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COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS OF FISH, JANUARY 1, 1941

ALL FISH

Stocks of all frozen fish on January 1, 1941 totalled 33.4 million lb. including an estimate of 1.0 million lb. Frozen Fresh and 44 thousand lb. Frozen Smoked for firms failing to report on time. Of this total 31.6 million lb. were Frozen Fresh and 1.8 million lb. Frozen Smoked. Comparing these classifications there were 2.5 million lb. more Frozen Fresh stocks and 561 thousand lb. less stocks of Frozen Smoked than last year. Compared with last month's revised figures there was a decrease on January 1, 1941 of 14.1 per cent Frozen Fresh and also a decrease of 17.2 per cent Frozen Smoked.

The apparent net "Out-of-Storage" movement of Frozen fish during December 1940 was 5.7 million lb. as compared with a similar movement of 3.6 million lb. for the same month last year.

C O D

Stocks of frozen Cod reported were 2,149,776 lb. of which 2,135,483 lb. were Frozen Fresh and 14,293 lb. Frozen Smoked (not including fillets).

The apparent net "Out-of-Storage" movement of all frozen Cod (except smoked fillets) was 1.4 million lb. as compared with an opposite movement of 429 thousand lb. during December 1939, but the estimate is not included in this movement.

The quantity reported as frozen fresh during December 1940 was 733,031 lb. as compared with 1,174,563 lb. for the same month last year.

HADDOCK

Stocks of frozen Haddock, as reported, were 789,717 lb. of which 680,762 lb. were Frozen Fresh and 180,955 lb. Frozen Smoked (not including fillets). Haddock holdings were more by 7.7 per cent than last month's revised stocks and 761 thousand lb. less than at the same date a year ago.

There was an apparent net "Into-Storage" movement of 57 thousand lb. in December (not including the estimate for firms failing to report on time) as compared with a similar movement of 143 thousand lb. during December 1939.

There were 342,562 lb. reported as frozen during December, being 318,026 lb. less than the quantity reported as frozen last year for the same month.

FILLETS

Frozen Smoked fillets of Cod, Haddock and other fish, as reported, amounted to 713,670 lb. as compared with 1,382,829 lb. for January 1, 1940 and 1,036,099 lb. last month.

The quantity reported as frozen during December 1940 was 391,981 lb.

SALMON

Frozen Salmon holdings, as reported, were 9,578,983 lb., consisting of 9,574,045 lb. Frozen Fresh and 4,938 lb. Frozen Smoked. These frozen stocks were 4.3 million lb. more than at the same date last year and 13.4 per cent less than the stocks of a month ago, but the estimate is not included in these calculations.

The apparent net "Out-of-Storage" movement during December was 1.5 million lb. as compared with a similar movement of 761 thousand lb. during the same month in 1939.

SEA HERRING

The total reported frozen stocks of Herring, including Kippers, were 7,166,622 lb. as compared with 6,222,108 lb. last year. They are 16.1 per cent less than the revised figures for December 1, 1940.

The quantities reported as frozen during December 1940 amounted to 550,605 lb. as compared with freezings of 836,919 lb. for December 1939.

OTHER

All other frozen fish stocks amounted to 11,767,161 lb. Frozen Fresh and 156,102 lb. Frozen Smoked (not including fillets).

Quantities of other fish reported as frozen during December 1940 were 873,010 lb.

COLD STORAGE STOCKS AT JANUARY 1, 1941 - CANADA

With Comparative Holdings for last year and last month

F I S H	January 1, 1940 lb.	JANUARY 1, 1941 PRELIMINARY lb.	December 1, 1940 Revised lb.
<u>F R O Z E N F R E S H</u>			
Cod: Whole	696,417	689,896	871,028
Fillets	2,084,809	1,446,587	2,641,426
Haddock: Whole	312,631	282,396	207,068
Fillets	788,334	326,366	352,694
Salmon	5,229,062	9,574,045	11,057,524
Sea Herring	5,712,362	6,434,434	7,844,287
Halibut	2,496,687	3,697,973	4,547,131
Mackerel	3,069,156	1,633,579	2,272,263
Whitofish	1,997,374	560,058	810,470
Pickrel	924,871	931,280	902,148
Tullibee	1,231,837	1,058,077	1,400,623
Trout	372,837	248,614	305,473
Other (incl. shell-fish)	4,141,658	3,637,580	3,696,181
Reported Estimated Total	 29,058,035	 30,519,885 1,043,000 31,562,885	 36,908,316
<u>F R O Z E N S M O K E D</u>			
Cod: Whole	18,284	14,293	17,597
Haddock: Whole	22,529	6,485	9,481
Finnan Haddie	427,386	174,470	163,663
Fillets: Cod, Haddock, etc.	1,382,829	713,670	1,036,099
Salmon	8,352	4,938	5,488
Sea Herring	61,282	48,379	54,405
Kippers	448,464	683,809	854,410
Other	38,517	156,102	90,430
Reported Estimated Total	 2,407,643	 1,802,146 44,000 1,846,146	 2,231,573

COLD STORAGE STOCKS AT JANUARY 1, 1941 - MARITIMES - QUEBEC

With Comparative Holdings for last year and last month

F I S H	January 1, 1940	JANUARY 1, 1941 PRELIMINARY	December 1, 1940 Revised
	lb.	lb.	lb.
<u>F R O Z E N F R E S H</u>			
MARITIMES			
Cod: Whole	112,719	78,157	121,412
Fillets	1,526,655	828,166	1,742,759
Haddock: Whole	184,303	107,209	104,576
Fillets	543,398	175,981	175,496
Salmon	35,791	75,630	96,518
Sea Herring	3,998,443	5,341,263	6,872,223
Halibut	158,751	70,318	97,294
Mackerel	3,010,427	1,583,046	2,175,432
Whitefish	845	(x)	(x)
Pickrel	471	(x)	(x)
Tullibee	-	-	-
Trout	1,004	(x)	(x)
Other (incl. shell-fish)	853,815	1,002,867	938,580
Reported		9,262,637	
Estimated		473,000	
Total	10,426,622	9,735,637	12,324,290
<u>F R O Z E N S M O K E D</u>			
Cod: Whole	-	(x)	(x)
Haddock: Whole	-	-	-
Finnan Haddie	274,731	115,964	95,344
Fillets: Cod, Haddock, etc.	860,648	363,351	676,324
Salmon	2,650	(x)	89
Sea Herring	3,238	-	-
Kippers	340,011	582,773	757,324
Other	77	1,460	400
Reported		1,063,548	
Estimated		44,000	
Total	1,481,355	1,107,548	1,529,481
<u>F R O Z E N F R E S H</u>			
QUEBEC			
Cod: Whole	227,264	164,725	227,292
Fillets	299,610	284,901	505,743
Haddock: Whole	105,102	157,630	90,775
Fillets	50,425	37,285	38,787
Salmon	328,809	389,595	366,427
Sea Herring	60,881	227,106	232,296
Halibut	150,482	182,677	177,341
Mackerel	26,531	28,215	64,949
Whitefish	2,486	2,170	1,880
Pickrel	6,909	1,432	1,142
Tullibee	3,534	(x)	(x)
Trout	12,980	6,150	8,411
Other (incl. shell-fish)	966,092	799,515	797,999
Reported		2,281,401	
Estimated		570,000	
Total	2,239,105	2,851,401	2,513,042
<u>F R O Z E N S M O K E D</u>			
Cod: Whole	-	(x)	(x)
Haddock: Whole	-	(x)	(x)
Finnan Haddie	10,066	8,269	6,693
Fillets: Cod, Haddock, etc.	100,725	32,933	57,147
Salmon	692	(x)	(x)
Sea Herring	7,940	18,933	29,037
Kippers	26,660	11,849	11,305
Other	3,766	2,755	3,091
Total	149,849	74,739	107,273

(x) Included in "Other" as insufficient reports received.

COLD STORAGE STOCKS AT JANUARY 1, 1941 - ONTARIO - MANITOBA

With Comparative Holdings for last year and last month.

F I S H	January 1, 1940	JANUARY 1, 1941 PRELIMINARY	December 1, 1940 Revised
	lb.	lb.	lb.
FROZEN FRESH			
		ONTARIO	
Cod: Whole	9,017	22,385	34,314
Fillets	201,213	256,933	318,978
Haddock: Whole	19,757	12,694	8,531
Fillets	143,647	70,186	120,351
Salmon	527,192	751,483	727,162
Sea Herring	89,152	109,587	149,392
Halibut	210,915	253,332	286,646
Mackerel	24,434	16,670	26,688
Whitefish	66,194	98,461	98,229
Pickarel	52,002	34,519	25,193
Tullibee	66,787	109,413	60,941
Trout	268,613	159,874	257,424
Other (incl. shellfish)	720,565	400,766	420,357
Total	2,399,488	2,296,303	2,534,206
FROZEN SMOKED			
Cod: Whole	5,484	(x)	6,623
Haddock: Whole	30	(x)	-
Finnan Haddie	35,616	20,272	27,470
Fillets: Cod, Haddock, etc.	163,778	143,711	167,264
Salmon	1,500	(x)	3,280
Sea Herring	16,237	14,830	9,515
Kippers	27,065	48,888	43,231
Other	1,240	18,471	4,515
Total	250,950	246,172	261,898
FROZEN FRESH			
		MANITOBA	
Cod: Whole	8,342	38,232	33,200
Fillets	43,567	57,244	52,089
Haddock: Whole	1,369	4,773	3,062
Fillets	12,365	11,871	9,227
Salmon	81,912	62,565	57,218
Sea Herring	841	30,812	2,793
Halibut	113,388	70,326	75,154
Mackerel	5,741	4,117	3,633
Whitefish	1,736,857	351,281	568,940
Pickarel	834,067	890,998	868,509
Tullibee	1,123,691	828,015	1,281,538
Trout	6,373	52,356	10,245
Other (incl. shell-fish)	1,256,132	845,470	994,905
Total	5,224,645	3,248,060	3,960,513
FROZEN SMOKED			
Cod: Whole	309	(x)	(x)
Haddock: Whole	7,094	(x)	(x)
Finnan Haddie	42,841	17,259	15,663
Fillets: Cod, Haddock, etc.	131,905	83,214	57,099
Salmon	746	(x)	(x)
Sea Herring	7,875	(x)	(x)
Kippers	10,523	5,769	6,771
Other	10,564	81,609	19,303
Total	211,857	187,851	98,836

(x) Included in "other" as insufficient reports received.

COLD STORAGE STOCKS AT JANUARY 1, 1941 - SASKATCHEWAN - ALBERTA

With Comparative Holdings for last year and last month

F I S H	January 1,	JANUARY 1, 1941	December 1, 1940
	1940	PRELIMINARY	Revised
	lb.	lb.	lb.
FROZEN FRESH			
		SASKATCHEWAN	
Cod: Whole	14,017	11,686	6,663
Fillets	11,388	11,147	7,498
Haddock: Whole	30	(x)	-
Fillets	20,859	17,768	5,468
Salmon	48,784	47,545	50,668
Sea Herring	2,800	12,338	(x)
Halibut	80,598	59,347	75,606
Mackerel	-	-	-
Whitefish	72,942	28,402	85,664
Pickrel	24,705	1,899	2,115
Tullibee	32,815	42,359	14,011
Trout	11,358	16,088	15,265
Other (incl. shell-fish)	60,431	75,139	50,174
Total	380,727	323,718	313,132
FROZEN SMOKED			
Cod: Whole	-	(x)	(x)
Haddock: Whole	1,170	-	(x)
Finnan Haddie	20,647	7,893	8,050
Fillets: Cod, Haddock, etc.	48,967	48,028	28,135
Salmon	20	-	(x)
Sea Herring	-	2,620	210
Kippers	4,018	8,058	5,574
Other	1,365	1,859	1,517
Total	76,187	63,458	43,486
FROZEN FRESH			
		ALBERTA	
Cod: Whole	12,238	22,709	18,752
Fillets	360	(x)	7,395
Haddock: Whole	1,970	-	-
Fillets	17,490	(x)	(x)
Salmon	50,954	133,374	126,060
Sea Herring	-	26,555	275
Halibut	60,560	110,234	94,522
Mackerel	145	-	-
Whitefish	114,539	77,278	53,229
Pickrel	6,717	2,270	5,027
Tullibee	5,010	(x)	(x)
Trout	71,474	11,725	11,135
Other (incl. shell-fish)	13,243	27,301	23,642
Total	354,700	411,446	340,087
FROZEN SMOKED			
Cod: Whole	9,954	6,078	3,564
Haddock: Whole	6,150	(x)	(x)
Finnan Haddie	27,020	(x)	5,685
Fillets: Cod, Haddock, etc.	46,392	28,973	25,290
Salmon	465	(x)	(x)
Sea Herring	5,250	3,042	5,429
Kippers	26,445	8,835	11,400
Other	340	6,991	5,380
Total	122,016	53,919	56,748

(x) Included in "other" as insufficient reports received,

COLD STORAGE STOCKS AT JANUARY 1, 1941 - BRITISH COLUMBIA

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With Comparative Holdings for last year and last month.

F I S H	January 1,	JANUARY 1, 1941	December 1, 1940
	1940	PRELIMINARY	Revised
	lb.	lb.	lb.
<u>FROZEN FRESH</u>			
		BRITISH COLUMBIA	
Cod: Whole	312,820	352,002	429,395
Fillots	2,016	3,818	6,964
Haddock: Whole	100	-	124
Fillots	150	-	(x)
Salmon	4,157,620	8,113,853	9,633,471
Sea Herring	1,560,245	686,773	582,999
Halibut	1,721,993	2,951,739	3,740,568
Mackerel	1,878	1,531	1,561
Whitofish	3,511	1,259	1,321
Trout	1,035	(x)	(x)
Other (incl. shell-fish)	271,380	585,345	526,643
Total	8,032,748	12,696,320	14,923,046
<u>FROZEN SMOKED</u>			
Cod: Whole	2,537	4,975	6,068
Haddock: Whole	8,085	-	-
Finnan Haddie	16,465	4,693	4,758
Filletts: Cod, Haddock, etc.	30,414	13,460	24,840
Salmon	2,279	1,543	1,509
Sea Herring	20,742	3,633	4,026
Kippers	13,742	17,637	18,805
Other	21,165	61,518	73,845
Total	115,429	107,459	133,851
<u>FISH FROZEN DURING DECEMBER 1940-CANADA</u>			
<u>FROZEN FRESH</u>	December 1939	DECEMBER 1940	November 1940
Cod: Whole	148,838	152,518	173,333
Fillots	986,980	580,513	1,633,796
Haddock: Whole	94,953	96,322	47,297
Fillots	214,888	122,956	119,277
Salmon	59,944	109,225	2,084,169
Sea Herring	789,659	549,005	727,535
Halibut	505,235	(x)	150,438
Mackerel	400	11,507	261,519
Whitofish	2,081	(x)	12,806
Pickrel	51,632	(x)	91,091
Tullibee	36,939	(x)	(x)
Trout	427	3,677	100,672
Other (incl. shell-fish)	569,160	815,736	1,206,361
Total	3,461,136	2,441,459	6,608,354
<u>FROZEN SMOKED</u>			
Cod: Whole	38,745	-	(x)
Haddock: Whole	835	-	-
Finnan Haddie	349,912	123,284	131,345
Filletts: Cod, Haddock, etc.	812,349	391,981	834,242
Salmon	-	-	(x)
Sea Herring	-	(x)	(x)
Kippers	47,260	39,965	18,351
Other	210	43,690	59,390
Total	1,249,311	598,920	1,043,298

(x) Included in "other" as insufficient reports received.

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