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STORAGE HOLDINGS OF FISH, DECEMBER 1, 1939.

ALL FISH. Stocks of all fish on December 1, 1939 aggregated 38.1 million 1b. (including an estimate of 1,300,000 lb. for firms that failed to

report on time), of which 32.2 million lb. were Frozen Fresh; 2.5 million lb. Frozen Smoked and 3.4 million lb. Cured. These figures are less by 1.5 million lb. Fresh and Frozen and less by 1.7 million lb. Smoked, Dried, Pickled and Salted than those of December 1, 1938. As compared with November 1, 1939 figures they are 6.9 per cent less for Frozen Fresh, 10.6 per cent greater for Frozen Smoked and 36.2 per cent less for Cured.

The apparent net "Out-of-Storage" movement for all classifications was 4.1 million 1b.

COD.

The reported stocks of all Cod totalled 4,784,300 lb. of which 2,401,503 lb. were Frozen Fresh; 941,286 lb. Frozen Smoked and 1,441,511 lb. Cured. The total figures are 12.6 per cent less than last month's stocks and are 1.9 million lb. less than the stocks on December 1, 1938.

There was an apparent net "Out-of-Storage" movement of 689 thousand lb. as compared with a net "Into-Storage" movement of 865 thousand lb. last year.

The quantity reported as frozen during November 1939, was 1,310,727 lb. as compared with a total of 1,718,726 lb. for November 1938.

HADDOCK.

All Haddock stocks reported, including Finnan Haddies, were 1,639,574 lb. consisting of 1,068,443 lb. Frozen Fresh and 571,131 lb. Frozen Smoked. These holdings are less by 4.9 per cent than the stocks of November 1, 1939 and 1.9 million lb. less than at the same time last year.

The apparent net "Out-of-Storage" movement was 84 thousand lb. Last year the net "Into-Storage" movement was 79 thousand lb.

The catch reported as frozen during November 1939, 210,729 lb. was 220 thousand lb. less than the quantity frozen during November 1938.

HAKE, CUSK Stocks of these kinds totalled 189,326 lb. These stocks are 198 thousand lb. less than the revised figures for November 1, 1939.

Reported holdings of all Salmon were 6,825,280 lb., made up of 5,934,720 lb. Frozen Fresh; 7,595, lb. Frozen Smoked, and 882,965 lb. Cured. These holdings are 2.9 million lb. less than at December 1, 1938 and 0.6 per cent greater than those of November 1, 1939.

The apparent net "Into-Storage" movement during November was 45 thousand lb. as compared with a similar movement of 138 thousand lb. during November 1938.

Salmon reported as frozen during November 1939 totalled 1,467,929 lb. as compared with 1,497,753 lb. last year.

SEA HERRING.

The total reported stocks of this classification, including Kippers and Bloaters, were 6,927,838 lb. as compared with 6,212,567 lb.

last year, and are 7.4 per cent less than last month's revised figures.

Quantities of Sea Herring, Fresh and Smoked, including Kippers, frozen during November 1939 were reported as 630,608 lb. as compared with freezings of 509,957 lb. during November 1938.

OTHER.
Other fish stocks amounted to 16,322,806 lb. Frozen Fresh,
68,957 lb. Frozen Smoked and 78,223 lb. Cured, but some firms
failed to report on time.

Quantities of Fresh and Smoked frozen during November were reported as 1,189,676 lb.

With Comparative Holdings at December 1, 1938 and November 1, 1939

KIND	December 1, 1938	DECEMBER 1, 1939 PRELIMINARY	November 1, 193
	lb.	1b.	16.
FROZEN FRESH			000 000
Cod: Whole	920,010	644,517	663,539
Fillets	2,895,922	1,756,986	1,682,625
Haddock: Whole	455,941	327,035	244,121
Fillets	2,014,256	741,408	756,234
Hake, Cusk) Whole		57,088	39,118
& Pollock) Fillets	-	28,478	26,820
Salmon	8,830,344	5,934,720	5,706,918
Sea Herring	5,059,775	5,832,363	6,150,742
Halibut	4,307,144	3,302,391	4,939,502
Mackerel	1,918,714	3,579,199	4,096,688
Whitefish	1,175,029	2,324,433	2,588,964
Pickerel	577,107	1,162,674	1,497,990
Tullibees	409,857	1,416,687	1,457,547
Trout	261,907	321,782	379,459
Other (including			
Shell-fish)	4,882,346	4,215,640	4,343,515
Stocks Reported		31,645,401	
Stocks Estimated		550,000	
TOTAL	33,708,352	32,195,401	34,573,782
FROZEN SMOKED			
Cod: Whole	Included	21,599	8,964
Fillets	11102 4404	919,687	846,759
Haddock: Whole	in	24,450	23,759
Fillets		266,850	338,444
Finnan Haddie	Dried	279,831	355,404
Hake, Cusk) Whole		-	(
& Pollock) Fillets	Pickled		9,954
Salmon		7,595	10,397
Sea Herring	and	63,863	47,870
Kippers		533,294	557,060
Other	Salted	68,957	555,268
Stocks Reported		2,186,126	
Stocks Estimated		300,000	
TOTAL		2,486,126	2,248,579
DRIED, PICKLED AND SALTED			
Cod: Whole, Dried	(334,580	1,259,818
Whole, Greensalted	1,337,851	1,003,035	914,377
Fillets		17,095	27,178
Boneless	1,493,207	86,801	70,219
Haddock: Whole	10,487	-	1
Fillets	199,111	_	5,915
Hake, Cusk) Whole		(x)	311,760
& Pollock) Fillets		-	
Salmon	890,350	882,965	1,063,429
Sea Herring	1,152,792	495,680	720,072
Bloaters	-,,	2,638	3,375
Other	2,606,313	181,983	1,051,953
Stocks Reported		3,004,777	
Stocks Estimated		450,000	
TOTAL	7,690,111	3,454,777	5,428,096

⁽x) Included in "Other" as less than three reports received.

N.B. Totals include 1,262,924 lb. Frozen Fresh, 73,378 lb. Frozen Smoked and 411,362 lb. Cured for firms added to the list since January 1, 1939.

Note. Estimates are shown above for firms failing to report.

With Comparative Holdings at December 1, 1938 and November 1, 1939

IND	December 1, 1938	DECEMBER 1, 1939 PRELIMINARY	November 1, 193 Revised
	lb.	16.	lb.
ROZEN FRESH			
Cod: Whole	131,641	111,168	114,763
Fillets	2,612,441	1,100,684	1,268,125
Haddock: Whole	349,746	198,048	185,543
Fillets	1,859,405	561,820	528,284
Hake, Cusk) Whole		32,063	(40 500
& Pollock) Fillets		26,825	40,598
Salmon	89,355	30,138	27,576
Sea Herring	4,128,998	4,793,750	5,761,693
Halibut	323,411	217,954	268,429
Mackerel	1,883,714	3,517,185	4,053,362
Whitefish	447	(x)	(x)
	767	(x)	(x)
Pickerel	101	(x)	_
Tullibees	545	(x)	(x)
Trout	040	(x)	(1)
Other (including	402,251	654,538	731,717
Shell-fish)	400,001	004,000	,01,11
TOTAL	11,782,721	11,244,173**	12,980,090
ROZEN SMOKED			
Cod: Whole	Included		
Fillets		632,825	526,936
Haddock: Whole	in	-	-
Fillets		(x)	(x)
Finnan Haddie	Dried	154,198	185,854
Hake, Cusk) Whole		-	(x)
& Pollock) Fillets	Pickled	-	(x)
Salmon		-	(x)
Sea Herring	and	(x)	(x)
Kippers		447,820	458,110
Other	Salted	39,950	64,039
TOTAL		1,274,793	1,234,939
DRIED, PICKLED AND SALTED			
Cod: Whole, Dried	(2 200 002	236,078	1,193,863
Whole, Greensalted	1,102,963	492,616	558,811
Fillets	(, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	((66 710
Boneless	1,315,632	67,385	66,312
Haddock: Whole		-3	(x)
Fillets	-		-
Hake, Cusk) Whole	-	(x)	311,760
& Pollock) Fillets	21 /E 2 2		-
Salmon			(x)
Sea Herring	278,149	16,700	233,500
Bloaters	_		-
Other	2,269,785	129,060	1,079,545
TOTAL	4,966,529	941,839*	3,443,791

⁽x) Included in "Other" as less than three reports received.

In addition, 1,870,000 lb. has been estimated for firms that failed to report in time.

** Add 450,000 lb. as an estimate for firms failing to report in time,

With Comparative Holdings at December 1, 1938 and November 1, 1939

KIND	December 1, 1938	DECEMBER 1, 1939 PRELIMINARY	November 1, 1939 Revised
	lb.	lb.	lb.
FROZEN FRESH	00 000	131 122	300 940
Cod: Whole	27,779	131,122 289,735	109,840
Fillets	124,462	110,202	164,245
Haddock: Whole Fillets	95,764 49,470	26,692	25,025
Hake, Cusk) Whole	43,470	25,025	23,625
& Pollock) Fillets		-	
Salmon	305,329	357,703	263,123
Sea Herring	44,100	50,770	31,707
Halibut	114,398	139,924	189,421
Mackerel	13,065	27,962	18,506
Whitefish	1,115	627	617
Pickerel	8,184	1,135	1,666
Tullibees	32,231	(x)	(x)
Trout	20,132	27,830	25,393
Other (including			
Shell-fish)	1,177,245	954,106	1,112,936
TOTAL	2,013,274	2,142,833	2,005,312
FROZEN SMOKED			
Cod: Whole	Included	_	una una
Fillets	11102.4404	42,290	41,768
Haddook: Whole	in	-	-
Fillets		(x)	1,353
Finnan Haddie	Dried	10,091	10,141
Hake, Cusk) Whole		_	-
& Pollock) Fillets	Pickled	-	-
Salmon		(x).	(x)
Sea Herring	and	10,107	10,376
Kippers		19,857	13,449
Other	Salted	25,701	17,197
TOTAL		108,046	94,284
DRIED, PICKLED AND SALTED			
Cod: Whole, Dried	(95,628	59,084
Whole, Greensalted	217,841	502,532	352,384
Fillets			
Boneless	34,667	15,995	12,792
Haddock: Whole	1,535		
Fillets	33,555	-	
Hake, Cusk) Whole		•	-
& Pollock) Fillets		-	
Salmon	14,246	5,530	7,079
Sea Herring	478,015	243,381	220,384
Bloaters		(x)	1,091
Other	22,537	50,353	5,601
TOTAL	802,396	913,419	658,415

⁽x) Included in "Other" as less than three reports received.

With Comparative Holdings at December 1, 1938 and November 1, 1939

KIND	December 1, 1938	DECEMBER 1, 1939 PRELIMINARY	November 1, 1939 Revised
FROZEN FRESH	lb.	1b.	16,
Cod: Whole	13,913	6,086	13,154
Fillets	120,863	319,401	192,620
Haddock: Whole	5,905	17,895	17,695
Fillets	72,434	121,064	176,937
Hake, Cusk) Whole	-	•	(x)
& Pollock) Fillets		1,253	(x)
Salmon	391,291	550,722	416,042
Sea Herring	24,591	55,822	52,484
Halibut	178,821	217,587	234,668
Mackerel	12,590	25,665	17,183
Whitefish	64,335	83,469	51,979
Pickerel	137,079	81,343	42,447
Tullibees	115,910	52,202 271,862	66,237 139,387
Trout Other (including	230,345	271,002	100,007
Shell-fish)	315,235	656,160	360,747
TOTAL	1 607 712	2 400 573*	
TOTAL	1,683,312	2,460,531*	1,781,580
FROZEN SMOKED			
Cod: Whole	Included		
Fillets	The tadea	159,501	191,791
Haddock: Whole	in	-	1
Fillets		46,949	124,853
Finnan Haddie	Dried	39,254	60,438
Hake, Cusk) Whole		-	-
& Pollock) Fillets	Pickled	-	(x)
Salmon		(x)	(x)
Sea Herring	and	11,325	17,870
Kippers	0.31	17,705	26,873
Other	Salted	3,962	17,585
TOTAL		278,65	439,410
DRIED, PICKLED AND SALTED			
Cod: Whole, Dried	(11,088	(x)	5,200
Whole, Greensalted	(7,394	
Fillets	94,290	2,036	3,193
Boneless	(11,386	8,184
Haddock: Whole	74 614	-	()
Fillets Hoke Cusk) Whole	34,614		(x)
Hake, Cusk) Whole & Pollock) Fillets			
Salmon	715	(x)	(x)
Sea Herring	201,509	99,274	74,746
Bloaters	*		(x)
Other	137,659	2,815	2,400
TOTAL	479,875	122,905	93,723

 ⁽x) Less than three reports received, included in "Other.".
 * To above figures add 100,000 lb. Frozen Fresh and 300,000 lb. Frozen Smoked as an estimate for firms failing to report on time.

With Comparative Holdings at December 1, 1938 and November 1, 1939

KIND	December 1, 1938	DECEMBER 1, 1939 PRELIMINARY	November 1, 1939 Revised
FROZEN FRESH	lb.	16.	1b.
Cod: Whole	4,814	11,087	8,801
Fillets	16,608	31,743	24,061
Haddock: Whole	3,776		1
Fillets	18,682	18,257	14,816
Hake, Cusk) Whole	- 1	-	
& Pollock) Fillets	-	(x)	(x)
Salmon	39,947	99,873	99,247
Sea Herring	11,371	2,353	2,970
Halibut	37,221	91,354	97,143
Mackerel Whitefish	6,521	6,149	5,359
Pickerel	1,019,490 423,700	1,060,259	2,154,707
Tullibees	261,706	1,341,431	1,412,981
Trout	10,579	6,639	9,405
Other (including			0,100
Shell-fish)	2,747,804	1,659,009	1,907,093
TOTAL	4,602,219	6,281,098	7,059,478
FROZEN SMOKED			
Cod: Whole	Included	45,995	32,881
Fillets		(45,555	(02,001
Haddock: Whole	in	69,519	63,915
Fillets			
Finnan Haddie	Dried	6,918	12,446
Hake, Cusk) Whole & Pollock) Fillets	Pickled		-
Salmon	FICKION	1,260	2,850
Sea Herring	and	(x)	4,429
Kippers		7,679	10,587
Other	Salted	12,886	4,07:3
TOTAL		144,257	131,181
DRIED, PICKLED AND SALTED			
Cod: Whole, Dried			(x)
Whole, Greensalted	325	(x)	(~)
Fillets	((x)	(x)
Boneless	(14,701	(x)	(x)
Haddock: Whole	90	-	-
Fillets	28,995	- / - /	-
Hake, Cusk) Whole		-	-
& Pollock) Fillets	0.000		
Salmon Sea Herring	6,691	(x)	(x)
Bloaters	152,384	118,701	108,775
Other	45,105	13,162	13,315
TOTAL	248,291	133,795	123,204

⁽x) Included in "Other" as less than three reports received.

With Comparative Holdings at December 1, 1938 and November 1, 1939

KIND	December 1, 1938	DECEMBER 1, 1939 PRELIMINARY	November 1, 1939 Revised
FROZEN FRESH	16.	16.	1b.
Cod: Whole	11,970	17,386	8,322
Fillets	14,763	9,135	29,560
Haddock: Whole	750	-	
Fillets	12,200	14,035	11,552
Hake, Cusk) Whole & Pollock) Fillets		1,84	-
Salmon	36,162	74 005	77 077
Sea Herring	00,102	34,065	33,233 (x)
Halibut	93,840	76,500	106,604
Mackerel	710		-
Whitefish	52,478	154,836	195,089
Pickerel	3,665	19,006	31,583
Tullibees Trout	10	17,983	30,213
Other (including	207	12,335	14,161
Shell-fish)	44,788	31,054	40,257
	11,100	01,001	40,201
TOTAL	271,543	386,335	500,574
FROZEN SMOKED			
Cod: Whole	Included	(
Fillets		(14,668	22,057
Haddock: Whole	in		(
Fillets		(24,886	16,088
Finnan Haddie Hake, Cusk) Whole	Dried	14,541	21,351
& Pollock) Fillets	Pickled		-
Salmon			(x)
Sea Herring	and		(x)
Kippers		6,380	11,265
Other	Salted	1,125	880
TOTAL		61,600	71,641
DRIED, PICKLED AND SALTED			1 3 offere Well-Aus Africanist (* 14 14 18) (Well-Austrian orgopensylvational
Cod: Whole, Dried	(1,960	531	(555
Whole, Greensalted	(1,900	(x)	555
Fillets	798		(x)
Boneless		(x)	(x)
Haddock: Whole Fillets	464		det .
Hake, Cusk) Whole	44,021	-	405
& Pollock) Fillets		_	
Salmon		-	-
Sea Herring	11,927	3,078	5,843
Bloaters	-	-	
Other	30,356	1,459	1,553
TOTAL	89,526	5,050	7,951

⁽x) Included in "Other" as less than three reports received.

With Comparative Holdings at December 1, 1938 and November 1, 1939

IND	December 1, 1938	DECEMBER 1, 1939 PRELIMINARY	November 1, 193 Revised
'ROZEN FRESH	lb,	16.	lb.
	11,365	/	16,939
Cod: Whole Fillets	4,580	14,164	1,110
Haddock: Whole	-	_	1
Fillets	2,065	(x)	1,145
Hake, Cusk) Whole	2,000	_	_
& Pollock) Fillets		-	
	40,018	59,262	43,582
Salmon	5,634	990	1,550
Sea Herring	58,429	89,953	73,275
Halibut	100	(x)	(x)
Mackerel		128,023	181,833
Whitefish	36,843	(x)	
Pickerel	3,712	(x)	8,742
Tullibees	-	(x)	32,474
Trout	99	(*)	189,117
Other (including		3 0 000	0.700
Shell-fish)	49,069	17,667	8,376
TOTAL	211,914	310,059	558,143
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ROZEN SMOKED			
Cod: Whole	Included	8,881	(
Fillets		16,132	21,114
Haddock: Whole	in	7,365	14,475
Fillets		59,790	40,091
Finnan Haddie	Dried	24,650	34, 165
Hake, Cusk) Whole	2, 204		-
& Pollock) Fillets	Pickled		-
Sal mon	2 2 0 1 1 2 0 1	520	510
Sea Herring	and	2,851	3,600
Kippers	2444	25,465	25,540
Other	Salted	525	1,270
7 611-61	04.1004		
TOTAL		146,179	140,765
RIED, PICKLED AND SALTED			
Cod: Whole, Dried	(2,441	(x)	3,374
Whole, Greensalted	(0, 111	-	(,,,,,
Fillets	9,143	-	-
Boneless		200	(x)
Haddock: Whole	6,480	•	-
Fillets	31,018	019	
Hake, Cusk) Whole		-	-
& Pollock) Fillets		-	-
Salmon	350	•	-
Sea Herring	24,732	12,004	8,167
Bloaters		(x)	(x)
Other	21,491	936	2,737
TOTAL	95,655	12,940	14,278

⁽x) Included in "Other" as less than three reports received.

With Comparative Holdings at December 1, 1938 and November 1, 1939

KIND	December 1, 1938	DECEMBER 1, 1939 PRELIMINARY	November 1, 193 Revised
ROZEN FRESH	1b.	lb.	lb.
Cod: Whole	718,528	((30, 00,
Fillets	2,205	359,792	394,624
Haddock: Whole	**	(x)	-
Fillets		(x)	(x)
Hake, Cusk) Whole		-	60
& Pollock) Fillets	distribute of the		-
Salmon	7,928,242	4,802,957	4,824,115
Sea Herring	845,081	928,678	297,450
Halibut	3,501,024	2,469,119	3,969,962
Mackerel	2,014	2,063	(x) 3,914
Whitefish Pickerel	221	3,709	5,314
Tullibees			
Trout	13.00	(x)	(x)
Other (including			
Shell-fish)	145,954	254,054	198,540
TOTAL	13,143,369	8,820,372	9,688,605
PROZEN SMOKED			
	T 7 d . d	7 000	1 102
Cod: Whole Fillets	Included	1,980	1,483
Haddock: Whole	in	12,129	5,294
Fillets		33,634	47,099
Finnan Haddie	Dried	30,179	31,009
Hake, Cusk) Whole		-	-
& Pollock) Fillets	Pickled	•	-
Salmon		3,297	5,144
Sea Herring	and	27,084	7,211
Kippers Other	Salted	8,388	11,236
TOTAL		172,555	136,359
DRIED, PICKLED AND SALTED			
Cod: Whole, Dried	1,233	(x)	(x)
Whole, Greensalted	(-	-
Fillets	23,976	(x)	4 550
Boneless		4,138	4,552
Haddock: Whole	1,918		
Fillets	26,908		
Hake, Cusk) Whole & Pollock) Fillets		-	
Salmon	868,348	(x)	(x)
Sea Herring	6,076	2,542	68,657
Bloaters	-	286	(x)
Other	79,380	867,863	1,013,525
	1,007,839	874,829	1,086,734

⁽x) Included in "Other" as less than three reports received.

CANADA

FISH FROZEN DURING NOVEMBER 1939

With Comparative Figures for November 1938 and October 1939

KIND	November, 1938	NOVEMBER, 1939 PRELIMINARY	October, 1939 Revised
FROZEN FRESH	lb.	10.	lb.
Cod: Whole	134,163	131,547	108,134
Fillets	1,584,563	655,048	957,771
Haddock: Whole	175,944	68,377	74,769
Fillets	265,103	84,726	202,710
Hake, Cusk) Whole	Seed.	(35,400	(
& Pollock) Fillets	•	(15,490	(34,410
Salmon	1,497,753	1,467,929	2,722,042
Sea Herring	509,957	615,188	289,497
Halibut	77,592	185,484	463,236
Mackerel	101,674	(x)	183,433
Whitefish	15,942	12,728	15,610
Pickerel	109,504	80,108	733,377
Tullibees	148,788	202,701	430,035
Trout	24,856	88,574	17,146
Other	947,168	592,078	803,756
TOTAL	5,593,007	4,199,978	7,035,926
ROZEN SMOKED			5 90 90 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
Cod: Whole		and the state of t	-
Fillets		524,132	569,014
Haddock: Whole	Included		-
Fillets		(x)	g+ 0
Finnan Haddie	in	57,566	110,078
Hake, Cusk) Whole		•	
& Pollock) Fillets	Frozen Fresh	•.	ω.
Salmon		-	
Sea Herring		en.	mm -
Kippers		15,420	1,231
Other		28,063	50
TOTAL		025,101	680,323

⁽x) Included in "Other", as less than three reports received.



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