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COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS OF FISH, JUNE 1, 1943

ALL FISH

Stocks of all frozen fish in Canada on June 1 amounted to 16.8 million lb., of which 15.7 million lb. were Frozen Fresh and 1.1 million lb. Frozen Smoked. In these figures estimates of 207 thousand lb. Frozen Fresh and 28 thousand lb. Frozen Smoked are included for firms failing to report on time. These holdings are less by 2.5 million lb. Frozen Fresh and 16 thousand lb. Frozen smoked than those at June 1, 1942. Compared with May 1, 1943 figures they are more by 36.6 per cent Frozen Fresh and 32.6 per cent Frozen Smoked.

The apparent net "Into-Storage" movement for all classifications was 4.5 million lb. as compared with a similar movement of 4.0 million lb. for May 1942.

C O D

Holdings of frozen Cod were 3,825,870 lb. consisting of 3,806,944 lb. Frozen Fresh, and 18,926 lb. Frozen Smoked (fillets not included)

The apparent net increase during May was 1.5 million lb. as compared with a decrease of 448 thousand lb. in May 1942.

The quantity reported as frozen during May was 2,769,296 lb., as compared with 1,797,543 lb. for the same month in 1942.

HADDOCK

Stocks of frozen Haddock totalled 732,629 lb., of which 675,370 lb. were Frozen Fresh and 57,259 lb. Frozen Smoked (not including Fillets). Haddock holdings were 372 thousand lb. more than at the same date last year and 5.2 per cent less than the stocks on May 1, 1943. There was an apparent net "Out-of-Storage" movement of 40.5 thousand lb. in May 1943 as compared with a similar movement of 78 thousand lb. during May 1942.

There were 231,918 lb. reported as having been frozen during May 1943 while for the corresponding month in 1942 the freezings were 71,595 lb.

FILLETS

Frozen smoked fillets of Cod, Haddock and other fish amounted to 832,531 lb. as compared with 878,006 lb. last year and 548,075 lb. last month.

There were 844,568 lb. reported as frozen during May 1943.

SALMON

Frozen Salmon holdings at June 1 were 428,148 lb. They are 1.1 million lb. less than last year and 42.8 per cent less than last month.

The apparent net decrease during May was 320 thousand lb. as compared with a decrease of 108 thousand lb. during the same month in 1942.

SEA HERRING

Frozen stocks of herring, including Kippers, were 5,074,214 lb. being Fresh 4,928,283 lb. and Smoked 145,931 lb. Last year at the same date the combined figures were 7,261,384 lb. This month's stocks show an increase of 1.4 million lb. over last month's holdings.

The quantity reported as frozen during May was 3.9 million lb., as compared with freezings of 3.4 million lb. for May 1942.

OTHER

Other Frozen stocks amounted to 5,878,616 lb. Frozen Fresh and 39,420 lb. Frozen Smoked, (not including fillets).

All other fish reported as having been frozen during May were 3,197,672 lb.

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With Comparative Holdings for last year and last month

F I S H	June 1, 1942 lb.	JUNE 1, 1943 PRELIMINARY lb.	May 1, 1943 Revised lb.
<u>FROZEN FRESH</u>			
Cod: Whole	571,851	1,468,623	1,217,174
Fillets	1,418,659	2,338,321	1,118,507
Haddock: Whole	85,435	249,124	364,543
Fillets	192,092	426,246	355,938
Salmon	1,541,933	421,659	743,130
Sea Herring	7,125,300	4,928,283	3,492,342
Halibut	2,672,546	2,828,237	1,678,754
Mackerel	212,363	306,754	131,198
Whitefish	348,474	579,648	710,953
Pickering	396,879	143,146	122,203
Tullibee	687,169	154,287	236,092
Trout	24,855	62,894	47,338
Other (incl. shellfish)	2,917,035	1,803,650	1,279,136
Total	18,194,530	15,710,872*	11,497,305
<u>FROZEN SMOKED</u>			
Cod: Whole	5,526	18,926	7,663
Finnan Haddie	83,504	57,259	52,655
Fillets: Cod, Haddock, etc.	878,006	832,531	548,075
Salmon	7,062	6,489	5,505
Sea Herring	8,954	6,838	21,594
Kippers	127,130	179,093	169,943
Other	6,151	39,420	28,620
Total	1,116,333	1,100,556*	834,055

\* Estimates for firms that did not report to Ottawa on time are included in Classifications as follows: Frozen Fresh: Cod Whole 5,000 lb., Fillets 8,000; Haddock Fillets 4,000; Salmon 2,000; Sea Herring 63,000; Halibut 1,000; Mackerel 56,000; Whitefish 19,000; Pickering 17,000; Tullibee 17,000; Trout 1,000; Other 14,000; Frozen Smoked: Cod 3,000; Finnan Haddie 2,000; Fillets: Cod, Haddock 11,000; Salmon 5,000; Kippers 4,000; Other 3,000 lb.

## COLD STORAGE STOCKS AT JUNE 1, 1943 - MARITIMES - QUEBEC

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With Comparative Holdings for last year and last month

F I S H	June 1, 1942	JUNE 1, 1943 PRELIMINARY	May 1, 1943 Revised
	lb.	lb.	lb.
<u>F R O Z E N   F R E S H</u>		<u>MARITIMES</u>	
Cod: Whole	43,633	231,739	132,437
Fillets	1,059,694	1,649,926	661,397
Haddock: Whole	74,435	136,223	260,554
Fillets	76,935	336,959	267,831
Salmon	154,826	13,958	80,702
Sea Herring	1,842,511	1,646,258	464,962
Halibut	64,155	112,393	149,508
Mackerel	185,204	217,761	87,064
Whitefish	749	(x)	(x)
Pickeral	962	(x)	(x)
Tullibee	-	-	-
Trout	1,589	(x)	(x)
Other (incl. shell-fish)	583,829	576,708	310,422
Reported		4,921,925	
Estimated		120,000	
Total	4,088,522	5,041,925	2,414,877
<u>F R O Z E N   S M O K E D</u>			
Cod: Whole	3,270	(x)	-
Finnan Haddie	26,322	35,438	16,515
Fillets: Cod, Haddock, etc.	530,296	486,332	342,129
Salmon	-	-	-
Sea Herring	-	(x)	(x)
Kippers	49,672	61,314	105,586
Other	-	2,355	2,606
Reported		585,439	
Estimated		8,000	
Total	609,560	593,439	466,836
<u>F R O Z E N   F R E S H</u>		<u>QUEBEC</u>	
Cod: Whole	29,739	60,378	65,766
Fillets	95,340	205,125	97,420
Haddock: Whole	10,070	52,390	43,170
Fillets	33,215	25,140	23,494
Salmon	158,818	61,861	117,731
Sea Herring	1,520,515	1,585,184	54,975
Halibut	71,538	163,340	233,380
Mackerel	2,012	16,335	22,353
Whitefish	3,061	2,998	3,109
Pickeral	11,143	5,619	6,625
Tullibee	32,575	16,554	(x)
Trout	8,233	2,937	3,720
Other (incl. shell-fish)	413,138	312,036	312,833
Total	2,389,397	2,509,897	984,576
<u>F R O Z E N   S M O K E D</u>			
Cod: Whole	-	-	-
Finnan Haddie	4,560	4,895	10,770
Fillets: Cod, Haddock, etc.	26,328	81,098	45,400
Salmon	84	(x)	(x)
Sea Herring	2,720	(x)	(x)
Kippers	9,824	28,495	14,910
Other	1,490	3,463	12,407
Total	45,006	117,951	83,487

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



## COLD STORAGE STOCKS AT JUNE 1, 1943 - ONTARIO - MANITOBA

With Comparative Holdings for last year and last month

F I S H	June 1, 1942	JUNE 1, 1943 PRELIMINARY	May 1, 1943 Revised
	lb.	lb.	lb.
<u>F R O Z E N   F R E S H</u>		ONTARIO	
Cod: Whole	11,395	17,719	43,852
Fillets	124,537	240,732	198,667
Haddock: Whole	349	31,572	40,623
Fillets	25,013	38,105	51,308
Salmon	469,250	96,085	245,740
Sea Herring	15,520	26,230	30,300
Halibut	234,070	279,367	333,665
Mackerel	21,822	13,784	17,551
Whitefish	170,621	275,712	390,486
Pickarel	19,989	6,063	26,775
Tullibee	155,292	63,176	138,188
Trout	7,871	34,948	33,115
Other (incl. shell-fish)	349,783	269,662	151,341
Reported		1,393,205	
Estimated		87,000	
Total	1,605,512	1,480,205	1,701,611
<u>F R O Z E N   S M O K E D</u>			
Cod: Whole	-	8,215	-
Finnan Haddie	18,989	4,650	6,170
Fillets: Cod, Haddock, etc.	131,256	26,273	56,572
Salmon	1,170	(x)	-
Sea Herring	-	-	-
Kippers	17,512	9,661	18,039
Other	1,810	9,331	5,461
Total	170,737	58,130	86,242
<u>F R O Z E N   F R E S H</u>		MANITOBA	
Cod: Whole	6,103	25,183	41,566
Fillets	62,659	141,865	104,605
Haddock: Whole	581	(x)	(x)
Fillets	5,141	11,492	5,112
Salmon	101,128	44,694	50,892
Sea Herring	2,683	4,585	4,624
Halibut	84,091	119,986	76,090
Mackerel	2,638	2,841	4,197
Whitefish	95,805	122,517	142,653
Pickarel	340,014	6,255	23,351
Tullibee	480,856	57,461	77,132
Trout	3,570	9,603	4,966
Other (incl. shell-fish)	941,419	351,277	316,089
Total	2,126,688	897,759	851,277
<u>F R O Z E N   S M O K E D</u>			
Cod: Whole	138	2,001	(x)
Finnan Haddie	2,758	(x)	(x)
Fillets: Cod, Haddock, etc.	46,852	25,366	5,079
Salmon	758	706	1,177
Sea Herring	1,334	(x)	(x)
Kippers	2,938	9,988	4,681
Other	1,113	10,456	14,621
Total	55,891	48,517	25,558

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

With Comparative Holdings for last year and last month

F I S H	June 1, 1942	JUNE 1, 1943 PRELIMINARY	May 1, 1943 Revised
	lb.	lb.	lb.
<u>FROZEN FRESH</u>		<u>SASKATCHEWAN</u>	
Cod: Whole	15,857	24,500	31,238
Filletts	20,490	27,413	3,675
Haddock: Whole	-	-	(x)
Filletts	18,755	8,870	(x)
Salmon	37,574	86,261	133,862
Sea Herring	340	(x)	(x)
Halibut	94,038	100,263	114,542
Mackerel	-	-	-
Whitefish	50,331	127,254	140,341
Pickrel	22,108	91,974	48,779
Tullibee	18,446	(x)	(x)
Trout	1,754	11,920	(x)
Other (incl. shell-fish)	59,381	27,880	33,748
Total	339,574	506,341	506,183
<u>FROZEN SMOKED</u>			
Cod: Whole	-	-	-
Pinnan Haddie	13,207	456	3,005
Filletts: Cod, Haddock, etc.	52,929	66,465	14,183
Salmon	585	(x)	(x)
Sea Herring	-	(x)	(x)
Kippers	8,045	2,412	8,145
Other	50	3,375	2,787
Total	74,816	72,708	28,120
<u>FROZEN FRESH</u>		<u>ALBERTA</u>	
Cod: Whole	27,018	95,889	83,755
Filletts	43,470	31,390	24,167
Haddock: Whole	-	(x)	(x)
Filletts	32,795	765	4,680
Salmon	90,470	31,824	62,497
Sea Herring	10,152	5,390	11,050
Halibut	124,670	208,595	269,692
Mackerel	-	-	-
Whitefish	27,107	31,421	33,618
Pickrel	2,625	15,357	15,795
Tullibee	-	(x)	(x)
Trout	1,445	(x)	488
Other (incl. shell-fish)	9,482	32,108	32,783
Total	366,234	459,733	538,505
<u>FROZEN SMOKED</u>			
Cod: Whole	1,950	3,390	4,500
Pinnan Haddie	120	(x)	1,800
Filletts: Cod, Haddock, etc.	66,393	50,406	31,635
Salmon	820	-	(x)
Sea Herring	3,582	(x)	5,150
Kippers	12,310	7,610	6,060
Other	1,128	9,365	3,060
Total	86,303	70,771	52,205

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



## COLD STORAGE STOCKS AT JUNE 1, 1943 - BRITISH COLUMBIA

With Comparative Holdings for last year and last month

FISH	June 1, 1942	JUNE 1, 1943 PRELIMINARY	May 1, 1943 Revised
	lb.	lb.	lb.
<u>FROZEN FRESH</u>		BRITISH COLUMBIA	
Cod: Whole	438,106	1,008,215	818,560
Filletts	12,469	33,870	28,576
Haddock: Whole	-	( 19,565	(x)
Filletts	238	( 84,976	3,360
Salmon	529,867	84,976	51,706
Sea Herring	3,733,579	1,596,569	2,925,230
Halibut	1,999,983	1,843,293	501,877
Mackerel	687	(x)	(x)
Whitefish	740	-	-
Trout	393	(x)	(x)
Other (incl. shell-fish)	562,541	228,518	170,967
Total	7,278,603	4,815,006	4,500,276
<u>FROZEN SMOKED</u>			
Cod: Whole	168	(x)	2,933
Finman Haddie	17,548	4,668	11,195
Filletts: Cod, Haddock, etc.	23,952	85,591	53,077
Salmon	3,645	-	3,605
Sea Herring	1,318	-	(x)
Kippers	26,829	15,613	12,522
Other	560	13,168	8,275
Reported		119,040	
Estimated		20,000	
Total	74,020	139,040	91,607

FISH FROZEN DURING MONTH - CANADA

	May 1942	MAY 1943 PRELIMINARY	April 1943 Revised
<u>FROZEN FRESH</u>			
Cod: Whole	181,658	378,199	443,724
Filletts	1,597,780	2,391,097	1,516,425
Haddock: Whole	970	48,995	183,227
Filletts	45,105	135,706	412,206
Salmon	256,266	34,615	1,410
Halibut	3,054,467	1,899,006	573,065
Sea Herring	3,386,026	3,863,542	135,365
Mackerel	165,334	208,032	-
Whitefish	12,088	2,383	(x)
Pickrel	240	216	-
Tullibee	-	-	-
Trout	27,783	(x)	(x)
Other (incl. shell-fish)	422,048	1,088,035	350,574
Total	9,149,765	10,049,326	3,615,996
<u>FROZEN SMOKED</u>			
Cod: Whole	18,105	-	(x)
Finman Haddie	25,520	47,217	66,269
Filletts: Cod, Haddock, etc.	936,507	844,568	699,154
Salmon	-	-	(x)
Sea Herring	-	(x)	-
Kippers	1,971	60,580	93,047
Other	291	190	23,199
Total	982,394	952,555	881,669

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

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