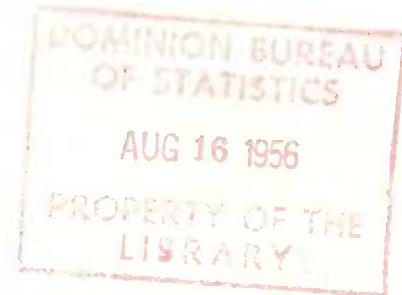


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### SYMBOLS

- .. figures not available
- ... figures not applicable
- nil or zero
- less than 500

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### EXPLANATION

#### ATLANTIC

OTHER FLATFISH - flounders, greysole, skate, turbot, witch, yellowtail

OTHER ESTUARIAL - eel, shad, sea-bass or -perch, sturgeon, tomcod

OTHER SHELLFISH - crab, mussel, winkle

#### PACIFIC

- flounders, skate

- eulachon, sea-bass or -perch smelt, sturgeon

- abalone, octopus, prawn, shrimp

## FISHERIES OF CANADA - JUNE 1956

### CANADA

Landings in the sea fisheries of Canada for June were recorded at 219,666,000 lb. -- 20% above the 183,078,000 lb. taken in June 1955 -- and were valued at \$11,712,000 -- 25% higher than the \$9,378,000 shown for the comparative month of last year.

During the first six months of this year the value of the catch was recorded at \$35,820,000 -- a 22% increase over the \$29,443,000 shown for the corresponding period of last year.

### ATLANTIC

The value of fish landed on our Atlantic Coast during June amounted to \$8,549,000 -- a 13% increase over the \$7,562,000 recorded for the same period of last year.

In the first six months of 1956 the value of the aggregate Atlantic Coast catch was \$25,417,000 -- 7% above the \$23,793,000 reported for the comparative period of last year.

### PACIFIC

The landed value of the British Columbia June catch -- \$3,163,000 -- was 74% above the \$1,816,000 earned by the fishermen in June, 1955.

Halibut landings amounted to almost 8 million pounds, and were valued at \$1,670,000, whereas in the same month of last year they totalled approximately 6 million pounds and were valued at \$749,000.

The total value of all salmon landed was \$1,136,000 -- 46% higher than the \$777,000 realized in June of last year.

### STOCKS

On June 30th stocks of frozen fish in Canada totalled 46,680,000 lb., and of this amount 44,058,000 lb. were frozen fresh and 2,622,000 lb. frozen smoked. Total holdings were higher by 8,875,000 lb. (25%) fresh, but lower by 358,000 lb. (12%) smoked than those on May 31st, 1956. Compared to the end of June, 1955 stocks, current holdings of fresh frozen fish were higher by 8,853,000 lb. (25%) and those of frozen smoked fish lower by 36,000 lb. (1%).

### EXPORTS

Exports of fish and fish products during the first six months of this year amounted to \$60,031,000, only fractionally lower than the \$61,042,000 recorded in the comparable period of 1955. Sales of freshwater fish, of fresh and frozen fillets and blocks, of smoked and pickled fish, of meal and oils were up, but not enough to counteract the drop in exports of canned, salted and fresh sea fish.

Table 1 - Landings by Sea Fishery and Species

Table 1 (cont'd.) - Landings by Sea Fishery and Species

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Species and Sea Fishery	QUANTITY				VALUE			
	JUNE		TOTALS TO DATE		JUNE		TOTALS TO DATE	
	1956	1955	1956	1955	1956	1955	1956	1955
	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
NEWFOUNDLAND Total .....	80,949	66,244	169,330	147,233	2,280	2,153	4,946	4,651
Cod .....	56,941	41,866	79,735	67,626	1,204	934	1,726	1,542
Haddock .....	4,007	2,612	48,462	26,379	106	67	1,328	758
Pollock .....	29	28	134	73	--	--	1	1
Rosefish .....	2,667	52	5,742	5,389	54	38	120	117
Other Groundfish .....	45	1,787	173	170	1	1	5	5
Halibut .....	22	49	514	338	3	9	62	53
Plaice & Greysole .....	2,367	4,492	8,548	12,698	69	133	245	378
Turbot .....	69	43	161	143	5	3	13	12
Other Flatfish .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Herring .....	632	461	10,107	17,466	8	7	148	218
Mackerel .....	-	2	-	2	-	--	-	--
Capelin .....	11,597	11,657	11,597	11,657	58	58	58	58
Salmon .....	504	577	507	603	151	171	152	180
Smelt .....	--	-	35	15	--	-	5	3
Other Estuarial Fish .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lobster .....	2,069	2,607	3,615	4,663	573	677	970	1,203
Clams .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Scallops .....	-	11	-	11	-	-	-	-
Squid .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other Shellfish .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Supplementary Landings ..	..	..	..	..	48	50	113	118
NOVA SCOTIA Total .....	57,094	57,749	198,946	198,868	3,041	2,960	13,319	13,145
Cod .....	11,886	13,545	65,471	64,581	383	447	2,226	2,157
Haddock .....	7,756	7,878	55,065	47,986	249	257	1,922	1,744
Pollock .....	6,773	10,031	10,359	15,196	111	149	159	226
Hake .....	1,613	1,301	2,581	2,403	35	24	50	38
Cusk .....	157	103	1,337	866	4	2	27	14
Rosefish .....	5,053	2,567	5,836	4,564	118	64	137	113
Catfish .....	1,556	1,009	3,385	3,799	51	29	94	100
Other Groundfish .....	4	5	63	97	--	--	--	--
Halibut .....	914	279	3,232	2,166	101	54	681	455
Plaice .....	2,765	4,564	6,465	9,708	86	156	206	326
Other Flatfish .....	1,447	900	7,238	7,600	49	29	242	278
Herring .....	6,861	4,675	8,959	8,589	108	66	130	111
Sardines .....	148	-	1,305	-	2	-	31	-
Mackerel .....	3,766	2,656	4,358	5,278	117	94	144	184
Alewife .....	1,520	3,401	5,591	6,705	23	36	79	90
Salmon .....	54	37	62	44	28	19	33	23
Smelt .....	-	-	80	108	-	-	14	20
Swordfish .....	-	23	-	23	-	9	-	9
Other Estuarial Fish .....	88	122	368	380	2	5	15	19
Lobster .....	4,254	4,156	15,822	17,314	1,393	1,334	6,337	6,415
Clams and Quahogs .....	235	246	623	736	15	15	42	46
Oyster .....	-	-	11	12	-	-	-	--
Scallop .....	242	223	733	685	102	82	322	281
Squid .....	2	28	2	28	--	1	--	1
Other Shellfish .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Supplementary Landings ..	..	..	..	..	64	88	428	495

Table 1 (concl'd.) - Landings by Sea Fishery and Species

Species and Sea Fishery	QUANTITY				VALUE			
	JUNE		TOTALS TO DATE		JUNE		TOTALS TO DATE	
	1956	1955	1956	1955	1956	1955	1956	1955
	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
NEW BRUNSWICK Total .....	32,814	27,157	77,537	69,990	1,300	973	3,084	2,416
Cod .....	5,164	4,646	6,546	6,417	128	180	168	237
Haddock .....	752	749	1,138	1,644	26	29	45	68
Pollock .....	820	736	3,393	1,393	18	14	65	26
Hake .....	217	160	263	258	3	3	3	4
Cusk .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rosefish .....	1,036	40	1,140	112	20	1	23	3
Catfish .....	8	10	19	38	--	--	-	1
Halibut .....	4	6	6	14	1	1	1	4
Plaice .....	2,518	4,259	3,355	5,647	70	130	95	178
Other Flatfish .....	78	11	223	404	2	--	9	17
Herring .....	716	507	20,180	27,127	6	7	136	208
Sardines .....	549	614	12,502	2,958	11	14	305	71
Mackerel .....	2,765	2,988	2,775	2,988	87	96	87	96
Alewife .....	14,607	9,789	15,234	10,820	183	54	194	65
Salmon .....	203	189	207	191	114	93	116	94
Smelt .....	-	-	1,629	3,222	-	-	192	343
Other Estuarial Fish ....	890	755	2,264	1,786	24	19	49	45
Lobster .....	1,846	798	4,546	2,620	570	294	1,429	838
Clams and Quahogs .....	628	900	1,872	2,154	32	35	100	98
Oyster .....	-	-	14	4	-	-	1	--
Scallop .....	8	-	122	50	3	-	61	13
Other Shellfish .....	5	-	109	143	--	-	3	3
Supplementary Landings ..	..	..	..	..	2	3	2	4
P. E. I. Total .....	5,284	4,802	16,054	15,620	933	739	2,284	2,091
Cod .....	652	420	1,505	1,093	17	11	42	31
Haddock .....	345	496	546	688	10	15	18	21
Hake .....	255	159	265	197	3	2	3	2
Plaice .....	556	349	866	786	17	14	26	29
Other Groundfish .....	559	10	902	18	17	--	26	--
Herring .....	78	280	3,026	4,427	1	3	38	34
Mackerel .....	726	530	726	530	20	19	20	19
Alewife .....	32	48	32	48	1	--	1	--
Salmon .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Smelt .....	-	-	235	259	-	-	21	22
Other Estuarial Fish ....	-	-	148	232	-	-	4	6
Lobster .....	2,966	2,169	7,660	6,932	832	651	2,058	1,858
Clams and Quahogs .....	99	327	109	355	5	9	5	10
Oyster .....	-	-	14	30	-	-	1	2
Scallop .....	9	14	13	25	4	6	6	11
Other Shellfish .....	7	-	7	-	--	-	--	-
Supplementary Landings ..	..	..	..	..	6	9	15	46
QUEBEC Total .....	19,312	13,956	61,872	74,196	995	737	1,784	1,490
Cod .....	12,982	6,962	18,039	9,598	320	153	451	225
Haddock .....	189	5	289	141	6	--	9	4
Hake .....	27	9	27	9	--	--	--	--
Rosefish .....	110	61	117	61	2	1	2	1
Halibut .....	24	38	74	78	6	8	15	17
Plaice .....	614	939	986	1,295	17	30	29	41
Other Groundfish .....	20	-	27	-	--	-	--	-
Herring .....	1,602	2,726	35,795	57,476	15	17	149	261
Sardines .....	33	141	56	161	1	5	2	6
Mackerel .....	623	953	623	953	21	29	21	29
Salmon .....	293	267	293	267	138	121	138	121
Smelt .....	13	11	295	554	1	1	29	56
Other Estuarial Fish ....	997	399	1,116	492	21	15	28	21
Lobster .....	1,504	1,247	3,179	2,527	431	350	867	689
Clams .....	277	192	949	568	11	5	37	16
Scallop .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Squid .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other Shellfish .....	4	6	7	16	--	--	--	--
Supplementary Landings ..	..	..	..	..	5	2	7	3

Table 2 - Landings by Inland Fishery and Species

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NORTHWEST TERRITORIES

JUNE				SPECIES	DECEMBER TO JUNE (incl.)				
QUANTITY		VALUE			QUANTITY		VALUE		
1956	1955	1956	1955		1956	1955	1956	1955	
'000 lb.	'000 lb.	\$'000	\$'000	..... Total .....	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	\$'000	\$'000	
605	1,062	43	76	Whitefish .....	3,010	3,733	347	411	
386	635	25	41	Trout .....	2,175	2,618	258	299	
171	411	14	33	Inconnu .....	659	913	77	98	
12	4	1	-	Other .....	78	101	5	6	
36	12	3	2		98	101	7	8	

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MAY				SPECIES	TOTALS TO END OF MAY				
QUANTITY		VALUE			QUANTITY		VALUE		
1956	1955	1956	1955		1956	1955	1956	1955	
'000 lb.	'000 lb.	\$'000	\$'000	..... Total .....	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	\$'000	\$'000	
4,088	3,842	486	554	Whitefish .....	14,553	11,951	1,586	1,588	
227	380	100	148	Tullibee .....	624	807	258	312	
58	115	11	17	Lake Herring .....	112	186	16	27	
6	9	1	1	Pickerel (Y. Pike) .	3,017	1,465	371	278	
603	325	81	62	Blue Pickerel .....	2,134	3,214	265	387	
814	1,420	97	146	Sauger .....	31	42	4	6	
12	8	1	1	Perch .....	2,110	1,153	174	106	
828	385	52	36	Lake Trout .....	154	315	59	108	
104	200	40	67	Pike (Jackfish) ....	260	275	24	28	
51	59	4	6	Sturgeon .....	29	41	34	39	
18	29	19	25	Suckers .....	332	359	7	8	
139	125	2	2	Catfish .....	69	67	13	10	
37	26	6	4	White Bass .....	2,377	1,016	174	70	
450	349	27	15	Other .....	3,266	2,976	179	202	
741	412	45	24						

MANITOBA

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JUNE				SPECIES	TOTALS TO END OF JUNE				
QUANTITY		VALUE			QUANTITY		VALUE		
1956	1955	1956	1955		1956	1955	1956	1955	
'000 lb.	'000 lb.	\$'000	\$'000	..... Total .....	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	\$'000	\$'000	
NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	Whitefish .....	9,728	9,348	1,007	876	
				Pickerel (Y. Pike) .	1,429	2,382	181	221	
				Perch .....	2,029	2,166	353	365	
				Sauger .....	719	359	91	33	
				Pike (Jackfish) ....	1,441	570	250	101	
				Other .....	1,619	1,653	56	87	
					2,491	2,228	76	69	

Table 3 - Output of Main Products and By-products of Sea Fisheries

(In thousands of pounds, unless otherwise specified)

Product and Species	JANUARY - JUNE		Product and Species	JANUARY - JUNE		
	1956	1955		1956	1955	
ATLANTIC						
<b>FRESH &amp; FROZEN, round or dressed:</b>						
cod, fresh .....	5,439	5,219	PICKLED & VINEGAR-CURED: (bbl.):			
" , frozen .....	208	695	herring, split .....	9,161	15,640	
haddock, fresh .....	2,893	3,107	" , fillets .....	10,095	9,925	
" , frozen .....	175	371	mackerel, split .....	6,955	9,995	
pollock, fresh .....	3,098	1,345	" , fillets .....	-	558	
" , frozen .....	356	323	alewife, split .....	27,451	27,470	
hake, fresh .....	236	237	" , fillets .....	7,076	7,962	
" , frozen .....	-	18	turbot, split .....	515	445	
cusk, fresh .....	165	36				
" , frozen .....	-	-				
halibut, fresh and frozen .....	3,515	2,379	<b>CANNED (48 lb. case):</b>			
herring, fresh .....	8,125	20,188	cod and related species .....	2,882	5,990	
" , frozen .....	2,744	3,103	herring .....	3/	3/	
mackerel, fresh .....	2,829	2,393	" , kippered snacks .....	3/	3/	
" , frozen .....	766	1,192	mackerel .....	1,398	1,180	
sardines, fresh .....	56	161	salmon .....	1,015	1,700	
alewife, fresh .....	6,500	11,313	sardines (20 lb. case) .....	374,496	212,564	
salmon, fresh and frozen .....	921	942				
shad, fresh and frozen .....	898	1,375				
smelt, fresh and frozen .....	2,276	4,181	<b>SHELLFISH</b>			
swordfish, fresh and frozen ...	-	23	lobster, in shell .....	19,364	20,205	
tomcod, fresh and frozen .....	1,076	383	" , meat .....	1,395	1,869	
<b>FRESH &amp; FROZEN, fillets:</b>						
cod, fresh .....	6,329	5,418	clams & quahaugs, in shell ...	245	465	
" , frozen .....	15,846	14,377	" " " , meat .....	224	279	
haddock, fresh .....	5,867	5,572	oyster, in shell .....	32	44	
" , frozen .....	17,846	9,751	scallop, meat .....	867	762	
pollock, fresh .....	95	138	lobster, canned (48 lb. cs.) .	33,850	21,536	
" , frozen .....	217	323	clams & quahaugs, canned			
hake, fresh .....	54	65	(30 lb. cs.) .	3,381	3,547	
" , frozen .....	43	19				
cusk, fresh .....	126	159	<b>BY-PRODUCTS:</b>			
" , frozen .....	92	5	a. Meal (tons):			
rosefish, fresh .....	5	8	cod and related species .....	14,946	12,495	
" , frozen .....	3,179	2,544	rosefish .....	1/	1/	
catfish, fresh .....	347	259	herring .....	2,282	1,505	
" , frozen .....	863	1,078	b. Oil (gals.):			
halibut, fresh and frozen .....	144	110	cod .....	181,033	148,308	
plaice & flounders, fresh .....	968	1,374	rosefish .....	18,144	9,084	
" " " , frozen ....	5,595	7,736	herring .....	70,656	3/	
<b>FROZEN, blocks:</b>			seal .....	196,668	270,784	
cod .....	6,278	8,244	c. Other:			
haddock .....	11,338	10,415	herring scales .....	161	100	
pollock .....	200	131	lobster tomalley (48 lb. cs.) .	776	807	
rosefish .....	20	4	" paste (18 lb. cs.) ...	10,917	5,947	
other .....	2	-	cod skins .....	136	250	
<b>SMOKED, dressed and fillets:</b>			" roe .....	2/	37	
cod, fillets .....	3,591	2,799	" glue .....	4,224	7,876	
haddock, dressed .....	435	586				
" , fillets .....	195	104				
herring, kippered .....	191	396	1/ Included with cod.			
" , bloaters .....	7,397	9,032	2/ Includes mixed roe.			
" , boneless .....	21	309	3/ Less than three firms.			
<b>WET-SALTED:</b>						
cod .....	39,214	30,862				
haddock .....	77	63				
pollock .....	4,534	6,543				
hake .....	983	849				
cusk .....	187	154				

Table 3 (concl'd.) - Output of Main Products and By-Products of Sea Fisheries

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Product and Species	JANUARY - JUNE		Product and Species	JANUARY - JUNE		
	1956	1955		1956	1955	
PACIFIC						
<b>FRESH &amp; FROZEN, round or dressed:</b>						
cods, frozen .....	390	229	oyster, shucked (gal.) .....	..	50,469	
halibut, frozen .....	6,016	8,494	clams, canned (48 lb. cs.) ..	..	..	
salmon, frozen .....	1,491	857	crabs, " ..	..	..	
soles, frozen .....	21	18	oyster, " ..	..	..	
herring, fresh .....	604	45				
<b>FROZEN, fillets:</b>						
cods .....	654	701	a. Meal (tons); herring, body .....	21,295	11,587	
halibut .....	868	1,277	b. Oil (gal.) herring, body .....	1,794,347	1,040,708	
salmon .....	134	238	Herring, bait (ton) .....	261	1,750	
soles .....	897	672		..	400	
<b>CANNED (48 lb. case):</b>						
herring .....	..	..				
salmon .....	14,182	-				
tuna .....	..	..				

Table 4 - Stocks of Salted and Pickled Fish - Atlantic Coast<sup>1/</sup>

Product and Species	June 30, 1955	JUNE 30, 1956	May 31, 1956
<b>WET-SALTED (pickled or kench-cured):</b>	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.
cod <sup>2/</sup> .....	7,282	6,935	5,274
pollock .....	2,258	2,413	1,238
hake .....	272	373	98
other .....	32	102	57
<b>DRIED-SALTED:</b>			
cod <sup>3/</sup> .....	5,103	4,583	5,504
pollock .....	301	225	311
hake .....	30	20	66
other .....	12	21	20
<b>BONELESS SALTED (fillets, etc.):</b>			
cod .....	187	512	413 <sup>4/</sup>
other .....	12	.22	-
<b>PICKLED:</b>	bbls.	bbls.	bbls.
herring .....	801	3,867 <sup>5/</sup>	3,506
mackerel .....	1,697	891 <sup>5/</sup>	1,394
alewife .....	16,426	7,415	6,899
<b>BLOATERS</b> .....	boxes	boxes	boxes
	18,573	53,932	6/

<sup>1/</sup> Newfoundland stocks are included even though they are reported on the 20th of the month.<sup>2/</sup> Includes Newfoundland stocks of incompletely cured, washed and pressed, saltbulk fish.<sup>3/</sup> Includes both heavy and slack salted, all cures.<sup>4/</sup> Includes 'other'.<sup>5/</sup> Newfoundland not included.<sup>6/</sup> Less than three firms.

Table 5 - Cold Storage Stocks of Fresh and Smoked Frozen Fish

Item	JUNE 30, 1956 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>	May 31, 1956 Revised	June 30, 1955 Final
	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.
CANADA TOTAL .....	46,680	38,163	..
Frozen fresh sea fish, total .....	28,370	18,854	31,040
Cod, Atlantic			
dressed .....	90	52	253
fillets .....	3,581	2,859	3,679
blocks .....	1,768	1,817	2,211
breaded cooked & uncooked .....	70	62	89
Cod, Pacific			
dressed .....	455	534	633
fillets .....	381	267	484
Haddock			
dressed .....	86	83	88
fillets .....	3,722	3,600	2,923
blocks .....	1,395	1,863	1,660
breaded cooked & uncooked .....	231	258	280
Catfish			
fillets .....	144	150	93
Rosefish (Ocean Perch)			
fillets .....	1,411	430	734
Halibut, Atlantic			
dressed .....	219	146	275
fillets .....	89	43	48
Halibut, Pacific			
dressed .....	7,900	1,947	8,460
fillets .....	967	230	1,373
steaks .....	94	35	42
Soles			
dressed .....	33	51	70
fillets .....	1,458	1,187	1,693
Other flatfish			
dressed .....	2	3	8
fillets .....	283	209	412
Groundfish, unclassified .....	129	133	23
Capelin			
round .....	23	-	24
Herring, Atlantic			
round .....	146	130	213
Herring, Pacific			
round .....	297	507	126
Mackerel			
round or dressed .....	230	35	868
fillets .....	11	3	30
Shad			
round or dressed .....	113	69	229
Smelts			
round or dressed .....	310	344	470
fillets .....	2	2	5
Salmon, Atlantic			
round or dressed .....	93	55	104
Salmon, Pacific, total .....	1,765	807	1,697
Chum			
dressed .....	98	52	344
fillets .....	15	25	72
steaks .....	3	3	2
Coho			
dressed .....	318	302	415
fillets .....	40	11	88
steaks .....	19	27	29
Pink			
dressed .....	35	48	2
Sockeye			
dressed .....	44	2	13
Spring, Pink			
dressed .....	53	15	59
Spring, Red			
dressed .....	920	258	458
Spring, White			
dressed .....	191	38	176
Steelhead			
dressed .....	3	-	9
Unclassified			
.....	26	26	30
Clams .....	11	15	7
Lobsters .....	92	58	133
Oysters .....	64	84	61
Scallops .....	135	161	133
Shrimps .....	249	187	151
Squid .....	7	6	7
Shellfish, unclassified .....	25	166	180
Sea fish, unclassified .....	289	266	1,071
Frozen fresh inland fish, total .....	3,239	3,089	4,165
Bass			
round or dressed .....	141	86	143
fillets .....	170	155	44
Cisco (Lake Herring)			
round or dressed .....	109	127	213
Goldeye			
round or dressed .....	46	71	-

Table 5 (cont'd.) - Cold Storage Stocks of Fresh and Smoked Frozen Fish

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Item	JUNE 30, 1956 PRELIMINARY	May 31, 1956 Revised	June 30, 1955 Final
	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.
<b>CANADA (concluded)</b>			
<b>Frozen fresh inland fish (concluded)</b>			
Lake Trout	round or dressed .....	24	43
	fillets .....	2	4
Perch	round or dressed .....	22	59
	fillets .....	25	49
Pickerel, Blue	round or dressed .....	(x)	3
	fillets .....	37	39
Pickerel (Yellow Pike)	round or dressed .....	196	145
	fillets .....	333	277
Pike (Jackfish)	round or dressed .....	74	77
	fillets .....	349	293
Saugers	round or dressed .....	43	44
	fillets .....	70	78
Suckers (incl. Mullets)	round or dressed .....	7	10
	fillets .....	39	5
Tullibee	round or dressed .....	126	179
Whitefish	round or dressed .....	299	221
	fillets .....	88	37
Inland fish, unclassified .....		1,039	1,087
<b>Frozen smoked fish, total</b> .....			
Cod, Atlantic	fillets .....	1,737	1,992
Cod, Pacific	dressed .....	54	40
	fillets .....	38	28
Goldeye	dressed .....	23	17
Haddock	dressed .....	261	249
	fillets .....	28	97
Salmon	fillets .....	26	58
Sea Herring	dressed (kippers) .....	428	467
Smoked fish, unclassified .....		27	32
<b>Frozen fish held for Bait and Animal Feed</b>			
Bait, total		12,449	13,240
Herring, Atlantic		2,911	7,304
Herring, Pacific		1,265	2,309
Mackerel		1,034	1,320
Squid		222	122
Other		390	3,553
Animal feed, unclassified .....		9,538	5,936

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Table 6 - IMPORTS of Fishery Products

TO END OF APRIL

KIND AND COUNTRY OF ORIGIN	QUANTITY		VALUE	
	1956 - '000 lb. -	1955	1956	1955
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b> .....			<b>3,464,817</b>	<b>3,398,495</b>
<b>FRESH AND FROZEN FISH</b> .....	2,363	3,182	344,331	527,492
Cod and related species .....	441	263	72,192	47,657
U.S.A. .....	301	165	51,930	29,627
Halibut .....	446	831	77,345	155,266
U.S.A. .....	228	341	42,730	68,537
Salmon .....	121	267	48,629	92,559
Alaska .....	21	99	6,249	28,824
U.S.A. .....	100	168	42,380	63,735
Other .....	1,355	1,821	146,165	232,010
U.S.A. .....	1,269	1,513	133,295	179,756
<b>CURED FISH</b> .....	1,232	1,103	164,131	155,582
Cod etc., wet-salted .....	2	-	160	-
U.S.A. .....	2	-	160	-
Herring, pickled .....	904	868	98,142	101,618
Netherlands .....	262	274	35,807	38,208
Norway .....	320	115	26,638	8,793
Other .....	326	235	65,829	53,964
U.S.A. .....	44	48	11,093	12,610
<b>CANNED FISH</b> .....	..	..	1,176,456	811,439
Anchovies, sardines .....	611	669	305,749	366,056
Norway .....	370	465	173,791	266,772
Portugal .....	102	111	62,985	53,931
Pilchards .....	117	4	13,063	518
U.S.A. .....	117	1	13,063	107
Other .....	..	..	857,644	444,865
<b>SHELLFISH</b> .....	..	..	856,810	785,283
Lobsters, fresh .....	27	19	20,842	14,425
U.S.A. .....	25	10	18,786	7,765
Oysters, fresh .....	..	..	301,486	209,808
U.S.A. .....	..	..	301,486	209,808
Other, fresh .....	..	..	8,075	13,283
Canned .....	..	..	526,407	547,767
<b>MISCELLANEOUS</b> .....	..	..	923,089	1,118,699
Meal .....	-	-	-	-
Whale and sperm oil gal. U.S.A. .... " ....	16,427	111	20,318	16,291
Oil, concentrated and for fortifying .....	10,417	63	11,847	9,724
U.S.A. .... " ....	..	..	96,263	197,645
Other oils .....	..	..	13,815	143,187
Other products .....	..	..	138,940	486,713
U.S.A. .... " ....	..	..	667,568	418,050
	..	..	557,311	383,428

Table 7 - Exports of Fishery Products

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TO END OF JUNE

Product and Country of Destination	QUANTITY		VALUE	
	1956 '000 lb.	1955 '000 lb.	1956 \$'000	1955 \$'000
TOTAL EXPORTS .....	..	..	60,031	61,042
FRESH & FROZEN, whole or dressed, total ....	52,175	52,902	11,007	11,211
Sea fish, total .....	24,487	28,413	4,430	5,106
Cod, Atlantic:				
fresh, dressed .....	1,050	951	107	85
frozen, dressed .....	126	70	23	11
Cods, Pacific:				
fresh, dressed .....	419	405	37	45
frozen, dressed .....	176	51	32	6
Haddock and other groundfish:				
fresh, dressed .....	2,668	752	101	46
frozen, dressed .....	76	51	10	15
Halibut:				
fresh, dressed .....	2,773	2,360	905	578
frozen, dressed .....	4,488	6,116	1,172	1,339
Herring, sea .....	2,376	3,960	47	77
Mackerel .....	1,561	2,116	182	211
Salmon, Atlantic:				
fresh, whole or dressed .....	60	117	43	70
frozen, whole or dressed .....	20	63	9	32
Salmon, Pacific:				
fresh, whole or dressed .....	920	1,271	439	500
frozen, whole or dressed .....	1,757	4,862	758	1,355
Smelt .....	2,085	3,416	444	660
Other sea fish .....	3,932	1,832	121	76
Freshwater fish, total .....	27,688	24,489	6,577	6,101
Eel .....	119	77	30	14
Lake Herring .....	169	247	24	38
Perch .....	1,657	1,399	286	222
Pickerel .....	7,839	5,852	1,614	1,454
Pike .....	1,439	1,266	167	172
Sauger .....	1,955	1,068	435	241
Sturgeon .....	200	178	224	184
Trout .....	893	1,080	314	345
Tullibee .....	109	84	17	11
Whitefish .....	7,842	8,642	2,744	2,796
Other freshwater fish .....	5,466	4,596	722	624
FRESH & FROZEN, fillets and blocks, total ..	57,371	54,497	13,353	12,706
Sea fish, total .....	50,346	48,654	10,538	10,420
Cod, Atlantic:				
fillets .....	12,488	14,164	2,367	2,593
blocks .....	6,736	6,781	1,231	1,402
Haddock:				
fillets .....	12,162	10,406	2,531	2,173
blocks .....	8,427	7,378	1,477	1,527
Catfish, fillets .....	635	986	171	242
Hake, pollock, cusk, fillets .....	457	526	85	79
Rosefish (Ocean Perch), fillets .....	2,307	2,192	511	418
Other groundfish blocks .....	162	210	20	47
Flatfish, fillets .....	6,657	5,237	2,035	1,703
Other sea fish fillets .....	315	774	110	236
Freshwater fillets, total .....	7,025	5,843	2,815	2,286
Pickerel .....	3,624	3,330	1,686	1,483
Pike .....	1,068	944	320	297
Whitefish .....	369	423	127	139
Other freshwater fillets .....	1,964	1,146	682	367

Table 7 (cont'd.) - Exports of Fishery Products

TO END OF JUNE

Product and Country of Destination	QUANTITY		VALUE	
	1956 '000 lb.	1955 '000 lb.	1956 \$'000	1955 £'000
SMOKED FISH, total .....	6,075	4,001	826	585
Haddock, dressed .....	66	90	17	24
U.S.A. .....	62	72	17	19
Herring, sea .....	5,032	3,046	535	324
Dominican Republic .....	1,956	1,305	198	121
Haiti .....	2,589	1,297	264	131
U.S.A. .....	276	287	50	56
Cod fillets .....	874	789	217	197
U.S.A. .....	853	770	212	191
Haddock, pollock, hake fillets .....	38	18	8	4
Other smoked fish .....	65	58	49	36
SALTED FISH, total .....	50,732	39,518	7,894	8,778
Cod, salted and dried .....	38,730	46,490	5,834	6,827
Barbados .....	1,410	1,150	184	143
Jamaica .....	8,037	7,516	1,171	1,174
Trinidad .....	2,125	2,805	354	442
Leeward Windward Islands .....	1,926	1,265	260	169
Brazil .....	-	207	-	33
Cuba .....	7,253	6,589	1,140	984
Dominican Republic .....	52	201	8	27
Italy .....	227	3,299	41	502
Portugal .....	-	733	-	100
Puerto Rico .....	11,901	16,364	1,620	2,117
U.S.A. .....	1,208	1,067	208	190
Cod, salted, boneless .....	3,158	2,637	803	663
U.S.A. .....	2,446	2,087	611	565
Cod, wet-salted .....	1,388	1,993	173	262
U.S.A. .....	1,327	1,599	165	221
Hake, haddock, pollock, cusk, salted and dried .....	7,291	6,045	1,063	861
British Guiana .....	986	719	149	93
Cuba .....	869	281	131	40
Dominican Republic .....	3,860	3,407	54	494
Puerto Rico .....	584	532	81	73
U.S.A. .....	35	13	6	2
Hake, haddock, pollock, cusk, salted boneless .....	63	469	12	71
U.S.A. .....	47	67	9	11
Herring, dry-salted .....	-	1,873	-	93
Other salted fish .....	102	11	9	1
PICKLED FISH, total .....	13,095	12,173	1,412	1,206
Alewife .....	3,693	3,754	238	255
Herring, sea .....	5,976	5,862	684	565
Jamaica .....	628	437	51	31
Mackerel .....	3,265	2,244	426	285
Jamaica .....	2,186	1,429	261	165
U.S.A. .....	558	438	99	73
Other pickled fish .....	161	313	64	101

Table 7 (concl'd.) - Exports of Fishery Products

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TO END OF JUNE

Product and Country of Destination	QUANTITY		VALUE	
	1956 '000 lb.	1955 '000 lb.	1956 \$'000	1955 \$'000
CANNED FISH, total .....	19,303	22,171	5,833	6,351
Herring, sea .....	539	841	88	126
Jamaica .....	265	397	36	48
U.S.A. .....	188	334	40	64
Sardines .....	5,185	4,578	1,004	819
Union of South Africa .....	918	674	101	144
British Guiana .....	417	347	80	63
Jamaica .....	874	620	162	104
Trinidad .....	750	260	145	49
Belgian Congo .....	8	353	1	52
Salmon .....	13,539	16,671	4,731	5,383
United Kingdom .....	459	1,083	211	571
Australia .....	456	458	179	185
New Zealand .....	1,440	1,762	561	744
Belgium .....	1,718	3,219	582	933
Italy .....	526	1,572	154	403
Netherlands .....	352	758	126	207
U.S.A. .....	5,245	1,153	1,813	305
Other canned fish .....	40	81	10	23
SHELLFISH, total .....	18,106	19,824	11,554	11,958
Clams, in shell and shucked .....	1,046	1,455	207	220
In shell .....	835	1,228	42	58
Shucked .....	211	227	165	162
Lobster, fresh or frozen .....	15,556	16,733	10,095	10,525
U.S.A. .....	15,556	16,733	10,095	10,525
Other shellfish, fresh, frozen or dried ....	935	1,099	400	414
Lobster, canned .....	396	377	784	731
United Kingdom .....	34	34	68	73
Belgium .....	3	4	7	7
U.S.A. .....	329	299	646	572
Other shellfish, canned .....	173	160	68	68
MISCELLANEOUS, total .....	..	..	8,152	5,961
Meat, total .....	75,332	48,071	5,388	3,618
Herring and other sea fish .....	73,472	46,206	5,280	3,516
Whale (incl. guano) .....	1,860	1,865	108	102
Oils, total ..... in gallons	1,752,988	1,415,889	1,576	1,137
Pharmaceutical .....	5,789	8,254	16	13
Cod liver, crude .....	34,339	29,183	36	30
Cod liver, sun rotted .....	228,394	443,864	217	329
Herring, industrial .....	1,362,549	795,208	1,153	612
Seal .....	-	15,627	-	18
Whale .....	120,401	121,514	144	124
Other oil .....	1,516	2,239	10	11
Seaweeds .....	..	..	197	224
Solubles .....	5,395	6,600	206	303
Seal skins .....	no.	122,739	93,925	479
Other products .....	..	..	306	378

Table 8 - Index Numbers of Wholesale Prices of Fishery Products and Relevant Series

Date	Fishery Products Wholesale	Meat Fresh Wholesale	Fowl Dressed Wholesale	Salaries Industrial Composite	Consumer Price Index		
					Canada	U.S.A.	U.K.
	1935-1939 =100	1935-1939 =100	1935-1939 =100	1949 = 100	1949 = 100	1947-1949 =100	Jan. 15 1952 =100
1950 Average .....	260.7	337.7	199.3	106.0	102.9	102.8	86.0
1951 Average .....	283.3	423.1	262.0	125.6	113.7	110.0	94.0
1952 Average .....	279.8	343.6	194.5	140.3	116.5	113.5	102.6
1953 Average .....	259.0	292.5	220.1	151.5	115.5	115.5	105.8
1954 Average .....	260.4	283.9	164.7	151.3	116.2	114.8	107.7
1955 Average .....	273.9	271.2	189.5	160.2	116.4	114.5	112.6
1955 May .....	258.6	282.8	195.8	153.1	116.4	114.2	110.6
June .....	258.4	290.3	201.8	158.8	115.9	114.4	112.9
July .....	258.4	283.7	210.8	164.1	116.0	114.7	113.3
August .....	261.6	278.3	201.8	166.0	116.4	114.5	112.5
September .....	273.9	276.2	192.8	169.0	116.8	114.9	113.2
October .....	277.4	261.3	180.7	170.4	116.9	114.9	114.4
November .....	280.6	248.7	198.8	171.4	116.9	115.0	116.2
December .....	292.4	244.8	198.8	170.9	116.9	114.7	116.2
1956 January .....	293.1	242.1	210.8	162.2	116.8	114.6	100.0
February .....	292.4	239.1	198.8	164.0	116.4	114.6	100.0
March .....	308.9	236.4	204.8	167.3	116.4	114.7	101.3
April .....	300.1	240.1	210.8	168.4	116.6	114.9	102.7
May .....	282.9	255.9	222.9	172.1	116.6	115.4	102.5

Table 9 - Prices Received by Fishermen

Week ending June 16th

Species and Port	1955	1954	Species and Port	1955	1954
Cod, market:	\$ per lb.	\$ per lb.	Swordfish:	\$ per lb.	\$ per lb.
Halifax, N.S., offshore .....	3½	3½	Louisbourg, N.S., offshore ....	-	-
Lockeport, N.S., offshore .....	3½	3	Halifax, N.S., offshore .....	-	-
Louisbourg, N.S., offshore .....	3-3½	3	North Sydney, N.S., offshore ..	-	-
Souris, P.E.I. .....	3	2	Lobster, market:		
Caraquet, N.B., ungraded .....	2½	3-3½	Yarmouth, N.S. ....	-	-
Paspabie, Que., ungraded ....	2½-2¾	3	Petit de Grat, N.S. ....	33	35
St. John's, Nfld., ungraded ...	2	2½	Grand Manan, N.B. ....	45	45
Haddock, large:			Richibucto, N.B. ....	-	-
Halifax, N.S., offshore .....	4-5	4	Souris, P.E.I. ....	30	30
Louisbourg, N.S., offshore ....	4	3	House Harbour, Mag. Is., Que. .	-	25
St. John's, Nfld., ungraded ...	-	3	Curling, Nfld. ....	-	-
Rosefish (Ocean Perch):			Scallop:		
Halifax, N.S., offshore .....	2½	2½	Digby, N.S. ....	35	32-35
Louisbourg, N.S., offshore ....	2½-2½	2½	Halifax, N.S. ....	-	-
Ramea, Nfld., ungraded .....	2½	2½	Oyster:		
Flounders:			Summerside, P.E.I. ....	-	-
Halifax, N.S., offshore .....	3½	3½	Shippegan, N.B. ....	-	-
Louisbourg, N.S. ....	3-3½	3½	Salmon, Red Spring:		
Souris, P.E.I. ....	3	3½	Vancouver, dressed .....	35	38
Caraquet, N.B. ....	2.7	3½	Salmon, White Spring:		
Ramea, Nfld., ungraded .....	2½	2½	Vancouver, dressed .....	20	26
Herring:			Halibut, medium:		
Yarmouth, N.S. ....	-	1½	Prince Rupert, dressed .....	22.7-22.9	16
Black's Harbour, N.B. ....	-	-	Vancouver, dressed .....	22-24	-
Richibucto, N.B. ....	-	-	Soles:		
Sardines:			Prince Rupert ....	3-4	3-4
Black's Harbour, N.B. ....	2	2½	Lingcod:		
Mackerel:			Vancouver ....	9	9
Halifax, N.S. ....	-	-			
Cheticamp, N.S. ....	-	-			
House Harbour, Mag. Is., Que. .	-	5			
Smelt:					
Summerside, P.E.I. ....	-	-			
Chatham, N.B. ....	-	-			

Table 10 - Wholesale Prices at June 15, 1956.

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Product	unit	Halifax	Montreal	Toronto	Winnipeg	Vancouver
ATLANTIC		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Cod fillets, fresh, unwrapped .....	lb.	.222	.259	.291	-	-
Cod fillets, frozen, cello 5's .....	"	.221	.240	.248	.267	-
Cod fillets, smoked .....	"	.250	.316	.335	.347	-
Halibut, fresh or frozen, 10-40 lb. ....	"	-	.442	-	-	-
Haddock fillets, fresh, unwrapped .....	"	.318	.346	.375	-	-
Herring, kippered, domestic .....	"	.208	.249	.259	.277	-
Mackerel, frozen, round .....	"	.144	.150	.179	-	-
Smelts, frozen, No. 1 .....	"	-	.288	.241	.400	-
ATLANTIC CANNED						
Lobster, Fancy Grade ..... cs.	48- $\frac{1}{2}$ s	37.150	35.510	36.164	39.025	-
Sardines, not smoked, in vegetable oil "	100- $\frac{3}{4}$ s	8.888	8.751	8.650	9.140	-
PACIFIC						
Halibut, frozen, 10-40 lb., headless and dressed .....	lb.	-	.403	.385	.413	.305
Silverbright, frozen, headless & dressed ..	"	-	.505	.468	-	-
Coho, frozen, headless and dressed .....	"	-	.608	.587	-	.487
Lingcod, fresh .....	"	-	-	-	-	.165
PACIFIC CANNED						
Sockeye, Grade A ..... cs.	48- $\frac{1}{2}$ s	22.188	21.322	21.300	21.410	-
Pink, Grade A .....	"	12.088	11.477	11.548	11.570	10.733
INLAND						
Whitefish, fresh .....	lb.	-	.437	.308	-	-
Whitefish, frozen .....	"	-	.268	.285	.223	-
Lake Trout, fresh .....	"	-	.568	.582	-	-
Lake Trout, frozen .....	"	-	.405	.353	.337	-

Table 11 - Retail Prices June 1, 1956.

Product	unit	Halifax	Montreal	Toronto	Vancouver
ATLANTIC		\$	\$	\$	\$
Cod fillets, fresh, unwrapped .....	lb.	.308	-	.456	-
Cod fillets, frozen, packaged .....	"	-	-	.298	-
Cod fillets, smoked .....	"	.368	.470	.524	.532
Finnan Haddie .....	"	.438	.490	.534	.532
Haddock fillets, fresh .....	"	.438	.520	.591	-
Herring, kippered .....	"	.292	.332	.375	.373
Mackerel, frozen .....	"	-	.330	-	-
Smelts, frozen, No. 1 .....	"	-	.442	-	-
Salmon steak, fresh or frozen .....	"	.950	-	-	-
ATLANTIC CANNED					
Lobster, Fancy Grade ..... tin	5 oz.	.876	.881	.856	.942
Sardines, not smoked, in oil .....	3 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	.096	.091	.092	.098
PACIFIC					
Coho steak, fresh or frozen .....	lb.	-	.732	.838	-
Spring steak, fresh or frozen .....	"	.813	-	.958	-
Silverbright steak, fresh or frozen .....	"	-	-	.610	-
Lingcod, fresh .....	"	-	-	-	.345
Halibut steak, fresh .....	"	Atl. .606	.742	.800	.460
Halibut steak, frozen .....	"	-	.680	.680	-
PACIFIC CANNED					
Sockeye, Grade A ..... tin	8 oz.	.531	.477	.482	.478
Pink, Fancy Grade .....	"	.280	.264	.266	.251
INLAND					
Whitefish, fresh .....	lb.	-	-	.696	-
Whitefish, frozen .....	"	-	-	-	-
Lake Trout, fresh .....	"	-	-	.778	-
Yellow Pickerel, fresh .....	"	-	-	-	-

## LA PECHE AU CANADA - JUIN 1956

### CANADA

En juin, les débarquements de poissons de mer se sont élevés à 219,666,000 livres, soit 20 p. 100 de plus qu'en juin 1955 (183,078,000). Leur valeur a atteint \$11,-712,000, soit 25 p. 100 de plus que les \$9,378,000 de juin 1955.

Durant les cinq premiers mois de cette année, la valeur de la pêche a atteint \$35,820,000, soit 22 p. 100 de plus que les \$29,443,000 de la période correspondante de 1955 dernier.

### ATLANTIQUE

Au cours du mois de juin, on a débarqué du poisson sur la côte atlantique pour une valeur de \$8,549,000, soit 13 p. 100 de plus qu'en juin 1955 (\$7,562,000).

Durant les six premiers mois de 1956, la valeur de la pêche sur la côte atlantique a été de \$25,417,000, soit une augmentation de 7 p. 100 sur les \$23,793,000 de la période correspondante de l'an dernier.

### PACIFIQUE

Au cours du mois de juin, la valeur des débarquements de poisson en Colombie-Britannique a été de \$3,163,000, soit 74 p. 100 de plus que les \$1,816,000 qu'en juin 1955.

Les débarquements de flétan se sont élevés à presque 8 millions de livres, et leur valeur a été de \$1,670,000, alors qu'au cours de juin 1955 ils se sont élevés à environ 6 millions de livres (\$749,000).

La valeur totale de tout le saumon débarqué a atteint \$1,136,000, soit 46 p. 100 de plus qu'en juin 1955 (\$777,000).

### STOCKS

Au 30 juin, les stocks de poisson congelé s'élevaient à 46,680,000 livres, dont 44,058,000 de frais et 2,622,000 de fumé. Les stocks totaux étaient supérieurs de 8,875,000 livres (25 p. 100) pour ce qui est du frais mais inférieurs de 358,000 livres (12 p. 100) pour ce qui est du fumé, par rapport à ceux au 31 mai 1956. Si on les compare aux stocks de la fin de juin 1955, les stocks courants de poisson frais congelé étaient de 8,853,000 livres (25 p. 100) supérieurs et ceux de poisson fumé congelé de 36,000 livres (1 p. 100) inférieurs.

### EXPORTATIONS

Au cours des six premiers mois de cette année, les exportations de poisson et de produits du poisson ont atteint \$60,031,000, c.-à-d. qu'elles ont été légèrement inférieures aux \$61,042,000 de la période correspondante de 1955. Les ventes de poissons d'eau douce, de filets et blocs frais et congelés, de poisson fumé et saumuré, de farine et d'huile de poisson ont progressé, mais pas suffisamment pour compenser la chute des exportations de poisson de mer en boîte, salé et frais.

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