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STORAGE HOLDINGS OF FISH, FEBRUARY 1, 1940.

ALL FISH.

The inclusion of "Dried, Pickled and Salted" fish has been discontinued. Stocks of all frozen fish on February 1, 1940 totalled 26.1 million lb. Of this total 23.9 million lb. were Frozen Fresh and 2.2 million lb. Frozen Smoked. Comparing these classifications there were 3.1 million lb. less Frozen Fresh stocks and 579 thousand lb. less stocks of Frozen Smoked than last year. Compared with last month's revised figures there was a decrease on February 1, 1940 of 17.3 per cent Frozen Fresh and a decrease of 6.1 per cent Frozen Smoked.

The apparent net "Out-of-Storage" movement of frozen fish during January was 5.1 million lb.

C O D.

Stocks of frozen Cod reported were 2,657,824 lb. of which 2,648,326 lb. were Frozen Fresh and 9,498 lb. Frozen Smoked (not including fillets) being 3.1 per cent less than last month's frozen stocks and 179 thousand lb. less than the frozen stocks of February 1, 1939.

The apparent net "Out-of-Storage" movement of all frozen Cod (except smoked fillets) was 86 thousand lb. as compared with a similar movement of 830 thousand lb. during January 1939.

The quantity reported as frozen during January 1940 was 878,924 lb. as compared with 436,405 lb. for the same month last year.

HADDOCK.

Stocks of frozen Haddock, as reported were 1,468,688 lb. of which 939,553 lb. were Frozen Fresh and 529,135 lb. Frozen Smoked (not including fillets). Haddock holdings are less by 4.7 per cent than last month's revised stocks and 1.2 million lb. less than at the same date a year ago.

There was an apparent net "Out-of-Storage" movement of 73 thousand lb. in January as compared with a similar movement of 587 thousand lb. during January 1939.

There were 462,807 lb. reported as frozen during January, being 294,570 lb. more than the quantity reported as frozen last year for the same month.

FILLETS.

Frozen Smoked fillets of Cod, Haddock and other fish are now given in one quantity. These amounted to 1,238,178 lb. as compared with 1,384,238 lb. for February 1, 1939 and 1,335,124 lb. last month.

The quantity frozen during January 1940 was 633,783 lb.

SALMON.

Frozen Salmon holdings, as reported, were 3,983,204 lb. consisting of 3,969,459 lb. Frozen Fresh and 13,745 lb. Frozen Smoked. These frozen stocks were 2.2 million lb. less than at the same date last year and 23.8 per cent less than the stocks of a month ago.

The apparent net withdrawals during January were 1.2 million lb. as compared with withdrawals of 1.3 million lb. during the same month in 1939.

SEA HERRING.

The total reported frozen stocks of Herring, including Kippers, were 5,706,297 lb. as compared with 4,932,326 lb. last year. They are 8.3 per cent less than the revised figures for January 1, 1940.

The quantities frozen during January 1940 were reported as 792,240 lb. as compared with freezings of 738,870 lb. for January 1939.

OTHER.

All other frozen fish stocks, including Hake, Cusk and Pollock, amounted to 11,026,011 lb. Frozen Fresh and 35,252 lb. Frozen Smoked (not including fillets).

Quantities of other fish frozen during January 1940 were 663,953 lb.

COLD STORAGE STOCKS AT FEBRUARY 1, 1940

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With Comparative Holdings at February 1, 1939 and January 1, 1940.

KIND	February 1, 1939	FEBRUARY 1, 1940 PRELIMINARY	January 1, 1940 Revised
	lb.	lb.	lb.
<u>FROZEN FRESH</u>		<u>CANADA</u>	
Cod: Whole	751,417	533,115	669,732
Fillets	2,080,406	2,115,211	2,055,809
Haddock: Whole	270,687	253,980	308,631
Fillets	1,688,026	685,573	787,334
Salmon	6,205,782	3,969,459	5,222,232
Sea Herring	4,539,345	5,320,867	5,712,662
Halibut	2,868,140	2,155,683	2,495,062
Mackerel	1,184,575	2,175,244	3,014,156
Whitefish	2,184,282	1,763,725	1,996,944
Pickarel	993,643	617,919	924,871
Tullibee	540,764	728,993	1,231,837
Trout	164,654	283,351	372,837
Other (incl. shell-fish)	3,505,956	3,301,096	4,107,758
TOTAL	26,977,677	23,904,216	28,899,865
<u>FROZEN SMOKED</u>			
Cod: Whole	4,945	9,498	18,284
Haddock: Whole	7,209	30,574	22,529
Finnan Haddie	699,254	498,561	423,301
Fillets: Cod, Haddock, etc.	1,384,238	1,238,178	1,335,124
Salmon	12,766	13,745	8,352
Sea Herring	32,281	56,465	61,282
Kippers	360,700	328,965	447,024
Other	289,018	35,252	38,517
TOTAL	2,790,411	2,211,238	2,354,413

Note: Of the above figures 919,000 lb. Frozen Fresh and 53,000 lb. Frozen Smoked were for firms added to the list since September 1939.

COLD STORAGE STOCKS AT FEBRUARY 1, 1940

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With Comparative Holdings at February 1, 1939 and January 1, 1940.

KIND	February 1, 1939	FEBRUARY 1, 1940 PRELIMINARY	January 1, 1940 Revised
	lb.	lb.	lb.
<u>FROZEN FRESH</u>		<u>MARITIMES</u>	
Cod: Whole	54,837	87,760	109,719
Filletts	1,831,139	1,623,415	1,524,655
Haddock: Whole	160,661	121,222	180,303
Filletts	1,523,225	445,256	542,398
Salmon	28,745	27,630	35,791
Sea Herring	2,141,746	2,972,757	3,968,043
Halibut	161,899	115,549	158,751
Mackerel	1,144,927	2,128,008	2,955,427
Whitefish	813	(x)	(x)
Pickrel	707	(x)	(x)
Trout	263	(x)	(x)
Other (incl. shell-fish)	878,223	643,198	856,135
TOTAL	7,927,185	8,164,795	10,331,222
<u>FROZEN SMOKED</u>			
Haddock: Whole	568	-	-
Finnan Haddie	482,913	341,879	272,731
Filletts: Cod, Haddock, etc.	1,031,450	796,428	857,648
Salmon	1,034	-	(x)
Sea Herring	-	(x)	3,238
Kippers	199,209	225,743	340,011
Other	234,131	1,955	2,727
TOTAL	1,949,305	1,366,005	1,476,355
<u>FROZEN FRESH</u>		<u>QUEBEC</u>	
Cod: Whole	70,349	166,829	204,464
Filletts	101,050	219,555	272,610
Haddock: Whole	97,960	102,175	105,102
Filletts	55,977	47,335	50,425
Salmon	256,485	248,916	326,809
Sea Herring	21,850	175,830	57,681
Halibut	112,172	116,259	150,482
Mackerel	21,828	23,131	26,531
Whitefish	68,328	4,197	2,486
Pickrel	14,327	10,613	6,909
Tullibee	51,000	(x)	(x)
Trout	16,841	17,420	12,980
Other (incl. shell-fish)	1,029,395	820,035	969,626
TOTAL	1,917,562	1,952,295	2,186,105
<u>FROZEN SMOKED</u>			
Finnan Haddie	9,495	14,355	10,066
Filletts: Cod, Haddock, etc.	31,215	43,180	62,725
Salmon	675	(x)	(x)
Sea Herring	5,847	12,523	7,940
Kippers	14,496	23,655	26,660
Other	1,325	6,204	4,458
TOTAL	63,053	99,917	111,849

(x) Less than three reports received, included in "Other".

With Comparative Holdings at February 1, 1939 and January 1, 1940.

KIND	February 1, 1939	FEBRUARY 1, 1940 PRELIMINARY	January 1, 1940 Revised
	lb.	lb.	lb.
<u>FROZEN FRESH</u>		<u>ONTARIO</u>	
Cod: Whole	13,347	25,061	9,017
Filletts	103,090	202,249	201,213
Haddock: Whole	7,629	5,762	19,757
Filletts	58,895	114,699	143,647
Salmon	405,211	428,056	527,192
Sea Herring	63,961	76,198	123,052
Halibut	157,431	190,861	210,915
Mackerel	7,982	18,164	24,434
Whitefish	80,294	96,170	66,194
Pickeral	86,595	35,347	52,002
Tullibee	131,464	59,175	66,787
Trout	134,304	149,011	268,613
Other (incl. shell-fish)	252,846	350,856	686,665
TOTAL	1,503,049	1,751,609	2,399,488
<u>FROZEN SMOKED</u>			
Cod: Whole	480	(x)	(x)
Haddock: Whole	210	(x)	(x)
Finnan Haddie	37,904	50,854	35,616
Filletts: Cod, Haddock, etc.	147,423	198,571	163,778
Salmon	4,080	3,725	(x)
Sea Herring	10,190	23,159	16,237
Kippers	92,645	31,226	27,065
Other	20,965	8,051	8,254
TOTAL	313,897	315,586	250,950
<u>FROZEN FRESH</u>		<u>MANITOBA</u>	
Cod: Whole	2,695	8,722	8,342
Filletts	21,068	45,625	43,567
Haddock: Whole	3,424	914	(13,734
Filletts	27,213	6,635	(
Salmon	30,277	73,680	81,912
Sea Herring	8,512	4,992	841
Halibut	31,030	112,646	113,388
Mackerel	5,364	4,148	5,741
Whitefish	1,711,442	1,410,608	1,736,857
Pickeral	870,238	548,822	834,067
Tullibee	320,286	518,769	1,123,691
Trout	3,881	6,923	6,373
Other (incl. shell-fish)	1,138,303	1,212,408	1,256,132
TOTAL	4,173,733	3,954,892	5,224,645
<u>FROZEN SMOKED</u>			
Cod: Whole	203	(x)	(x)
Haddock: Whole	-	(x)	(x)
Finnan Haddie	45,530	29,198	42,841
Filletts: Cod, Haddock, etc.	39,969	97,360	131,905
Salmon	280	7,870	746
Sea Herring	1,415	3,608	7,875
Kippers	23,092	5,766	10,523
Other	2,442	12,904	17,967
TOTAL	112,936	156,706	211,857

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

With Comparative Holdings at February 1, 1939 and January 1, 1940.

KIND	February 1, 1939	FEBRUARY 1, 1940 PRELIMINARY	January 1, 1940 Revised
	lb.	lb.	lb.
<u>FROZEN FRESH</u>		<u>SASKATCHEWAN</u>	
Cod: Whole	8,061	11,017	14,017
Filletts	15,067	18,269	11,388
Haddock: Whole	953	(18,953	(20,839
Filletts	13,176	(29,861	(48,784
Salmon	32,938	(x)	(x)
Sea Herring	2,403	68,713	80,598
Halibut	96,061	-	-
Mackerel	630	166,902	72,942
Whitefish	71,647	15,460	24,705
Pickrel	10,908	123,893	32,815
Tullibee	37,474	44,366	11,358
Trout	6,643	30,273	63,231
Other (incl. shell-fish)	49,422		
TOTAL	345,383	527,697	380,727
<u>FROZEN SMOKED</u>			
Cod: Whole	-	1,713	(x)
Haddock: Whole	128	16,099	20,647
Finnan Haddie	38,662	18,873	48,967
Filletts: Cod, Haddock, etc.	30,022	35,585	(x)
Salmon	-	-	-
Sea Herring	3,213	(x)	4,018
Kippers	4,161	12,086	2,555
Other	1,245	2,205	
TOTAL	77,431	86,561	76,187
<u>FROZEN FRESH</u>		<u>ALBERTA</u>	
Cod: Whole	10,690	20,836	(12,148
Filletts	6,550	5,634	(19,460
Haddock: Whole	-	16,950	(44,724
Filletts	9,540	57,205	-
Salmon	55,321	81,117	59,085
Sea Herring	20,369	9,035	(x)
Halibut	41,041	76,456	114,109
Mackerel	1,015	-	6,717
Whitefish	251,376	81,521	5,010
Pickrel	10,868	7,306	(x)
Tullibee	140	-	84,862
Trout	2,722	63,872	
Other (incl. shell-fish)	44,463	50,529	
TOTAL	454,095	470,461	346,115
<u>FROZEN SMOKED</u>			
Cod: Whole	3,137	(x)	9,954
Haddock: Whole	5,670	(x)	(x)
Finnan Haddie	27,165	(x)	24,935
Filletts: Cod, Haddock, etc.	51,601	26,290	39,687
Salmon	425	(x)	465
Sea Herring	5,390	780	5,250
Kippers	20,546	18,060	25,425
Other	840	30,735	6,490
TOTAL	114,774	75,865	112,206

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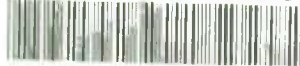
With Comparative Figures at February 1, 1939 and January 1, 1940.

KIND	February 1, 1939	FEBRUARY 1, 1940 PRELIMINARY	January 1, 1940 Revised
	lb.	lb.	lb.
<u>FROZEN FRESH</u>		<u>BRITISH COLUMBIA</u>	
Cod: Whole	591,438	212,890	(314,401
Filletts	2,442	464	(x)
Haddock: Whole	60	1,857	(x)
Filletts	-	590	(x)
Salmon	5,396,805	3,080,199	4,157,020
Sea Herring	2,280,504	2,081,746	1,560,245
Halibut	2,268,506	1,475,199	1,721,843
Mackerel	2,829	1,793	1,878
Whitefish	382	3,587	3,511
Tullibee	400	-	-
Trout	-	(x)	(x)
Other (incl. shell-fish)	113,304	224,142	272,665
TOTAL	10,656,670	7,082,467	8,031,563
<u>FROZEN SMOKED</u>			
Cod: Whole	1,120	2,637	2,537
Haddock: Whole	633	(x)	8,085
Finnan Haddie	57,585	20,932	16,465
Filletts: Cod, Haddock, etc.	52,558	40,764	30,414
Salmon	6,272	1,166	2,279
Sea Herring	6,226	14,540	(x)
Kippers	6,551	12,429	13,322
Other	28,070	18,130	41,907
TOTAL	159,015	110,598	116,009

FISH FROZEN DURING JANUARY 1940 - C A N A D A

<u>FROZEN FRESH</u>	January 1939	JANUARY 1940	December 1939
Cod: Whole	69,685	94,112	148,838
Filletts	254,050	784,812	986,980
Haddock: Whole	39,199	57,022	94,953
Filletts	31,909	83,550	211,413
Salmon	240,976	(x)	59,944
Sea Herring	734,875	792,240	789,659
Halibut	18,760	365,268	(x)
Whitefish	1,430	(x)	2,081
Pickrel	21,983	(x)	51,632
Tullibee	430	(x)	(x)
Trout	3,229	(x)	(x)
Other (incl. shell-fish)	284,549	232,709	1,111,561
TOTAL	1,701,075	2,409,713	3,457,061
<u>FROZEN SMOKED</u>			
Cod: Whole	112,670	-	(x)
Haddock: Whole	2,386	-	(x)
Finnan Haddie	94,743	322,235	263,752
Filletts: Cod, Haddock, etc.	278,845	633,783	754,417
Sea Herring	425	-	-
Kippers	3,570	(x)	(x)
Other	3,316	65,976	87,050
TOTAL	495,955	1,021,994	1,105,219

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



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TABLE 1.1 - POPULATION OF CANADA, BY PROVINCE AND TERRITORY, 1981			
Province/Territory	Population (1981)	Population (1971)	Population (1961)
Alberta	2,411,000	1,811,000	1,411,000
Saskatchewan	911,000	711,000	511,000
Manitoba	1,211,000	1,011,000	811,000
Ontario	10,111,000	8,111,000	6,111,000
Quebec	6,111,000	5,111,000	4,111,000
Atlantic Provinces	2,411,000	2,011,000	1,611,000
Nunavut	21,000	21,000	21,000
Yukon	21,000	21,000	21,000
Northwest Territories	21,000	21,000	21,000
Total Canada	23,111,000	19,111,000	15,111,000