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COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS OF FISH, NOVEMBER 1, 1941

ALL FISH

Stocks of all frozen fish on November 1, 1941 totalled 36.6 million lb. including an estimate of 3.9 million lb. Frozen Fresh and 410 thousand lb. Frozen Smoked for firms failing to report on time. Of this total 33.7 million lb. were Frozen Fresh and 2.9 million lb. Frozen Smoked. Comparing these classifications there were 3.4 million lb. less Frozen Fresh stocks and 720 thousand lb. more stocks of Frozen Smoked than last year. Compared with last month's revised figures there was an increase on November 1, 1941 of 1.5 per cent Frozen Fresh and a decrease of 14.6 per cent. Frozen Smoked.

The apparent net "Into-Storage" movement of frozen fish during October 1941 was 20 thousand lb. as compared with an "Into-Storage" movement of 4.6 million lb. for the same month last year.

C O D

Stocks of frozen Cod reported were 2,444,056 lb. of which 2,429,248 lb. were Frozen Fresh and 14,808 lb. Frozen Smoked (not including fillets).

The apparent net "Out-of-Storage" movement of all frozen Cod (except smoked fillets) was 1 million lb. as compared with an "Into-Storage" movement of 559 thousand lb. during October 1940, but the estimate is not included in this movement.

The quantity reported as frozen during October 1941 was 1,225,250 lb. as compared with 2,041,452 lb. for the same month last year.

HADDOCK

Reported stocks of frozen Haddock, were 573,988 lb. of which 410,967 lb. were Frozen Fresh and 163,021 lb. Frozen Smoked (not including fillets). Haddock holdings were less by 36 per cent than last month's revised stocks and 318 thousand lb. less than at the same date a year ago.

There was an apparent net "Out-of-Storage" movement of 324 thousand lb. in October (not including the estimate for firms failing to report on time) as compared with a similar movement of 147 thousand lb. during October 1940.

There were 32,484 lb. reported as frozen during October 1941, being 274 thousand 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 1,383,023 lb., as compared with 815,043 lb. for November 1, 1940 and 1,716,290 lb. last month.

The quantity reported as frozen during October 1941 was 657,935 lb.

SALMON

Frozen Salmon holdings, as reported, were 5,696,073 lb. consisting of 5,691,429 lb. Frozen Fresh and 4,644 lb. Frozen Smoked. These frozen stocks were 3,130,315 lb. less than at the same date last year and 29.6 per cent more than the stocks of a month ago, but the estimate is not included in these calculations or in the storage movement following.

The apparent net "Into-Storage" movement during October was 1.3 million lb. as compared with a similar movement of 1.9 million lb. during the same month in 1940.

The quantity reported as frozen during October, 1941 was 1,793,572 lb.

SEA HERRING

The total reported frozen stocks of Herring, including Kippers, were 6,988,835 lb. as compared with 9,284,781 lb. last year. They are 32.7 per cent less than the revised figures for October 1, 1941.

The quantities reported as frozen during October 1941 amounted to 105,032 lb. as compared with freezings of 470,132 lb. for October 1940.

OTHER

All other frozen fish stocks amounted to 15,262,146 lb. Frozen Fresh and 12,462 lb. Frozen Smoked (not including fillets). Quantities of other fish reported as frozen during October 1941 were 3,234,740 lb.



## COLD STORAGE STOCKS AT NOVEMBER 1, 1941 - CANADA

2.

With Comparative Holdings for last year and last month

FISH	November 1, 1940	NOVEMBER 1, 1941 PRELIMINARY	October 1, 1941 Revised
	lb.	lb.	lb.
<u>F R O Z E N   F R E S H</u>			
Cod: Whole	1,007,798	743,357	909,536
Fillets	2,210,001	1,680,891	2,558,548
Haddock: Whole	282,420	99,444	122,956
Fillets	413,622	311,523	467,042
Salmon	8,819,103	5,691,429	4,385,984
Sea Herring	8,185,277	6,085,992	9,064,065
Halibut	5,318,048	6,644,895	8,083,913
Mackerel	2,622,189	1,172,216	1,329,140
Whitefish	1,361,404	1,009,387	1,237,554
Pickarel	1,013,734	996,556	507,432
Tullibee	1,451,679	966,174	567,080
Trout	193,827	59,236	49,276
Other (incl. shell-fish)	4,318,704	4,413,682	3,937,778
Reported		29,879,782	
Estimated		3,865,000	
Total	37,197,806	33,744,782	33,220,304
<u>F R O Z E N   S M O K E D</u>			
Cod: Whole	9,068	14,808	17,498
Haddock: Whole	7,694	1,705	11,512
Finnan Haddie	188,211	161,316	296,356
Fillets: Cod, Haddock, etc.	815,043	1,383,023	1,716,290
Salmon	7,285	4,644	10,499
Sea Herring	54,204	35,242	22,750
Kippers	1,045,300	867,601	1,297,832
Other	43,204	12,462	23,068
Reported		2,480,801	
Estimated		410,000	
Total	2,170,009	2,890,801	3,395,805

## COLD STORAGE STOCKS AT NOVEMBER 1, 1941 - MARITIMES - QUEBEC

3.

With Comparative Holdings for last year and last month

FISH	November 1, 1940	NOVEMBER 1, 1941 PRELIMINARY	October 1, 1941 Revised
	lb.	lb.	lb.
<u>F R O Z E N   F R E S H</u>		MARITIMES	
Cod: Whole	110,417	94,948	70,051
Fillets	1,244,216	738,772	1,248,729
Haddock: Whole	186,464	65,040	74,955
Fillets	231,940	113,628	236,128
Salmon	96,047	511,241	525,795
Sea Herring	7,734,905	5,770,212	7,777,117
Halibut	132,239	148,032	258,574
Mackerel	2,367,472	1,102,737	1,231,378
Whitefish	30	(x)	-
Pickarel	162	(x)	-
Tullibee	-	-	-
Trout	1,843	(x)	-
Other (incl. shell-fish)	1,073,011	892,776	1,080,376
Reported		9,437,386	
Estimated		2,000,000	
Total	13,178,746	11,437,386	12,503,103
<u>F R O Z E N   S M O K E D</u>			
Cod: Whole	270	-	(x)
Haddock: Whole	-	-	-
Finnan Haddie	106,956	44,079	92,257
Fillets: Cod, Haddock, etc.	513,339	815,857	1,059,107
Salmon	16	-	-
Sea Herring	220	-	(x)
Kippers	964,472	784,465	1,206,616
Other	349	-	4,875
Reported		1,644,401	
Estimated		250,000	
Total	1,585,622	1,894,401	2,362,855
<u>F R O Z E N   F R E S H</u>		QUEBEC	
Cod: Whole	258,749	92,869	110,285
Fillets	599,273	610,571	972,934
Haddock: Whole	80,786	28,760	38,299
Fillets	55,555	71,417	86,980
Salmon	378,720	365,015	463,547
Sea Herring	122,193	195,491	787,710
Halibut	220,119	186,153	253,768
Mackerel	231,665	57,908	75,946
Whitefish	2,229	1,213	1,460
Pickarel	2,062	6,890	7,169
Tullibee	5,912	(x)	(x)
Trout	7,041	4,741	3,360
Other (incl. shell-fish)	962,580	907,902	705,760
Reported		2,528,930	
Estimated		65,000	
Total	2,926,884	2,593,930	3,507,238
<u>F R O Z E N   S M O K E D</u>			
Cod: Whole	-	(x)	(x)
Haddock: Whole	-	-	(x)
Finnan Haddie	8,440	4,680	7,070
Fillets: Cod, Haddock, etc.	35,571	38,958	59,680
Salmon	154	(x)	(x)
Sea Herring	26,312	7,617	2,380
Kippers	14,256	20,144	11,860
Other	1,880	1,055	6,656
Reported		102,454	
Estimated		15,000	
Total	86,613	117,454	87,648

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



## COLD STORAGE STOCKS AT NOVEMBER 1, 1941 - ONTARIO - MANITOBA

4.

With Comparative Holdings for last year and last month

FISH	November 1, 1940	NOVEMBER 1, 1941 PRELIMINARY	October 1, 1941 Revised
	lb.	lb.	lb.
<u>F R O Z E N   F R E S H</u>		ONTARIO	
Cod: Whole	32,626	3,271	18,719
Fillets	286,978	261,012	233,675
Haddock: Whole	10,336	1,431	9,089
Fillets	104,673	106,470	129,124
Salmon	802,490	490,914	339,318
Sea Herring	108,139	39,800	40,366
Halibut	360,728	265,632	393,467
Mackerel	17,624	7,640	20,353
Whitefish	86,858	98,659	128,149
Pickrel	9,867	14,675	10,594
Tullibee	68,430	19,845	75,849
Trout	141,194	38,663	31,328
Other (incl. shell-fish)	368,644	216,554	404,904
Reported		1,570,566	
Estimated		530,000	
Total	2,398,587	2,100,566	1,834,935
<u>F R O Z E N   S M O K E D</u>			
Cod: Whole	1,684	9,468	6,428
Haddock: Whole	2,106	-	-
Finnan Haddie	36,025	44,283	60,491
Fillets: Cod, Haddock, etc.	130,066	299,758	284,839
Salmon	4,056	(x)	(x)
Sea Herring	6,885	15,496	6,653
Kippers	35,302	21,285	25,825
Other	1,825	4,072	9,819
Reported		394,362	
Estimated		20,000	
Total	217,949	414,362	394,055
<u>F R O Z E N   F R E S H</u>		MANITOBA	
Cod: Whole	25,000	(	8,844
Fillets	51,272	( 44,478	70,028
Haddock: Whole	2,660	(	(
Fillets	8,908	( 9,913	7,010
Salmon	71,175	60,224	43,829
Sea Herring	1,685	2,990	3,106
Halibut	68,785	58,851	97,165
Mackerel	3,707	(x)	(x)
Whitefish	1,067,687	806,521	936,879
Pickrel	991,950	961,068	470,453
Tullibee	1,339,773	912,322	432,044
Trout	13,527	(x)	(x)
Other (incl. shell-fish)	1,355,090	1,918,648	1,145,724
Reported		4,775,015	
Estimated		120,000	
Total	5,001,219	4,895,015	3,215,082
<u>F R O Z E N   S M O K E D</u>			
Cod: Whole	100	(x)	(x)
Haddock: Whole	-	-	(x)
Finnan Haddie	16,184	13,438	38,608
Fillets: Cod, Haddock, etc.	61,269	45,784	69,332
Salmon	311	(x)	(x)
Sea Herring	13,929	(x)	(x)
Kippers	5,123	(x)	13,968
Other	7,573	18,043	12,857
Reported		77,265	
Estimated		25,000	
Total	104,489	102,265	134,765

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

## COLD STORAGE STOCKS AT NOVEMBER 1, 1941 - SASKATCHEWAN - ALBERTA

5.

With Comparative Holdings for last year and last month

FISH	November 1, 1940	NOVEMBER 1, 1941 PRELIMINARY	October 1, 1941 Revised
	lb.	lb.	lb.
F R O Z E N   F R E S H		SASKATCHEWAN	
Cod: Whole	12,707	16,574	15,849
Fillets	12,720	20,787	20,671
Haddock: Whole	-	( 11,808	-
Fillets	4,174	( 6,590	6,590
Salmon	59,612	49,247	41,677
Sea Herring	109	1,330	-
Halibut	68,250	101,997	109,210
Mackerel	-	-	-
Whitefish	104,933	66,965	98,775
Pickrel	7,373	8,600	6,846
Tullibee	20,774	18,259	33,868
Trout	16,244	(x)	2,050
Other (incl. shell-fish)	27,395	35,060	16,700
Reported		330,627	
Estimated		35,000	
Total	334,291	365,627	352,236
F R O Z E N   S M O K E D			
Cod: Whole	100	(x)	(x)
Haddock: Whole	-	(x)	(x)
Finnan Haddie	10,751	10,744	11,875
Fillets: Cod, Haddock, etc.	25,749	41,817	58,460
Salmon	70	(x)	-
Sea Herring	-	3,584	1,046
Kippers	6,396	7,740	8,820
Other	477	4,190	2,236
Reported		68,075	
Estimated		10,000	
Total	43,543	78,075	82,437
F R O Z E N   F R E S H		ALBERTA	
Cod: Whole	20,709	15,929	19,701
Fillets	2,430	9,260	9,469
Haddock: Whole	1,980	(x)	( 1,778
Fillets	8,250	(x)	1,778
Salmon	148,767	93,235	79,328
Sea Herring	1,487	1,935	1,610
Halibut	108,956	138,522	159,535
Mackerel	140	(x)	(x)
Whitefish	98,290	34,940	71,474
Pickrel	2,320	(x)	12,370
Tullibee	16,790	-	-
Trout	13,053	8,315	11,064
Other (incl. shell-fish)	13,333	11,496	6,975
Reported		313,632	
Estimated		115,000	
Total	436,505	428,632	373,304
F R O Z E N   S M O K E D			
Cod: Whole	437	2,910	4,693
Haddock: Whole	4,630	-	-
Finnan Haddie	2,775	11,910	23,968
Fillets: Cod, Haddock, etc.	19,054	79,568	135,320
Salmon	200	(x)	(x)
Sea Herring	3,812	(x)	3,340
Kippers	6,905	18,212	26,112
Other	250	3,575	6,370
Reported		116,175	
Estimated		70,000	
Total	38,063	186,175	199,803

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



## COLD STORAGE STOCKS AT NOVEMBER 1, 1941 - BRITISH COLUMBIA

6.

With Comparative Holdings for last year and last month

FISH	November 1, 1940	NOVEMBER 1, 1941 PRELIMINARY	October 1, 1941 Revised
	lb.	lb.	lb.
<u>FROZEN FRESH</u>			
		BRITISH COLUMBIA	
Cod: Whole	547,590	512,519	666,087
Filletts	13,112	2,258	3,042
Haddock: Whole	194	-	-
Filletts	122	-	(x)
Salmon	7,262,292	4,121,553	2,892,490
Sea Herring	216,759	74,234	454,156
Halibut	4,358,971	5,745,708	6,812,194
Mackerel	1,581	(x)	(x)
Whitefish	1,377	471	817
Trout	925	(x)	(x)
Other (incl. shell-fish)	518,651	466,883	605,620
Reported		10,923,626	
Estimated		1,000,000	
Total	12,921,574	11,923,626	11,434,406
<u>FROZEN SMOKED</u>			
Cod: Whole	6,477	1,491	2,924
Haddock: Whole	958	(x)	(x)
Finnan Haddie	7,080	32,182	62,087
Filletts: Cod, Haddock, etc.	29,995	31,281	49,552
Salmon	2,478	3,215	5,309
Sea Herring	3,046	(x)	(x)
Kippers	12,846	4,447	4,631
Other	30,850	5,453	9,739
Reported		78,069	
Estimated		20,000	
Total	93,730	98,069	134,242

FISH FROZEN DURING MONTH - CANADA

	October 1940	OCTOBER 1940 PRELIMINARY	September 1941 Revised
<u>FROZEN FRESH</u>			
Cod: Whole	259,886	98,432	432,668
Filletts	1,781,566	1,126,818	1,328,918
Haddock: Whole	47,820	11,107	77,333
Filletts	201,043	40,815	46,980
Salmon	3,412,800	1,793,572	1,288,049
Sea Herring	381,051	53,745	401,916
Halibut	202,205	42,705	525,111
Mackerel	740,502	212,960	124,164
Whitefish	91,145	176,255	22,725
Pickrel	550,130	534,649	499,182
Tullibee	1,024,371	682,803	88,526
Trout	26,439	5,999	170,656
Other (incl. shell-fish)	1,696,458	1,578,859	823,769
Total	10,415,416	6,358,719	5,829,997
<u>FROZEN SMOKED</u>			
Cod: Whole	-	-	(x)
Haddock: Whole	-	-	-
Finnan Haddie	118,065	40,562	31,145
Filletts: Cod, Haddock, etc.	885,516	657,935	408,424
Salmon	300	(x)	3,302
Sea Herring	970	(x)	(x)
Kippers	88,111	49,487	187,779
Other	34,940	2,310	9,134
Total	1,127,902	750,294	639,784

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

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