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**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
and
JORDAN**

**Agreement for sales of agricultural commodities (with annex).
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AGREEMENT¹ BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND THE GOVERN- MENT OF THE HASHEMITE KINGDOM OF JORDAN FOR SALES OF AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES

The Government of the United States of America and the Government of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan have agreed to the sales of agricultural commodities specified below. This Agreement shall consist of the preamble, parts I and III, and the Dollar Credit Annex of the Agreement signed on April 4, 1968,² and the following part II :

PART II

PARTICULAR PROVISIONS

Item I. Commodity table :

<i>Commodity</i>	<i>Supply Period</i>	<i>Approximate Maximum Quantity</i>	<i>Maximum Export Market Value (Millions)</i>
Wheat/Wheat Flour (Wheat Equivalent).	U.S. Fiscal Year 1972	30,000 Metric Tons	\$1.8
			<hr/> TOTAL \$1.8

Item II. Payment Terms :

Dollar credit

1. Initial Payment—Five (5) percent.
2. Currency Use Payment—Five (5) percent of the dollar amount financed by the Government of the exporting country for agricultural commodities under this Agreement is payable upon demand by the Government of the exporting country in accordance with paragraph 6 of the Dollar

¹ Came into force on 17 February 1972 by signature, in accordance with part III (B).

² United Nations, *Treaty Series*, vol. 698, p. 177.

Credit Annex applicable to this Agreement. No request for payments will be made by the Government of the exporting country prior to the first disbursement by the Commodity Credit Corporation under this Agreement.

3. Number of Installment Payments—19.
4. Amounts of Each Installment Payment—Approximately equal annual amounts.
5. Due Date of First Installment Payment—Two years after date of last delivery of commodities in each calendar year.
6. Initial Interest Rate—Two (2) percent.
7. Continuing Interest Rate—Three (3) percent.

Item III. Usual Marketing Table :

<i>Commodity</i>	<i>Import Period</i>	<i>Usual Marketing Requirements</i>
Wheat/Wheat Flour (Wheat Equivalent)	U.S. Fiscal Year 1972	8,000 Metric Tons

Item IV. Export Limitations :

A. The export limitation period for commodities which are the same as or like any particular commodity financed under this Agreement shall be the period beginning on the date of this Agreement and extending through the United States Fiscal Year 1972 or any subsequent United States Fiscal Year during which the relevant commodities financed under this Agreement are being imported and utilized.

B. For the purposes of part I, article III A 3 of the Agreement, the commodities considered to be the same as, or like, the commodities imported under this agreement are durum wheat, wheat and wheat products, including semolina or pasta products.

C. Permissible Export(s) :

<i>Commodity</i>	<i>Quantity</i>	<i>Period During Which Such Exports are Permitted</i>
Wheat including durum wheat, or wheat products including semolina or pasta products.	Amounts traditionally supplied to northern portions of Saudi Arabia and adjacent areas.	United States Fiscal Year 1972 and any subsequent U.S. Fiscal Year during which above mentioned commodities under this agreement are being imported and utilized.

Item V. Self-Help Measures :

The Government of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan is undertaking to :
(1) Increase the human and financial resources available to local cooperatives including the training of cooperative staff. (2) Intensify efforts to increase wheat production in semi-arid areas. (3) Protect drainage areas, such as the Wadi Ziglab, through erosion control measures. (4) Take steps, when financial and security conditions permit, to conduct a coordinated national soil and water conservation program.

Item VI. Economic Development Purposes for Which Proceeds Accruing to Importing Country are to be Used :

For purposes specified in item V and for other economic development purposes as may be mutually agreed upon.

Item VII. Ocean Freight (Differential) :

The Government of the exporting country shall bear the cost of ocean freight differential for commodities it requires to be carried in United States flag vessels, but notwithstanding the provisions of paragraph 1 of the Dollar Credit Annex, it shall not finance the balance of the cost of ocean transportation of such commodities.

Item VIII. Other Provisions :

A. The currency use payment under item II 2 of this part II shall be credited against.

- (a) the amount of each year's interest payment during the period prior to the due date of the first installment payment starting with the first year payment, plus
- (b) the combined payments of principal and interest starting with the first installment, until the value of the currency use payment has been offset.

B. Notwithstanding paragraph 4 of the Dollar Credit Annex, the Government of the importing country may withhold from deposit in the special account referred to in such paragraph or may withdraw from amounts deposited therein so much of the proceeds accruing to it from the sale of commodities financed under this Agreement as is equal to the amount of currency use payments made by the Government of the importing country.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the respective representatives, duly authorized for the purpose, have signed the present Agreement.

DONE at Amman, in duplicate, this 17th day of February, 1972.

For the Government
of the United States of America :

[Signed]

LEWIS DEAN BROWN
Ambassador

For the Government
of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan :

[Signed]

DR. SA'ID NABULSI
Minister of National Economy