

PRODUCTION OF PRINCIPAL COMMERCIAL FISH IN CANADA, 1885-1900

(Figures given in pounds)

	1885	1886	1887	1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898	1899	1900
Salmon	a	12,031,281	16,273,665	15,242,192	25,773,839	24,688,994	20,254,511	17,712,029	37,893,950	30,337,895	34,553,127	35,999,015	55,270,191	31,042,125	45,093,208	40,435,999
Cod	107,739,300	108,141,390	107,888,000	105,087,700	90,456,000	85,773,400	84,983,800	88,018,400	1,078,078	93,969,400	80,806,300	81,129,800	97,616,700	71,669,700	93,590,700	90,081,700
Lobsters	27,299,038	33,758,421	19,485,687	22,173,773	21,131,233	25,055,984	26,910,157	24,549,498	28,369,213	28,463,693	27,093,592	28,882,638	36,313,654	45,568,994	25,935,110	29,462,190
Herring	a	a	a	a	143,934,881	97,559,806	92,697,450	84,768,515	82,641,794	113,914,821	123,901,698	131,304,426	112,925,772	92,863,858	122,060,036	95,132,848
Halibut	1,735,917	1,563,872	1,711,519	1,368,808	1,903,115	1,525,130	2,719,697	3,430,809	2,840,619	3,481,276	3,977,350	3,672,625	3,177,138	3,897,765	3,789,605	6,190,129
Whitefish	3,988,560	6,899,223	6,816,856	10,189,856	9,806,422	11,176,582	11,763,841	23,776,763	21,390,289	14,854,170	14,249,399	13,374,000	11,268,889	10,670,651	11,024,178	12,466,258
Mackerel	29,690,134	30,458,492	26,430,641	13,155,363	13,186,112	20,302,764	28,018,181	19,145,130	15,754,497	12,420,472	9,179,036	9,980,972	6,419,058	7,656,742	8,266,659	18,194,772
Smelts	5,982,358	7,209,888	5,923,418	3,723,772	5,011,058	4,735,517	5,552,101	4,719,193	8,283,481	8,087,079	9,022,157	9,970,805	8,563,389	8,403,839	8,833,260	9,500,105
Haddock	937,200	21,347,400	21,600,300	23,718,300	12,566,200	13,301,700	15,017,000	16,757,800	13,323,400	14,217,490	12,306,800	13,628,200	27,706,315	20,411,123	20,420,828	17,959,925
Pickarel	2,120,003	2,624,785	2,412,549	3,484,416	3,264,591	3,142,189	2,990,679	3,893,190	3,848,304	7,610,425	7,078,411	6,897,810	7,453,137	5,737,277	6,416,994	6,055,829
Trout	6,406,449	5,538,413	5,293,565	5,717,460	5,941,893	6,651,806	6,939,243	7,315,219	6,504,639	7,926,883	7,134,116	6,950,986	5,544,527	7,147,965	8,887,606	6,816,030
Sardines	29,072,500	36,813,500	26,667,000	8,470,833	11,902,000	b	b	b	20,425,800	27,365,600	37,617,800	17,396,200	31,661,000	36,367,000	45,670,400	23,031,600
Hake	5,671,067	1,191,743	6,034,463	12,267,057	11,950,889	9,501,054	12,524,575	11,755,217	10,842,339	10,329,700	7,390,331	9,550,667	13,898,830	14,859,707	24,136,632	20,816,861
Pike	1,022,620	1,438,661	1,161,969	1,500,878	1,743,444	1,691,702	1,811,357	9,682,570	8,737,605	3,079,484	3,592,975	3,594,790	3,883,383	3,653,981	5,838,437	3,178,688
Clams, Quahaugs and Scallops	b	b	b	b	b	b	b	b	b	b	4,004,400c	3,958,200c	b	429,200c	b	b
Pollock	6,529,000	7,904,500	10,290,200	12,107,100	7,719,600	6,838,700	8,124,800	7,429,400	8,052,700	8,875,800	5,950,700	8,878,100	18,865,600	7,235,400	12,154,300	10,812,500
Oysters	11,426,400	12,581,000	12,272,000	11,246,800	12,609,800	11,335,200	12,206,400	11,190,600	10,216,000	9,025,400	9,534,600	9,714,800	8,944,400	10,731,200	8,102,600	8,384,000
Eels	2,737,755	3,107,296	2,830,508	6,108,945	2,798,473	2,902,851	1,699,496	1,884,955	2,592,950	2,546,950	2,906,070	2,504,135	2,477,683	2,175,305	2,013,665	2,269,781
Alewives	7,947,600	6,777,400	6,549,400	5,713,000	7,494,000	8,553,200	8,623,400	7,536,800	9,456,200	12,694,000	9,621,600	10,523,200	9,483,000	7,971,200	6,765,400	8,100,600

a Information given in numbers of fish, not pounds, and cannot therefore be reckoned in terms of weight.

b No returns made for these years.

c Clams only.