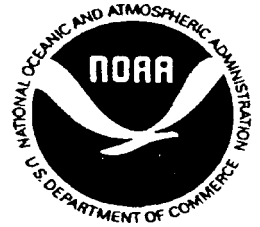
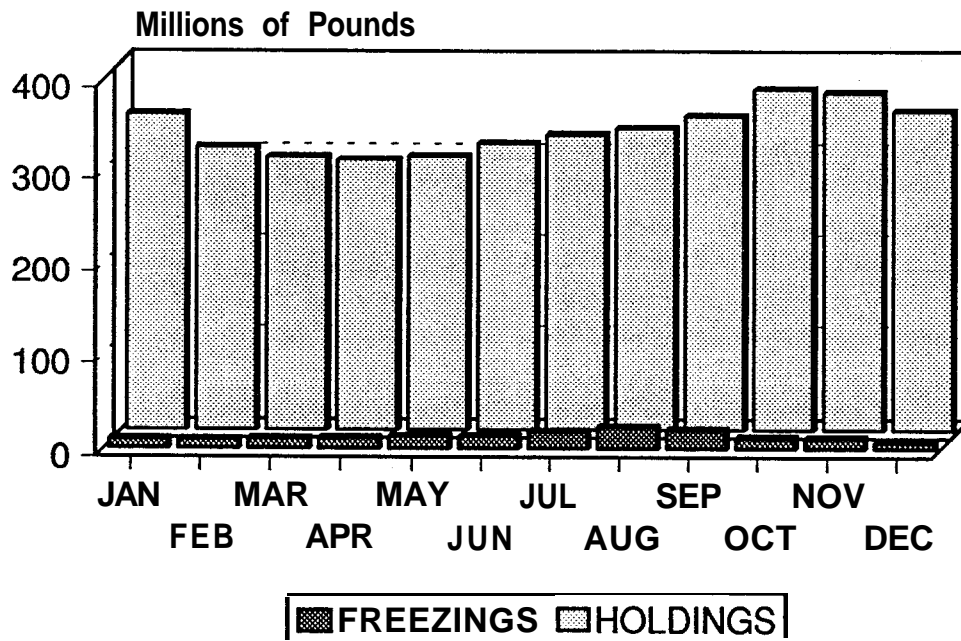




FROZEN FISHERY PRODUCTS, ANNUAL SUMMARY, 1994



FREEZINGS AND HOLDINGS OF FISHERY PRODUCTS, BY MONTHS, 1994



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SUMMARY OF FREEZINGS, BY MONTHS, 1994

SPECIES	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
Fish	----- Thousand pounds -----					
Saltwater:						
Fillets and steaks:						
Cod	2	2	1	13	20	19
Flounder and sole	31	48	66	160	252	144
Halibut	5	5	7	9	-	24
Ocean perch	-	4	-	14	4	-
Pollock, Alaska	-	-	10	11	-	7
Rockfish (except Pacific ocean perch)	6	91	7	10	78	26
Salmon	64	92	89	104	83	101
Whiting	-	-	-	8	9	177
Unclassified	7	-	253	205	148	54
Total fillets and steaks	357	675	433	534	594	552
Round, dressed, etc :						
Halibut	-	-	14	3	-	2,439
Sablefish	27	67	44	106	2,534	728
Salmon:						
King or chinook	-	2	6	20	1	59
Silver or coho	-	-	-	-	-	14
Fall or chum	9	-	-	-	-	940
Pink	-	-	-	-	-	8
Sockeye	1	-	-	-	-	119
Unclassified	177	4	4	5	-	2
Total salmon	187	6	10	25	1	1,142
Whiting, headed and gutted	-	-	-	401	492	733
Unclassified (except bait)	2,207	1,486	3,968	4,311	1,721	549
Total saltwater fish	2,778	2,234	4,469	5,380	5,342	6,143
Freshwater-Round, dressed, etc :						
Trout, rainbow	14	14	14	28	22	22
Unclassified (except bait)	3	1	-	-	-	-
Total freshwater fish	17	15	14	28	22	22
Bait and animal food (saltwater and freshwater species)	2,774	3,691	3,194	3,058	3,189	2,201
Analog Products	19	11	2	22	17	16
Shellfish						
Clams and clam meats	497	438	552	498	510	-
Crabs:						
Dungeness	184	31	-	67	73	219
King: Meat	-	-	5	-	-	-
Sections	-	1	-	5	1	1
Snow (Tanner): Meat	-	-	-	-	1	-
Sections	-	473	230	-	-	-
Unclassified	19	25	35	23	34	23
Total crabs	203	530	270	95	109	243
Oyster meats	11	25	26	40	6	3
Scallop meats	73	17	46	19	25	36
Shrimp:						
Raw, headless	2,017	1,596	1,368	1,304	1,569	2,164
Breaded	557	724	555	372	319	410
Peeled (including deveined)	892	315	269	301	1,121	1,406
Unclassified	16	11	17	25	350	374
Total shrimp	3,482	2,646	2,209	2,002	3,359	4,354
Unclassified shellfish	39	66	98	122	34	45
Total shellfish	4,305	3,722	3,201	2,776	4,043	4,681
Total fish and shellfish	9,893	9,673	10,880	11,264	12,613	13,063

SUMMARY OF FREEZINGS, BY MONTHS, 1994

SPECIES	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Fish	----- Thousand pounds -----					
Saltwater:						
Fillets and steaks:						
Cod	9	4	11	52	18	62
Flounder and sole	68	16	126	184	10	19
Halibut	531	5	50	-	3	3
Ocean perch	3	1	1	1	5	7
Pollock: Alaska (Saithe and other)	4 -	1 -	76 -	3 10	2 1	- -
Rockfish (except Pacific ocean perch)	19	10	11	39	55	18
Salmon	137	251	224	164	304	58
Whiting	200	376	376	597	132	2
Unclassified	1	1	3	62	717	415
Total fillets and steaks	972	665	878	1,112	1,247	584
Round, dressed, etc :						
Halibut	2	154	1,855	46	1	-
Sablefish	97	30	1,400	248	11	6
Salmon:						
King or chinook	278	86	132	302	115	9
Silver or coho	896	4,033	3,232	106	2	-
Fall or chum	6,159	2,363	663	683	1,980	5
Pink	223	330	50	-	-	-
Sockeye	1,066	4,300	1,637	-	-	-
Unclassified	1	2	3	17	34	-
Total salmon	8,623	11,114	5,717	1,108	2,131	14
Whiting, headed and gutted	305	81	81	61	239	-
Unclassified (except bait)	1,838	636	2,162	1,031	885	1,217
Total saltwater fish	11,837	12,680	12,093	3,606	4,514	1,821
Freshwater-Round, dressed, etc :						
Trout, rainbow	19	17	28	16	22	38
Unclassified (except bait)	4	455	-	-	-	-
Total freshwater fish	23	472	28	16	22	38
Bait and animal food (saltwater and freshwater species)	1,675	2,882	2,705	2,298	2,509	1,280
Surimi	413	1,131	1,131	44	-	-
Analog Products	37	76	43	19	42	8
Shellfish						
Clams and clam meats	-	-	-	-	1	1
Crabs:						
Dungeness	264	112	69	132	7	563
King: Meat	-	-	-	-	1	-
Sections	4	-	-	-	107	-
Snow (Tanner), sections	-	3	-	-	-	-
Unclassified	32	26	22	39	11	23
Total crabs	300	141	91	171	126	586
Lobsters, Spiny (tails)	-	-	-	3	-	-
Oyster meats	-	-	-	1	20	-
Scallop meats	24	8	10	27	23	4
Shrimp:						
Raw, headless	1,818	3,903	2,341	3,924	2,381	1,804
Breaded	498	529	333	406	337	279
Peeled (including deveined)	873	864	868	1,071	996	760
Unclassified	100	27	110	196	611	3
Total shrimp	3,289	5,323	3,652	5,597	4,325	2,846
Unclassified shellfish	16	5	9	8	2	9
Total shellfish	3,629	5,477	3,762	5,807	4,497	3,446
Total fish and shellfish	17,614	22,718	19,762	11,790	11,584	6,593

NOTE:--Production of fish frozen on U S fishing or transporting craft is not included in this table.

SUMMARY OF FREEZINGS, BY SECTIONS, 1994

SPECIES	ATLANTIC STATES	CENTRAL STATES	PACIFIC STATES	TOTAL
----- Thousand pounds -----				
Fish				
Saltwater:				
Fillets and steaks:				
Cod	9	-	204	213
Flounder and sole	-	-	1,124	1,124
Halibut	-	-	642	642
Ocean perch	-	7	33	40
Pollock: Alaska	-	-	114	114
(Saithe and other)	-	11	0	11
Rockfish (except Pacific ocean perch)	-	-	370	370
Salmon	-	8	1,663	1,671
Whiting	-	2	1,875	1,877
Unclassified	613	719	534	1,866
<i>Total fillets and steaks</i>	622	747	6,559	7,928
Round, dressed, etc :				
Halibut	-	-	4,514	4,514
Sablefish	-	-	5,298	5,298
Salmon:				
King or chinook	-	-	1,010	1,010
Silver or coho	-	-	8,283	8,283
Fall or chum	-	-	12,802	12,802
Pink	-	-	611	611
Sockeye	-	-	7,123	7,123
Unclassified	-	-	249	249
<i>Total salmon</i>	-	-	30,078	30,078
Whiting, headed and gutted	-	-	2,393	2,393
Unclassified (except bait)	4,893	36	17,082	22,011
<i>Total saltwater fish</i>	5,515	783	65,924	72,222
Freshwater - Round, dressed, etc :				
Trout, rainbow	-	-	254	254
Unclassified (except bait)	455	4	4	463
<i>Total freshwater fish</i>	455	4	258	717
Bait and animal food (saltwater and freshwater species)				
	8,143	-	23,313	31,456
Surimi	-	-	2,719	2,719
Analog Products	-	-	312	312

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SUMMARY OF FREEZINGS, BY SECTIONS, 1994

SPECIES	ATLANTIC STATES	CENTRAL STATES	PACIFIC STATES	TOTAL
----- Thousand pounds -----				
Shellfish				
Clams and clam meats	2,485	-	12	2,497
Crabs:				
Dungeness	-	-	1,721	1,721
King: Meat	-	-	6	6
Sections	-	-	119	119
SNOW (Tanner): Meat	-	-	1	1
Sections	-	-	706	706
Unclassified	-	309	3	312
<i>Total crabs</i>	-	<i>309</i>	<i>2,556</i>	<i>2,865</i>
Lobsters, Spiny (tails)	-	3	-	3
Oyster meats	92	37	3	132
Scallop meats	251	56	5	312
Shrimp:				
Raw, headless	-	26,042	147	26,189
Breaded	-	5,319	-	5,319
Peeled (including deveined)	-	8,661	1,075	9,736
Unclassified	-	1,818	22	1,840
<i>Total shrimp</i>	-	<i>41,840</i>	<i>1,244</i>	<i>43,084</i>
Unclassified shellfish	288	115	50	453
<i>Total shellfish</i>	<i>3,116</i>	<i>42,360</i>	<i>3,870</i>	<i>49,346</i>
<i>Total fish and shellfish</i>	<i>17,229</i>	<i>43,147</i>	<i>96,396</i>	<i>156,772</i>

NOTE:--Production of fish frozen on U S fishing or transporting craft is not included in these tables. States reporting in each section were as follows: Atlantic States: Maine, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York, New Jersey, Delaware, Pennsylvania, Maryland, Virginia, District of Columbia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, and Florida; Central States: Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa, Missouri, North Dakota, Nebraska, Arkansas, Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, and Texas; and in the Pacific States: Colorado, Idaho, Utah, Arizona, Nebraska, New Mexico, Alaska, Washington, Oregon, California, and Hawaii.

SUMMARY OF HOLDINGS, BY MONTHS, 1994

SPECIES	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
Fish	----- Thousand pounds -----					
Saltwater:						
Blocks and slabs:						
Cod	3,529	4,029	3,444	3,599	3,706	5,086
Flounder and sole	859	761	562	637	747	645
Haddock	600	926	1,037	899	987	1,187
Ocean perch	42	27	23	129	168	187
Pollock: Alaska	11,126	10,145	9,663	12,460	17,771	18,899
(Saithe and other)	3,258	3,174	4,051	3,846	2,923	2,442
Whiting	594	746	553	743	715	1,377
Minced (grated), all species	6,681	5,661	6,875	7,974	8,327	12,801
Unclassified	5,076	3,820	3,336	2,826	2,434	2,016
Total blocks and slabs	31,765	29,289	29,544	33,113	37,778	44,640
Fillets and steaks:						
Cod	28,874	26,193	23,900	25,969	26,938	25,392
Flounder and sole	4,937	3,958	2,929	3,688	3,962	4,576
Haddock	1,727	1,145	1,786	1,813	7,855	7,978
Halibut	1,081	1,038	904	681	651	622
Ocean perch	1,899	1,451	1,158	1,239	1,025	1,768
Pollock: Alaska	20,454	23,974	26,968	27,602	25,058	21,991
(Saithe and other)	3,148	2,195	2,262	2,131	2,449	3,072
Rockfish (except Pacific ocean perch)	657	488	400	388	352	395
Salmon	1,118	983	928	939	880	3,582
Whiting	4,553	3,694	2,929	2,962	2,027	2,488
Wolfish (ocean catfish)	44	36	18	16	16	8
Unclassified	15,738	12,639	10,681	10,479	10,212	11,005
Total fillets and steaks	84,230	77,794	74,863	77,907	81,425	82,877
Fish sticks and portions (cooked and uncooked, all species)	23,986	17,890	18,257	21,018	20,708	21,985
Round, dressed, etc :						
Halibut	6,117	4,272	2,607	1,376	625	10,651
Sablefish	761	148	134	75	2,401	2,340
Salmon:						
King or chinook	2,386	2,114	1,748	1,117	796	629
Silver or coho	3,724	2,993	2,437	1,655	974	504
Fall or chum	15,798	12,493	10,317	6,692	4,688	3,324
Pink	6,271	4,916	3,703	1,988	1,323	995
Sockeye	8,401	2,733	1,911	901	678	615
Unclassified	3,218	3,481	2,915	2,291	1,851	1,929
Total salmon	39,798	28,730	23,031	14,644	10,310	7,996
Whiting, headed and gutted	1,169	893	506	712	1,035	3,508
Unclassified (except bait)	16,946	15,314	18,366	16,231	16,719	16,995
Total saltwater fish	204,772	174,330	167,308	165,076	171,001	190,992

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SUMMARY OF HOLDINGS, BY MONTHS, 1994

SPECIES	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Fish	----- Thousand pounds -----					
Saltwater:						
Blocks and slabs:						
Cod	5,197	4,898	3,549	3,678	4,441	4,635
Flounder and sole	310	565	560	561	526	423
Haddock	836	1,580	945	2,397	1,562	1,831
Ocean perch	271	293	241	214	174	655
Pollock: Alaska	13,616	16,459	11,497	10,234	8,762	11,449
(Saithe and other)	3,664	3,236	2,273	3,068	3,664	4,686
Whiting	1,003	719	946	1,210	977	710
Minced (grated), all species	13,907	13,129	13,728	14,737	12,453	11,805
Unclassified	1,727	2,685	2,491	2,580	3,898	4,202
Total blocks and slabs	40,531	43,564	36,230	38,679	36,457	40,396
Fillets and steaks:						
Cod	25,125	21,321	19,357	17,922	18,437	17,128
Flounder and sole	3,571	3,341	4,107	3,342	3,850	2,448
Haddock	3,711	3,905	2,684	2,756	2,819	4,029
Halibut	2,749	1,023	1,859	1,353	1,274	1,307
Ocean perch	2,813	2,902	2,166	2,897	3,473	3,903
Pollock: Alaska	20,343	15,867	15,162	28,681	24,899	16,238
(Saithe and other)	4,209	3,892	3,661	3,577	3,618	3,438
Rockfish (except Pacific ocean perch)	365	399	198	177	243	166
Salmon	854	966	437	1,444	1,980	1,921
Whiting	2,030	2,246	2,355	2,626	2,561	4,085
Wolffish (ocean catfish)	745	6	16	8	7	16
Unclassified	14,611	13,223	14,878	15,457	14,370	13,916
Total fillets and steaks	81,126	69,091	66,880	80,240	77,531	68,595
Fish sticks and portions (cooked and uncooked, all species)	18,914	19,232	20,834	19,111	20,355	21,523
Round, dressed, etc :						
Halibut	8,984	8,915	13,830	15,213	13,284	11,600
Sablefish	839	586	1,816	1,407	1,301	1,214
Salmon:						
King or chinook	1,092	1,497	1,801	2,168	1,948	1,504
Silver or coho	2,245	8,140	12,741	17,218	14,682	12,421
Fall or chum	14,832	24,733	25,280	24,368	26,211	22,284
Pink	1,103	4,353	5,576	4,791	3,522	2,764
Sockeye	2,060	4,338	4,908	4,253	3,667	3,431
Unclassified	3,528	3,843	3,913	4,973	5,415	5,010
Total salmon	24,860	46,904	54,219	57,771	55,445	47,414
Whiting, headed and gutted	3,783	4,041	3,881	2,047	2,154	2,008
Unclassified (except bait)	20,091	20,404	18,482	18,860	18,107	18,031
Total saltwater fish	199,128	212,737	216,172	233,328	224,634	210,781

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SUMMARY OF HOLDINGS, BY MONTHS, 1994

SPECIES	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
Fish - Continued	----- Thousand pounds -----					
Freshwater-Round, dressed, etc :						
Fillet and steaks	746	774	792	703	689	690
Catfish	9,632	6,969	6,844	6,961	5,952	6,013
Trout, rainbow	708	542	523	573	583	526
Unclassified (except bait)	349	587	226	208	175	114
Total freshwater fish	11,435	8,872	8,385	8,445	7,399	7,343
Bait and animal food (saltwater and freshwater species)	10,399	9,903	10,718	11,029	12,562	12,176
Surimi	16,828	19,172	24,341	23,501	23,665	18,163
Analog Products	4,617	5,382	5,624	6,855	7,003	5,423
Shellfish						
Clams and clam meats	5,512	5,408	4,622	9,458	6,785	7,262
Crabs:						
Dungeness	4,945	4,388	3,226	2,552	2,195	1,810
King: Meat	61	37	36	48	27	11
Sections	2,958	2,110	1,600	1,492	1,317	1,425
Snow (Tanner): Meat	521	620	318	210	260	317
Sections	5,539	7,259	10,689	12,834	12,150	10,283
Unclassified	1,608	1,719	1,583	1,258	1,899	2,315
Total crabs	15,632	16,133	17,452	18,394	17,848	16,161
Frog legs	13	23	84	75	41	37
Lobsters:						
Spiny (tails)	2,649	2,234	1,187	863	1,101	1,991
Unclassified (whole and meat)	1,108	1,349	784	700	672	860
Oyster meats	107	134	124	163	205	224
Scallop meats	2,997	3,964	4,499	4,616	5,058	5,636
Shrimp:						
Raw, headless	15,316	16,990	12,610	11,539	11,577	12,126
Breaded	6,257	3,166	5,978	6,001	6,111	6,052
Peeled (including deveined)	17,064	15,145	13,955	12,625	12,986	13,711
Unclassified	12,016	9,569	7,681	6,389	6,865	6,998
Total shrimp	50,653	44,870	40,224	36,554	37,539	38,887
Squid	13,260	12,415	7,396	4,745	4,017	3,659
Unclassified shellfish	3,108	3,078	4,139	2,765	2,413	2,723
Total shellfish	95,039	89,608	80,511	78,333	75,679	77,440
Total fish and shellfish	343,090	307,267	296,887	293,239	297,309	311,537
Cured Fish						
Herring, salted	50	38	36	73	49	22
Salmon, mild-cured	85	58	88	304	82	76
Other salted	45	31	276	20	16	16
Smoked or kippered	136	152	165	206	169	190
Total cured fish	316	279	565	603	316	304

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SPECIES	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
----- Thousand pounds -----						
Fish - Continued						
Freshwater, Round, dressed, etc :						
Filletts and steaks	700	445	413	401	343	337
Catfish	6,248	7,101	8,745	8,428	10,016	11,948
Trout, rainbow	398	414	386	416	505	578
Unclassified (except bait)	193	410	457	328	752	305
<i>Total freshwater fish</i>	<i>7,539</i>	<i>8,370</i>	<i>10,001</i>	<i>9,573</i>	<i>11,616</i>	<i>13,168</i>
Bait and animal food (saltwater and freshwater species)	12,607	7,941	7,484	6,504	6,702	6,264
Surimi	16,584	13,400	16,614	23,122	21,260	16,952
Analog Products	4,426	3,653	4,440	3,793	4,496	4,530
Shellfish						
Clams and clam meats	7,308	7,889	8,959	8,779	8,561	8,858
Crabs:						
Dungeness	1,801	1,194	836	1,011	421	2,067
King: Meat	46	68	90	37	54	121
Sections	1,103	924	712	1,306	1,678	2,306
Snow (Tanner): Meat	257	491	425	558	610	521
Sections	9,366	8,608	7,361	5,690	4,525	3,140
Unclassified	2,538	2,552	2,564	3,158	2,549	2,384
<i>Total crabs</i>	<i>15,111</i>	<i>13,837</i>	<i>11,988</i>	<i>11,760</i>	<i>9,837</i>	<i>10,539</i>
Frog legs	36	40	36	36	17	32
Lobsters:						
Spiny (tails)	2,516	2,830	3,309	3,691	3,693	3,455
Unclassified (whole and meat)	1,140	1,187	1,337	1,395	1,537	1,288
Oyster meat	220	196	182	101	107	118
Scallop meats	5,558	5,280	5,121	4,502	4,847	4,157
Shrimp:						
Raw, headless	13,224	13,559	14,924	13,823	13,055	14,860
Breaded	6,479	6,109	6,322	6,210	5,457	5,925
Peeled (including deveined)	14,323	14,916	15,946	16,707	19,417	19,015
Unclassified	6,798	6,844	8,340	9,845	10,951	11,607
<i>Total shrimp</i>	<i>40,824</i>	<i>41,428</i>	<i>45,532</i>	<i>46,585</i>	<i>48,880</i>	<i>51,407</i>
Squid	5,215	5,949	7,291	10,347	12,962	12,077
Unclassified shellfish	2,811	3,230	2,589	7,282	7,483	2,844
<i>Total shellfish</i>	<i>80,739</i>	<i>81,866</i>	<i>86,344</i>	<i>94,478</i>	<i>97,924</i>	<i>94,775</i>
<i>Total fish and shellfish</i>	<i>321,023</i>	<i>327,967</i>	<i>341,055</i>	<i>370,798</i>	<i>366,632</i>	<i>346,470</i>
Cured Fish						
Herring, salted	56	71	71	79	51	55
Salmon, mild-cured	147	166	134	164	90	98
Other salted	33	58	40	102	210	94
Smoked or kippered	184	61	168	184	162	151
<i>Total cured fish</i>	<i>420</i>	<i>356</i>	<i>413</i>	<i>529</i>	<i>513</i>	<i>398</i>

(1) Unclassified may also include blocks and slabs made from species listed separately and also minced (grated) fish blocks.

Note:--Data for these tables were collected from public and private refrigerated warehouses where fishery products are normally refrigerated warehouse where fishery products are normally stored for 30 days or more

SUMMARY OF FREEZINGS, BY SECTIONS AND MONTHS, 1994

MONTH	ATLANTIC STATES	CENTRAL STATES	PACIFIC STATES	TOTAL
	----- Thousand pounds -----			
JANUARY 31	2,569	3,367	3,715	9,651
FEBRUARY 28	2,441	2,694	4,105	9,240
MARCH 31	3,322	2,276	5,282	10,880
APRIL 30	2,196	1,945	7,123	11,264
MAY 31	2,510	3,160	6,943	12,613
JUNE 30	705	4,238	8,120	13,063
JULY 31	648	3,217	13,749	17,614
AUGUST 31	575	5,194	16,949	22,718
SEPTEMBER 30	630	3,524	15,608	19,762
OCTOBER 31	546	5,572	5,672	11,790
NOVEMBER 30	565	5,060	5,959	11,584
DECEMBER 31	522	2,900	3,171	6,593

SUMMARY OF HOLDINGS, BY SECTIONS AND MONTHS, 1994

MONTH	ATLANTIC STATES	CENTRAL STATES	PACIFIC STATES	TOTAL
	----- Thousand pounds -----			
JANUARY 31	142,897	52,676	147,517	343,090
FEBRUARY 28	124,494	46,555	136,218	307,267
MARCH 31	116,674	41,681	138,532	296,887
APRIL 30	126,018	39,382	127,839	293,239
MAY 31	139,984	38,137	119,188	297,309
JUNE 30	159,068	37,117	115,352	311,537
JULY 31	159,474	35,530	126,019	321,023
AUGUST 31	156,193	36,643	135,131	327,967
SEPTEMBER 30	152,996	39,926	148,133	341,055
OCTOBER 31	151,997	42,699	176,102	370,798
NOVEMBER 30	154,172	44,511	167,949	366,632
DECEMBER 31	156,905	43,427	146,138	346,470

SUMMARY OF HOLDINGS OF CURED FISH, BY MONTHS, 1994

MONTH	SALTED			SMOKED	TOTAL
	HERRING	SALMON, MILD-CURED	OTHER	OR KIPPERED	
	----- Thousand pounds -----				
JANUARY 31	50	85	45	136	316
FEBRUARY 28	38	58	31	152	279
MARCH 31	36	88	276	165	565
APRIL 30	73	304	20	206	603
MAY 31	49	82	16	169	316
JUNE 30	22	76	16	190	304
JULY 31	56	147	33	184	420
AUGUST 31	71	166	58	61	356
SEPTEMBER 30	71	134	40	168	413
OCTOBER 31	79	164	102	184	529
NOVEMBER 30	51	90	210	162	513
DECEMBER 31	55	98	94	151	398

REFRIGERATED STORAGE FACILITIES

Data are voluntarily submitted from warehouses artificially cooled to a temperature of 50 degrees Fahrenheit or lower where whole food products are normally stored for 30 days or more. These includes all types of storage businesses having refrigerated storage space — public, private, or semi-private. All fish items in these facilities are reported regardless of the number of days stored at the time of the report. Also included are specialized facilities meeting the 30 day requirement, such as fish houses, manufacturing and processing plants, frozen fish plants, and packing plants. Excluded are stocks in space maintained by wholesalers, jobbers, distributors, chain stores, locker plants containing individual lockers, and frozen fish processors whose entire inventories are turned over more than once a month.

The key criterion for inclusion in our survey is “normally stored for 30 days or more.” This means they must store fish commodities for that length of time to participate in our program and are requested to report only quantities available on the last day of each month.