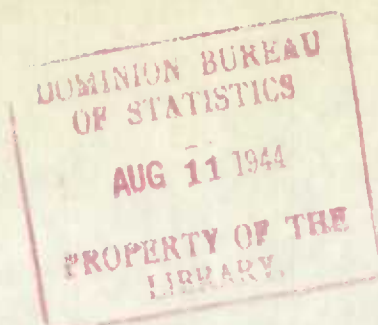


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COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS OF FISH, AUGUST 1, 1944

ALL FISH

Stocks of all frozen fish in Canada on August 1 amounted to 34,709,175 lb., of which 32.5 million lb. were Frozen fresh and 2.2 million lb. Frozen Smoked. In these figures estimates of 1.5 million lb. Frozen Fresh and 28 thousand lb. Frozen Smoked are included for firms failing to report on time. These holdings are more by 2 million lb. Frozen Fresh and 578 thousand lb. Frozen Smoked than those at August 1, 1943. Compared with July 1, 1944 figures they are higher by 22.4 per cent Frozen Fresh and 7.6 per cent Frozen Smoked.

The apparent net "Into-Storage" movement for all classifications was 6.1 million lb. as compared with a similar movement of 9.2 million lb. for August 1, 1943.

COD

Holdings of frozen Cod were 7,551,937 lb. consisting of 7,524,551 lb. Frozen Fresh, and 27,386 lb. Frozen Smoked (fillets not included).

The apparent net decrease during July was 702 thousand as compared with an increase of 3 million lb. in July 1943.

The quantity reported as frozen during July was 6,590,997 lb., as compared with 5,343,221 lb. for the same month in 1943.

HADDOCK

Stocks of frozen Haddock totalled 867,173 lb., of which 763,167 lb. were Frozen Fresh and 104,006 lb. Frozen Smoked (not including fillets). Haddock holdings were 749 thousand lb. less than at the same date last year and practically the same as the stocks on July 1, 1944.

There were 358,565 lb. reported as having been frozen during July 1944 while for the corresponding month in 1943 the freezings were 660,673 lb.

FILLETS

Frozen smoked fillets of Cod, Haddock and other fish amounted to 1,232,047 lb. as compared with 816,318 lb. last year and 1,488,308 lb. last month.

There were 316,843 lb. reported as frozen during July 1944.

SALMON

Frozen Salmon holdings at August 1 were 2,224,050 lb. They were 925 thousand lb. more than last year and 6.7 per cent more than last month. Kinds of Frozen Fresh Salmon are given as footnotes to each page.

The apparent net increase during July was 898 thousand lb. as compared with an increase of 676 thousand lb. during the same month in 1943.

Freezings during July 1944 were 1,731,942 lb.

SEA HERRING

Frozen stocks of herring, including Kippers, were 7,689,480 lb. being Fresh 6,906,793 lb. and Smoked 782,687 lb. Last year at the same date the combined figures were 7,771,008 lb. This month's stocks show an increase of 3.6 million lb. from last month's holdings.

The quantity reported as frozen during July was 4.7 million lb. as compared with freezings of 3 million lb. for July 1943.

OTHER

Other Frozen stocks amounted to 15,078,530 lb. Frozen Fresh and 65,958 lb. Frozen Smoked, (not including fillets).

All other fish reported as having been frozen during June were 5,883,951 lb.

COLD STORAGE STOCKS AT AUGUST 1, 1944 - CANADA

With Comparative Holdings for last year and last month

FISH	August 1, 1943 lb.	AUGUST 1, 1944 PRELIMINARY lb.	July 1, 1944 Revised lb.
<u>FROZEN FRESH</u>			
Cod: Whole	2,030,147	2,167,310	1,880,029
Filletts	6,189,181	5,357,241	6,361,479
Haddock: Whole	858,971	258,583	264,544
Filletts	638,406	504,584	412,615
Salmon	1,292,092	2,212,091 /	1,319,892
Sea Herring	7,107,415	6,906,793	3,736,221
Halibut	4,874,661	6,996,135	4,139,582
Mackerel	2,336,357	1,065,018	1,241,657
Whitefish	1,343,912	1,841,095	1,440,142
Pickrel	84,203	347,734	563,677
Tullibee	98,934	805,733	765,689
Trout	66,572	157,823	165,262
Other (incl. shell-fish)	3,481,329	3,864,992	4,233,344
Total	30,402,180	32,485,132	26,524,133

FROZEN SMOKED

Cod: Whole	8,463	27,386	12,437
Finnan Haddie	119,165	104,006	189,439
Filletts: Cod, Haddock, etc.	816,318	1,232,047	1,488,308
Salmon	7,105	11,959	6,249
Sea Herring	28,529	14,968	16,315
Kippers	635,064	767,719	306,687
Other	31,612	65,958	47,360

Total	1,646,256	2,224,043	2,066,795
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/ Kinds, not including estimates, were: Red Spring 188,023 lb.; White Spring 254,645 lb.; Coho 692,701 lb.; Steelhead 24,518 lb.; Pink 180,842 lb.; Chum 500,987 lb.; Sockeye 72,165 lb.; Atlantic 116,515 lb.; Unclassified 162,695 lb.

N.B. Estimates for firms that did not report on time are included in classifications as follows: FROZEN FRESH: Cod Whole 151,000 lb.; Filets 222,000 lb.; Haddock Whole 19,000 lb.; Salmon 19,000 lb.; Sea Herring 544,000 lb.; Halibut 82,000 lb.; Mackerel 165,000 lb.; Whitefish 66,000 lb.; Pickrel 18,000 lb.; Tullibee 134,000 lb.; Trout 8,000 lb.; Other 139,000 lb. FROZEN SMOKED: Cod Whole 8,000 lb.; Filletts 15,000 lb.; Kippers 5,000 lb.

With Comparative Holdings for last year and last month

FISH	August 1, 1943 lb.	AUGUST 1, 1944 PRELIMINARY lb.	July 1, 1944 Revised lb.
<u>FROZEN FRESH</u>		<u>MARITIMES</u>	
Cod: Whole	401,455	163,758	165,516
Filletts	3,572,821	3,122,749	4,298,192
Haddock: Whole	672,597	169,639	179,224
Filletts	395,109	361,377	274,002
Salmon	266,147	118,724 /	120,397
Sea Herring	4,861,414	4,831,322	1,543,419
Halibut	123,773	125,890	86,956
Mackerel	1,866,252	716,992	988,345
Whitefish	746	-	(x)
Pickrel	878	-	(x)
Tullibee	-	-	-
Trout	1,315	-	-
Other (incl. shell-fish)	1,254,255	1,106,153	1,549,887
Reported	-	10,716,604	-
Estimated	-	968,000	-
Total	13,416,762	12,684,604	9,205,938
<u>FROZEN SMOKED</u>		(x)	
Cod: Whole	-	-	-
Finnan Haddie	59,653	57,998	141,776
Filletts: Cod, Haddock, etc.	283,981	509,355	852,642
Salmon	-	-	-
Sea Herring	-	-	-
Kippers	550,435	582,807	130,220
Other	-	6,295	8,797
Reported	-	1,156,450	-
Estimated	-	8,000	-
Total	894,069	1,164,455	1,133,435
<u>FROZEN FRESH</u>		<u>QUEBEC</u>	
Cod: Whole	173,436	108,479	201,708
Filletts	1,380,800	1,217,600	1,269,265
Haddock: Whole	129,197	48,972	57,638
Filletts	57,319	20,120	19,485
Salmon	175,561	210,930 /	138,326
Sea Herring	1,397,300	1,020,090	1,368,769
Halibut	135,693	238,692	83,951
Mackerel	353,861	149,205	200,068
Whitefish	1,851	839	13,574
Pickrel	6,487	13,800	26,538
Tullibee	4,878	4,291	90,024
Trout	462	1,296	8,927
Other (incl. shell-fish)	453,808	298,460	520,622
Reported	-	3,332,774	-
Estimated	-	463,000	-
Total	4,270,653	3,795,774	3,998,895
<u>FROZEN SMOKED</u>			
Cod: Whole	-	-	-
Finnan Haddie	16,702	6,415	8,465
Filletts: Cod, Haddock, etc.	91,239	75,431	110,153
Salmon	499	(x)	(x)
Sea Herring	17,230	8,340	11,015
Kippers	15,520	52,717	40,932
Other	5,817	21,359	1,496
Reported	-	164,262	-
Estimated	-	12,000	-
Total	147,007	176,262	172,061

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

/ Kinds: Maritimes Chum 5,935 lb., Atlantic and other kinds 112,789 lb.
 Quebec, Coho 25,580 lb., Chum 55,000 lb., Atlantic 13,192 lb., Unclassified
 117,158 lb.

COLD STORAGE STOCKS AT AUGUST 1, 1944 - ONTARIO - MANITOBA

With Comparative Holdings for last year and last month

FISH	August 1, 1943	AUGUST 1, 1944 PRELIMINARY	July 1, 1944 Revised
	lb.	lb.	lb.
<u>FROZEN FRESH</u>		<u>ONTARIO</u>	
Cod; Whole	22,827	35,008	38,958
Fillets	809,476	343,516	258,011
Haddock: Whole	24,715	7,444	6,936
Fillets	114,096	81,637	74,148
Salmon	68,591	250,565 /	186,370
Sea Herring	48,015	95,763	107,761
Halibut	146,791	268,519	307,938
Mackerel	108,328	29,395	47,852
Whitefish	226,014	327,959	312,251
Pickrel	11,534	203,777	443,346
Tullibee	36,693	154,173	191,605
Trout	53,023	57,371	63,233
Other (incl. shell-fish)	411,301	441,404	448,335
Reported		2,296,531	
Estimated		100,000	
<u>Total</u>	<u>2,081,404</u>	<u>2,396,531</u>	<u>2,486,744</u>
<u>FROZEN SMOKED</u>			
Cod: Whole	2,040	-	-
Finnan Haddie	25,796	13,638	13,987
Fillets: Cod, Haddock, etc.	115,266	206,742	199,483
Salmon	10	(x)	(x)
Sea Herring	-	1,068	(x)
Kippers	49,809	33,637	39,143
Other	4,728	1,797	1,893
<u>Total</u>	<u>197,649</u>	<u>256,882</u>	<u>254,506</u>
<u>FROZEN FRESH</u>		<u>MANITOBA</u>	
Cod: Whole	20,758	20,390	24,597
Fillets	163,301	78,767	93,767
Haddock: Whole	10,522	3,006	2,979
Fillets	26,302	7,035	8,280
Salmon	13,042	137,339 /	141,955
Sea Herring	1,735	1,490	403
Halibut	103,619	94,333	80,076
Mackerel	5,212	3,399	4,101
Whitefish	967,383	1,149,644	768,820
Pickrel	8,201	97,951	70,877
Tullibee	57,240	512,407	483,519
Trout	5,111	63,937	68,734
Other (incl. shell-fish)	1,001,831	1,383,103	1,067,673
<u>Total</u>	<u>2,384,257</u>	<u>3,552,801</u>	<u>2,815,781</u>
<u>FROZEN SMOKED</u>			
Cod: Whole	-	(x)	(x)
Finnan Haddie	889	(x)	(x)
Fillets: Cod, Haddock, etc.	25,476	138,671	114,696
Salmon	361	(x)	(x)
Sea Herring	1,709	(x)	(x)
Kippers	2,560	(x)	2,901
Other	3,646	15,765	15,826
<u>Total</u>	<u>34,641</u>	<u>154,436</u>	<u>133,423</u>

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

/ Ontario: Red Spring (2 firms only); White Spring (2 firms only)
Coho 110,351 lb; Chum 104,728 lb. Manitoba: White Spring 3,914 lb; Coho 24,175 lb;
• Pink 7,294 lb; Chum 101,958 lb.

With Comparative Holdings for last year and last month

FISH	August 1, 1943	AUGUST 1, 1944 PRELIMINARY	July 1, 1944 Revised
	lb.	lb.	lb.
<u>FROZEN FRESH</u>		<u>SASKATCHEWAN</u>	
Cod: Whole	22,439	50,462	59,445
Fillets	89,125	54,778	62,411
Haddock: Whole	6,880	9,142	16,667
Fillets	10,375	12,550	13,480
Salmon	54,855	26,740 /	38,739
Sea Herring	100	1,007	2,512
Halibut	60,415	93,004	100,643
Mackerel	1,904	775	1,039
Whitefish	92,322	102,335	124,488
Pickrel	44,018	9,702	12,584
Tullibee	113	862	541
Trout	6,661	10,074	10,916
Other (incl. shell-fish)	24,184	25,359	22,312
Reported		396,790	
Estimated		36,000	
Total	413,391	432,790	465,777
<u>FROZEN SMOKED</u>			
Cod: Whole	-	(x)	(x)
Finnan Haddie	6,705	8,105	2,626
Fillets: Cod, Haddock, etc.	89,460	70,578	49,833
Salmon	185	(x)	(x)
Sea Herring	280	(x)	-
Kippers	415	3,998	1,795
Other	10,001	1,839	1,579
Reported		84,520	
Estimated		8,000	
Total	107,646	92,520	55,833
<u>FROZEN FRESH</u>		<u>ALBERTA</u>	
Cod: Whole	134,107	91,712	118,352
Fillets	81,505	75,447	97,568
Haddock: Whole	4,160	(x)	(x)
Fillets	35,205	18,805	22,740
Salmon	22,424	93,329 /	102,330
Sea Herring	2,434	(x)	(x)
Halibut	82,408	106,668	70,468
Mackerel	800	(x)	(x)
Whitefish	55,364	191,573	218,086
Pickrel	13,085	4,504	4,254
Tullibee	10	-	-
Trout	-	17,145	13,452
Other (incl. shell-fish)	39,028	27,169	80,017
Total	470,530	626,352	727,267
<u>FROZEN SMOKED</u>			
Cod: Whole	1,550	3,480	(x)
Finnan Haddie	2,245	2,942	4,242
Fillets: Cod, Haddock, etc.	55,913	122,560	82,900
Salmon	1,300	-	-
Sea Herring	9,250	(x)	-
Kippers	6,440	10,090	13,112
Other	1,410	22,472	26,037
Total	78,108	161,544	126,291

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

/ Kinds: Saskatchewan Coho 4,977 lb. Chum 20,129 lb. Other 1,634 lb. Alberta Coho 14,018 lb., Chum 77,321 lb., Others 1,990 lb.

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COLD STORAGE STOCKS AT AUGUST 1, 1944 - BRITISH COLUMBIA

With Comparative Holdings for last year and last month

FISH	August 1, 1943	AUGUST 1, 1944 PRELIMINARY	July 1, 1944 Revised
	lb.	lb.	lb.
<u>FROZEN FRESH</u>			
Cod: Whole	1,255,125	1,546,501	1,271,453
Filletts	92,153	242,384	282,265
Haddock: Whole	10,900	-	-
Filletts	-	(x)	(x)
Salmon	691,472	1,355,464	591,775
Sea Herring	796,417	405,588	708,064
Halibut	4,221,962	5,987,029	3,409,550
Mackerel	-	-	-
Whitefish	232	2,745	(x)
Trout	-	-	-
Other (incl. shell-fish)	296,922	456,569	560,624
T o t a l	7,365,183	9,996,280	6,823,731
<u>FROZEN SMOKED</u>			
Cod: Whole	4,873	15,059	8,751
Finnan Haddie	7,175	12,935	12,735
Filletts: Cod, Haddock, etc.	154,983	93,710	78,601
Salmon	4,750	10,042	3,725
Sea Herring	60	1,320	(x)
Kippers	9,885	76,558	78,584
Other	5,410	8,320	8,850
T o t a l	187,136	217,944	191,246

FISH FROZEN DURING MONTH - CANADA

	July 1943	July 1944 PRELIMINARY	June 1944 Revised
<u>FROZEN FRESH</u>			
Cod: Whole	814,443	468,287	569,534
Filletts	4,528,748	6,122,710	3,792,294
Haddock: Whole	207,391	75,158	41,289
Filletts	335,876	271,470	251,700
Salmon	1,289,797	1,731,942	799,534
Halibut	654,403	3,148,333	5,302,033
Sea Herring	2,790,043	4,163,104	1,002,985
Mackerel	1,297,172	618,931	1,255,924
Whitefish	1,126,311	1,057,535	273,419
Pickrel	1,273	113,975	90,243
Tullibee	38,637	31,477	(x)
Trout	25,388	(x)	6,700
Other (incl. shell-fish)	1,299,047	882,420	1,348,477
Total	14,308,529	18,685,342	14,734,132
<u>FROZEN SMOKED</u>			
Cod: Whole	30	-	-
Finnan Haddie	117,406	11,937	120,585
Filletts: Cod, Haddock, etc.	510,853	316,843	1,009,683
Salmon	20	-	-
Sea Herring	-	-	(x)
Kippers	359,617	546,364	93,898
Other	200	31,280	3,990
T o t a l	988,126	906,424	1,228,156

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

✓ Kinds: Red Spring 145,205 lb.; White Spring 241,684 lb.; Coho 513,600 lb.; Steelhead 24,368 lb.; Pink 170,663 lb.; Chum 135,916 lb.; Sockeye 72,165 lb.; Unclassified 46,462 lb.