

No. 7204

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
and
DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO**

**Agricultural Commodities Agreement under Title I of the
Agricultural Trade Development and Assistance Act
of 1954, as amended (with exchange of notes and *aide-
mémoire*). Signed at Leopoldville, on 23 February
1963**

Official texts: English and French.

Registered by the United States of America on 13 April 1964.

**ÉTATS-UNIS D'AMÉRIQUE
et
RÉPUBLIQUE DÉMOCRATIQUE DU CONGO**

**Accord sur la fourniture de produits agricoles conclu en
vertu du titre I de la loi de 1954 sur le développement
des échanges commerciaux et de l'aide en produits
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No. 7204. AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES AGREEMENT¹
BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED
STATES OF AMERICA AND THE GOVERNMENT OF
THE REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO UNDER TITLE I OF
THE AGRICULTURAL TRADE DEVELOPMENT AND
ASSISTANCE ACT OF 1954, AS AMENDED. SIGNED
AT LEOPOLDVILLE, ON 23 FEBRUARY 1963

The Government of the United States of America and the Government of the Republic of the Congo :

Recognizing the desirability of expanding trade in agricultural commodities between their two countries and with other friendly nations in a manner which would not displace usual marketings of the United States of America in these commodities or unduly disrupt world prices of agricultural commodities or normal patterns of commercial trade with friendly countries;

Considering that the purchase for Congo francs of surplus agricultural commodities produced in the United States of America will assist in achieving such expansion of trade;

Considering that the Congo francs accruing from such purchase will be utilized in a manner beneficial to both countries; and

Desiring to set forth the understandings which will govern the sales, as specified below, of agricultural commodities to the Congo pursuant to Title I of the Agricultural Trade Development and Assistance Act, as amended (hereinafter referred to as the Act), and the measures which the two Governments will take individually and collectively in furthering the expansion of trade in such commodities;

Have agreed as follows :

Article I

SALES FOR CONGO FRANCS

1. Subject to issuance by the Government of the United States of America and acceptance by the Government of the Republic of the Congo of purchase authorizations and to the availability of commodities under the Act at the time of exportation, the Government of the United States of America undertakes

¹ Came into force on 23 February 1963, upon signature, in accordance with article VI.

to finance the sales for Congo francs, to purchasers authorized by the Government of the Republic of the Congo, of the following agricultural commodities in the amounts indicated :

<i>Commodity</i>	<i>Export market value (millions)</i>
Wheat flour	\$5.45
Rice	4.53
Corn	2.85
Beans (pea)	0.99
Dried whole milk	2.82
Non-fat dry milk	0.41
Canned milk	0.58
Butter	0.20
Cheese	0.05
Frozen chicken	0.98
Canned chicken	1.01
Leaf tobacco	1.40
Ocean transportation	2.55
TOTAL	\$23.82

2. Applications for purchase authorizations will be made within 90 calendar days after the effective date of this Agreement, except that application for purchase authorizations for any additional commodities or amount of commodities provided for in any amendment to this Agreement will be made within 90 days after the effective date of such amendment. Purchase authorizations will include provisions relating to the sale and delivery of commodities, the time and circumstances of deposit of the Congo francs accruing from such sale, and other relevant matters.

3. Purchase and shipment of the commodities mentioned above will be made within 18 calendar months of the effective date of this Agreement.

4. The financing, sale and delivery of commodities under this Agreement may be terminated by either Government if that Government determines that because of changed conditions the continuation of such financing, sale or delivery is unnecessary or undesirable.

Article II

USES OF CONGO FRANCS

The two Governments agree that Congo francs accruing to the Government of the United States of America as a consequence of sales made pursuant to this