



Statistics Committee
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**ICO composite and group indicator prices:
Share of markets and group weightings
Calendar year averages: 2015 to 2018
Effective from 1 October 2019**

Background

1. Every two years, in accordance with the Rules on Statistics – Indicator prices, contained in document [ICC-105-17](#), the market share in each group and their weightings for the calculation of the ICO composite and group indicator prices shown in Annex I of that document should be reviewed.
2. The last review took place in 2017 when the Statistics Committee recommended to the Council that the new group market shares and their weightings were to take effect from 1 October 2017 in accordance with the data presented in document [SC-72/17](#).
3. Table 1 gives the latest information on average exports of green coffee in calendar years 2015 to 2018 to all destinations, to the European Union and to the USA by group of coffee. It also provides the share of the markets in each group of coffee and their weightings (current and new) in the calculation of the ICO composite indicator price and the group indicators in accordance with the Rules. Table 2 gives the proposed group weightings and market shares which, if agreed, would come into effect from **1 October 2019**.

Action

The Statistics Committee is invited to consider this matter and to make recommendations to the Council.

TABLE 1						
Basis for the calculation of the ICO composite and group indicator prices						
	Average exports of green coffee: calendar years 2015 to 2018 (60-kg bags)	Group weighting (percentage)		Market share (percentage)		
		New	Current	New	Current	
TOTAL	108 743 592	100.00	100.00			
Colombian Milds	13 224 136	12.16	11.00			
of which exports to:						
	EU	4 001 149		42.62	45.00	
	USA	5 386 031		57.38	55.00	
		9 387 180		100.00	100.00	
Other Milds	23 080 422	21.23	20.00			
of which exports to:						
	EU	10 460 676		60.88	56.00	
	USA	6 721 618		39.12	44.00	
		17 182 294		100.00	100.00	
Brazilian Naturals	32 917 384	30.27	31.00			
of which exports to:						
	EU	16 783 176		73.23	74.00	
	USA	6 134 635		26.77	26.00	
		22 917 811		100.00	100.00	
Robustas	39 521 650	36.34	38.00			
of which exports to:						
	EU	18 224 409		82.47	82.00	
	USA	3 872 693		17.53	18.00	
		22 097 102		100.00	100.00	

TABLE 2					
Proposed group weightings and market shares (rounded)					
Effective from 1 October 2019					
	Group weighting (percentage)		Market share (percentage)		
			Total	Europe	USA
Total	100%		100%	43%	57%
Colombian Milds	12%		100%	43%	57%
Other Milds	21%		100%	61%	39%
Brazilian Naturals	30%		100%	73%	27%
Robustas	37%		100%	82%	18%