Competing product: fresh scallops.

Competing suppliers: Japan, Norway, the UK, Denmark.

Market for frozen, dried or salted Pecten maximus, variegated or queen scallops, except frozen Pecten maximus scallops, 1988:

Total imports Imported from Canada 4 542 tonnes 114 tonnes

Competing product: fresh scallops.

Competing suppliers: Japan, the UK, Norway.

All these products are subject to a customs duty of 8%.

Product presentation for frozen scallops in the shell: 5-lb blocks, IQF, 1-lb or 5-lb packages, cartons containing 6 or 10 packages. American weight categories (U10, 10-20, U12, 12-20, U20, 20-30, 30-40, 40-50 per lb), or European weight categories. French consumers prefer IQF large Pecten maximus scallops complete with coral.

Purchased by the 20-foot containerload, or grouped with other products. The buyers are wholesalers.

Caution: scallops are required to conform to maximum water content regulations.

Scallops may also be shipped live in the shell (in which case transport costs are high) or fresh shucked.

8.7 Shrimp

For the applicable terminology, see Appendix 4.

Market for Pandalus shrimp (pink shrimp), peeled or unpeeled, 1988:

Total imports
Imported from Canada

11 290 tonnes 692 tonnes

Competing products: fresh shrimp, cooked shrimp.

Competing suppliers: Greenland, Denmark, the Faeroe Islands.

Pandalus shrimp is subject to a customs duty of 12%.