

WORLD TRADE REVIEW

New Trade Deals

PRINCIPALS	PROJECT / NATURE OF DEAL	COST	FINANCING	STATUS
Thailand from Japan	C. Itoh and Co. will build the world's largest floating power plant.	\$750 mn.	Japan's Overseas Economic Cooperation Fund	Contract award
USSR/Iran	USSR to expand Isfahan steel works in Iran in exchange for natural gas.	\$373 mn.	NAv	I
Iran from Japan	Mitsubishi will superintend construction of housing, schools, and commercial buildings in Baghdad area.	\$369 mn.	Downpayment of 15% by Iraqi government	Order received
Pakistan from Saudi Arabia	Loan to Pakistan for 5 projects: a thermal power station, a dam construction, a fertilizer factory, port construction, purchase of diesel locomotives for Pakistan.	\$200 mn.	Saudi Arabian Fund for Development	Loan awarded
U.K. from U.S.	British Caledonia Airways purchases a fourth DC-10 Series 30 jet	NAv	\$38 mn National Westminster Eurodollar loan	Plane delivered
Kuwait from Sweden	L.M. Ericsson Telephone Co. will build a computer-controlled telephone exchange extension for Kuwait's Ministry of Communications.	\$15 mn.	NAv	Contract received
Morocco from France	Philippe Giscard d'Estaing, deputy director of Thomson-CSF signs accord with Mahjoubi Aherdan, State Minister in charge of Telecommunications, for creation of joint company for production and distribution of telephone equipment. Factory to be operational first quarter of 1980 and employ 100 workers.	NAv	NAv	I

Abbreviations:

U = Undetermined
 NAp = Not applicable
 NAv = Not available

Status:

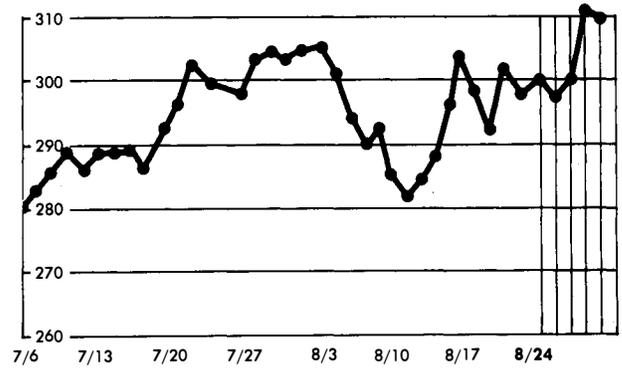
I = deal signed
 II = in negotiation
 III = preliminary talks

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London afternoon fixing

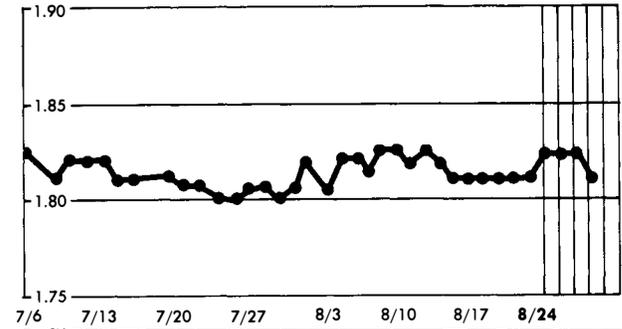
August 17	300.55
20	298.75
21	300.50
22	311.00
23	310.05



The dollar in deutschmarks

New York late afternoon

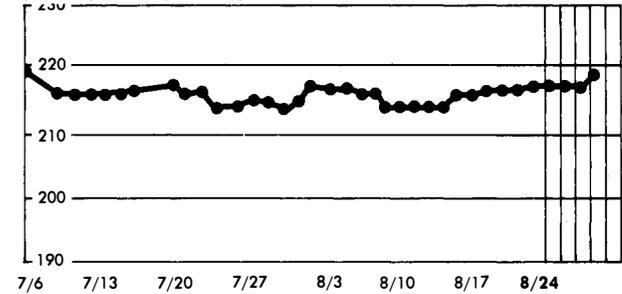
August 16	1.8270
17	1.8330
20	1.8320
21	1.8320
22	1.8290



The dollar in yen

New York late afternoon

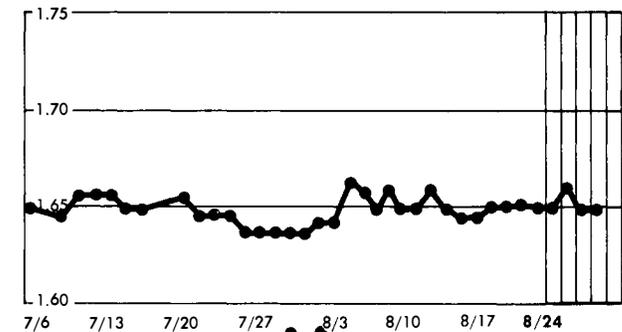
August 16	217.30
17	217.00
20	217.33
21	217.70
22	219.10



The dollar in Swiss francs

New York late afternoon

August 16	1.6540
17	1.6510
20	1.6600
21	1.6590
22	1.6550



The British pound in dollars

New York late afternoon

August 16	2.2243
17	2.2160
20	2.2145
21	2.2190
22	2.2335

