

delivery free of sea freight and marine-insurance charges to such one of the ports specified in subclauses (2) and (3) hereof as is nearest or most convenient of access to the consignee's store.

(5) The maximum prices fixed by the foregoing provisions of this clause shall be reduced as follows:—

- (i) (a) By a trade discount of 7½ per cent. thereof in respect of deliveries direct to a wholesaler; or
- (b) By a trade discount of 3¾ per cent. thereof in respect of deliveries direct to a retailer on behalf of a wholesaler:
- (ii) With respect to deliveries effected partly or wholly by sea through any of the ports of Auckland, Wellington, Napier, Gisborne, New Plymouth, Wanganui, Nelson, Blenheim, or Westport, by a further trade discount of 1¼ per cent. of the price calculated in accordance with the foregoing provisions of this clause (by way of an allowance against landing-charges):
- (iii) By a discount of 2½ per cent. of the price calculated in accordance with the foregoing provisions of this clause where payment is made within seven days from the date of invoice:
- (iv) By a discount of 1¼ per cent. where payment is made after seven days from the date of invoice, but on or before the 20th day of the month following the month in which delivery is made to the wholesaler.

Wholesalers' Prices

6. (1) Subject to the following provisions of this clause and of clause 8 hereof, the maximum price that may be charged or received by any wholesaler for any oatmeal or rolled oats to which this Order applies shall be determined as follows:—

(a) For oatmeal and rolled oats sold by any wholesaler whose place of business is situate in any of the cities or boroughs of Auckland, Blenheim, Christchurch, Dunedin, Gisborne, Greymouth, Hokitika, Invercargill, Napier, Nelson, New Plymouth, Oamaru, Timaru, Wanganui, Wellington, or Westport, the maximum wholesale price shall be:—

(i) For oatmeal—	£	s.	d.	
In 160 lb. sacks ..	41	12	0	per ton of 2,000 lb.
In 100 lb. sacks ..	42	10	9	per ton of 2,000 lb.
In 50 lb. bags ..	43	17	6	per ton of 2,000 lb.
In 25 lb. bags (loose) ..	45	1	0	per ton of 2,000 lb.
In 25 lb. bags (packed in sacks in lots of six) ..	46	19	0	per ton of 2,000 lb.
In 7 lb. bags (packed in sacks in lots of twenty-four) ..	54	7	0	per ton of 2,240 lb.
In 5 lb. bags (packed in sacks in lots of thirty-two) ..	49	17	6	per ton of 2,000 lb.
In containers of any other size ..	41	12	0	per ton of 2,000 lb.
(ii) For rolled oats—				
In 150 lb. sacks ..	43	17	0	per ton of 2,000 lb.
In 125 lb. sacks ..	44	7	3	per ton of 2,000 lb.
In 100 lb. sacks ..	44	18	0	per ton of 2,000 lb.
In 50 lb. bags ..	46	10	0	per ton of 2,000 lb.
In 20 lb. bags (packed in sacks in lots of seven) ..	6	5	4	per dozen bags.
In 4 lb. bags (packed in sacks in lots of thirty-six) ..	1	7	6	per dozen bags.
In 2 lb. packets ..	0	14	10½	per dozen packets.
In containers of any other size ..	43	17	0	per ton of 2,000 lb.

(b) For oatmeal and rolled oats sold by any other wholesaler the maximum wholesale price shall be:—

(i) For oatmeal—	£	s.	d.	
In 160 lb. sacks ..	44	4	0	per ton of 2,000 lb.
In 100 lb. sacks ..	45	2	9	per ton of 2,000 lb.
In 50 lb. bags ..	46	9	6	per ton of 2,000 lb.
In 25 lb. bags (loose) ..	47	13	0	per ton of 2,000 lb.
In 25 lb. bags (packed in sacks, in lots of six) ..	49	11	0	per ton of 2,000 lb.
In 7 lb. bags (packed in sacks in lots of twenty-four) ..	57	5	3	per ton of 2,240 lb.
In 5 lb. bags (packed in sacks in lots of thirty-two) ..	52	9	6	per ton of 2,000 lb.
In containers of any other size ..	44	4	0	per ton of 2,000 lb.
(ii) For rolled oats—				
In 150 lb. sacks ..	46	9	0	per ton of 2,000 lb.
In 125 lb. sacks ..	46	19	3	per ton of 2,000 lb.
In 100 lb. sacks ..	47	10	0	per ton of 2,000 lb.
In 50 lb. bags ..	49	2	0	per ton of 2,000 lb.
In 20 lb. bags (packed in sacks in lots of seven) ..	6	11	7	per dozen bags.
In 4 lb. bags (packed in sacks in lots of thirty-six) ..	1	8	9	per dozen bags.
In 2 lb. packets ..	0	15	6½	per dozen packets.
In containers of any other size ..	46	9	0	per ton of 2,000 lb.

(2) The maximum prices fixed by the foregoing provisions of this clause shall be reduced by a discount of 2½ per cent. thereof where payment is made on or before the 20th day of the month following the month in which delivery is made to the retailer.

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Retailers' Prices

7. (1) Subject to the following provisions of this clause and of clause 8 hereof, the maximum price that may be charged or received by any retailer for any oatmeal or rolled oats to which this Order applies shall be determined as follows:—

(a) For oatmeal and rolled oats sold by any retailer in any area within which any wholesaler carrying on business in any of the cities or boroughs of Auckland, Blenheim, Christchurch, Dunedin, Gisborne, Greymouth, Hokitika, Invercargill, Napier, Nelson, New Plymouth, Oamaru, Timaru, Wanganui, Wellington, or Westport, normally undertakes the free delivery of goods to retailers, the maximum retail price shall be:—

(i) For oatmeal—	When Packed in Calico or Hessian Bags.		Bulk.
	s.	d.	s. d.
1 lb. lots ..	..	..	0 6
2 lb. lots ..	..	..	1 0
5 lb. lots ..	..	2 8	2 5
7 lb. lots ..	..	3 8	3 4½
25 lb. lots ..	..	12 9	12 0
50 lb. lots ..	..	24 6	24 0
100 lb. lots ..	..	47 3	47 0

(ii) For rolled oats—	When Packed in Calico or Hessian Bags or Cardboard Containers.		Bulk.
	s.	d.	s. d.
1 lb. lots ..	..	..	0 6½
2 lb. lots ..	..	1 4½	1 0½
4 lb. lots ..	..	2 6½	2 0½
20 lb. lots ..	..	11 2	10 0
50 lb. lots ..	..	25 7	24 9
100 lb. lots ..	..	49 8	49 2
125 lb. lots ..	..	61 4	61 0

(b) For oatmeal and rolled oats sold by any other retailer the maximum retail price shall be:—

(i) For oatmeal—	When Packed in Calico or Hessian Bags.		Bulk.
	s.	d.	s. d.
1 lb. lots ..	..	..	0 6½
2 lb. lots ..	..	..	1 1
5 lb. lots ..	..	2 10½	2 7½
7 lb. lots ..	..	3 11½	3 8
25 lb. lots ..	..	13 9½	13 0½
50 lb. lots ..	..	26 7	26 1
100 lb. lots ..	..	51 5	51 2

(ii) For rolled oats—	When Packed in Calico or Hessian Bags or Cardboard Containers.		Bulk.
	s.	d.	s. d.
1 lb. lots ..	..	..	0 6½
2 lb. lots ..	..	1 5½	1 1½
4 lb. lots ..	..	2 8½	2 2½
20 lb. lots ..	..	12 0	10 10
50 lb. lots ..	..	27 8	26 10
100 lb. lots ..	..	53 10	53 4
125 lb. lots ..	..	66 6½	66 2½

(2) Where any bulk oatmeal or rolled oats to which this Order applies is sold by retail in a lot other than one of the lots specified in subclause (1) of this clause, the maximum price of the lot shall be the price of the nearest lower specified lot increased as follows:—

(a) In the case of retailers to whom paragraph (a) of subclause (1) of this clause applies: By 5½d. a pound for oatmeal or 6d. a pound for rolled oats (as the case may be) for each pound of the surplus:

(b) In the case of retailers to whom paragraph (b) of subclause (1) of this clause applies: By 6½d. a pound for oatmeal or 6½d. a pound for rolled oats (as the case may be) for each pound of the surplus.

(3) If in respect of any oatmeal or rolled oats sold by a retailer the maximum price calculated in accordance with the foregoing provisions of this clause is not an exact number of pence or half-pence, the maximum price of the lot may be increased to the nearest upward halfpenny.

SPECIAL PRICES WHERE EXTRAORDINARY CHARGES INCURRED

8. Notwithstanding anything in the foregoing provisions of this Order, and subject to such conditions, if any, as it thinks fit, the Tribunal, on application by any manufacturer, wholesaler, or retailer, may authorize special maximum prices in respect of any oatmeal or rolled oats to which this Order applies where special circumstances exist or for any reason extraordinary charges (freight or otherwise) are incurred by the manufacturer, wholesaler, or retailer. Any authority given by the Tribunal under this clause may apply with respect to a specified lot or consignment of oatmeal or rolled oats or may relate generally to all oatmeal or rolled oats sold by the manufacturer, wholesaler, or retailer while the approval remains in force.

Dated at Wellington, this 3rd day of August, 1949.

The Seal of the Price Tribunal was affixed hereto in the presence of—

[L.S.] W. J. HUNTER (Judge), President.
P. N. HOLLOWAY, Member.