions for the exercise of fishing activities. Implemented by an exchange of letters (see OJ C 204/90, page 6).

COUNTRY: GUINEA K.

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 111/83 page 1	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Government of the Revolutionary People's Republic of Guinea on fishing off the Guinean coast	EEC Treaty Art. 43	Signed on 7 February 1983 for a period of three years from the date of its entry into force. Renewable. Entered into force on 19 February 1986. Amended for the period commencing on 8 August 1986.	Joint Committee (Art. 10) responsible for all fishery matters.	While the Agreement continues to be valid following the accession of Spain and Portugal to the European Communities, it has been amended by a new Agreement signed on 29 July 1987 (see OJ L 29/87, page 9), provisionally implemented by an Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters, also signed on 29 July 1987. Under Article 2(2) the Agreement applies retroactively from 8 August 1986.
OJ L 29/87 page 16	Protocol establishing fishing rights and financial compensation	EEC Treaty Art. 43	From 8 August 1986 to 7 August 1989.	Joint Committee (Art. 10 of the Agreement)	Fishing rights granted are as follows: trawlers: 12 000 GRT per month; tuna seiners: 45 vessels; pole-and-line tuna vessels: 25 vessels; and longliners: six vessels. The level of financial compensation is set at ECU 8 600 000, with a further contribution of ECU 350 000 for scientific and technical programmes and eleven study grants over the three-year period.
OJ L 125/90 page 46	Protocol establishing, for the period from 1 January 1990 to 31 December 1991, the fishing rights and financial compensation provided for in the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Government of the Republic of Guinea on fishing off the Guinean coast	EEC Treaty Art. 43 EEC-Guinea Agreement (Art. 2)	Two years. Entered into force on the day following that on which it was signed. Applicable from 1 January 1990.	Joint Committee (Art. 10 of the Agreement)	Fishing rights: trawlers: 12 000 GRT per month; freezer tuna seiners: 45 vessels; and pole-and-line tuna vessels and surface longliners: 35 vessels. Financial compensation: ECU 6 700 000 payable in two instalments; ECU 400 000 for scientific programmes; and up to ECU 400 000 for study grants. The Annex lays down the conditions for the exercise of fishing activities and repeals the conditions provided for in the Annex to the Agreement. Implemented by an Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters (see OJ L 125/90, page 45).

COUNTRY: GUINEA-BISSAU

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 226/80 page 33	Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Guinea-Bissau and the European Economic Community on fishing off the coast of Guinea-Bissau	EEC Treaty Art. 43	Signed on 27 February 1980. Entered into force on 17 December 1981. Renewed on 15 March 1987. Renewed again on 29 June 1987 and implemented with retroactive effect from 16 June 1986 by an Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters (see OJ L 261/86).	Joint Committee (Art. 11)	Supplemented by a Protocol and an exchange of letters specifying the fishing rights, technical conditions and financial compensation. The Agreement was subsequently amended by a new Agreement, signed on 15 March 1983 for a period of three years (see OJ L 84/83, page 1) and also accompanied by a Protocol covering retrospectively the interim arrangements agreed since 1 March 1982. On 29 June 1987, a new Agreement was signed, amending the 1980 Agreement for the second time, to take account of the accession of Spain and Portugal, countries which had previously had bilateral fishing agreements (see OJ L 113/87, page 1).
OJ L 113/87 page 10	Protocol establishing rights and financial compensation for the period from 16 June 1986 to 15 June 1989	EEC Treaty Art. 43	From 16 June 1986 to 15 June 1989.	Joint Committee (Art. 11 of the Agreement)	Fishing rights granted as follows: 11 000 GRT per month for trawlers; 45 freezer tuna vessels; 25 wet pole-and-line vessels; and six longliners. In return Guinea-Bissau will receive, in addition to the licence fee to be paid by vessel owners, ECU 7.5 million in financial compensation and ECU 400 000 for a scientific programme. A report will be drawn up on the use of the funds for the programme.
OJ L 125/90 page 1	Protocol establishing for the period 16 June 1989 to 15 June 1991 the fishing rights and financial compensation provided for in the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Guinea-Bissau on fishing off the coast of Guinea-Bissau	EEC Treaty Art. 43 EEC-Guinea-Bissau Agreement (Art. 4)	Two years. Entered into force on the day following that on which it was signed. Applicable from 16 June 1990.	Joint Committee (Art. 11 of the Agreement)	Fishing rights: shrimp trawlers: 10 000 GRT per month; fish trawlers: 5 000 GRT per month; tuna seiners: 45 vessels; pole-and-line tuna vessels: 15 vessels; and surface longliners: 45 vessels. Financial compensation: ECU 10 830 000 in two instalments. ECU 550 000 for research and a maximum of ECU 550 000 for study grants. The conditions for the exercise of fishing are set out in the Annex repealing the conditions provided for in the Annex to the Agreement. Implemented by an Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters (see OJ L 125/90).

COUNTRY: MADAGASCAR

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 73/86 page 25	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Government of the Democratic Republic of Madagascar on fishing off the coast of Madagascar	EEC Treaty Art. 43	Signed on 28 February 1986 for three years from the date of entry into force. Renewable (see Art. 14). Entered into force on 21 May 1986. Amended version in force from 28 November 1986.	Joint Committee (Art. 9)	Originally accompanied by an Annex, one Protocol on tuna fishing and a second on other types of fishing. These arrangements, set up before the accession of Spain and Portugal to the European Communities, were amended following a substantial increase in the size of the Community fleet (Art. 5 of the Protocol) with, in particular, an increase in the number of tuna fishing licences granted from 27 to 49 and in the number of vessels allowed to fish simultaneously from 18 to 33. Financial compensation was increased from ECU 900 000 to ECU 1 530 000, based on a catch weight to 10 200 tonnes per annum. If the actual weight exceeds this figure, then the sum payable is increased, although there is a ceiling of ECU 3 million for the period of the Protocol (see OJ L 160/87, page 11). These arrangements were repealed and replaced by the Protocol signed on 5 July 1990 (see Art. 6).

COUNTRY: MADAGASCAR

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 341/89 page 1	Protocol defining, for the period 21 May 1989 to 20 May 1992, the fishing opportunities and the financial contribution provided for by the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Government of the Democratic Republic of Madagascar on fishing off Madagascar	EEC Treaty Art. 43	Initialled on 28 April 1989. Entered into force on 5 July 1990.	Joint Committee (Art. 9 of the Agreement of 28 January 1986)	Implemented on a provisional basis from 21 May 1989 by an Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters (see OJ L 239/89, page 1). Fishing rights granted to 45 ocean-going freezer tuna vessels. Financial contribution: ECU 1 800 000 payable in three equal instalments. If the total annual catch exceeds 12 000 tonnes, this sum is increased, up to a ceiling of ECU 1 million per annum. The Protocol also provides for a contribution of ECU 900 000 for joint reconnaissance programmes to find crustaceans in deep water, a contribution of ECU 600 000 for a scientific programme and ECU 500 000 for study grants. The Protocol is accompanied by an annex establishing the conditions governing fishing activities.

COUNTRY: MAURITANIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 388/87 page 1	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Islamic Republic of Mauritania on fishing off the coast of Mauritania	EEC Treaty Art. 43. Act of Accession of Spain and Portugal Art. 155(2)(b)	Three years from date of entry into force. Renewable every two years. Initialled on 14 May 1987.	Joint Committee (Art. 8)	The need for this Agreement, on which negotiations had been taking place since 1979, was brought to the fore once again by the accession of Spain and Portugal because, despite authorization from the Council to extend its Agreement with Mauritania (see OJ L 376/86), Portugal was unable to conclude an implementing protocol and Spain had not had an agreement since 6 April 1987. Council Regulation (EEC) No 4143/87 also protects the interests of the Canary Islands (Art. 2).
OJ L 334/90 page 12	Protocol setting out the fishing opportunities and financial contribution provided for in the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Islamic Republic of Mauritania on fishing off the coast of Mauritania for the period 1 August 1990 to 31 July 1993	EEC Treaty Art. 43. Act of Accession of Spain and Portugal Art. 155(2)(b). EEC-Mauritania fishery Agreement	From 1 August 1990 to 31 July 1993.	Joint Committee	For fishing opportunities, see Article 1. Financial compensation is set at ECU 27 750 000, payable in three annual instalments. The use to which the compensation is put is the sole responsibility of Mauritania. In addition, the Community undertakes to contribute ECU 900 000 to scientific and technical programmes and up to ECU 360 000 for grants for study and practical training. Implemented provisionally by an Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters signed on 29 November 1990 (OJ L 334/90, page 9).

COUNTRY: MAURITIUS

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 159/89 page 1	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Government of Mauritius on fishing in Mauritian waters	EEC Treaty Art. 43	Signed on 29 November 1990 and entered into force on 1 December 1990 for a period of three years.	Consultations between the parties	Contains an Annex and two Protocols, the first of which establishes the fishing opportunities and the financial contribution accorded by the Community (i.e. ECU 1 200 000 payable in three annual instalments and ECU 480 000 for scientific and technical programmes).

COUNTRY: MOZAMBIQUE

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 201/87 page 1	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Government of the People's Republic of Mozambique on fisheries relations	EEC Treaty Art. 43	Initialed on 11 February 1986. Signed and entered into force on 1 October 1988 for an initial period of five years, renewable every two years.	Joint Committee (Art. 10)	The Agreement was, initially, implemented on a de facto unilateral basis, the Joint Committee having met on 9 December 1987 and having taken note, by agreed record, of the initialling of the Agreement and of the exchange of letters concerning the provisional application of the Agreement for the period starting 1 January 1987 (OJ L 98/87, page 10). Signed subsequently.
Not yet published	Protocol establishing the fishing rights and the financial compensation provided for in the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Government of the People's Republic of Mozambique on fisheries relations	EEC Treaty Art. 43	Entered into force when signed but applicable from 1 January 1990 (Art. 8).	Joint Committee (Art. 10 of the fishery Agreement)	Implemented by an Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters. Fishing rights: deep-water shrimp vessels: 1 100 GRT per month; deep-water and shallow-water shrimp vessels: 3 700 GRT per month; and tunna seiners: 44 vessels. Financial compensation: ECU 4 300 000 in two annual instalments. If the catch weight is increased, then the amount of compensation is increased. The Protocol also provides for a contribution of ECU 1 950 000 towards scientific programmes and for a research campaign, to which the EEC is to contribute ECU 600 000.

COUNTRY: MOZAMBIQUE

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 140/90 page 1	Protocol establishing, for the period 1 January 1990 to 31 December 1991, the fishing opportunities and the financial compensation provided for in the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Government of the People's Republic of Mozambique on fisheries relations	EEC Treaty Art. 43	Applicable for two years from 1 January 1990.	Joint Committee (Art. 10)	The earlier Protocol (annexed to the Agreement) is repealed and replaced by this Protocol (Article 7). Fishing rights: deep-water shrimp vessels: 1 100 GRT/month; deep-water and shallow-water shrimp vessels: 3 700 GRT/month; ocean-going tuna seiners: 44 vessels. For 1990, however, Community vessels may not take more than 1 200 tonnes of deep-water shrimps, 1 000 tonnes of shallow-water shrimps or 200 tonnes of deep-water crabs. These limits are to be reviewed for the following year by the Joint Committee. Financial compensation is set at ECU 4 300 000, payable in two annual instalments. It can be raised by ECU 50/tonne for quantities in excess of 6 000 tonnes of tuna species. Article 4 (see also corrigendum in OJ L 35/91) provides for ECU 950 000 for specific programmes.

COUNTRY: SAO TOME AND PRINCIPE

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 54/84 page 1 and OJ L 337/87 page 1	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Government of the Democratic Republic of São Tomé and Príncipe on fishing off the coast São Tomé and Príncipe	EEC Treaty Art. 43	Signed on 7 February 1984 for a period of three years from the date of entry into force. Entered into force on 18 April 1985. Amended with effect from 1 June 1987.	Joint Committee (Art. 8)	The Agreement was provisionally implemented by an Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the two parties (see OJ L 282/83, page 52) and by Council Decision (legal basis: EEC Treaty, Article 103). Amended by ad hoc Agreement following the accession of Spain and Portugal to the European Communities (see OJ L 337/87, page 1), which was provisionally implemented by an Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters signed on 27 May 1987 (OJ L 300/87, page 31).
OJ L 334/90 page 4	Protocol establishing fishing rights and financial compensation for the period 1 June 1990 to 31 May 1993	EEC Treaty Art. 43	Initialled on 4 May 1990. Valid for the three-year period referred to in the title. Implemented from 1 June 1990.	Joint Committee (Art. 8)	Fishing rights: 46 tuna seiners and five pole-and-line wet tuna vessels. Financial compensation: ECU 1 650 000. The EEC undertakes to contribute ECU 150 000 for a scientific programme and a maximum of ECU 375 000 for measures designed to improve the know-how of those involved in sea fishing. Implemented provisionally by an Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters (see OJ L 334/90, page 3).

COUNTRY: SENEGAL

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 226/80 page 17	Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Senegal and the European Economic Community on fishing off the coast of Senegal	EEC Treaty Art. 43	Signed on 15 June 1979. Amended by the Agreement signed on 21 January 1982 and the Agreement signed on 20 November 1985.	Joint Committee	Replaces the previous Agreement and its protocols. Under the arrangements set up by the Agreement, Senegal will continue to grant fishing licences to the enlarged Community's fleet of ocean-going vessels and will be granted, amongst other things, the financial compensation provided for under Article 9 of the Agreement, the amount being laid down by the Protocol. For amendments see OJ L 137/88, page 1.
OJ C 209/90 page 9	Protocol defining, for the period from 1 May 1990 to 30 April 1992, the fishing rights and financial compensation provided for in the Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Senegal and the European Economic Community on fishing off the coast of Senegal	EEC Treaty Art. 43 Senegal-EEC fishery Agreement	Two years. Entered into force on date of signing. Applicable from 1 May 1990.		Fishing rights: (i) trawlers landing their entire catch in Senegal: 1 000 GRT/year; trawlers not landing their catch in Senegal: 2 000 GRT/year; wet trawlers not landing their catch in Senegal: 5 000 GRT/year; freezer trawlers: 2 800 GRT/year and 1 000 GRT/year (only part of the catch being landed in Senegal); freezer trawlers not landing any of their catch in Senegal: 18 600 GRT/year; (ii) 20 tuna vessels landing all their catch and 48 tuna vessels landing part of their catch in Senegal; and (iii) 35 surface longliners. Financial compensation: ECU 28 750 000. ECU 800 000 for scientific programmes and a maximum of ECU 450 000 for study grants. The Protocol contains an Annex repealing and replacing the Annex to the Senegal-EEC fishery Agreement.

COUNTRY: SEYCHELLES

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 160/87 page 1	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Seychelles on fishing off Seychelles	EEC Treaty Art. 43. Act of Accession of Spain and Portugal Art. 167(3)	Initialed on 3 December 1986. Signed in 28 October 1987 and entered into force on same day (Art. 13) for an initial period of three years.	Joint Committee (Art. 7)	This Agreement replaces the Agreement of 23 May 1985 which was denounced by the Republic of Seychelles at the end of its initial period of validity. The Agreement lays emphasis on the Convention on the law of the sea and on cooperation, particularly within organizations in this field. In return for the granting of licences, which Community vessels must possess in order to fish in Seychelles' waters, the Community undertakes to pay financial compensation, the level of which is established by the Protocol which is an integral part of the Agreement.
OJ L 125/90 page 39	Protocol defining for the period 18 January 1990 to 17 January 1993 the fishing opportunities and the financial contribution provided by the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Seychelles on fishing off Seychelles	EEC Treaty Art. 43	Signed on 18 January 1991. Implemented on a de facto basis. In force from 18 January 1990 to 17 January 1993.	Joint Committee set up under the EEC-Seychelles fishery Agreement	Fishing rights: 40 ocean-going tuna seiners. Additional authorizations may be granted on terms to be established by the Joint Committee (Art. 1). The financial contribution is set at ECU 6 900 000 payable in three equal annual instalments. The EEC also undertakes to contribute ECU 2 700 000 towards the financing of scientific programmes in Seychelles and ECU 300 000 for study grants or to cover the cost of attending international meetings relating to fisheries. The Protocol contains an Annex laying down the conditions for the pursuit of fishing activities by Community vessels. Provisional implementation provided for by an Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters (see OJ L 125/90, page 37).

COUNTRY: SIERRA LEONE

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 125/90 page 27	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Sierra Leone on fishing off Sierra Leone	EEC Treaty Art. 43. Act of Accession of Spain and Portugal Art. 155(2)(b)	Initialled on 6 November 1989 Valid for an initial period of two years from the date of entry into force. Entry into force on date of signing.	Joint Committee and consultations between the parties (Art. 8(1) and (2))	The Agreement is accompanied by a Protocol (see below) and an Annex laying down the conditions for the pursuit of fishing activities in Sierra Leone's fishing zone.
OJ L 125/90 page 36	Protocol on the fishing rights and financial contribution provided for in the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Sierra Leone on fishing off Sierra Leone	EEC-Sierra Leone fishery Agreement Art. 2	Two years.	Joint Committee set up under the fishery Agreement	Fishing rights: licences for 46 tuna seiners and 43 pole-and-line vessels and surface longliners; an allowance of 10 300 GRT per month for trawlers and demersal longliners fishing for fin fish. Financial compensation is set at ECU 4 990 000, payable in two annual instalments. This amount is increased proportionately for each additional 1 000 GRT per month granted in fishing rights. The Community also undertakes to contribute ECU 360 000 towards the financing of scientific programmes and ECU 300 000 for study grants to students of the various subjects relating to fisheries.

COUNTRY: TANZANIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 379/90 page 24	Agreement between the European Economic Community and the United Republic of Tanzania on fishing off Tanzania	EEC Treaty Art. 43	Valid for an initial period of three years from date of entry into force (same day as date of signing, see Art. 14). Can be renewed (see Art. 13(1)). Initialled on 15 March 1990.	Joint Committee (Art. 8)	The Annex and the Protocol are an integral part of the Agreement (Art. 12). The former lays down the conditions for the pursuit of fishing activities while the latter sets out the fishing opportunities (licences for 46 tuna seiners and eight surface longliners) and sets the amount of financial compensation (ECU 1 050 000, payable in three annual instalments, with additional payments of ECU 50 per tonne if the 7 000 GRT limit provided for is exceeded. A further ECU 430 000 is to be contributed towards scientific programmes, plus ECU 200 000 for training).

AUSTRALASIA

COUNTRY: AUSTRALIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 275/80 page 20 and OJ L 396/89 page 17	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and Australia on trade in mutton, lamb and goatmeat	EEC Treaty Article 113	Signed on 14 November 1980. In force initially until 31 March 1984. Subsequently renewed.	Consultative Committee (clause 10)	Voluntary restraint agreement. Renewable tacitly unless one year's notice of termination is given in writing. Amended by an Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters (see Council Decision 89/673/EEC of 12 December 1989). The Agreement contains an annex establishing a price monitoring procedure.
OJ L 281/82 page 8	Agreement between the European Atomic Energy Community and the Government of Australia on nuclear transfers from Australia to the European Atomic Energy Community	Euratom Treaty Article 101, second paragraph	Signed on 21 September 1981. In force for a period of thirty years from 15 January 1982. Renewable.	Consultations (Article XVIII and Article XIII). Arbitral tribunal (Article XVI)	Contains three annexes and two exchanges of letters, which are an integral part of the Agreement, and also two letters to be sent to Australia by Euratom Member States which do not have bilateral agreements with Australia. The Agreement falls into the category of agreements on the international use of nuclear energy for peaceful purposes. It establishes arrangements for transfers of nuclear material from Australia to the Community.
OJ L 308/84 page 54	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Government of Australia on the Arrangement between Australia and the Community concerning cheese	EEC Treaty Article 113	Signed on 11 December 1984. Valid initially until 31 December 1986. Tacitly renewed unless either party terminates it, giving six months' notice in writing.		

COUNTRY: AUSTRALIA

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
Not Published	Arrangement between the Commission of the European Communities and the Government of Australia on scientific and technological cooperation	EEC Treaty	Signed on 12 November 1986 for an unlimited period.	Meetings of representatives of the two parties (point 5)	The sectors in which the cooperation is to be organized are identified in point 2 of the Arrangement.
OJ L 117/91 page 14.	Agreement in the form of agreed minutes between the European Economic Community and Australia relating to certain agricultural products negotiated under Art. XXVIII of GATT	EEC Treaty article 113.			Concerns modifications for the list I : Australia agreed under article XVIII of GATT.

COUNTRY: NEW ZEALAND

Reference	Title of Agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
OJ L 275/80 page 28	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and New Zealand on trade in mutton, lamb and goatmeat	EEC Treaty Article 113	Signed on 17 October 1980. In force initially from 20 October 1980 until 31 March 1984. Subsequently renewed. Amendments signed on 17 March 1987 and 18 October 1989.	Consultative Committee (clause 10)	<p>Voluntary restraint agreement. Renewable tacitly unless one year's notice of termination is given in writing.</p> <p>Clause 2 of this Agreement was itself the subject of an Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters (see OJ L 275/80, page 36).</p> <p>For the period from 1 January 1984 to 31 December 1988, see the "Exchange of letters complementing the Agreement between the European Economic Community and New Zealand on trade in mutton, lamb and goatmeat and comprising an understanding relevant to the first indent of clause 2 of that Agreement" in OJ L 187/84, page 75. This exchange of letters forms an integral part of the Agreement.</p> <p>See also the "Second exchange of letters complementing the Agreement between the European Economic Community and New Zealand on trade in mutton, lamb and goatmeat and comprising an understanding relevant to the first subparagraph of clause 2 of that Agreement", signed on 17 March 1987 and published in OJ L 50/87, page 27.</p> <p>A further Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters, also comprising an understanding and amending the 1980 Agreement, was signed on 18 October 1989.</p>
OJ L 308/84 page 59	Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Government of New Zealand amending the Joint Discipline Arrangement between New Zealand and the Community concerning cheese	EEC Treaty Article 113	Signed on 12 December 1984. In force initially until 31 December 1986. Tacitly renewed unless either party terminates the Agreement, giving six months' notice in writing.		

COUNTRY : NEW ZEALAND

Référence	Title of agreement	Legal basis	Period of validity	Administration	Remarks
Not yet published	Arrangement between the Commission of the European Economic Community and the Government of New Zealand for cooperation in science and technology.	EEC Treaty	Signed on 17 May 1991.	Meetings of representatives of both parties.	Cooperation includes : 1) agriculture 2) biomass 3) biotechnology 4) environment 5) forestry 6) renewable energies 7) telecommunications and information technologies.

QUOTAS FOR HANDICRAFTS

AND HANLOOM PRODUCTS

The following countries are accorded, in addition to the generalized preferences, annual duty-free tariff quotas opened by the Community on an erga omnes basis subject to specific undertakings (legal basis: EEC Treaty, Article 113).

For 1990, see OJ L 335/89 of 18 November: Council Regulations (EEC) No 3424/89, (handicrafts), No 3425/89 (hand-woven fabrics) and No 3426/89,¹ all of 6 November 1989.

<u>ASIA</u>	<u>HANDICRAFTS</u> <u>(hand-made products)</u>	<u>HANDLOOM FABRICS</u> <u>(hand-woven textile fabrics)</u>
<u>Country</u>		
Bangladesh	yes (exchange of letters of 1 November 1974)	yes (exchange of letters of 1 November 1974)
India	yes (since 1 September 1969 - last confidential exchange of letters dated 17 February 1981)	yes (since 1 July 1968 - last confidential exchange of letters dated 17 February 1981)
Indonesia	yes (since 1 September 1971)	yes (since 1 September 1971)
Laos	yes (exchange of letters of 1 June 1975)	yes (exchange of letters of 1 June 1975)
Malaysia	yes (since 1 January 1976)	no
Pakistan	yes (since 1 September 1969 exchange of letters, OJ L 176/70)	yes (since 20 June 1970)
Philippines	yes (since 1 September 1971)	no
Sri Lanka	yes (since 1 September 1971)	yes (since 1 June 1975)
Thailand	yes (since 1 September 1971 - exchange of letters of 26 May 1971)	yes (since 1 January 1973 - exchange of letters of 9 November 1972)
Iran	yes	

<u>LATIN AMERICA</u>	<u>HANDICRAFTS</u> (hand-made products)	<u>HANDLOOM FABRICS</u> (hand-woven textile fabrics)
<u>Country</u>		
Argentina	yes	yes
Bolivia	yes	no
Chile	yes (since 1 January 1978)	no
Ecuador	yes (since 1 January 1976)	no
El Salvador	yes (since 1 January 1978)	yes (since 1 January 1978)
Guatemala	yes	yes
Honduras	yes (since 1 July 1977)	yes (since 1 July 1977)
Mexico	yes	no
Panama	yes (since 1 June 1976)	no
Paraguay	yes (since 1 June 1976)	no
Peru	yes	no
Uruguay	yes (since 1 January 1975)	no

The goods must be accompanied by a certificate of manufacture recognized by the Community.

The Community Regulations referred to above also distribute the quotas amongst the Member States. Provision is made for a Community reserve.

1 Regulation (EEC) No 3426/89 (see previous page) opening and providing for the administration of Community tariff quotas for certain fruits and fruit juices. The exporting countries affected by the Regulation are: USA, Cuba, Argentina, Israel and Cyprus.

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GENERALIZED PREFERENCES SCHEME
 (Preferential access for products originating in developing countries)
 1990

Refer- ence	Title of Regulation or Decision	Legal basis	Beneficiary countries	Products covered
OJ L 383/89 page 1	Council Regulation (EEC) No 3896/89 of 18 December 1989 applying generalized tariff preferences for 1990 in respect of certain industrial products originating in developing countries	EEC Treaty	127 developing countries and 25 dependent or administered territories.	Industrial manufactures and semi-manufactures.
OJ L 383/89 page 45	Council Regulation (EEC) No 3897/89 of 18 December 1989 applying generalized tariff preferences for 1990 in respect of textile products originating in developing countries	EEC Treaty	133 developing countries and 26 dependent or administered territories.	Textile products.
OJ L 383/89 page 90	Council Regulation (EEC) No 3898/89 of 18 December 1989 applying generalized tariff preferences for 1990 in respect of certain agricultural products originating in developing countries	EEC Treaty	91 developing countries and 28 dependent or administered territories.	Agricultural products. See also Regulation (EEC) No 3899/89 reducing certain levies, published in OJ L 383/89, page 125.
OJ L 383/89 page 128	Decision No 89/645/ECSC of the representatives of the Governments of the Member States of the European Coal and Steel Community, meeting within the Council of 18 December 1989 applying generalized tariff preferences for 1990 in respect of certain steel products originating in developing countries	ECSC Treaty	131 developing countries and 25 dependent or administered territories.	Steel products.

LIST OF MAIN ABBREVIATIONS

- ACP = African, Caribbean and Pacific (States associated with the EEC)
- AECL = Atomic Energy of Canada
- ALA = Asian and Latin American (developing countries)
- ASEAN = Association of South East Asian Nations
- CCT = Common Customs Tariff
- CDI = Centre for the Development of Industry
- CFA = Communauté financière africaine
- EAEC = European Atomic Energy Community (Euratom)
- ECSC = European Coal and Steel Community
- EFTA = European Free Trade Association
- EIB = European Investment Bank
- GATT = General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade
- GSP = Generalized system of preferences
- MFA = Multifibre Arrangement
- MMI = Maghreb and Mashreq countries and Israel
- NAFO = North Atlantic Fisheries Organization
- OJ = Official Journal of the European Communities
- SME = Small and medium-sized enterprises
- Stabex = Export earnings stabilization system
- Sysmin = Special financing facility for ACP countries whose economies are dependent on mining
- US-DOE = United States Department of Energy