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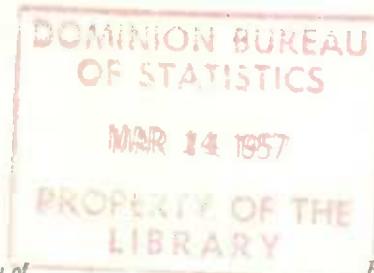


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### SYMBOLS

- .. 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

#### PACIFIC

- flounders, skate

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

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

OTHER SHELLFISH - crab, mussel, winkle

- abalone, octopus, prawn,  
shrimp

## FISHERIES OF CANADA - JANUARY, 1957

### CANADA

Landings in the sea-fisheries of Canada in January -- 103,296,000 lb. worth \$2,536,000 -- were 25% smaller and 28% lower in value than the 138,454,000 lb. worth \$3,531,000 reported in January, 1956.

### ATLANTIC

The value of the Atlantic Coast catch in January -- \$1,273,000 -- was 39% below the value of \$2,080,000 placed on the January, 1956 catch.

Landings in all the major fisheries were lower this year, both in volume and value.

### PACIFIC

On our Pacific Coast the total value of fish landings during January was \$1,263,000 -- 13% below the January, 1956 figure of \$1,451,000.

The herring catch amounted to approximately 76.4 million pounds compared to a total of 91.5 million pounds reported in January, 1956. The fishing effort during the month was hampered considerably by cold weather.

### STOCKS

On January 31st stocks of frozen fish in Canada totalled 59,614,000 lb., of which 57,875,000 lb. were frozen fresh and 1,739,000 lb. frozen smoked. Total holdings were lower by 9,971,000 lb. (15%) fresh, and by 349,000 lb. (17%) smoked than those of December 31st, 1956. Compared to the end of January, 1956 stocks, current holdings of fresh frozen fish were higher by 17,961,000 lb. (45%) while those of frozen smoked fish were at approximately the same level.

### EXPORTS

Exports of fish and fish products from Canada continue the record-breaking pace established in 1956. During January the total value of exports reached \$9,684,000 -- 2% higher than the \$9,540,000 reported in the same month of last year.

Table 1 - Landings by Sea Fishery and Species

Species and Sea Fishery	QUANTITY				VALUE			
	JANUARY		TOTALS TO DATE		JANUARY		TOTALS TO DATE	
	1957	1956	1957	1956	1957	1956	1957	1956
	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
CANADA - TOTAL ...	103,296	138,454			2,536	3,531		
Atlantic Total .....	24,576	43,876			1,273	2,080		
✓ Cod .....	6,343	10,501			205	337		
✓ Haddock .....	11,333	18,271			356	515		
✓ Pollock .....	516	1,388			10	20		
✓ Hake .....	224	222			4	3		
✓ Cusk .....	73	112			2	2		
✓ Rosefish .....	191	303			4	6		
✓ Catfish .....	23	40			1	1		
✓ Other Groundfish .....	217	52			4	2		
✓ Halibut .....	188	168			57	32		
✓ Plaice & Greysole .....	677	779			18	23		
✓ Other Flatfish .....	1,510	1,384			51	45		
✓ Herring .....	1,305	3,092			17	40		
✓ Sardines .....	-	4,700			-	118		
✓ Mackerel .....	-	-			-	-		
✓ Capelin .....	-	-			-	-		
Alewife .....	-	-			-	-		
✓ Salmon .....	-	-			-	-		
✓ Smelt .....	648	950			83	105		
✓ Swordfish .....	-	-			-	-		
✓ Other Estuarial Fish ....	314	529			10	11		
✓ Lobster .....	901	1,117			428	764		
* Clams and Quahaugs .....	78	168			6	10		
* Oyster .....	-	15			-	--		
✓ Scallop .....	25	71			11	36		
Squid .....	--	-			--	-		
Other Shellfish .....	10	14			--	--		
Supplementary Landings ..	--	--			6	10		
Livers, Cod .....	131	180			2	3		
" , Halibut .....	2	--			--	--		
" , Swordfish .....	-	-			-	-		
" , Other .....	52	-			1	-		
Irish Moss .....	260	33			3	--		
Other Seaweed .....	-	-			-	-		
Hair Seal .....	no.	427	1,286		--	7		
Bait Worm .....	no.	-	-		-	-		
Pacific Total .....	78,720	94,578			1,263	1,451		
✓ Salmon Total .....	10	16			4	3		
✓ Sockeye .....	-	-			-	-		
✓ Spring, Red .....	7	12			3	3		
✓ Spring, White .....	2	2			1	--		
✓ Steelhead .....	-	-			-	-		
Coho .....	-	-			-	-		
Pink .....	-	-			-	-		
Chum .....	-	-			-	-		
Other .....	1	2			--	--		
✓ Grey Cod .....	263	117			16	5		
✓ Lingcod .....	198	44			16	3		
✓ Black Cod (Sablefish) ...	36	-			8	-		
✓ Halibut .....	-	-			-	-		
✓ Soles .....	227	258			15	14		
✓ Other Flatfish .....	36	48			1	1		
✓ Herring .....	76,363	91,502			1,121	1,304		
✓ Other Estuarial Fish ....	349	882			9	19		
✓ Crab .....	63	119			7	13		
* Clams .....	588	526			14	15		
* Oyster .....	494	922			25	45		
Other Shellfish .....	93	144			15	24		
Supplementary Landings ..	--	--			12	5		
Livers .....	51	42			12	5		
Viscera .....	-	-			-	-		
Other .....	-	-			-	-		

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

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Species and Sea Fishery	QUANTITY				VALUE			
	JANUARY		TOTALS TO DATE		JANUARY		TOTALS TO DATE	
	1957	1956	1957	1956	1957	1956	1957	1956
	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
NEWFOUNDLAND Total .....	6,873	16,174			167	383		
Cod .....	444	2,277			9	52		
Haddock .....	5,279	10,205			134	268		
Pollock .....	6	4			--	--		
Rosefish .....	159	242			3	5		
Other Groundfish .....	3	3			--	--		
Halibut .....	22	45			2	6		
Plaice & Greysole .....	516	368			14	11		
Turbot .....	-	37			-	3		
Other Flatfish .....	-	-			-	-		
Herring .....	444	2,993			5	38		
Mackerel .....	-	-			-	-		
Capelin .....	-	-			-	-		
Salmon .....	-	-			-	-		
Smelt .....	-	-			-	-		
Other Estuarial Fish .....	-	-			-	-		
Lobster .....	-	-			-	-		
Clams .....	-	-			-	-		
Scallops .....	-	-			-	-		
Squid .....	-	-			-	-		
Other Shellfish .....	-	-			-	-		
Supplementary Landings ..	--	--			--	--		
NOVA SCOTIA Total .....	15,522	20,098			941	1,361		
Cod .....	5,873	8,164			195	282		
Haddock .....	6,006	7,964			218	240		
Pollock .....	477	476			7	5		
Hake .....	224	222			4	3		
Cusk .....	73	112			2	2		
Rosefish .....	32	61			1	1		
Catfish .....	23	40			1	1		
Other Groundfish .....	112	5			1	--		
Halibut .....	166	123			55	26		
Plaice .....	161	411			4	12		
Other Flatfish .....	1,510	1,347			51	42		
Herring .....	-	-			-	-		
Sardines .....	-	-			-	-		
Mackerel .....	-	-			-	-		
Alewife .....	-	-			-	-		
Salmon .....	-	-			-	-		
Smelt .....	35	33			6	6		
Swordfish .....	-	-			-	-		
Other Estuarial Fish .....	7	15			1	2		
Lobster .....	795	1,034			383	712		
Clams and Quahogs .....	8	38			1	3		
Oyster .....	-	10			-	--		
Scallop .....	20	43			8	21		
Squid .....	--	-			--	-		
Other Shellfish .....	-	-			-	-		
Supplementary Landings ..	--	--			3	3		

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

Species and Sea Fishery	QUANTITY				VALUE			
	JANUARY		TOTALS TO DATE		JANUARY		TOTALS TO DATE	
	1957	1956	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000	'000	'000	'000
NEW BRUNSWICK Total .....	1,840	7,234			137	306		
Cod .....	26	60			1	3		
Haddock .....	48	102			4	7		
Pollock .....	33	908			3	15		
Hake .....	-	-			-	-		
Cusk .....	-	-			-	-		
Rosefish .....	-	-			-	-		
Catfish .....	-	--			--	--		
Halibut .....	--	--			--	--		
Plaice .....	--	-			--	-		
Other Groundfish .....	62	34			2	2		
Herring .....	861	99			12	2		
Sardines .....	-	4,700			-	118		
Mackerel .....	-	-			-	-		
Alewife .....	-	-			-	-		
Salmon .....	-	-			-	-		
Smelt .....	403	678			56	79		
Other Estuarial Fish ....	216	398			6	6		
Lobster .....	106	83			45	52		
Clams and Quahaugs .....	70	130			5	7		
Oyster .....	-	-			-	-		
Scallop .....	5	28			3	15		
Other Shellfish .....	10	14			--	--		
Supplementary Landings ..	..	..			-	-		
P. E. I. Total .....	260	242			20	13		
Cod .....	-	-			-	-		
Haddock .....	-	-			-	-		
Hake .....	-	-			-	-		
Plaice .....	-	-			-	-		
Other Groundfish .....	40	10			1	--		
Herring .....	-	-			-	-		
Mackerel .....	-	-			-	-		
Alewife .....	-	-			-	-		
Salmon .....	-	-			-	-		
Smelt .....	129	111			13	10		
Other Estuarial Fish ....	91	116			3	3		
Lobster .....	-	-			-	-		
Clams and Quahaugs .....	-	-			-	-		
Oyster .....	-	5			-	--		
Scallop .....	-	-			-	-		
Other Shellfish .....	-	-			-	-		
Supplementary Landings ..	..	..			3	--		
QUEBEC Total .....	81	128			8	17		
Cod .....	-	-			-	-		
Haddock .....	-	-			-	-		
Hake .....	-	-			-	-		
Rosefish .....	-	-			-	-		
Halibut .....	-	-			-	-		
Plaice .....	-	-			-	-		
Other Groundfish .....	-	-			-	-		
Herring .....	-	-			-	-		
Sardines .....	-	-			-	-		
Mackerel .....	-	-			-	-		
Salmon .....	-	-			-	-		
Smelt .....	81	128			8	10		
Other Estuarial Fish ....	-	-			-	-		
Lobster .....	-	-			-	-		
Clams .....	-	-			-	-		
Scallop .....	-	-			-	-		
Squid .....	-	-			-	-		
Other Shellfish .....	-	-			-	-		
Supplementary Landings ..	..	..			-	7		

Table 2 - Landings by Inland Fishery and Species

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NORTHWEST TERRITORIES

JANUARY				SPECIES	DECEMBER AND JANUARY				
QUANTITY		VALUE			QUANTITY		VALUE		
1957	1956	1957	1956		1957	1956	1957	1956	
'000 lb.	'000 lb.	\$'000	\$'000		'000 lb.	'000 lb.	\$'000	\$'000	
804	628	101	79	..... Total .....	1,549	1,457	190	181	
708	488	92	63	Whitefish .....	1,238	1,119	161	146	
65	123	8	15	Trout .....	206	253	25	30	
12	9	--	--	Inconnu .....	44	38	1	1	
19	8	1	1	Other .....	61	47	3	4	

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DECEMBER				SPECIES	TOTALS TO END OF DECEMBER				
QUANTITY		VALUE			QUANTITY		VALUE		
1956	1955	1956	1955		1956	1955	1956	1955	
'000 lb.	'000 lb.	\$'000	\$'000		'000 lb.	'000 lb.	\$'000	\$'000	
4,372	2,135	604	370	..... Total .....	34,104	31,199	4,206	4,634	
153	143	69	65	Whitefish .....	2,245	2,849	778	1,015	
3	6	1	1	Tullibee .....	579	838	69	95	
466	220	29	18	Lake Herring .....	916	528	65	51	
344	235	75	48	Pickerel (Y. Pike) .	6,012	4,684	894	869	
1,392	525	238	92	Blue Pickerel .....	6,308	8,367	913	1,034	
-	2	-	-	Sauger .....	102	133	11	15	
1,313	631	94	100	Perch .....	6,767	3,524	496	440	
4	9	2	3	Lake Trout .....	406	902	156	302	
69	42	6	4	Pike (Jackfish) ....	629	638	55	60	
1	1	1	2	Sturgeon .....	91	107	91	102	
40	40	1	1	Suckers .....	1,119	1,116	16	22	
3	3	1	1	Catfish .....	183	196	35	33	
192	93	30	17	White Bass .....	3,636	3,280	305	287	
392	185	57	18	Other .....	5,111	4,837	322	309	

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JANUARY				SPECIES	.				
QUANTITY		VALUE			QUANTITY		VALUE		
1957	1956	1957	1956						
'000 lb.	'000 lb.	\$'000	\$'000		'000 lb.	'000 lb.	\$'000	\$'000	
4,466	5,145	412	492	..... Total .....					
649	337	76	47	Whitefish .....					
569	1,230	115	208	Pickerel (Y. Pike) .					
117	368	11	39	Perch .....					
712	784	129	126	Sauger .....					
974	1,036	40	36	Pike (Jackfish) ....					
1,445	1,390	41	36	Other .....					

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

(In thousands of pounds, unless otherwise specified)

Product and Species	JANUARY		Product and Species	JANUARY		
	1957	1956		1957	1956	
ATLANTIC						
<b>FRESH &amp; FROZEN, round or dressed:</b>						
cod, fresh .....	542	692	PICKLED & VINEGAR-CURED (bbl.):			
" , frozen .....	28	36	herring, split .....	)	294	
haddock, fresh .....	275	445	" , fillets .....	)	818	
" , frozen .....	57	39	mackerel, split .....	(x)	-	
pollock, fresh .....	19	932	" , fillets .....	(x)	-	
" , frozen .....	182	186	alewife, split .....	(x)	-	
hake, fresh .....	33	14	" , fillets .....	(x)	-	
" , frozen .....	-	-	turbot, split .....	-	111	
cuak, fresh .....	14	2				
" , frozen .....	-	-				
halibut, fresh and frozen .....	55	140	<b>CANNED (48 lb. case):</b>			
herring, fresh .....	(x)	176	cod and related species .....	-	-	
" , frozen .....	(x)	-	herring .....	-	-	
mackerel, fresh .....	-	-	" , kippered snacks 20 lb. ....	-	-	
" , frozen .....	32	-	mackerel .....	-	-	
sardines, fresh .....	-	-	salmon .....	-	-	
alewife, fresh .....	-	-	sardines (20 lb. case) .....	(x)	114,238	
salmon, fresh and frozen .....	-	-				
shad, fresh and frozen .....	-	-				
smelt, fresh and frozen .....	531	952	<b>SHELLFISH</b>			
swordfish, fresh and frozen ...	(x)	-	lobster, in shell .....	1,342	1,117	
tomcod, fresh and frozen .....	253	442	" , meat .....	5	(x)	
			clams & quahaugs, in shell ...	(x)	5	
			" " " , meat .....	(x)	14	
			oyster, in shell .....	-	8	
			scallop, meat .....	46	71	
<b>FRESH &amp; FROZEN, fillets:</b>						
cod, fresh .....	887	1,177	lobster, canned (48 lb. cs.) ..	-	-	
" , frozen .....	396	1,475	clams & quahaugs, canned (30 lb. cs.) ..	(x)	(x)	
haddock, fresh .....	530	1,117				
" , frozen .....	1,457	2,833	<b>BY-PRODUCTS:</b>			
pollock, fresh .....	21	17	a. Meal (tons); total .....	757	2,197	
" , frozen .....	10	6	cod and related species .....	..	) 2,110	
hake, fresh .....	8	18	rosefish .....	..	) 87	
" , frozen .....	(x)	3	herring .....	..		
cusk, fresh .....	24	16	b. Oil (gals.); total .....	10,812	20,683	
" , frozen .....	--	11	cod .....	..	7,109	
rosefish, fresh .....	--	--	rosefish .....	..	6,204	
" , frozen .....	43	60	herring .....	..	7,370	
catfish, fresh .....	1	2	seal .....	..		
" , frozen .....	7	10				
halibut, fresh and frozen .....	9	12	<b>c. Other;</b>			
plaice & flounders, fresh .....	161	95	herring scales .....	-	12	
" " " , frozen ....	270	409	lobster tomalley (48 lb. cs.) ..	-	-	
			" paste (18 lb. cs.) ...	-	-	
<b>FROZEN, blocks:</b>			cod skins .....	2	9	
cod .....	208	488	" roe .....	(x)	--	
haddock .....	1,508	2,035	" glue .....	(x)	--	
pollock .....	-	2				
rosefish .....	--	-				
catfish .....	130	-				
<b>SMOKED, dressed and fillets:</b>						
cod, fillets .....	188	170				
haddock, dressed .....	103	221				
" , fillets .....	12	91				
herring, kippered .....	61	5				
" , bloater .....	--	-				
" , boneless .....	115	-				
<b>WET-SALTED:</b>						
cod .....	4,570	264				
haddock .....	-	-				
pollock .....	1,284	102				
hake .....	176	34				
cuak .....	24	12				

(X) Less than three firms reporting.

N.B. Figures are not fully comparable from year to year. The 1957 figures for the Maritime Provinces give the output of products within the period, irrespective of the origin of the raw materials. The 1956 figures refer to the disposition of the raw fish landed from month to month.

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

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Product and Species	JANUARY		Product and Species	JANUARY		
	1957	1956		1957	1956	
PACIFIC						
<b>FRESH &amp; FROZEN, round or dressed:</b>						
cods, frozen .....	81	37	oyster, shucked (gal.) .....	..	..	
halibut, frozen .....	-	-	clams, canned (48 lb. cs.) ..	..	..	
salmon, frozen .....	-	6	crabs, " ..	..	..	
soles, frozen .....	1	5	oyster, " ..	..	..	
herring, fresh .....	474	-				
<b>FROZEN, fillets:</b>						
cods .....	30	-	a. Meal (tons); herring, body .....	7,109	8,706	
halibut .....	46	77	b. Oil (gal.) herring, body .....	756,652	1,052,088	
salmon .....	18	19	herring bait (ton) .....	-	1,108	
soles .....	5	30				
<b>CANNED (48 lb. case):</b>						
herring .....	-	-				
salmon .....	-	-				
tuna .....	-	-				

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

Product and Species	Jan. 31, 1956	JAN. 31, 1957	Dec. 31, 1956
	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.
<b>WET-SALTED (pickled or kench-cured):</b>			
cod .....	18,540	31,456	40,295
pollock .....	3,404	4,439	4,991
hake .....	212	1,058	1,065
other .....	39	83	56
<b>DRIED-SALTED:</b>			
cod .....	16,640	27,418	29,214
pollock .....	1,243	1,043	806
hake .....	338	411	456
other .....	25	58	86
<b>BONELESS SALTED (fillets, etc.):</b>			
cod .....	816	1,152	1,202
other .....	46	38	32
	bbls.	bbls.	bbls.
<b>PICKLED:</b>			
herring .....	7,199	5,022 2/	10,565
mackerel .....	8,599	3,378 2/	5,066
alewife .....	12,645	7,448	10,608
	boxes	boxes	boxes
<b>BLOATERS</b> .....	124,414	131,873	185,852

1/ The number of firms reporting salted fish stocks in the Maritime Provinces has been increasing since mid-1955.  
For this reason these figures are not entirely comparable.

2/ Not including Newfoundland.

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

Species and product	JANUARY 31, 1957	December 31, 1956	January 31, 1956
	PRELIMINARY '000 lb.	Revised '000 lb.	Final '000 lb.
TOTAL .....	59,614	69,934	41,659
Frozen fresh sea fish, total .....	34,638	41,769	25,424
Cod, Atlantic ..... dressed .....	228	214	153
	fillets .....	3,690	5,214
	blocks .....	1,755	2,158
	breaded, uncooked ..)	89	24
	breaded, cooked ..)		144
Cod Pacific ..... dressed .....	435	482	593
	fillets .....	302	265
	steaks .....		166
Haddock ..... dressed .....	189	189	163
	fillets .....	1,937	2,503
	blocks .....	787	843
	breaded, uncooked ..)	299	331
	breaded, cooked ..)		319
Catfish ..... dressed .....		38	285
	fillets .....	19	
Rosefish (Ocean Perch) .. fillets .....	1,697	2,213	1,069
Other Groundfish ..... blocks .....			
	breaded, uncooked ..)	99	221
	breaded, cooked ..)		55
Halibut, Atlantic ..... dressed .....	166	89	141
	fillets .....	9	27
Halibut, Pacific ..... dressed .....	6,346	8,005	3,258
	fillets .....	649	995
	steaks .....	53	52
Soles ..... dressed .....		277	48
	fillets .....	1,320	1,738
Other Flatfish ..... dressed .....			-
	fillets .....	9	11
Capelin ..... round .....		516	380
Herring, Atlantic ..... round .....		17	18
Herring, Pacific ..... round .....	239	582	371
Mackerel ..... round or dressed ..	854	435	570
	fillets .....	95	168
Shad ..... round or dressed ..	33	45	38
Smelt ..... dressed .....	246	230	266
	fillets .....	7	4
Salmon, Atlantic .....	20	18	87
Salmon, Pacific, total .....			
Chum ..... dressed .....	8,326	8,981	2,972
	fillets .....	1,754	2,298
	steaks .....	332	379
		8	7
Coho ..... dressed .....	4,107	4,072	1,404
	fillets .....	73	125
	steaks .....	49	54
Pink ..... dressed .....	236	264	302
	fillets .....		
Sockeye ..... dressed .....	29	(X)	1
	fillets .....		
Spring, Red ..... dressed .....			
	fillets .....	1,294	1,425
Spring, White ..... dressed .....			
	fillets .....	234	249
Spring, Pink ..... dressed .....			
	fillets .....	39	20
Steelhead ..... dressed .....			71
Unclassified ..... all forms .....	22	23	3
		149	65
Clams .....	14	17	6
Lobster .....	61	86	56
Oyster .....	59	54	50
Scallop .....	318	434	185
Shrimp .....	142	168	265
Squid .....	29	5	15
Other Shellfish .....	161	143	73
Other Sea Fish ..... all forms .....	3,287	3,734	1,640

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

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Species and Product	JANUARY 31, 1957	December 30, 1956	January 31, 1956
	PRELIMINARY '000 lb.	Revised '000 lb.	Final '000 lb.
Frozen fresh inland fish, total .....	6,338	8,250	4,123
Bass ..... round or dressed ..	27	31	26
	fillets .....	55	85
Cisco (Lake Herring) .... round or dressed ..	175	181	233
Lake Trout ..... round or dressed ..	68	141	121
	fillets .....	74	91
Perch ..... round or dressed ..	800	1,106	24
	fillets .....	161	212
Pickerel, Blue ..... round or dressed ..	55	166	32
	fillets .....	56	147
Pickerel (Yellow Pike) .. round or dressed ..	92	86	223
	fillets .....	418	670
Pike (Jackfish) ..... round or dressed ..	122	129	112
	fillets .....	623	559
Sauger ..... round or dressed ..	432	673	266
	fillets .....	126	206
Sucker (incl. Mullet) ... round or dressed ..	9	16	7
	fillets .....	220	228
Tullibee ..... round or dressed ..	329	428	153
Whitefish ..... round or dressed ..	810	974	687
	fillets .....	274	319
Other inland fish ..... all forms .....	1,412	2,636	568
Smoked fish, total .....	1,739	2,088	1,745
Cod, Atlantic ..... fillets .....	647	888	599
Cod, Pacific ..... dressed .....	38	40	29
	fillets .....	91	162
Haddock ..... dressed .....	153	142	204
	fillets .....	54	80
Salmon ..... fillets .....	25	13	17
Sea Herring ..... dressed (kippers) ..	581	669	687
Goldeye ..... dressed .....	2	2	6
Other smoked fish ..... all forms .....	148	92	93
Bait and Animal Feed, total .....	4,320	4,767	1,583

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Table 6 - IMPORTS of Fishery Products

To End of November

KIND AND COUNTRY OF ORIGIN	QUANTITY		VALUE	
	1956	1955	1956	1955
	- '000 lb. -			
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>			14,734,299	11,101,611
<b>FRESH AND FROZEN FISH</b>	17,149	17,894	1,919,941	1,621,553
Cod and related species	822	398	140,633	66,545
U.S.A.	572	264	103,445	42,244
Halibut	1,596	1,645	360,673	298,094
U.S.A.	1,191	996	281,594	178,045
Salmon	1,112	732	438,271	246,562
Alaska	476	384	170,933	112,897
U.S.A.	636	348	267,338	133,665
Other	13,619	15,119	980,364	1,010,352
U.S.A.	10,050	11,324	438,188	466,968
<b>CURED FISH</b>	3,403	3,448	498,397	488,695
Cod etc., wet-salted	2	7	160	1,341
U.S.A.	2	5	160	916
Herring, pickled	2,504	2,574	295,501	305,902
Netherlands	759	963	114,337	144,488
Norway	1,154	818	114,761	71,852
Other	897	867	202,736	181,452
U.S.A.	87	82	28,482	23,071
<b>CANNED FISH</b>	..	..	6,381,387	2,458,627
Anchovies, sardines	1,906	2,288	1,090,107	1,296,269
Norway	1,222	1,543	719,818	967,515
Portugal	355	337	203,999	166,839
Pilchards	168	29	18,586	3,509
U.S.A.	168	21	18,586	2,368
Other	..	..	5,272,694	1,158,849
<b>SHELLFISH</b>	..	..	3,249,041	2,806,267
Lobsters, fresh	417	518	204,036	216,641
U.S.A.	415	508	201,980	209,399
Oysters, fresh	..	..	456,896	400,037
U.S.A.	..	..	456,896	400,037
Other, fresh	..	..	32,389	32,365
Canned	..	..	2,555,720	2,157,224
<b>MISCELLANEOUS</b>	..	..	2,685,533	3,726,469
Meal	-	..	-	-
Whale and sperm oil gal.	28,889	24,433	36,621	33,500
U.S.A.	17,670	13,058	21,973	17,473
Oil, concentrated and for fortifying	..	..	232,569	312,917
U.S.A.	..	..	56,981	193,104
Other oils	..	..	545,716	1,901,048
Other products	..	..	1,870,627	1,479,004
U.S.A.	..	..	1,569,264	1,346,860

Table 7 - Exports of Fishery Products

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Product and Country of Destination	QUANTITY		VALUE	
	1957 '000 lb.	1956 '000 lb.	1957 \$'000	1956 \$'000
TOTAL EXPORTS .....	..	..	9,684	9,540
FRESH & FROZEN, whole or dressed, total ....	8,713	9,216	2,172	1,920
Sea fish, total .....	3,390	3,930	714	661
Cod, Atlantic:				
fresh, dressed .....	528	345	60	40
frozen, dressed .....	98	28	13	5
Cods, Pacific:				
fresh, dressed .....	-	1	-	--
frozen, dressed .....	8	17	2	2
Haddock and other groundfish:				
fresh, dressed .....	304	989	22	41
frozen, dressed .....	76	13	11	2
Halibut:				
fresh, dressed .....	42	37	21	14
frozen, dressed .....	652	975	195	227
Herring, sea .....	293	261	14	13
Mackerel .....	271	231	43	28
Salmon, Atlantic:				
fresh, whole or dressed .....	-	1	-	--
frozen, whole or dressed .....	8	3	4	1
Salmon, Pacific:				
fresh, whole or dressed .....	4	28	1	9
frozen, whole or dressed .....	346	338	160	131
Smelt .....	613	547	142	115
Other sea fish .....	147	116	26	33
Freshwater fish, total .....	5,323	5,286	1,458	1,259
Eel .....	33	4	11	1
Lake Herring .....	16	47	3	5
Perch .....	193	276	32	52
Pickeral .....	1,112	1,372	308	320
Pike .....	505	538	56	48
Sauger .....	774	830	183	182
Sturgeon .....	54	27	73	34
Trout .....	123	146	43	43
Tullibee .....	65	16	13	2
Whitefish .....	2,151	1,730	689	517
Other freshwater fish .....	297	300	47	55
FRESH & FROZEN, fillets and blocks, total ..	10,390	8,190	2,436	2,000
Sea fish, total .....	8,906	7,194	1,815	1,555
Cod, Atlantic:				
fillets .....	3,430	2,446	645	477
blocks .....	1,650	1,185	288	220
Haddock:				
fillets .....	1,409	1,344	288	286
blocks .....	534	416	97	70
Catfish, fillets .....	8	6	2	2
Hake, pollock, cuak, fillets .....	70	38	11	6
Rosefish (Ocean Perch), fillets .....	490	435	89	83
Other groundfish blocks .....	123	5	31	1
Flatfish, fillets .....	1,149	1,230	346	381
Other sea fish fillets .....	43	89	18	29
Freshwater fillets, total .....	1,484	996	621	445
Pickeral .....	722	499	372	255
Pike .....	339	200	101	60
Whitefish .....	32	18	12	13
Other freshwater fillets .....	391	279	136	117

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

## JANUARY

Product and Country of Destination	QUANTITY		VALUE	
	1957 '000 lb.	1956 '000 lb.	1957 \$'000	1956 \$'000
SMOKED FISH, total .....	890	1,331	162	165
Haddock, dressed .....	17	19	5	5
U.S.A. .....	17	19	5	5
Herring, sea .....	662	1,171	92	121
Dominican Republic .....	399	351	52	33
Haiti .....	165	729	20	75
U.S.A. .....	80	61	18	10
Cod fillets .....	187	125	46	31
U.S.A. .....	185	120	45	30
Haddock, pollock, hake fillets .....	--	8	--	2
Other smoked fish .....	24	8	19	6
SALTED FISH, total .....	7,072	9,011	1,215	1,365
Cod, salted and dried .....	4,999	6,830	806	969
Barbados .....	309	376	44	46
Jamaica .....	1,424	1,711	222	254
Trinidad .....	324	248	55	41
Leeward Windward Islands .....	403	453	61	61
Brazil .....	-	-	-	-
Cuba .....	644	668	115	101
Dominican Republic .....	50	10	8	1
Italy .....	-	9	-	2
Portugal .....	-	-	-	-
Puerto Rico .....	804	2,978	121	395
U.S.A. .....	469	93	79	19
Cod, salted, boneless .....	819	758	217	197
U.S.A. .....	758	691	201	178
Cod, wet-salted .....	126	541	14	73
U.S.A. .....	126	541	14	73
Hake, haddock, pollock, cusk, salted and dried .....	1,069	864	174	124
British Guiana .....	133	78	23	12
Cuba .....	45	56	7	9
Dominican Republic .....	695	470	112	68
Puerto Rico .....	45	151	7	20
U.S.A. .....	2	3	--	--
Hake, haddock, pollock, cusk, salted boneless .....	3	8	1	1
U.S.A. .....	1	7	--	1
Herring, dry-salted .....	-	-	-	-
Other salted fish .....	55	10	3	1
PICKLED FISH, total .....	1,779	2,996	250	334
Alewife .....	20	998	2	62
Herring, sea .....	1,151	1,196	130	139
Jamaica .....	82	168	6	13
Mackerel .....	529	766	79	120
Jamaica .....	142	310	18	39
U.S.A. .....	258	358	43	69
Other pickled fish .....	79	36	39	13

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

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## JANUARY

Product and Country of Destination	QUANTITY		VALUE	
	1957 '000 lb.	1956 '000 lb.	1957 \$'000	1956 \$'000
CANNED FISH, total .....	2,888	3,835	1,022	1,133
Herring, sea .....	29	160	4	24
Jamaica .....	12	98	2	14
U.S.A. .....	1	39	--	7
Sardines .....	992	1,258	191	245
Union of South Africa .....	264	368	58	80
British Guiana .....	49	66	10	12
Jamaica .....	101	296	17	53
Trinidad .....	120	123	22	23
Belgian Congo .....	5	8	1	1
Salmon .....	1,857	2,417	824	864
United Kingdom .....	166	251	100	120
Australia .....	102	20	52	8
New Zealand .....	462	199	211	78
Belgium .....	427	355	172	111
Italy .....	-	161	-	50
Netherlands .....	46	79	19	28
U.S.A. .....	--	882	--	296
Other canned fish .....	8	-	3	-
SHELLFISH, total .....	2,892	2,752	1,601	1,800
Clams, in shell and shucked .....	150	106	14	15
In shell .....	144	94	8	4
Shucked .....	6	12	6	11
Lobster, fresh or frozen .....	2,622	2,448	1,490	1,657
U.S.A. .....	2,622	2,448	1,490	1,657
Other shellfish, fresh, frozen or dried ....	94	159	45	48
Lobster, canned .....	23	33	50	76
United Kingdom .....	2	2	4	4
Belgium .....	1	-	1	-
U.S.A. .....	14	24	34	54
Other shellfish, canned .....	3	6	2	4
MISCELLANEOUS, total .....	..	..	826	823
Meal, total .....	6,698	8,473	484	653
Herring and other sea fish .....	6,578	8,173	476	635
Whale (incl. guano) .....	120	300	8	18
Oils, total ..... in gallons	53,435	112,074	93	108
Pharmaceutical .....	6,692	3	49	--
Cod liver, crude .....	-	8,685	-	8
Cod liver, sun rotted .....	32,629	61,155	30	58
Herring, industrial .....	-	30,565	-	28
Seal .....	-	-	-	-
Whale .....	6,688	11,666	8	14
Other oil .....	7,426	-	6	-
Seaweeds .....	..	..	44	24
Solubles .....	33	220	122	10
Seal skins .....	no.	2,394	11	6
Other products .....	..	..	72	22

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		
	1935-1939 =100	1935-1939 =100	1935-1939 =100	1949 = 100	1949 = 100	1947-1949 =100	Jan. 15 1952 =100
1950 Average .....	260.7	337.1	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	111.8	107.7
1955 Average .....	273.9	271.2	189.5	160.2	116.4	114.5	112.6
1955 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	1) 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	172.3	116.6	115.4	102.5
June .....	283.6	276.3	210.8	179.0	117.8	116.2	102.4
July .....	289.9	283.6	198.8	187.6	118.5	117.0	102.0
August .....	293.1	281.6	180.7	189.9	119.1	116.8	102.3
September .....	298.6	281.0	156.6	191.0	119.0	117.1	102.1
October .....	301.1	275.9	150.6	194.8	119.8	117.7	102.7
November .....	303.6	270.3	150.6	195.4	120.3	117.8	103.1
December .....	313.4	268.9	150.6	194.1	120.4	118.0	103.4

Table 9 - Prices Received by Fishermen

Week ending January 19th.

Species and Port	1957	1956	Species and Port	1957	1956
Cod, market:	\$ per lb.	\$ per lb.	Swordfish:	\$ per lb.	\$ per lb.
Halifax, N.S., offshore .....	3 1/2	3 1/4	Louisbourg, N.S., offshore ....	-	-
Lockport, N.S., offshore .....	3 1/2	3 1/4	Halifax, N.S., offshore .....	-	-
Louisbourg, N.S., offshore .....	-	-	North Sydney, N.S., offshore ..	-	-
Souris, P.E.I. ....	-	-	Lobster, market:		
Caraquet, N.B., ungraded .....	-	-	Yarmouth, N.S. ....	50	70-75
Paspébiac, Que., ungraded .....	-	-	Petit de Grat, N.S. ....	-	-
St. John's, Nfld., ungraded ...	2	2 1/4	Grand Manan, N.B. ....	50	60-65
Haddock, large:			Kichibucto, N.B. ....	-	-
Halifax, N.S., offshore .....	4 - 5	5	Souris, P.E.I. ....	-	-
Louisbourg, N.S., offshore ....	-	-	House Harbour, Mag. Is., Que. .	-	-
St. John's, Nfld., ungraded ...	3	3	Curling, Nfld. ....	-	-
Rosefish (Ocean Perch):			Scallop:		
Halifax, N.S., offshore .....	2 1/4	2 1/2	Digby, N.S. ....	-	50
Louisbourg, N.S., offshore ....	-	-	Halifax, N.S. ....	-	-
Ramea, Nfld., ungraded .....	2 1/4	2 1/4	Oyster:		
Flounders:			Summerside, P.E.I. ....	-	-
Halifax, N.S., offshore .....	3 1/4	3	Shippegan, N.B. ....	-	-
Louisbourg, N.S. ....	-	3	Salmon, Red Spring:		
Souris, P.E.I. ....	-	-	Vancouver, dressed .....	38-45	40
Caraquet, N.B. ....	-	-	Salmon, White Spring:		
Ramea, Nfld., ungraded .....	2 3/4	2 3/4	Vancouver, dressed .....	30-35	25
Herring:			Soles:		
Yarmouth, N.S. ....	-	-	Prince Rupert .....	3-4	3-4
Black's Harbour, N.B. ....	-	-	Lingcod:		
Richibucto, N.B. ....	-	-	Vancouver .....	-	15
Sardines:					
Black's Harbour, N.B. ....	-	2 1/2			
Mackerel:					
Halifax, N.S. ....	-	-			
Cheticamp, N.S. ....	-	-			
House Harbour, Mag. Is., Que. .	-	-			
Smelt:					
Summerside, P.E.I. ....	-	-			
Chatham, N.B. ....	-	-			

Table 10 - Wholesale Prices at January 15, 1956.

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Product	unit	Halifax	Montreal	Toronto	Winnipeg	Vancouver
ATLANTIC		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Cod fillets, fresh, unwrapped .....	lb.	.200	.266	.300	-	-
Cod fillets, frozen, cello 5's .....	"	.199	.234	.248	.273	-
Cod fillets, smoked .....	"	.250	.318	.330	.347	-
Halibut, fresh or frozen, 10-40 lb. ....	"	.555	.422	-	-	-
Haddock fillets, fresh, unwrapped .....	"	.318	.372	.420	-	-
Herring, kippered, domestic .....	"	.185	.243	.259	.273	-
Mackerel, frozen, round .....	"	-	.158	.174	-	-
Smelts, frozen, No. 1 .....	"	-	.312	-	-	-
ATLANTIC CANNED						
Lobster, Fancy Grade ..... cs.	48- <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> lbs	37.950	36.745	37.480	38.850	-
Sardines, not smoked, in vegetable oil "	100- <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> lbs	9.097	8.908	8.955	9.316	-
PACIFIC						
Halibut, frozen, 10-40 lb., headless and dressed .....	lb.	-	.448	.424	.417	.335
Silverbright, frozen, headless & dressed ..	"	-	.497	.474	.478	.383
Coho, frozen, headless and dressed .....	"	-	.622	.621	.617	.502
Lingcod, fresh .....	"	-	-	-	-	.165
PACIFIC CANNED						
Sockeye, Grade A ..... cs.	48- <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> lbs	23.375	22.295	21.992	22.580	21.467
Pink, Grade A .....	"	13.455	12.813	12.916	12.990	12.083
INLAND						
Whitefish, fresh .....	lb.	-	.415	.405	-	-
Whitefish, frozen .....	"	-	.270	.292	.223	-
Lake Trout, fresh .....	"	-	.495	-	-	-
Lake Trout, frozen .....	"	-	.423	.429	-	-

Table 11 - Retail Prices at January 1, 1956.

Product	unit	Halifax	Montreal	Toronto	Vancouver
ATLANTIC		\$	\$	\$	\$
Cod fillets, fresh, unwrapped .....	lb.	.308	-	.440	-
Cod fillets, frozen, packaged .....	"	-	-	.295	-
Cod fillets, smoked .....	"	.376	.470	.527	.542
Finnan Haddie .....	"	.438	.490	.538	.558
Haddock fillets, fresh .....	"	.454	.528	.615	-
Herring, kippered .....	"	.292	.332	.388	.415
Mackerel, frozen .....	"	-	.338	-	-
Smelts, frozen, No. 1 .....	"	-	.443	-	-
Salmon steak, fresh or frozen .....	"	-	-	-	-
ATLANTIC CANNED					
Lobster, Fancy Grade ..... tin	5 oz.	.879	.884	.876	.956
Sardines, not smoked, in oil .....	3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> "	.096	.096	.097	.101
PACIFIC					
Coho steak, fresh or frozen .....	lb.	-	.860	.875	-
Spring steak, fresh or frozen .....	"	-	-	1.147	-
Silverbright steak, fresh or frozen .....	"	-	-	-	-
Lingcod, fresh .....	"	-	-	-	.382
Halibut steak, fresh .....	"	.720)	-	-	.600
Halibut steak, frozen .....	"	-	.693	.714	.600
PACIFIC CANNED					
Sockeye, Grade A ..... tin	8 oz.	.538	.507	.496	.495
Pink, Fancy Grade .....	"	.307	.297	.293	.281
INLAND					
Whitefish, fresh .....	lb.	-	-	.595	-
Whitefish, frozen .....	"	-	-	-	-
Lake Trout, fresh .....	"	-	-	.848	-
Yellow Pickerel, fresh .....	"	-	-	-	-

## LA PECHE AU CANADA - JANVIER 1957

### CANADA

Les débarquements de poisson de mer au Canada en janvier, -103,296,000 livres d'une valeur de \$2,536,000, - ont diminué de 25 p. 100 en volume et de 28 p. 100 en valeur au regard des 138,454,000 livres (\$3,531,000) en janvier 1956.

### ATLANTIQUE

Sur la côte de l'Atlantique, la valeur de la prise en janvier (\$1,273,000) a été de 39 p. 100 inférieure à celle de janvier 1956 (\$2,080,000).

Les débarquements de toutes les pêches importantes ont été moindres cette année, en volume et en valeur.

### PACIFIQUE

Sur la côte du Pacifique, la valeur totale des débarquements de poisson en janvier a été de \$1,263,000, soit 13 p. 100 inférieure à celle de janvier 1956 (\$1,451,000).

La prise de hareng s'est élevée approximativement à 76.400,000 livres au regard d'un total de 91.500,000 en janvier 1956. La pêche au cours du mois a été considérablement gênée par le temps froid.

### STOCKS

Au 31 janvier, les stocks de poisson congelé au Canada ont atteint 59,614,000 livres dont 57,875,000 livres de frais et 1,739,000 livres de fumé. Les stocks ont été inférieurs soit 9,971,000 livres (15 p. 100) de frais et 349,000 livres (17 p. 100) de fumé à ceux du 31 décembre 1956. En comparaison de ceux de la fin de janvier 1956, les stocks courants de poisson frais congelé ont augmenté de 17,961,000 livres (45 p. 100), alors que ceux de poisson fumé congelé sont demeurés approximativement au même niveau.

### EXPORTATIONS

Les exportations de poisson et de produits de poisson ont continué leur tendance aux records établis en 1956. Au cours de janvier, la valeur totale des exportations a atteint \$9,684,000, soit 2 p. 100 de plus que les \$9,540,000 du même mois l'an dernier.

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