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## COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS OE FISH, OCTOBER 1, 1940

ALL FISH Stocks of all frazen fish on October 1, 1940 totalled 34.5 million lb. including an estimate of 585 thousand lb. Frozen Fresh and $\overline{17}$ thousand lb. Frozen Smoked for firms failing to report on time. of this total 32.4 million lb . were Frozen Fresh and 2.1 million $1 b$. Frozen Smoked. Comparing these classifications there were 1.9 million 1 lb . less Frozen Fresh stocks and 59 thousend 1 b . more stooks of Frosen Smoked than last year. Compared with last month's revised figures there was an increase on October 1, 1940 of 6.1 per cent. Frozen Fresh and a decrease of 4.5 per cent. Frozen Smoked.

The apparent net "Into-Storage" movement of frozen fish during Sept. 1940 was 1.8 milion lb , as compared with an opposite movement of 778 thousand lb . for the same month last year.

COD
Stocks of frozen Cod reported were $2,475,727 \mathrm{lb}$. of which $2,471,337$
1b. were Frozen Fresh and 4,390 lb. Frozen Smoked (nut inoluding fillets), being 7.0 per cent. less than last month's frozen stocks and 406 thousand 1 b . more than the frozen stocks of October 1, 1939.

The apparent net "Out-of-Storage" movement of all frozen Cod (except smoked fillets) was 188 thousand 1 lb . as compared with an opposite movement of 471 thousand 1b. during September 1939, but the estimate is not included in this movement.

The quantity reported as frozen fresh during September 1940 was 2,993,243 Ib . as compared with $570,503 \mathrm{Ib}$. for the same month last year.

HADDOCK Stocks of frozen Haddock, as reported, were 1,004,941 lb. of which
769,907 lb, were Frozen Fresh and 235, 034 lb. Frozen Smoked (not including fillets). Haddock holdings were less by 4.3 per cent. than last month's revised stocks and 312 thousand 1 b. less than at the same data a year ago.

There was an apparent net "Out-of-Storage" movement of 46 thousand lb. in September (not including the estimate for firms failing to report on time) as compared with a similar movement of 1.0 million 1 b during September 1939.

There were $366,066 \mathrm{lb}$. Seported as frozen during Sept. being 94.068 lb. less than the quantity reported as frazen last year for the same month.
FILIETS Frozen Smoked fillets of Cod, Haddock and other fish, as reported, smounted to $628,630 \mathrm{lb}$. as compared with $1,021,347 \mathrm{lb}$. for October 1, 1939 and $723,973 \mathrm{lb}$. last month.

The quantity reported as frozen during September 1940 was 336,967
1 b .
SALMON Frozen Salmon holdings, as reported, were 6,888,866 1 b ., oonsisting of $6,885,557 \mathrm{lb}$. Frozen Fresh and 3, 309 lb. Frozen Smoked. These frozen stocks were 1.9 million 1 b . more than at the same date last year and 57.0 per cent. more than the stocks of a month ago.

The apparent net "Into-Storage" movement during Sept, was 2.5 million lb. as compared with a similar movement of 1.8 million lb . during the same month in 1939 .

SEA HERRING The total reported frozen stocks of Herring, including Kippers, were $9,704,422 \mathrm{~Tb}$. as compared with $7,159,801 \mathrm{lb}$. la st year. They are 3.9 per oent. less than the revised figures for September 1, 1940.

The quantities reported as frozen during Sept. 1940 amounted to
$989,402 \mathrm{lb}$. as compared with freezings of $1,935,104 \mathrm{lb}$. for Sept. 1939.
OTHER All other frozen fish stocks amounted to 13,206,378 1b. Frozen Fresh and $19,233 \mathrm{lb}$. Frozen Smoked (not including fillets).

Quantities of other fish reported as frozen during September 1940
were 2,537,285 lb.

With Comparative Holdings for last year and last month.


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