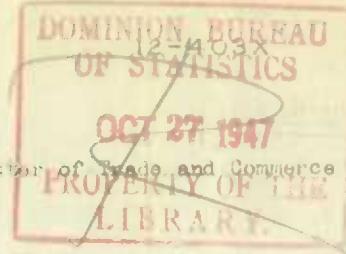


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## SUMMER FISHERIES DRAW TO CLOSE

Total landings of fish and shellfish in the sea fisheries during September, at 131,653,000 lb., decreased by 2 p.c. from the August total, and by 5 p.c. as compared with September, 1946.

With the virtual completion of the 1947 salmon season at the end of September the statistics of production show a substantial overall increase in the landings and canned pack of this important species. There was, however, a marked change in the composition of the catch by varieties. The catch of the highly-prized sockeye was sharply lower, resulting in a pack of some 285,000 cases compared with over 540,000 cases in 1946. The pack of pinks, on the other hand, at close to 600,000 cases, was far above the exceptionally low pack of 116,000 cases of this variety in 1946. The pack of coho also increased by some 40,000 cases to 135,000 in 1947 while that of chum at 410,000 cases was only slightly below the pack of 437,000 cases last year. The 1947 winter herring fishery of the Pacific Coast opened early in October with good catches reported. The bulk of the catch was being used for canning.

On the Atlantic Coast, where cod is the dominant species, landings have been consistently lower in 1947 than in 1946. While there was some relative improvement in the September catch as compared with the same month of 1946, the total landings up to the end of September, 1947, at 175,000,000 lb. was nearly 100,000,000 lb. below landings during the comparable period of 1946. Some reduction in fishing effort, together with unsatisfactory fishing conditions in some areas, were mainly responsible for the reduced landings. The lobster fishery, which vies with cod as the major source of revenue to Atlantic Coast fishermen, has also suffered a sharp reduction in 1947 both in the quantity and value of landings. Total landings to the end of September amounted to 27.6 million lb. valued at \$6.8 million compared with 35.2 million lb. valued at \$10.1 million in the same period of 1946. Unfavourable fishing weather and lower prices were mainly responsible. Bad weather seriously curtailed the important sword-fishery of Nova Scotia. Landings of herring on the Atlantic Coast were 15 p.c. below those of 1946 up to the end of September.

The overall landings on both coasts totalled approximately 800,000,000 lb. during the first 9 months of 1947 compared with 907 million lb. during the same period of 1946, a decrease of almost 12 p.c.

Statistics of exports of fish and fish products in the first eight months of 1947 reveal a decrease of 16 p.c. in quantity and of 9 p.c. in dollar value. Exports of dried salted groundfish were an exception, however, in that substantial increases are reported in August to most markets, especially Cuba and other Caribbean countries.

No significant changes are reported in prices to fishermen, at wholesale or retail as of September 15th although later reports indicate some strengthening of prices to fishermen on both coasts.

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## 1. - Quantity of Sea Fish Landed

('000 lb.)

Fish	September 1947						Totals to Date		
	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.E.	Que.	B.C.	Total	1947	1946	1935-39 Average
Cod .....	1,465	12,856	2,183	6,982	34	23,520	174,642	273,126	132,368
Haddock .....	1	2,082	17	-	-	2,100	20,800	26,998	29,294
Pollock .....	-	1,339	440	-	-	1,379	14,810	23,426	11,353
Hake .....	889	1,259	267	101	-	2,516	15,384	20,329	19,175
Ling Cod .....	-	-	-	-	287	287	3,267	6,284	4,160
Black Cod .....	-	-	-	-	196	196	791	1,763	519
Red or Rock Cod ..	-	-	-	-	59	59	579	1,822	208
Other Groundfish .	-	130	-	-	-	130	1,349	1,263	685
Halibut .....	-	267	5	10	29	311	25,190	21,798	14,485
Other Flatfish ...	-	457	33	15	424	929	6,924	10,985	4,059
Herring .....	135	12,241	4,262	1,092	34	17,764	226,357	203,934	137,838
'Sardines' .....	-	-	21,324	4	-	21,328	71,807	75,244	39,022
Pilchards .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,784	68,796
Mackerel .....	50	937	148	496	-	1,231	22,398	23,213	24,433
Swordfish .....	-	349	-	-	-	349	1,489	2,989	1,672
Other Pelagic Fish	-	712	-	20	87	819	5,227	6,657	5,532
Salmon .....	-	-	-	-	53,034	53,034	135,627	115,422	128,228
O. Estuarial Fish	-	5	49	106	22	182	16,810	23,638	21,999
Lobsters .....	540	57	1,278	-	-	1,875	27,604	35,195	28,520
Other Shellfish ..	212	1,268	1,298	43	423	3,244	28,103	25,312	13,671
TOTALS .....	3,292	33,559	31,304	8,869	54,629	131,653	799,158	907,150	686,017

2. - Value of Sea Fish Landed

(£ '000)

Fish	September 1947						Totals to Date		
	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	B.C.	Total	1947	1946	1935-39 Average
Cod .....	35	266	49	150	2	502	4,073	9,658	1,614
Haddock .....	-	78	-	-	-	78	884	1,258	457
Pollock .....	-	22	8	-	-	30	251	438	55
Hake .....	19	24	4	1	-	48	277	494	86
Ling Cod .....	-	-	-	-	31	31	260	629	199
Black Cod .....	-	-	-	-	15	15	63	219	19
Red or Rock Cod ..	-	-	-	-	2	2	24	87	6
Other Groundfish .	-	3	-	-	-	3	22	21	3
Halibut .....	-	65	1	2	5	73	4,095	3,785	979
Other Flatfish ...	-	8	1	-	31	40	252	359	57
Herring .....	2	152	62	13	-	229	2,289	2,113	543
'Sardines' .....	-	-	318	-	-	318	1,053	1,184	300
Pilchards .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	78	272
Mackerel .....	2	15	3	22	-	42	722	888	254
Swordfish .....	-	160	-	-	-	160	580	1,057	148
Other Pelagic Fish	-	51	-	-	11	62	313	541	28
Salmon .....	-	-	-	-	3,184	3,184	11,622	12,533	5,213
O. Estuarial Fish.	-	-	2	8	2	12	684	683	338
Lobsters .....	135	8	296	-	-	439	6,843	10,107	2,856
Other Shellfish ..	7	31	41	1	35	115	1,063	1,132	257
TOTALS .....	200	883	785	197	3,318	5,383	35,370	41,264	13,684

3. - DISPOSITION OF CATCH

As indicated by fish buyers and processors  
(in percentages of quantity landed)

	Totals to Date			Totals to Date		
	1947	1946	Avg.	1947	1946	Avg.
<u>COD</u>						
ATL						
Fresh, round .....	3.9)	4.5	9.4	FOLLOCK		
Frozen, " .....	0.4)			FRESH, round .....	11.4)	20.6
Fresh, filleted ...	9.6)			Frozen, " .....	0.4)	16.7
Frozen, " .....	13.3)	43.4	9.6	Fresh, filleted ....	0.9)	
Smoked, round ....	1.0	0.7	0.1	Frozen, " .....	1.8)	13.6
" Filleted ..	6.4	8.7	6.0	Smoked, " .....	-	-
Salted, green ....	27.3	18.8	27.7	Salted, green .....	69.5	44.6
" dried .....	30.7	18.4	43.8	" dried .....	10.9	16.6
" boneless ..	2.2	1.4	2.7	" boneless ...	1.3	-
Canned .....	5.2	4.1	0.7	Canned .....	3.8	4.6
PAC				LING COD	PAC	
Fresh, dressed ....	36.1)	68.8	99.5	Fresh, dressed .....	71.8)	85.2
Frozen, " ....	4.5)			Frozen, " .....	6.5)	100.0
Fresh, filleted ...	25.9)	30.9	0.5	Fresh, filleted ....	15.1)	
Frozen, " ....	8.2)			Frozen, " .....	6.5)	14.8
Smoked, dressed ...	13.8	0.3	-	Smoked, dressed ....	0.1	-
" filleted ..	11.8	-	-	BLACK COD	PAC	
HADDOCK	ATL			Fresh, dressed .....	1.1)	99.0
Fresh, round .....	19.6)	22.2	35.5	Frozen, " .....	91.1)	100.0
Frozen, " ....	1.5)			" filleted ....	1.8	-
Fresh, filleted ...	37.9)			Smoked, dressed ....	5.3	1.0
Frozen, " ....	31.2)	69.4	44.0	" filleted ....	0.7	-
Smoked, round ....	4.4	2.0	11.8	RED or ROCK COD	PAC	
" filleted ...	1.0	0.6	1.8	Fresh, dressed .....	45.2)	86.0
Salted, green ....	1.5	1.9	-	Frozen, " .....	9.2)	100.0
" dried ....	0.8	2.1	-	Fresh, filleted ....	35.0)	
Canned .....	2.1	1.8	0.9	Frozen, " .....	10.3)	11.5
HAKE	ATL			Smoked, " .....	0.3	2.5
Fresh, round .....	17.7)			OTHER GROUND FISH	ATL	
Frozen, " ....	0.3)	11.6	27.7	Fresh, round .....	8.3)	
Fresh, filleted ...	2.4)			Frozen, " .....	0.3)	24.5
Frozen, " ....	1.2)	4.2	2.4	Fresh, filleted ....	29.3)	96.3
Smoked, round ....	0.3	-	0.1	Frozen, " .....	35.8)	
" filleted ...	3.6	3.8	3.3	Smoked, " .....	8.7	51.4
Salted, green ....	26.2	26.1	38.3	Salted, green .....	14.7	3.7
" dried ....	5.9	7.3	15.3	" dried .....	2.6	2.4
" boneless ...	0.1	0.4	0.1	" boneless ...	0.1	-
Canned .....	40.3	46.6	12.8	Canned .....	0.2	7.5

## 3. - DISPOSITION OF CATCH - (Continued)

As indicated by fish buyers and processors  
(in percentages of quantity landed)

	ATL	Totals to Date			Totals to Date		
		1947		1935-39	1947		1935-39
				Av.			Av.
<u>HALIBUT</u>					<u>HERRING</u>	PAC	
Fresh, round .....	94.5)	100.0	100.0		Fresh, round .....	0.3)	0.2
Frozen " .....	4.2)	-	-		Frozen, " .....	2.1)	1.2
Fresh, filleted .....	0.3)	-	-		Kippered .....	0.1	0.1
Frozen, " .....	0.8)	-	-		Pickled .....	0.2	-
Canned .....	0.2	-	-		Dry-Salted .....	4.3	1.1
					Canned .....	45.3	27.2
					Non-food uses ....	49.7	98.4
<u>HALIBUT</u>					<u>SARDINES</u>	ATL	
Fresh, dressed .....	33.9)	100.0	100.0		Fresh and Salted ..	49.5	65.8
Frozen, " .....	64.8)	-	-		Canned .....	50.3	35.6
Fresh, filleted .....	0.3)	-	-		Non-food uses ....	0.2	-
Frozen, " .....	1.0)	-	-				-
<u>O. FLATFISH</u>	ATL				<u>MACKEREL</u>	ATL	
Fresh, round .....	13.6}	27.3	68.6		Fresh, round .....	10.4)	21.4
Frozen, " .....	13.3)	-	-		Frozen, " .....	5.4)	36.0
Fresh, filleted .....	31.7)	72.7	31.4		Fresh, filleted ..	0.1	1.3
Frozen, " .....	36.4)	-	-		Pickled .....	47.1	53.0
					" filleted ...	1.6	1.5
<u>O. FLATFISH</u>	PAC				Vinegar cured ....	3.5	-
Fresh, dressed .....	11.7)	58.6	100.0		" fillets .....	3.3	-
Frozen, " .....	4.1)	-	-		Canned .....	17.4	0.4
Fresh, filleted .....	18.3)	41.4	-		Non-food uses ....	11.2	8.6
Frozen, " .....	15.4)	-	-				
Non-food uses .....	0.5	-	-	<u>O. PELAGIC FISH</u>	ATL		
				Fresh, round ....	35.4)	84.2	99.3
				Frozen, " .....	6.5)	10.8	100.0
				Canned .....	31.2	15.8	-
				Non-food uses ...	6.9	-	-
<u>HERRING</u>	ATL				<u>O. PELAGIC FISH</u>	PAC	
Fresh, round .....	13.2)	18.1	16.3		Fresh, dressed ...	3.4)	-
Frozen, " .....	4.2)	-	-		Frozen, " .....	17.7)	10.8
Kippered .....	7.1	4.0	0.4		Canned .....	78.9	89.2
Vinegar cured .....	1.9	0.8	-				
" " filleted .....	5.7	2.2	-	<u>SALMON</u>	ATL		
Pickled .....	13.4	13.2	6.9	Fresh, round ....	73.6)	92.9	98.7
" filleted .....	-	-	-	Frozen, " .....	23.1)	-	-
Salt, smoked (bloaters)	11.2	19.6	7.1	Pickled, round ...	0.2	-	-
Canned .....	11.8	12.8	4.2	Canned .....	3.1	7.1	1.3
Non-food uses .....	31.5	32.3	65.1				

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3. - DISPOSITION OF CATCH - (concluded)

As indicated by fish buyers and processors  
(in percentages of quantity landed)

	Totals to Date				Totals to Date		
	1947	1946	1935-39 Av.		1947	1946	1935-39 Av.
<b>SALMON PAC</b>							
Fresh, dressed .....	12.0)	22.7	12.4	O. ESTUARIAL FISH PAC			
Frozen, " .....	7.7)			Fresh, dressed .. 50.0)	100.0	100.0	
Fresh, filleted .....	0.4	-		Frozen, .. 70.0)			
Frozen, " .....	0.7	-					
Mild-cured .....	1.1	2.1	1.5	<b>LCESTERS ATL</b>			
Dry-salted .....	-	-	1.2	In shell .....	54.5	36.3	31.9
Smoked .....	-	-	-	Shucked or Meat .	11.2	10.0	2.1
Canned .....	78.1	75.2	84.8	Canned .....	34.3	53.7	65.0
<b>O. ESTUARIAL FISH ATL</b>				<b>O. SHELLFISH ATL</b>			
Fresh, round .....	24.6)	40.6	42.3	In shell .....	20.1	28.6	62.6
Frozen, " .....	15.7)			Shucked or Meat .	35.9	19.5	-
Fresh, filleted .....	1.4	-	-	Canned .....	43.3	51.9	37.3
Kippered .....	0.6	-	-	Non-food uses ...	0.7	-	-
Vinegar cured .....	1.3	4.6	-	<b>O. SHELLFISH PAC</b>			
" " filleted .	4.7	4.8	-	In Shell .....	25.9	51.4	53.3
Pickled .....	32.5	31.1	24.1	Shucked or Meat .	17.8	5.6	9.3
Salt, smoked .....	0.5	0.9	1.8	Canned .....	56.3	43.0	37.4
Canned .....	10.1	8.7	-				
Non-food uses .....	8.6	9.3	31.8				

## 4. Imports of Fish Products

Kind and Country of Origin	Quantity			Value		
	Seven Months ended July					
	1947	1946	Average	1947	1946	1947-39 Average
<u>COD AND OTHER GROUND FISH</u>	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	\$	\$	\$
Fresh and Frozen:						
Newfoundland .....	8,903	13,023	738	387,771	877,854	10,659
Greensalted or Pickled:						
Newfoundland .....	1,072	738	110	72,336	50,348	2,129
Dry-salted:						
Newfoundland .....	38	21	387	4,014	2,022	17,131
<u>HALIBUT</u>						
Fresh and Frozen:						
Newfoundland .....	144	59	309	25,388	9,552	22,546
U.S.A. ....	1	38	26	196	8,648	5,514
<u>HERRING</u>						
Fresh:						
Newfoundland .....	379	491	1,033	15,098	17,795	6,713
Pickled:						
Newfoundland .....	942	1,739	720	69,745	125,490	18,650
U.S.A. ....	94	127	81	12,045	10,298	5,194
U.K. ....	15	-	152	2,682	-	8,055
Netherlands .....	117	-	134	20,092	-	5,652
Canned:						
Norway .....	184	-	240	64,212	-	18,005
<u>SARDINES</u>						
Canned:						
Norway .....	661	-	1,293	343,660	-	185,877
<u>TUNA</u>						
Canned:						
Peru .....	238	-	-	104,546	-	-
<u>OTHER PELAGIC FISH</u>						
Canned:						
Br. East Indies ...	-	-	181	-	-	35,920
<u>SAFETY</u>						
Fresh and Frozen:						
Newfoundland .....	971	1,448	1,227	314,404	525,494	145,051
U.S.A. ....	14	-	140	4,542	30	9,510
Alaska .....	8	-	218	2,076	-	17,044
<u>LOBSTERS</u>						
Fresh:						
Newfoundland .....	1,185	998	427	247,446	200,089	30,698
<u>OTHER SHELLFISH</u>						
Shelled:						
U.S.A. ....	330	377	492	174,917	223,886	75,349
Canned:						
U.S.A. ....	115	8	600	92,477	3,803	93,843
NOT SHOWN ABOVE .....	3,023	1,630	3,791	879,203	508,576	563,286
TOTALS .....	18,434	20,697	12,299	2,836,850	2,569,865	1,276,826

## S. - Exports of Fish Products

Kind and Destination	Quantity			Value		
	Eight Months Ended August					1935-39 Average
	1947	1946	1935-39 Average	1947	1946	
	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	\$	\$	\$
<b>COD AND OTHER GROUNDFISH</b>						
Fresh and Frozen, round:						
U.S.A. ....	1,929	5,245	2,646	182,722	387,048	172,424
Fresh and Frozen, filleted:						
U.S.A. ....	9,951	19,477	-	1,654,511	3,861,794	-
Smoked:						
U.S.A. ....	1,162	2,950	1,040	251,164	687,207	104,486
Greensalted or Pickled:						
U.S.A. ....	1,734	2,842	6,703	144,045	284,393	172,499
Dried-salted:						
U.S.A. ....	3,392	1,773	2,158	548,520	298,579	122,536
Puerto Rico ....	5,113	5,860	2,235	765,466	810,998	115,033
Trinidad ....	2,446	2,255	2,428	415,269	382,283	145,151
Jamaica ....	970	1,742	1,530	155,499	281,082	74,380
Other Fr. Caribbean ...	2,665	2,128	1,008	424,082	329,004	51,505
Cuba ....	2,905	887	2,834	533,555	152,933	151,636
Other Caribbean and Latin American .....	2,878	1,379	1,215	496,788	236,535	48,472
Salted, boneless:						
U.S.A. ....	2,559	2,498	1,082	374,265	610,799	90,886
Canned:						
Poland ....	1,476	104	-	309,337	23,338	-
<b>HALIBUT</b>						
Fresh and Frozen:						
U.S.A. ....	10,878	3,605	3,390	2,468,408	740,380	183,259
<b>HERRING</b>						
Fresh and Frozen:						
U.S.A. ....	24,683	44,717	11,801	386,482	725,285	104,250
Smoked:						
U.S.A. ....	1,053	2,983	582	144,452	469,033	50,934
Puerto Rico ....	1,059	2,117	448	112,240	225,786	12,242
Other Caribbean .....	1,630	2,440	2,532	201,448	287,802	70,116
Pickled:						
U.S.A. ....	2,466	6,343	246	189,522	484,321	7,309
Jamaica ....	1,874	1,023	524	118,979	63,988	11,175
Other Caribbean .....	1,294	1,300	523	74,856	84,505	9,537
Poland ....	1,112	2,063	-	69,331	234,142	-

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## 5. - Exports of Fish Products - continued

Kind and Destination	Quantity			Value		
	Eight Months Ended August					
	1947	1946	1935-39 Average	1947	1946	1935-39 Average
	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	\$	\$	\$
<b>HERRING (continued)</b>						
Canned:						
Un. S. Africa ....	8,904	13	522	1,085,029	1,608	40,182
Burma .....	1,290	31	-	165,916	4,082	-
Pr. India .....	390	45	-	46,525	5,313	-
Br. Malaya .....	2,134	-	-	332,193	-	-
Australia .....	2,622	-	437	381,152	-	32,714
Fiji .....	1,585	97	-	250,606	10,833	-
N. Zealand .....	2,187	-	66	392,478	-	4,849
C. Slovakia .....	4,346	119	-	582,094	16,363	-
Egypt .....	1,515	144	-	140,754	18,796	-
Poland .....	1,153	7,217	-	200,581	849,808	-
U.S.S.R. ....	20,712	11,318	-	2,647,559	1,306,662	-
Philippines .....	10,953	33	-	1,507,903	14,617	-
<b>SARDINES</b>						
Canned:						
Un. S. Africa ....	279	16	1,707	67,951	2,299	130,535
Trinidad .....	273	244	191	71,513	35,557	15,973
Australia .....	1,020	-	623	407,084	-	61,349
N. Zealand .....	125	-	236	35,406	-	22,104
<b>MACKEREL</b>						
Pickled:						
U.S.A. ....	486	788	679	76,862	107,762	36,193
Jamaica .....	3,399	2,167	4,318	187,634	171,416	144,730
Pr. Guiana .....	297	498	532	24,953	41,366	10,697
Trinidad .....	78	348	( 209	5,362	27,892	( 6,877
Other Caribbean ..	608	632	( 209	62,290	50,951	(
<b>SWORDFISH</b>						
Fresh and Frozen:						
U.S.A. ....	1,125	1,455	986	440,354	625,869	122,627
<b>SALMON</b>						
Fresh and Frozen:						
U.S.A. ....	5,092	5,016	3,914	2,361,154	1,631,592	423,138
Canned:						
U. K. ....	16,356	31,296	7,986	3,897,374	4,880,757	1,409,341

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## 5. Exports of Fish Products - concluded

Kind and Destination	Quantity			Value		
	Eight Months ended August					
	1947 '000 lb.	1946 '000 lb.	1935-39 Average '000 lb.	1947	1946	1935-39 Average
<u>O. ESTUARIAL FISH</u>				\$	\$	\$
Fresh and Frozen:						
U.S.A. ....	3,658	3,696	5,141	889,996	785,462	515,367
<u>LOBSTERS</u>						
Fresh:						
U.S.A. ....	13,769	16,226	8,830	6,499,157	8,267,104	1,680,156
Canned:						
U.S.A. ....	850	2,062	385	765,420	2,701,962	204,267
<u>WHITEFISH</u>						
Fresh and Frozen:						
U.S.A. ....	6,793	9,743	8,505	1,576,830	2,701,809	951,293
<u>CISCOES</u>						
Fresh and Frozen:						
U.S.A. ....	3,977	6,780	1,785	652,303	720,473	151,789
<u>TROUT</u>						
Fresh and Frozen:						
U.S.A. ....	2,145	2,584	-	554,175	771,360	-
<u>OTHER LAKE FISH</u>						
Fresh and Frozen:						
U.S.A. ....	17,081	19,198	22,359	3,859,693	3,770,558	1,581,443
NOT SHOWN ABOVE ....	57,147	94,332	66,528	10,751,463	14,733,361	5,904,423
TOTALS ....	278,440	351,906	180,133	50,625,764	55,769,853	15,157,666

P R I C E S

6. - Index Numbers of Wholesale Prices of Fishery Products in Comparison with  
Index Numbers of Relevant Series, 1935-47

	Fishery Products Wholesale (1935-39 = 100)	Meat and Poultry Wholesale (1935-39 = 100)	All Foods Wholesale (1935-39 = 100)	Salaries and Payrolls All industry (June 1 '41 = 100)	Cost of Living Canada (1935-39 = 100)	Cost of Living U.S.A. (1935-39 = 100)	Cost of Living U. K. (1939- 100)
1940 .....	114.0	106.0	105.6		105.6	100.2	116.5
1941 .....	127.9	125.9	119.0		111.7	105.2	125.9
1942 .....	152.8	140.8	130.5	127.5	117.0	116.5	126.6
1943 .....	176.3	139.6	136.2	143.7	118.4	123.6	125.9
1944 .....	179.3	150.6	134.9	147.1	118.9	125.6	127.2
1945 .....	179.0	152.8	137.5	142.1	119.5	128.4	128.5
1946 - August .....	207.8	161.0	145.6	145.2	125.6	144.1	129.7
September ..	207.8	160.2	145.0	145.9	125.5	145.9	128.5
October ..	207.8	160.2	146.2	150.1	126.8	148.4	128.5
November ..	207.8	160.2	146.7	154.6	127.1	152.2	128.5
December ...	220.6	160.2	164.3	159.9	127.1	163.3	129.1
1947 - January ....	220.6	168.0	148.3	150.2	127.0	153.3	129.1
February ...	216.3	168.5	148.4	160.7	127.8	153.2	128.5
March .....	209.3	171.8	149.5	163.2	128.9	156.3	129.1
April .....	208.3	171.8	153.1	163.9	133.1	156.1	128.5
May .....	200.4	172.0	157.1	164.0	133.1	156.0	128.5
June .....	211.5	172.1	158.4	168.7	134.9	157.1	128.5
July .....	207.4	172.5	160.3	173.7	135.9	158.4	128.5
August ....	210.5	171.3	161.9	178.1	139.4		129.4

7. - Prices Received by Fishermen as at September 15, 1946 and 1947  
(cents per pound as landed)

	North Sydney		Halifax		Yarmouth		Souris		Caraquet		Grand River		Vancouver		Prince Rupert	
	1946	1947	1946	1947	1946	1947	1946	1947	1946	1947	1946	1947	1946	1947	1946	1947
Cod .....	3½	2½	3½	2½	3	3	3	2½	3	2	-	2½	-	5	-	5
Scrod .....	1	1	-	1¼	-	1½	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Haddock .....	5	4½	2	4	6	4	5	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hake .....	1½	1½	2	1½	2	1½	-	2½	1½	1	-	1	-	-	-	-
Halibut -																
Medium .....	18	20	18	20	25	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chicken .....	16	16	16	16	20	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Herring .....	-	-	1½	1¼	1¼	1¼	1½	1	1	1½	1½	-	1	-	6	-
Mackerel .....	-	-	-	2-4	5-6	2-4	5	5	3½	2½	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lobsters .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Canners .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Salmon (Atl.) ....	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Swordfish .....	35	35-38	-	-	-	47½	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Salmon (Pac.) -																
Red Spring .....													-	28	-	13-24
White .....												-	14	-	-	8-13
Coho .....												-	21-22	-	-	12-17
Blueback .....												-	14	-	-	-
Sockeye (canning). .												-	17	-	-	16
Pink .....												-	4-5	-	-	3½
Chum .....												-	4-5	-	-	3½
Coho .....												-	12	-	-	-

Prices shown for freezing or fresh market, unless otherwise stated.

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## 8. - Mid Month Wholesale Prices, Sept., 1947 (F.C.B. Designated Point)

		Unit	Halifax	Montreal	Toronto	Winnipeg	Vancouver
ATLANTIC	Cod fillets, fresh .....	lb.	\$ .169	\$ .240	\$ .229	\$ .290	\$ -
	Cod fillets, frozen wrapped .....	lb.	.158	.227	.200	.220	-
	Cod fillets, smoked .....	lb.	.205	.260	.244	.253	-
	Haddock fillets, fresh .....	lb.	.235	.330	.300	.350	-
	Herring, kippered .....	lb.	.155	.210	.205	.205	.200
	Mackerel, frozen, round .....	lb.	.090	.140	.122	.155	.175
	Smelts, frozen, No. 1 .....	lb.	-	.300	.265	-	-
CANNED	Lobster, Fancy Grade .....	48- $\frac{1}{2}$ 's	27.867	31.720	28.950	30.533	-
	Sardines, smoked, in vegetable oil, wrapped .....	100-3 $\frac{1}{2}$ oz.	9.750	9.505	9.475	-	-
PACIFIC	Halibut, frozen, 10-60 lb. headless and dressed .....	lb.	-	.337	.334	.300	.249
	Salmon, frozen, Red Spring, over 14 lb., headless and dressed .....	lb.	-	-	.400	.380	.313
	Salmon, frozen, Coho, headless and dressed .....	lb.	-	.350	.341	.335	.230
	Cod, Ling - fresh .....	lb.	-	-	-	-	.118
CANNED	Salmon, Sockeye (certified) Grade A ..	48- $\frac{1}{2}$ 's	-	-	-	12.603	-
	Salmon, Coho (certified) Grade A ..	48- $\frac{1}{2}$ 's	-	-	-	9.590	-
INLAND	White-fish, fresh .....	lb.	-	.290	.269	.310	-
	Lake Salmon Trout .....	lb.	-	.310	.398	.400	-
	Blue Pickerel .....	lb.	-	-	-	-	-

## 9. - Retail Prices as at the First Business Day of Sept., 1947

		Unit	Halifax	Montreal	Toronto	Vancouver
ATLANTIC	Cod fillets, fresh .....	lb.	\$ .300	\$ .347	\$ .329	\$ -
	Cod fillets, frozen, wrapped .....	lb.	.300	-	.320	-
	Cod fillets, smoked .....	lb.	.343	.371	.371	.370
	Finnan haddie .....	lb.	.337	.395	.366	.376
	Haddock, fillets, fresh .....	lb.	.387	.417	.421	-
	Herring, kippered .....	lb.	.263	.248	.290	.285
	Mackerel, frozen .....	lb.	-	.217	.220	-
	Smelts, frozen, No. 1 .....	lb.	-	-	.383	x .200
	Salmon, fresh .....	lb.	-	.520	.553	.433
CANNED	Lobsters, Fancy, net weight, 6 ounces.	tin	.705	.670	.677	-
	Sardines, smoked, in vegetable oil, 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ ounces, flat .....	tin	.108	.105	.097	-
PACIFIC	Salmon, over 14 lb., frozen (a) Coho .....	lb.	-	-	.493	.333
	(b) Spring .....	lb.	-	-	-	-
	(c) Silverbright .....	lb.	-	-	.346	-
	Cod Ling, fresh .....	lb.	-	-	-	.216
	Halibut steaks, fresh .....	lb.	-	.500	.484	-
	Halibut steaks, frozen .....	lb.	-	.467	.469	.367
CANNED	Salmon, Sockeye (certified) Grade A .. net weight 7 - 8 ounces .....	tin	.330	.315	.302	-
	Salmon, Coho (certified) Grade A net weight 7 - 8 ounces .....	tin	-	.240	.236	-

x Pacific

/ Atlantic.

COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS OF FISH

NOTE: The following information is summarized from the Dominion Bureau of Statistics monthly report on the above subject, which is published on the twelfth of each month. The subscription price is \$1 per year.

10. - COLD STORAGE STOCKS OF FROZEN FISH AT OCT. 1, 1947 - CANADA

With comparative holdings for last year and last month

Fish	September 1, 1947	OCTOBER 1, 1947	October 1, 1946
	Revised lb.	Preliminary lb.	lb.
<b>SEA FISH</b>			
Cod:			
fresh, dressed .....	2,207,100	2,286,327	3,707,460
"      filleted ....	3,638,994	2,951,510	8,031,322
"      smoked, dressed ....	28,802	21,347	68,730
"      "      filleted ...	2,265,873	1,844,269	1,257,930
Haddock:	fresh, dressed ....	88,420	168,657
"      "      filleted ...	1,794,481	1,446,936	516,460
Finnan Haddie .....	420,631	423,188	155,096
Haddock:	smoked, filleted ...	59,347	43,145
Halibut:	dressed .....	13,381,987	11,514,811
Herring:	fresh .....	10,584,511	10,868,406
"      kippered .....	1,442,769	1,390,251	1,178,393
Mackerel:	fresh .....	1,014,002	938,957
Salmon:	fresh .....	1/ 4,773,313	1/ 6,150,888
"      smoked .....	324,032	288,680	37,864
Shellfish .....		170,134	251,316
TOTALS, SEA FISH .....	42,184,396	40,388,868	40,568,034
<b>INLAND FISH</b>			
Pickerel .....	206,037	240,903	176,231
Sauger .....	x	46,649	16,261
Trout .....	310,662	274,422	196,746
Tullibee .....	430,117	356,713	1,379,596
Whitefish .....	2,302,991	2,073,466	1,022,141
TOTALS, INLAND FISH ..	3,249,827	2,992,153	2,790,974
Unclassified:	fresh .....	4,061,856	3,764,954
smoked .....	108,294	58,300	87,347
smoked, filleted ...	68,220	74,639	98,062
GRAND TOTALS .....	49,689,603	47,278,720	48,181,006

x Included in "Unclassified" as insufficient reports received.

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October 1, 1947

September 1, 1947

ATLANTIC .....	297,864	327,969
CHUM .....	829,310	700,338
COD .....	3,558,781	2,433,054
PINK .....	402,399	386,715
SOCKEYE .....	39,000	31,780
RED SPRING .....	561,712	579,240
WHITE SPRING .....	184,011	282,058
STEELHEAD .....	42,666	27,225
UNCLASSIFIED .....	27,445	4,984

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## SUPPLEMENTARY LANDINGS AND OUTPUT OF BY-PRODUCTS

(Atlantic Coast)

Livers	cwt.	\$	Sea Mammals etc.	No.	\$	Seaweeds	cwt.	\$
Cod	26,768	84,353	Whales	1	160	Dulse	256	5,712
Hake	1,236	2,601	Belugas	25	550	Irish Moss	97,690	140,749
Halibut	73	1,802	Hair Seals	19,249	Unknown	Kelp		
Swordfish	421	8,599	Sharks cwt.	65	205	Other	4,921	1,028
Tuna	56	1,220						
Mixed	888	4,699						

## 12. - OUTPUT OF BY-PRODUCTS

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## 13.- SUPPLEMENTARY LANDINGS AND OUTPUT OF BY-PRODUCTS (CUMULATIVE).

(Pacific Coast)

Supplementary Landings	Gray Cod	Ling Cod	Black Cod	Red Cod	Halibut	Skate	Ratfish	Gray-fish	Shark	Other
Livers cwt.	284 3,448	794 104,940	256 36,969	175 14,487	4,014 314,754	139 839	611 3,242	40,759 853,300	285 21,896	37 376
Viscera cwt.	- -	437 5,602	294 7,558	8 15	4,388 91,242	- -	- -	- -	- -	133 331

## 14.-OUTPUT OF BY-PRODUCTS

Liver and Visceral Oil	Cod Liver	Cod Viscera	Halibut Liver	Halibut Viscera	Grayfish	Ratfish	Shark	Other
	Million USP units	Million USP units	Million USP units	Million USP units	Million USP units	Million USP units	Million USP units	Million USP units
Potency Range:								
0-20,000 ....	29,949	56,659	32,135	4,969	6,072,124	456	3,517	5,585
20,000-40,000.	17,476	11,452	50,188	12,498			7,066	3,640
40,000-60,000.	26,572		220,989	3,088			1,827	
60,000-80,000.	14,847		60,651	35,580			79,885	
80,000-100,000	168,849	1,201	43,805	22,741				
100,000-150,000	233,670	22,106	351,143	451,246				
150,000-200,000	214,022	15,050	144,004	16,789				
200,000 plus ..	4,950	44,922	655,238	137,328				
Other By-Products		Salmon	Herring	Halibut	Whale	Fur Seal	Hair Seal	Other
Fish Paste Roe Livers (fresh)	cs. cwt. "	2,116	4,023					
Sperm Oil Body Oil Offal Oil	lb. " "	745,640	1,757,604 624,583	269,319				35,084
Body Meal Offal Meal Bone Meal Fertilizer Bait Skins	tons " " " cwt. no.	2,903	4,193 1,059	300				101

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