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COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS OF FISH JANUARY 1, 1947

ALL FISH

Stocks of all frozen fish in Canada on January 1 amounted to 41,623,305 lb. of which 38.5 million lb. were Frozen Fresh and 3.1 million lb. Frozen Smoked. In these figures estimates of 8.0 million lb. Frozen Fresh and 460 thousand lb. Frozen Smoked are included for firms failing to report on time. These holdings are higher by 10.8 million lb. Frozen Fresh and 1.3 million lb. Frozen Smoked than those at January 1, 1946. Compared with December 1, 1946 figures they are less by 4.3 million lb. Frozen Fresh and more by 257 thousand Frozen Smoked.

The apparent net "Out-of-Storage" movement for all classifications was 4.1 million lb. as compared with a similar movement of 5.9 million lb. during December 1945.

COD

Holdings of Frozen Cod were 9,299,504 lb. consisting of 9,285,548 lb. Frozen Fresh and 13,956 lb. Frozen Smoked.

(Fillets not included).

The apparent net increase during December was 69 thousand lb. as compared with an opposite movement of 569 thousand lb. in December 1945.

The quantity reported as frozen during December was 1,412,960 lb. as compared with 1,853,888 lb. for the same month in 1945 but no estimate is made for freezings for firms failing to report.

HADDOCK

Stocks of Frozen Haddock totalled 977,247 lb. of which 740,389 lb. were Frozen Fresh and 236,858 lb. Frozen Smoked (not including fillets) Haddock holdings were 302,521 lb. higher than at the same date last year and 104,513 lb. higher than the stocks on December 1 of last year.

There were 366,717 lb. reported as having been frozen during December while for the corresponding month in 1945 freezings were 463,827 lb.

FILLETS

Frozen Smoked fillets of Cod, Haddock and Other fish amounted to 1,950,230 lb. as compared with 836,661 lb. last year and 1,903,766 lb. last month. There were 814,148 lb. reported as frozen during December 1946.

SALMON

Frozen Salmon holdings at January 1 were 11,030,161 lb. as compared with 9,071,319 lb. last year and 12,573,308 lb. last month.

The apparent net decrease during December was 1.5 million lb. as compared with a similar movement of 2.3 million lb. during the same month in 1945.

Freezings during December were 446,772 lb. without estimating for late firms.

SEA HERRING

Frozen stocks of herring including kippers, were 5,392,516 lb. being Fresh 4,818,681 lb. and Smoked 573,835 lb. Last year at the same date the combined figures were 3,796,390 lb. This month's stocks show a decrease of 344,297 lb. from last month's holdings.

The quantity reported as frozen during December was 1,383,849 lb. as compared with freezings of 1,879,566 lb. for December 1945. Some firms, however, have not yet reported.

OTHER

Other frozen stocks amounted to 12,973,647 lb. being Frozen Fresh, 12,681,412 lb. and Frozen Smoked (not including fillets) 292,235 lb.

All other fish reported as having been frozen during December were 1,154,710 lb. but some firms had not reported on time and no estimate is made of their freezings.

COLD STORAGE STOCKS AT JANUARY 1, 1947 - CANADA
With Comparative Holdings for last year and last month

FISH	CANADA	January 1, 1946	JANUARY 1, 1947 PRELIMINARY	Dec. 1/46 REVISED
		lb.	lb.	lb.
FROZEN FRESH				
Cod: Whole		1,114,728	3,312,810	3,396,614
Fillets		4,939,097	5,972,738	5,777,957
Haddock: Whole		176,012	117,310	102,340
Fillets		312,918	623,079	598,907
Halibut		2,348,945	5,285,957	6,299,440
Mackerel		1,250,493	1,104,939	1,122,497
Salmon		8,995,555	10,985,406	12,528,448
Sea Herring		3,196,516	4,818,681	5,149,312
Pickarel		379,803	269,303	483,119
Sauger		84,611	76,232	184,936
Trout		38,317	77,198	152,811
Tullibee		280,380	1,014,510	1,413,605
Whitefish		379,408	525,919	715,983
Shell-fish		183,129	213,364	213,287
Other		4,049,834	4,113,990	4,682,438
Total		27,729,746	38,511,436	42,821,694
FROZEN SMOKED				
Cod: Whole		10,309	13,956	56,012
Finnan Haddie		125,796	236,858	171,487
Fillets: Cod		661,984	1,710,256	1,707,945
Haddock		122,490	170,190	70,526
Other		52,187	169,784	125,295
Salmon		75,764	44,755	44,860
Sea Herring (Kippers)		599,874	573,835	587,501
Other		132,331	292,235	91,429
Total		1,780,735	3,111,869	2,855,055

Estimates for firms failing to report on time included in the above figures are as follows:

JANUARY 1, 1947

FROZEN FRESH: Cod Whole 601,000 lb. Cod Fillets 358,000 lb. Haddock Fillets 30,000 lb. Halibut 2,202,000 lb. Mackerel 130,000 lb. Salmon 3,443,000 lb. Sea Herring 114,000 lb. Trout 17,000 lb. Tullibee 64,000 lb. Whitefish 44,000 lb. Shellfish 26,000 lb. Other 971,000 lb.

FROZEN SMOKED: Cod Whole 4,000 lb. Finnan Haddie 4,000 lb. Fillets- Cod 232,000 pounds, Haddock 5,000 lb. Other 52,000 lb. Salmon 10,000 lb. Sea Herring 45,000 lb. and Other 108,000 lb.

DECEMBER 1, 1946

FROZEN FRESH: Cod Fillets 225,000 lb. Halibut 39,000 lb. Mackerel 16,000 lb. Sea Herring 384,000 lb. Pickarel 71,000 lb. Whitefish 80,000 lb. Shellfish 13,000 lb. Other 72,000 lb.

CANADA	Jan 1, 1947	CANADA	Dec. 1, 1946
ATLANTIC	85,390	ATLANTIC	132,787
CHUM	5,572,336	CHUM	8,490,482
COHO	1,009,538	COHO	2,639,796
PINK	100,595	PINK	237,479
SOCKEYE	2,852	SOCKEYE	2,862
RED SPRING	473,477	RED SPRING	607,394
WHITE SPRING	150,608	WHITE SPRING	296,468
STEELHEAD	28,632	STEELHEAD	78,035
NOT CLASSIFIED	118,978	NOT CLASSIFIED	43,151

GOLD STORAGE STOCKS AT JANUARY 1, 1947 - MARITIMES-QUEBEC
 With Comparative Holdings for last year and last month

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F I S H		Jan. 1, 1946	JANUARY 1, 1947 PRELIMINARY	Dec. 1/46 Revised
FROZEN FRESH	MARITIMES	lb.	lb.	lb.
Cod: Whole		93,993	89,854	141,309
Fillets		3,136,756	4,425,965	4,018,702
Haddock: Whole		95,586	49,502	63,237
Fillets		182,703	528,915	507,356
Halibut		144,327	245,660	316,528
Mackerel		1,142,776	923,588	1,018,859
Salmon		331,617	351,162	311,254
Sea Herring		1,947,435	2,913,679	3,969,232
Pickarel		-	-	-
Sauger		-	-	-
Trout		-	-	-
Tullibee		-	-	-
Whitefish		-	(x)	(x)
Shell-fish		56,154	155,949	141,665
Other		876,622	1,298,654	1,330,052
Reported			10,982,928	11,828,194
Estimated			345,000	697,000
Total		8,007,969	11,327,928	12,525,194
FROZEN SMOKED	Cod: Whole	-	-	-
Finnan Haddie		103,606	187,701	110,737
Fillets: Cod		305,227	799,389	981,207
Haddock		4,095	(x)	(x)
Other		6,147	100,173	73,340
Salmon		-	-	-
Sea Herring (Kippers)		311,676	263,114	295,172
Other		38,815	29,490	10,947
Reported			1,379,867	
Estimated			102,000	
Total		769,566	1,481,867	1,471,403
FROZEN FRESH	QUEBEC			
Cod: Whole		171,059	185,056	140,407
Fillets		863,073	578,440	623,694
Haddock: Whole		59,932	63,190	22,632
Fillets		55,616	33,830	52,465
Halibut		271,236	247,777	271,128
Mackerel		25,378	34,081	48,821
Salmon		660,816	364,652	536,415
Sea Herring		45,396	29,578	85,168
Pickarel		1,062	(x)	448
Sauger		-	-	-
Trout		12,792	16,546	18,228
Tullibee		30,947	94,084	(x)
Whitefish		23,616	32,981	45,056
Shell-fish		11,717	11,261	12,294
Other		384,577	358,949	615,094
Total		2,617,217	2,050,425	2,471,850
FROZEN SMOKED	Cod: Whole	-	-	-
Finnan Haddie		5,790	11,508	1,542
Fillets: Cod		92,259	110,265	92,070
Haddock		1,335	(x)	(x)
Other		1,810	(x)	9,010
Salmon		530	-	-
Sea Herring (Kippers)		30,952	39,954	50,655
Other		37,861	119,916	4,535
Total		170,537	281,643	157,812
(x) Included in "Other" as insufficient reports received.				
MARITIMES	Jan. 1, 1947	Dec. 1, 1946	QUEBEC	Jan. 1, 1947 Dec. 1/46
Atlantic	40,511	75,127	Atlantic	39,139 44,248
Chum	261,990	189,386	Chum	244,937 360,055
Coho	44,560	43,165	Coho	58,328 89,814
Not Classified	4,101	3,576	Pink	15,465 19,185
			Red Spring	5,538 17,817
			Not Classified	1,125 5,296

COLD STORAGE STOCKS AT JANUARY 1, 1947 - ONTARIO - MANITOBA
With Comparative Holdings for last year and last month

FISH		Jan. 1, 1946	JANUARY 1, 1947 PRELIMINARY	Dec. 1, 1946 Revised
FROZEN FRESH	ONTARIO	lb.	lb.	lb.
Cod: Whole		6,572	19,341	5,385
Filletts		731,430	252,726	423,855
Haddock: Whole		2,763	3,290	5,531
Filletts		66,409	26,789	30,479
Halibut		169,002	332,508	434,725
Mackerel		20,587	15,365	21,750
Salmon		888,965	788,462	1,027,734
Sea Herring		95,282	866,186	249,948
Pickarel		3,362	14,777	20,892
Sauger		700	(x)	(x)
Trout		13,133	21,950	75,760
Tullibee		47,865	(x)	74,418
Whitefish		8,654	39,450	82,885
Shell-fish		37,696	11,725	26,433
Other		1,689,682	530,726	628,939
Reported			2,923,295	
Estimated			1,023,000	
Total		3,782,102	3,946,295	3,108,734
FROZEN SMOKED	Cod: Whole	400	-	(x)
Finnan Haddie		722	3,345	3,267
Filletts: Cod		120,598	90,753	223,309
Haddock		9,915	21,375	12,410
Other		44,120	-	(x)
Salmon		1,126	(x)	(x)
Sea Herring (Kippers)		98,269	17,762	29,856
Other		12,208	21,658	60,249
Reported			154,893	
Estimated			175,000	
Total		287,358	329,893	329,091
FROZEN FRESH	MANITOBA			
Cod: Whole		21,491	24,274	30,287
Filletts		91,702	70,782	100,289
Haddock: Whole		16,781	(x)	2,300
Filletts		6,125	3,500	5,383
Halibut		120,992	184,475	157,481
Mackerel		1,224	(x)	7,067
Salmon		484,912	488,805	504,719
Sea Herring		252	(x)	38,260
Pickarel		373,381	251,901	389,314
Sauger		83,911	76,032	176,936
Trout		845	17,895	46,124
Tullibee		201,568	847,487	1,297,660
Whitefish		309,743	370,947	481,512
Shell-fish		27,841	(x)	(x)
Other		509,452	404,524	1,103,295
Reported			2,740,622	
Estimated			529,000	
Total		2,250,220	3,269,622	4,340,627
FROZEN SMOKED	Cod: Whole	1,410	(x)	(x)
Finnan Haddie		3,531	14,729	(x)
Filletts: Cod		9,550	135,940	191,655
Haddock		18,930	(x)	(x)
Other		-	-	-
Salmon		11,140	(x)	504
Sea Herring (Kippers)		10,241	72,986	76,154
Other		14,254	17,098	31,154
Reported			240,753	
Estimated			34,000	
Total		69,056	274,753	299,467

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

	Jan. 1, 1947	Dec. 1/46	MANITOBA	Jan. 1, 1947	Dec. 1/46
ONTARIO					
Atlantic	5,720	13,408	Chum	344,600	386,964
Chum	579,114	828,430	Coho	61,567	103,390
Coho	160,243	121,097	Pink	(x)	8,150
Pink	4,662	10,335	Not Classified	82,638	6,215
Red Spring	(x)	13,850			
White Spring	29,623	40,816			
Not Classified	9,100	-			

COLD STORAGE STOCKS AT JANUARY 1, 1947 - SASKATCHEWAN - ALBERTA
 With Comparative Holdings for last year and last month

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FISH		Jan. 1, 1946	JANUARY 1, 1947 PRELIMINARY	Dec. 1/46 Revised			
FROZEN FRESH		lb.	lb.	lb.			
SASKATCHEWAN							
Cod: Whole		7,287	19,940	15,837			
Fillets		19,632	63,618	67,400			
Haddock: Whole		-	-	-			
Fillets		705	-	3,184			
Halibut		36,704	82,922	77,775			
Mackerel		-	-	-			
Salmon		173,525	149,170	120,202			
Sea Herring		8,250	(x)	(x)			
Pickarel		561	1,198	1,440			
Sauger		-	-	-			
Trout		2,958	801	919			
Tullibee		-	(x)	(x)			
Whitefish		-	30,233	18,053			
Shell-fish		210	(x)	(x)			
Other		33,355	59,449	18,728			
Reported				323,538			
Estimated				164,000			
Total		283,187	407,331	487,538			
FROZEN SMOKED							
Cod: Whole		2,364	(x)	-			
Finnan Haddie		12	5,870	3,800			
Fillets: Cod		61,565	64,010	63,200			
Haddock		5,385	(x)	8,880			
Other		10	14,716	(x)			
Salmon		960	1,495	2,375			
Sea Herring (Kippers)		4,209	66,258	50,194			
Other		18,609	8,664	12,631			
Total		93,114	161,013	141,080			
FROZEN FRESH							
ALBERTA							
Cod: Whole		18,351	12,954	31,098			
Fillets		34,672	22,760	22,038			
Haddock: Whole		650	-	-			
Fillets		960	(x)	(x)			
Halibut		104,856	129,402	96,720			
Mackerel		-	(x)	-			
Salmon		184,909	94,341	156,447			
Sea Herring		14,274	19,606	(x)			
Pickarel		1,437	-	(x)			
Sauger		-	-	-			
Trout		5,939	3,006	11,780			
Tullibee		-	(x)	(x)			
Whitefish		36,545	7,985	7,949			
Shell-fish		-	(x)	(x)			
Other		19,485	11,706	85,486			
Reported			301,760				
Estimated			40,000				
Total		422,078	341,760	411,518			
FROZEN SMOKED							
Cod: Whole		1,965	(x)	(x)			
Finnan Haddie		140	(x)	25,220			
Fillets: Cod		27,765	110,795	58,615			
Haddock		61,980	131,810	34,345			
Other		-	(x)	-			
Salmon		12,795	(x)	1,525			
Sea Herring (Kippers)		13,790	26,176	19,693			
Other		1,008	10,780	24,338			
Reported			279,561				
Estimated			60,000				
Total		119,443	339,561	163,736			
(x) Included in "Other" as insufficient reports received.							
SASKATCHEWAN		Jan. 1, 1947	Dec. 1/46	ALBERTA		Jan. 1, 1947	Dec. 1/46
Chum		102,422	80,124	Chum		72,305	80,016
Coho		38,529	39,703	Coho		14,100	67,101
Pink		8,219	-	White Spring		(x)	2,510
Not Classified		-	375	Not Classified		7,936	6,820

6. COLD STORAGE STOCKS AT JANUARY 1, 1947 - BRITISH COLUMBIA
With Comparative Holdings for last year and last month

FISH	Jan. 1, 1946	JANUARY 1, 1947 PRELIMINARY	Dec. 1/46 Revised
FROZEN FRESH			
BRITISH COLUMBIA	lb.	lb.	lb.
Cod: Whole	795,975	2,360,391	3,032,291
Filletts	61,832	200,447	296,979
Haddock: Whole	300	-	(x)
Filletts	400	-	-
Halibut	1,501,828	1,861,213	4,906,083
Mackerel	60,528	(x)	-
Salmon	6,270,811	5,305,814 /	9,871,677 /
Sea Herring	1,085,627	865,732	417,204
Pickarel	-	-	-
Sauger	-	-	-
Trout	2,650	-	-
Tullibee	-	-	-
Whitefish	850	(x)	(x)
Shell-fish	49,511	5,442	3,422
Other	536,661	506,036	909,577
Reported		11,105,075	19,437,233
Estimated		6,063,000	39,000
Total	10,366,973	17,168,075	19,476,233
FROZEN SMOKED			
Cod: Whole	4,170	4,100	27,339
Finnan Haddie	11,995	9,435	10,195
Filletts: Cod	45,020	67,104	97,889
Haddock	20,850	4,785	3,145
Other	100	-	(x)
Salmon	49,213	24,390	40,421
Sea Herring (Kippers)	130,737	42,585	65,777
Other	9,576	1,740	47,700
Reported		154,139	
Estimated		89,000	
Total	270,761	243,139	292,466

FROZEN FRESH	FISH FROZEN DURING MONTH		
	Dec. 1945	DECEMBER 1946 PRELIMINARY	Nov. /46 Revised
	lb.	lb.	lb.
Cod: Whole	394,552	324,629	271,803
Filletts	1,449,086	1,088,331	1,914,377
Haddock: Whole	67,295	94,125	68,457
Filletts	251,847	199,110	319,742
Halibut	362,478	166,185	304,517
Mackerel	8,580	16,586	508,625
Salmon	401,122	421,969	3,262,982
Sea Herring	1,655,927	1,249,154	487,472
Pickarel	69,534	40,502	71,838
Sauger	-	-	-
Trout	9,905	16,230	-
Tullibee	133,266	186,933	151,613
Whitefish	88,882	32,735	76
Shell-fish	19,927	12,282	60,667
Other	756,700	622,617	643,546
Total	5,669,101	4,471,388	8,065,715
FROZEN SMOKED			
Cod: Whole	10,250	-	29,631
Finnan Haddie	144,685	93,482	79,092
Filletts: Cod	722,052	764,343	1,029,691
Haddock	3,075	6,315	-
Other	32,505	43,490	28,290
Salmon	33,743	24,803	36,518
Sea Herring (Kippers)	223,639	134,695	180,021
Other	39,115	60,640	62,324

Total	1,209,064	1,127,768	1,445,567
(x) Included in "Other" as insufficient reports received.			
BRITISH COLUMBIA	Jan. 1, 1947	Dec. 1/46	Jan. 1/47 Dec. 1/46
Chum	3,966,968	6,565,507	Red Spring 467,839 575,927
Coho	632,211	2,175,526	Wh. Spring 120,985 253,142
Pink	72,249	199,809	Steelhead 28,832 78,035
Sockeye	2,852	2,862	Not Class. 14,078 20,869