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FOREWORD

Total Quantities of British Taking. The total quantity of wet fish of British taking landed in England and Wales during 1955 was 12,909,425 cwt, compared with 12,662,128 cwt in 1954.

Demersal Landings—British Taking. The demersal group accounted for 11,878,927 cwt of the 1955 catch, as compared with 11,242,797 cwt in 1954. Of the principal kinds in this group, 1955 landings of cod (6,717,423 cwt), haddock (1,576,338 cwt) and plaice (634,050 cwt) increased by 7.1 per cent, 13.0 per cent and 15.1 per cent respectively, while hake (261,864 cwt) decreased by 10.9 per cent, compared with 1954 landings.

Pelagic Landings—British Taking. The landings of pelagic fish amounted to 1,030,498 cwt in 1955, against 1,419,331 cwt in 1954. These landings consisted mainly of herrings, which accounted for 809,651 cwt in 1955, and 1,241,340 cwt in 1954.

Landings by Vessels 40 feet and over. The landings by steam trawlers in 1955 were 91 per cent of the whole catch by deep-sea vessels fishing with demersal methods. At 10,034,809 cwt they were higher than 1954 by 3.3 per cent. The average quantity landed per unit of time by steam trawlers increased from 681 cwt in 1954 to 811 cwt per 100 hours fishing in 1955.

The total value of wet fish of British taking rose to £33,316,998 in 1955, compared with the 1954 figure of £32,010,670.

The average value per cwt of wet fish in 1955 was 51s. 7d. (5.53d. per lb). This was 1s. 0d. above the average for 1954. The 1955 average for the demersal group was 54s. (5.78d. per lb), being 3d. lower than in 1954.

The value of shellfish amounted to £1,030,944 in 1955, against £932,702 in 1954.

Imports. The quantity of fish in all forms imported into the United Kingdom during 1955 was 2,770,905 cwt valued at £22,425,936, as compared with 2,516,339 cwt valued at £22,101,696 in 1954. After deducting the quantity re-exported there remained for consumption 2,761,072 cwt valued at £22,232,363, as compared with 2,473,206 cwt valued at £21,759,240 in 1954.

Of the imports retained in 1955, 2,037,969 cwt consisted of fresh or frozen fish, compared with 1,797,715 cwt in 1954.

Exports. The total exports of fish of British taking from the United Kingdom decreased in 1955 to 986,275 cwt from 1,243,501 cwt in 1954. The 986,275 cwt exported in 1955 included 223,320 cwt of fresh or frozen fish, 400,943 cwt of cured or salted herrings and 162,608 cwt of fish in airtight containers. The comparable figures for 1954 were, fresh or frozen fish, 191,290 cwt, cured or salted herrings, 712,513 cwt, and fish in airtight containers, 161,096 cwt.

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Landings. The different kinds of fish are divided into three main groups: Demersal, Pelagic and Shell. The name of each kind of fish included under each group is shown in Table I.

Place of Capture. (See Tables 4, 5 and 8). The fishing grounds are divided into statistical regions which are given in detail below.

"Distant Waters" include the Barents Sea and waters adjacent to Bear Island, Spitzbergen, Greenland, Iceland, Labrador, Newfoundland, the Norwegian Coast, and the Mauretanian Coast.

"Near and Middle Waters" comprise the North Sea, the Irish Sea, the Bristol and English Channels, and waters adjacent to the Farøes, Rockall, West of Scotland, and west and south of Ireland.

Deep Sea Landings include catches by all vessels making voyages of over 72 hours duration.

Vessels 40 ft and over registered length. As from 1st January, 1955, the division of classes of fishing vessels is based on registered length. Those classified as 40 ft and over in these tables are the vessels formerly described as first-class vessels of 15 gross tons and over.

Inshore Landings include catches by vessels under 40 ft registered length, and by vessels 40 ft and over registered length, which make voyages of not exceeding 72 hours duration.

Fishermen and Fishing Vessels. Up to 1951 this information was supplied by the Registrar-General of Shipping and Seamen from details entered in the Register. As from 1952, particulars have been collected at the ports by the District Fishery Officers of the Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, and Tables 12, 13 and 14 show the number of vessels and fishermen working during the year. For comparison, Tables 12 and 13 include details obtained by the Ministry by census in 1924, 1928 and 1936.

FISHING REGIONS

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| <p>I. Barents Sea and Murman Coast</p> <p>II. Northward of Norwegian Coast</p> <p>IIa. Norwegian Coast</p> <p>IIb. Bear Island and Spitzbergen</p> <p>III. Skagerrak, Belts and Baltic</p> <p>IIIa. Skagerrak, Kattegat and Belts</p> <p>IIIb. Baltic</p> <p>IV. North Sea</p> <p>IVa. Northern North Sea</p> <p>IVb. Middle North Sea</p> <p>IVc. Southern North Sea</p> <p>V. Iceland and Faroe</p> <p>Va. Iceland</p> <p>Vb. Faroe</p> <p>VI. West of Scotland and Rockall</p> <p>VIa. West of Scotland</p> <p>VIb. Rockall</p> <p>VII. West of Ireland and Channels</p> <p>VIIa. Irish Sea</p> <p>VIIb. West of Ireland</p> <p>VIIc. Porcupine Bank</p> <p>VIIId. English Channel, East</p> <p>VIIe. English Channel, West</p> <p>VIIIf. Bristol Channel</p> <p>VIIlg. South-East Ireland</p> | <p>VIIh. Little Sole Bank</p> <p>VIIj. Great Sole Bank</p> <p>VIIk. West of Great Sole Bank</p> <p>VIII. Gulf of Biscay</p> <p>VIIIa. South Brittany</p> <p>VIIIb. French Biscay</p> <p>VIIIc. Spanish Biscay</p> <p>VIIId. Biscay Deepwater</p> <p>VIIle. West of Biscay</p> <p>IX. Portuguese Coast</p> <p>IXa. Coast of Portugal</p> <p>IXb. West of Portuguese Coast</p> <p>X. Morocco and Madeira</p> <p>Xa. Moroccan Coast</p> <p>Xb. Madeira</p> <p>XI. Mauretania</p> <p>XIa. Canary Islands</p> <p>XIb. Mauretanian Coast</p> <p>XII. Senegal and Guinea</p> <p>XIIa. Coast of Senegal</p> <p>XIIb. Guinea</p> <p>XIII. Mediterranean</p> <p>XIV. East Coast of Greenland</p> <p>XV. West Coast of Greenland</p> <p>XVII. Labrador</p> <p>XIX. Gulf of St. Lawrence</p> <p>XX. Grand Banks, Newfoundland</p> |
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TABLE I

Quantity, Value and Average Value of Each Kind of Fish of British Taking, and the Quantity of Wet Fish of Foreign Taking, excluding Salmon, Landed in 1955

Kinds of Fish	Of British Taking			† Of Foreign Taking
	Quantity	Value	Average Value	Direct from Fishing Grounds
	cwt	£	s. d.	cwt
Bream	5,705	10,475	per cwt 36 9	—
Brill	9,436	72,887	154 6	—
Catfish	119,998	221,901	37 0	8,232
Cod	6,717,423	15,290,950	45 6	282,233
Conger Eels	29,062	55,417	38 2	77
Dabs, Long Rough	412	559	27 2	—
Dabs, Other	40,158	119,950	59 9	5,912
Dogfish	193,932	378,172	39 0	2,144
Dory	1,198	3,441	57 5	—
Flounders or Flukes	4,680	8,935	38 2	—
Gurnards and Latchets	33,519	41,829	25 0	357
Haddock	1,576,338	4,583,143	58 2	104,005
Hake	261,864	2,080,073	158 10	638
Halibut	34,395	389,483	226 6	1,456
Lemon Soles	47,984	369,821	154 2	4,724
Ling	105,757	168,192	31 10	6,942
Megrim	32,564	93,443	57 5	959
Monks (Anglers)	30,159	72,672	48 2	744
Mullet, Grey	922	1,920	41 8	—
Mullet, Red	147	1,264	172 0	—
Plaice	634,050	3,679,238	116 1	72,753
Pollock	11,976	30,940	51 8	160
Redfish	236,317	399,733	33 10	104,323
Saithe (Coalfish)	570,559	910,412	31 11	90,029
Skates and Rays	236,167	800,003	67 9	3,239
Soles	61,514	819,495	266 5	1,070
Torsk (Tusk)	14,884	23,078	31 0	1,610
Turbot	37,465	273,862	146 2	2,280
Whiting	221,458	394,086	35 7	7,830
Witches	7,526	23,507	62 6	1,680
Livers of Fish	512,847	463,983	18 1	8,299
Roes of Fish	40,585	123,958	61 1	2,090
Other kinds or mixed	*47,926	144,982	60 6	2,475
Total Demersal	11,878,927	32,051,804	54 0	716,261
Herrings	809,651	1,000,285	24 8	97,676
Mackerel	37,497	92,595	49 5	4,378
Horse Mackerel	22	2	1 10	42
Pilchards	96,993	124,828	25 9	—
Silver Smelt (Sparling)	—	—	—	—
Sprats	84,749	42,936	10 2	—
Whitebaic	1,586	4,548	57 4	—
Total Pelagic	1,030,498	1,265,194	24 7	102,096
Total Wet Fish	12,909,425	33,316,998	51 7	818,357
<i>Shell Fish</i>				
Oysters	100's 75,164	142,138	per 100 37 10	
Crabs	cwt 74,984	267,521	per cwt 71 4	
Crawfish (Crayfish)	570	9,277	325 6	
Lobsters	9,962	193,489	388 6	
Cockles	151,682	71,888	9 6	
Escallops and Queens	545	1,227	45 0	
Mussels	58,056	31,675	10 11	
Norway Lobsters	5,498	23,259	84 7	
Periwinkles	6,605	9,870	29 11	
Prawns	247	8,164	661 1	
Shrimps	45,322	183,293	80 11	
Whelks	44,943	99,143	39 8	
Value of Shell Fish		1,030,944		
Total Value of all Fish		34,347,942		

* Includes 83 cwt Eels, valued at £937.

† Total foreign landings, including boxed fish and carrier landings, are shown in Table 15, supplied by H.M. Customs and Excise.

TABLE 2a

Quantity and Value of Each Kind of Fish of British Taking Landed at Each Station in 1955

(i) Major Demersal Stations

Kinds of Fish	EAST COAST							
	NORTH SHIELDS		HARTLEPOOL		SCARBOROUGH		HULL	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
	cwt	£	cwt	£	cwt	£	cwt	£
Bream ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	12
Brill ...	11	64	41	265	2	12	—	—
Cadfish ...	1,262	3,220	390	721	12	39	38,427	70,102
Cod ...	49,384	171,615	18,297	62,391	9,884	34,552	2,454,220	5,722,957
	Large	12,588	45,132	4,758	14,979	3,358	11,344	28,753
	Medium	32,533	82,977	3,579	7,601	1,172	1,333,136	2,532,858
	Small	2,608	7,123	20	47	—	—	—
	Unsorted	97,213	306,847	26,754	85,018	14,414	3,799,453	8,284,568
	Total	—	—	—	—	21	47	—
Conger Eels ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dabs, Long Rough ...	2	11	2	6	—	—	19	25
Dabs, Other ...	477	1,170	319	639	42	111	3,661	8,708
Dogfish ...	930	1,815	175	416	50	81	2,851	5,592
Dory ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Eels ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Flounders or Rukes ...	16	19	—	—	—	—	—	—
Gurnards and Latchets ...	486	657	518	666	63	116	51	88
Haddock ...	Large	268	951	—	—	—	147,874	489,354
	Medium	5,063	14,318	1,190	4,083	—	321,091	911,405
	Small	11,095	27,370	5,706	15,003	38	150,643	611,004
	Unsorted	29,105	85,366	—	—	2,830	11,762	2
	Total	45,531	129,005	6,896	19,086	2,868	719,610	2,021,776
Hake ...	Large	—	—	—	—	—	20	232
	Medium	1	9	1	13	—	173	1,669
	Small	2	7	14	101	—	303	2,213
	Unsorted	61	449	—	—	—	5	70
	Total	64	465	15	114	—	501	4,204
Halibut ...	465	4,891	75	994	—	—	9,332	101,062
Lemon Soles ...	4,109	38,381	1,271	8,925	143	1,313	6,884	49,273
Ling ...	3,610	7,199	301	481	623	1,324	12,129	20,667
Megrims ...	4	22	—	—	—	—	681	1,554
Monks or Anglers ...	4,914	10,562	347	1,184	40	162	111	575
Mullet, Grey ...	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mullet, Red ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Plaice ...	Large	1	399	2,074	—	—	1,506	8,863
	Medium	32	205	2,109	15,071	—	24,304	172,496
	Small	62	326	1,551	7,005	19	44,492	202,235
	Unsorted	5,216	34,465	—	—	691	4,434	10
	Total	5,311	34,998	4,059	24,150	710	4,514	70,312
Pollock ...	499	1,060	29	68	—	—	—	—
Redfish ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	154,311	259,383
Saithe (Coalfish) ...	8,080	9,419	595	726	13	13	157,047	263,683
Skates and Rays ...	8,076	19,634	1,979	5,745	1,515	5,616	3,776	8,068
Soles ...	Large	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Medium	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Small	—	—	57	597	—	—	—
	Unsorted	52	357	—	—	154	2,253	—
	Total	52	357	57	597	155	2,266	—
Torsk (Tusk) ...	49	68	—	—	—	—	2,906	4,075
Turbot ...	1,863	11,893	675	4,130	438	2,570	—	—
Whiting ...	29,943	48,068	2,232	4,014	623	1,260	2,813	6,071
Witches ...	1,966	7,524	151	509	—	—	550	1,084
Livers of Fish ...	13,715	5,479	1,748	2,133	—	—	294,353	267,388
Ross of Fish ...	2,075	5,950	446	1,381	—	—	20,441	61,004
All Others and Mixed ...	2,806	16,365	667	2,926	2,837	11,406	15,056	55,158
Total Demersal Fish ...	233,530	664,145	50,742	164,894	24,549	91,374	5,315,282	11,879,019
Herrings ...	132,799	154,832	2,289	2,354	70,876	61,838	14	27
Mackerel ...	2,917	2,484	—	—	—	—	—	—
Horse Mackerel ...	9	2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pitchards ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Silver Smelt (Spartling) ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sprats ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Whitebaie ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Wee Fish ...	370,155	821,463	53,031	167,248	95,445	153,212	5,315,297	11,879,049
Shell Fish								
Oysters ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Crabs ...	620	1,940	404	983	3,357	9,503	—	—
Crawfish (Crayfish) ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Loobsters ...	189	3,352	478	10,343	414	5,969	—	—
Escallops and Queens ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Norway Lobsters ...	600	3,537	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other Shell Fish ...	—	16	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total All Fish ...	371,566	930,208	53,913	178,374	99,216	168,684	5,315,297	11,879,049

TABLE 2a—continued

(i) Major Demersal Stations—continued

Kinds of Fish	EAST COAST				SOUTH COAST			
	GRIMSBY		LOWESTOFT		BRIXHAM		NEWLYN	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
	cwt	£	cwt	£	cwt	£	cwt	£
Bream	8	9	—	—	73	34	—	—
Brill	3,730	30,177	2,255	17,352	296	2,305	448	3,461
Cadfish	69,166	130,468	388	765	—	—	—	—
Cod	Large	626,559	1,591,623	7,500	20,800	15	63	—
	Medium	1,465,973	3,249,440	21,229	73,545	—	—	—
	Small	118,338	260,464	12,133	32,997	—	—	—
	Unsorted	986	2,725	—	—	336	1,049	2,632
	Total	2,211,856	5,104,252	40,862	127,342	351	1,112	8,344
Conger Eels	56	115	339	691	619	773	8,448	18,974
Dabs, Long Rough	269	359	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dabs, Other	20,182	69,633	7,080	20,230	414	1,366	150	252
Dogfish	111,340	217,300	1,093	2,797	1,180	585	9,055	10,543
Dory	59	94	5	6	172	745	379	1,182
Eels	—	—	58	660	—	—	—	—
Flounders or Flukes	278	190	669	587	178	241	1	4
Gurnards and Larders	4,515	5,361	2,302	3,890	4,438	5,771	4,169	4,488
Haddock	Large	59,235	236,916	3,905	13,414	108	—	—
	Medium	311,880	992,513	—	—	5	18	—
	Small	168,398	439,003	12,697	33,059	208	667	—
	Unsorted	3,919	11,630	—	—	111	370	1,094
	Total	543,432	1,680,062	16,602	46,473	432	1,463	4,466
Hake	Large	146	1,591	—	—	347	3,080	4,466
	Medium	438	4,057	—	—	291	2,659	—
	Small	178	1,186	1	3	1,795	10,864	—
	Unsorted	321	2,823	169	1,016	137	278	3,033
	Total	1,083	9,657	170	1,019	2,570	16,881	20,526
Halibut	16,612	187,047	70	1,044	—	—	—	—
Lemon Soles	22,085	179,459	1,984	15,758	1,241	9,683	934	5,882
Ling	23,240	35,745	337	441	120	197	2,281	6,343
Megrim	785	2,447	77	146	677	2,835	1,691	8,230
Monks or Anglers	6,586	16,024	710	1,313	723	2,578	751	2,876
Muller, Grey	—	—	—	—	18	60	9	43
Muller, Red	2	24	13	99	59	476	58	535
Plaice	Large	40,857	256,716	19,002	88,759	95	826	—
	Medium	107,517	786,094	19,580	132,676	153	1,278	—
	Small	188,039	1,070,651	77,033	340,810	680	3,198	—
	Unsorted	615	4,439	—	—	1,665	10,302	1,479
	Total	337,028	2,117,900	115,615	562,245	2,593	15,604	7,402
Pollock	1,253	3,347	85	187	537	1,396	680	2,566
Redfish	75,717	130,596	—	—	—	—	—	—
Saithe (Coalfish)	183,990	302,050	233	404	—	—	17	30
Skates and Rays	40,499	134,416	20,576	78,536	5,250	18,844	15,021	60,718
Soles	Large	108	1,731	6,979	92,839	289	3,970	—
	Medium	191	2,398	—	—	138	1,886	—
	Small	28	324	8,066	108,819	79	780	—
	Unsorted	22,566	301,761	1	18	505	6,719	1,432
	Total	22,893	306,214	15,046	201,676	1,011	13,355	1,432
Torsk (Tusk)	3,755	5,633	—	—	—	—	—	—
Turbac	17,156	132,459	9,382	66,134	440	3,460	675	5,138
Whiting	14,926	36,631	22,214	49,744	13,643	17,965	1,974	5,226
Witches	1,377	4,291	258	1,060	—	—	—	—
Livers of Fish	150,016	127,570	—	—	—	—	—	—
Roets of Fish	11,302	37,336	326	2,056	—	—	144	422
All Others and Mixed	6,740	16,046	1,390	2,459	4,245	11,696	1,882	4,525
Total Demersal Fish	3,901,938	11,023,112	260,139	1,205,114	41,280	129,425	58,437	200,565
Herrings	4,946	6,515	219,882	310,113	—	—	161	265
Mackerel	290	543	766	2,418	1,208	2,324	14,254	44,744
Horle Mackerel	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pilchards	—	—	3,727	3,682	557	885	22,597	28,388
Silver Smelt (Spartling)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sprats	—	—	74	275	8,530	4,194	—	—
Whitebait	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Wet Fish	3,907,174	11,030,170	484,588	1,521,602	51,575	136,828	95,449	273,962
Shell Fish								
Oysters	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Crabs	6,886	21,868	—	—	172	1,108	150	584
Crawfish (Crayfish)	—	—	—	—	—	—	39	609
Loabsters	81	1,796	—	—	—	907	31	556
Escallops and Queens	38	45	—	—	325	784	—	—
Norway Lobsters	25	112	33	204	—	—	—	—
Other Shell Fish	4,582	7,956	322	2,003	—	—	—	—
Total All Fish	3,918,786	11,061,947	484,943	1,523,809	52,118	139,627	95,669	275,711

TABLE 2a—continued

(i) Major Demersal Stations—concluded

Kinds of Fish	WEST COAST							
	CARDIFF		SWANSEA		MILFORD HAVEN		FLEETWOOD	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
	cwt	£	cwt	£	cwt	£	cwt	£
Bream	652	1,381	1,017	1,578	1,459	2,873	2,459	4,508
Brill	—	—	97	623	1,041	7,027	861	6,757
Cardfish	—	—	83	214	12,079	28,848	10,340	16,550
Cod	1,462	4,158	2,601	7,841	20,706	58,113	346,911	891,570
			366	1,014	5,137	13,493	19	46
			—	—	—	—	68,466	135,917
			3,050	9,069	37,922	100,454	415,396	1,027,533
Conger Eels	81	112	420	328	9,620	15,952	4,585	8,633
Dabs, Long Rough	—	—	14	15	—	—	89	110
Dabs, Other	—	—	513	820	1,824	2,903	2,060	5,035
Ogfish	872	1,731	1,638	2,881	15,712	24,818	45,157	102,693
Dory	—	—	8	15	300	773	206	377
Eels	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rounders or Flukes	—	—	84	118	101	102	197	108
Gurnards and Larches	9	1	129	62	6,037	5,290	10,346	14,692
Haddock	1,582	3,925	323	1,536	427	1,895	52,781	186,441
			2,667	8,950	3,982	13,485	50,903	148,085
			1,958	3,900	21,590	49,576	49,913	98,280
			29	21	1	2	—	—
Hake	15,972	142,693	4,977	14,407	26,000	64,958	153,597	432,806
			21,593	10,050	10,050	88,325	10,159	101,387
			3,971	35,894	11,571	111,828	54,761	542,594
			14,132	89,805	56,720	337,814	57,621	432,275
Halibut	24,694	221,060	20,527	147,292	78,341	537,967	129,876	1,115,366
			57	699	415	4,562	5,809	71,142
			173	1,344	3,346	19,700	5,158	33,495
			3,425	4,514	10,989	16,201	41,789	63,929
Lemon Soles	1,399	4,182	2,617	6,932	16,907	44,634	7,715	22,402
Ling	6,036	8,998	513	1,475	9,569	15,301	5,107	17,375
Megrim	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Monks or Anglers	404	1,647	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mullet, Gray	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mullet, Red	—	—	—	—	6	32	1	10
Plaice	82	141	148	1,398	3,570	27,181	25,500	181,074
			668	5,220	—	—	—	—
			3,588	12,954	7,499	27,629	28,038	140,656
			161	390	—	—	1	7
Pollock	6,740	12,439	4,565	19,962	11,069	54,810	53,539	321,737
			325	852	3,881	9,816	4,334	10,777
			—	—	—	—	6,289	9,554
			3,610	4,259	18,275	24,589	190,216	289,029
Redfish	506	1,458	6,073	17,361	55,886	183,532	55,480	186,624
Saithe (Coalfish)	—	—	71	1,025	—	—	3,737	55,509
Skates and Rays	—	—	130	1,387	5,882	86,950	1	14
			534	3,221	5,134	62,429	1,999	25,266
			—	—	—	—	—	—
			735	5,633	11,016	149,379	5,737	80,789
Soles	1,849	2,698	336	281	254	160	5,735	10,163
Torsk (Tusk)	—	—	170	887	2,514	17,079	2,410	17,687
Turbot	311	809	1,337	2,749	37,135	68,496	26,318	45,065
Whiting	11	9	—	—	350	1,190	2,383	5,950
Witches	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Livers of Fish	—	—	77	396	646	1,443	4,918	13,283
Roos of Fish	174	424	—	—	—	—	—	—
All Others and Mixed	792	1,413	1,493	1,923	3,958	5,225	4,858	11,681
Total Demersal Fish	47,805	268,106	57,980	246,475	364,573	1,379,266	1,255,907	4,007,210
Herrings	37	116	387	534	44,243	72,528	1,456	1,855
Mackerel	264	514	842	2,439	2,985	5,757	1,704	1,745
Horser Mackerel	—	—	—	—	13	—	—	—
Pilchards	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Silver Smelt (Sparling)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sprats	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Whitebait	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Wet Fish	48,106	268,736	59,209	249,448	411,814	1,437,551	1,259,067	4,010,810
Shell Fish								
Oysters	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Crabs	—	—	—	—	51	122	—	—
Crawfish (Crayfish)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lobsters	—	—	—	—	184	3,674	—	—
Escallops and Queens	—	—	—	—	—	—	32	63
Norway Lobsters	—	—	8	33	815	3,906	4,017	15,367
Other Shell Fish	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,789	5,724
Total All Fish	48,106	268,736	59,217	249,481	412,866	1,465,253	1,264,905	4,031,964

TABLE 2a—continued

Quantity of the Principal Kinds of Fish of British Taking Landed at Each Station in 1955

(ii) Other Stations

Stations	WET FISH										
	Cod	Dabs, Other	Haddock	Plaice	Skates and Rays	Soles	Whiting	Herrings or Whitebait	Pilchards	Sprats	Others and Mixed
EAST COAST											
Holy Island...	—	—	1	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—
North Sunderland...	8,172	135	2,191	431	29	10	3,113	26,007	—	—	41
Beadnell...	—	—	18	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Newcon...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Craster...	46	—	47	—	—	—	16	—	—	—	1
Boulmer...	39	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Amble...	3,157	122	961	619	138	2	3,748	—	—	—	142
Newbiggin...	2,208	14	625	2	38	—	367	—	—	—	8
Blyth...	1,098	31	700	556	160	110	941	—	—	—	232
Cullercoats...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sunderland...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	16
Seaham Harbour...	91	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10
Redcar...	103	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Swiches...	507	—	17	—	5	—	21	—	—	—	23
Whitby...	3,670	—	514	45	223	13	53	68,190	—	—	510
Filey...	3,412	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Flamborough...	251	—	29	6	22	10	—	—	—	—	—
Bridlington...	8,866	—	—	—	1,521	—	—	544	—	—	87
Withernsea...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Boston...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Poodyke...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
King's Lynn...	—	—	—	—	163	—	—	—	—	—	—
Brancaster...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wells...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	63	—	—	23
Blakeney...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10
Sheringham...	1	—	—	—	4	—	—	133	—	—	57
Cromer...	—	—	—	—	5	—	—	479	—	—	13
Winterton...	—	—	—	—	36	—	—	1,114	—	—	—
Yarmouth...	—	—	—	—	64	—	—	221,875	584	8	166
Kessingland...	—	—	—	—	45	2	—	393	—	30	—
Southwold...	—	26	—	16	205	138	—	447	—	68	7
Aldeburgh...	—	—	—	105	230	258	—	—	—	637	—
Felixstowe Ferry...	—	—	—	5	23	10	—	—	—	885	—
Tollesbury...	—	—	—	—	11	—	—	—	—	10,373	—
Harwich...	—	3	—	101	87	69	—	—	—	3,620	6
Brighthelm...	—	—	—	—	867	60	—	—	—	23,329	—
West Mersea...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	26
Maldon...	—	—	—	—	80	—	—	—	—	—	95
Burnham-on-Crouch...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Southend...	—	—	—	8	779	2	—	56	—	7,372	—
Leigh-on-Sea...	—	—	—	—	45	26	—	*1,586	—	—	—
Gravesend...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rochester...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Queenborough...	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	11
Whitstable...	—	—	—	—	1,199	—	—	—	—	23,639	—
Margate...	—	—	—	9	99	6	—	—	—	—	16
Broadstairs...	—	—	—	2	8	3	—	—	—	—	—
Ramsgate...	18	3	—	195	259	73	17	—	—	—	289
Deal...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	148	—	2	—

* Whitebait.

TABLE 2a—continued

(ii) Other Stations—continued

Stations	WET FISH		SHELL FISH								Total Value of Wet and Shell Fish
	Total Quantity	Total Value	Crabs	Lobsters	Cockles	Mussels	Periwinkles	Shrimps	Whelks	Oysters	
EAST COAST	cwt	£	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	100's	£
Holy Island...	3	6	1,618	446	—	305	735	—	—	—	11,247
North Sunderland...	40,129	42,596	6,785	466	—	—	21	—	—	—	70,027
Beadnell...	18	27	3,565	167	—	—	—	—	—	—	12,918
Newton...	—	—	992	111	—	—	—	—	—	—	4,084
Craster...	110	391	1,658	123	—	—	—	—	—	—	6,174
Boulmer...	39	103	233	162	—	—	—	—	—	—	3,557
Amble...	8,889	18,167	712	105	—	—	—	—	—	—	21,684
Newbiggin...	3,262	9,418	896	352	—	—	—	—	—	—	18,370
Blyth...	3,828	10,142	829	162	—	—	—	—	—	—	14,562
Cullercoats...	—	—	72	39	—	—	—	—	—	—	873
Sunderland...	16	79	78	103	—	—	—	—	—	—	2,490
Seaham Harbour...	104	283	244	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	758
Redcar...	103	338	115	142	—	—	—	—	—	—	3,124
Staithes...	573	1,695	743	202	—	—	2	—	—	—	7,325
Whitby...	73,218	73,713	11,575	1,039	—	—	—	—	—	—	135,871
Filey...	3,414	12,642	1,505	181	—	—	—	—	—	—	19,820
Ramborough...	318	1,160	2,069	68	—	—	—	—	—	—	8,709
Bridlington...	11,018	36,622	7,270	140	—	—	—	—	—	—	62,654
Withernsea...	—	—	38	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	132
Boston...	—	—	—	—	8,666	25,664	—	9,903	—	—	56,508
Fosdyke...	—	—	—	—	1,056	3,156	—	1,739	—	—	8,999
King's Lynn...	163	819	—	—	10,248	4,281	—	7,628	—	—	28,824
Brancaster...	—	—	—	—	1,482	3,203	16	—	9,796	—	25,035
Wells...	86	168	—	—	3,277	3,075	73	—	16,739	—	62,310
Blakeney...	10	42	—	—	—	2,561	—	—	—	—	2,559
Sheringham...	195	409	3,833	217	15	25	—	—	94	—	20,263
Cromer...	497	677	3,571	99	—	—	—	15	821	—	21,108
Winterton...	1,150	1,642	55	5	—	—	—	83	42	—	2,469
Yarmouth...	222,697	291,053	—	—	—	—	—	975	—	—	296,827
Kessingland...	470	1,432	—	—	—	—	—	91	—	—	1,922
Southwold...	907	3,137	—	—	—	—	—	62	—	—	3,431
Aldeburgh...	1,230	6,086	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6,086
Felixstowe Ferry...	923	668	—	64	—	—	—	275	1,772	—	5,882
Tollesbury...	10,384	4,493	—	—	—	—	—	268	—	—	5,553
Harwich...	3,886	2,735	—	67	—	—	—	1,382	73	—	8,963
Brightlingsea...	24,256	15,223	—	—	—	—	379	1,052	—	17,751	55,926
West Mersea...	26	254	—	—	—	—	728	28	—	14,595	27,571
Maldon...	175	742	—	—	—	—	1,360	67	—	—	4,378
Burnham-on-Crouch...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2,395	4,303
Southend...	8,217	9,873	—	—	7,893	—	—	386	—	—	14,789
Leigh-on-Sea...	1,657	5,051	—	—	55,968	—	487	5,958	—	—	40,307
Gravesend...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	354	—	—	1,888
Rochester...	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	1,127	—	—	3,643
Queenborough...	12	88	—	—	301	—	121	133	—	—	788
Whitstable...	24,938	17,966	—	—	180	—	—	461	1,268	23,326	76,011
Margate...	130	792	38	74	—	—	—	286	8	—	3,381
Broadstairs...	13	113	7	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	337
Ramsgate...	854	5,174	—	—	—	—	—	12	125	—	5,472
Deal...	150	325	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	325

TABLE 2a—continued

(ii) Other Stations—continued

Stations	WET FISH										
	Conger Eels	Dabs	Dogfish	Plaice	Skates and Rays	Solus	Turbot	Whiting	Herrings	Mackerel	Pilchards
SOUTH COAST	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt
Dover	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6,669	35	899
Folkestone	86	—	1,248	1,500	1,861	297	1,056	56	183	110	—
Hythe	—	8	—	1,022	4	27	7	—	149	12	—
Dungeness	—	39	9	1,785	58	118	—	—	755	140	—
Rye	—	—	—	94	4	7	—	1	—	—	—
Hastings	—	477	32	2,819	326	206	64	62	800	34	—
Eastbourne	—	—	—	412	—	—	—	—	1,461	—	—
Newhaven	—	512	63	693	411	372	—	354	663	211	—
Brighton, Kingston, Shoreham	—	32	45	142	103	191	29	—	519	2	—
Isle of Wight	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	21	—
Selsey	—	—	—	12	—	12	—	—	—	—	—
Portsmouth	—	—	—	132	152	29	—	—	—	17	—
Christchurch	—	—	—	33	2	11	—	—	4	—	—
Poole	—	—	—	456	209	201	—	—	—	—	—
Swanage	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chapman's Pool and Kimmeridge	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Weymouth	—	—	—	128	116	44	—	63	—	252	—
Wyke Regis	17	—	—	—	11	—	—	—	—	1,987	—
Abbotsbury	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	102	1,825	25
West Bay	—	24	—	37	3	4	2	4	—	—	—
Seaton	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Beer	27	59	120	142	125	40	1	219	—	53	—
Sidmouth	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10	—
Lymington	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	20	365	—
Teignmouth	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	37	—
Torquay	3	64	10	152	55	27	40	1,734	1	376	—
Dartmouth	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hallsands, Beesands	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hope Cove	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Yealm	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Plymouth	997	131	177	1,265	1,242	418	94	2,791	171	252	4,115
Portwrinkle	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	14	4
Loos	118	—	33	14	153	4	8	7	—	92	33,155
Palperra	610	—	11	—	118	—	20	190	—	15	6,924
Mevagissey	1,704	—	1,102	173	1,125	34	28	930	—	4,506	23,345
Gorran Haven	—	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	19	—
Pardoe	16	—	—	29	23	1	1	—	—	134	345
Porchester	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Coverack	20	—	—	—	1	—	3	—	—	74	—
Cadgwith	—	—	—	—	8	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mullion	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Portleven	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	712
Penberth	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Portgwarra	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Silly Isles	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

TABLE 2a—continued

(ii) Other Stations—continued

Stations	WET FISH				SHELL FISH					Total Value of Wet and Shell Fish
	Sprats	All Others and Mixed	Total Quantity	Total Value	Crabs	Lobsters and Crawfish	Periwinkles	Prawns	Other Shell Fish	
SOUTH COAST	cwt	cwt	cwt	£	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	£
Dover	—	—	7,603	10,361	—	—	—	—	—	10,361
Folkestone	39	153	6,589	31,216	—	—	—	—	—	31,216
Hythe	67	119	1,415	5,691	—	—	—	—	374	6,085
Dungeness	177	2	3,283	11,747	—	—	—	—	—	11,747
Rye	—	1	107	555	—	—	—	—	—	555
Hastings	10	135	4,965	24,622	—	—	—	—	—	24,622
Eastbourne	—	—	1,873	5,285	—	44	—	—	12	6,321
Newhaven	—	42	3,121	15,746	—	4	—	—	7	15,884
Brighton, Kingston, Shoreham ...	—	27	1,090	6,680	1	22	—	—	88	7,478
Isle of Wight	—	—	23	121	136	248	201	84	193	17,416
Selsey	—	—	24	203	364	268	—	81	—	12,427
Portsmouth	—	201	531	2,282	—	—	213	—	153	2,825
Christchurch	—	3	53	485	45	92	—	—	—	2,530
Poole	925	184	1,975	7,812	125	137	856	—	—	12,844
Swanage	—	—	—	—	108	86	—	—	—	2,093
Chapman's Pool and Kimmeridge ...	—	—	—	—	80	131	—	—	—	3,059
Weymouth	22	68	693	2,599	94	99	—	79	—	6,727
Wyke Regis	—	21	2,036	4,631	937	208	—	—	—	14,785
Abbotsbury	—	2	1,954	2,725	—	—	—	—	—	2,725
West Bay	—	—	74	297	1	13	—	—	—	536
Seaton	—	—	—	—	26	29	—	—	—	614
Beer	1	14	801	3,105	174	111	—	—	—	5,900
Sidmouth	—	—	10	30	—	—	—	—	—	30
Lymington	—	2	393	852	—	—	512	—	18	1,430
Teignmouth	—	26	63	158	—	—	536	—	394	1,141
Torquay	4,937	184	7,583	8,519	—	28	—	—	21	9,125
Dartmouth	—	—	—	—	3,630	26	—	—	110	20,124
Hallsands, Beestands	—	260	260	600	5,623	—	—	—	—	30,290
Hope Cove	—	—	—	—	198	77	—	—	—	2,689
Yealm	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	336
Plymouth	—	1,802	13,455	50,277	311	149	—	—	102	55,644
Portwrinkle	—	—	18	44	6	22	—	—	—	594
Loe	4	30	33,618	47,644	64	68	—	—	—	49,431
Polperro	—	31	7,919	11,630	150	70	—	—	—	13,973
Mevagissey	—	491	33,438	50,733	222	81	—	—	—	53,065
Gorran Haven	—	—	23	54	224	59	—	—	—	2,353
Pordoe	—	9	558	971	320	190	—	—	—	5,641
Portsmouth	—	—	—	—	96	24	—	—	—	936
Coverack	—	5	103	29	389	57	—	—	—	2,899
Cadgwith	—	—	8	16	328	284	—	—	—	6,647
Mullion	—	—	—	—	294	151	—	—	—	3,672
Portleven	—	—	712	990	95	96	—	—	—	3,006
Penberth	—	—	—	—	150	44	—	—	—	1,614
Portgwarra	—	—	—	—	102	19	—	—	—	872
Scilly Isles	—	—	—	—	32	182	—	—	—	3,164

TABLE 2a—continued

(ii) Other Stations—continued

Stations	WET FISH										
	Brill	Cod	Conger Eels	Dabs	Dogfish	Flounders	Hake	Plaice	Skates and Rays	Soles	Whiting
WEST COAST	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt
Sennen Cove	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	20	—	—
St Ives	61	153	884	17	454	—	59	235	4,251	15	137
Newquay (Cornwall) ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	21	—	—
Padstow	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Port Isaac and district ...	3	—	1	4	1	—	—	1	27	9	—
Ilfracombe	—	50	366	2	388	—	—	330	841	6	1
Burry Inlet	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
Tenby	2	—	—	14	—	—	—	32	9	—	10
Newquay (Cards)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—
Aberystwyth	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Aberdovey	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pwllheli	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	11	—	—
Aberdaron	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Carmarvon	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	46	25	1	—
Bangor	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	82	22	3	—
Conway	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	646	482	320	2,979
Rhyl to Connah	—	—	—	90	—	108	—	192	23	—	6
Holyhead	—	730	—	30	11	—	255	8	11	—	35,239
Moylake	—	—	—	258	—	65	—	224	53	25	14
Mersey Estuary	—	—	—	497	—	86	—	300	25	43	10
Southport	—	—	—	2	—	1	—	3	—	—	—
Lytham St. Anne's	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Blackpool	—	35	—	25	—	—	—	10	—	—	—
Knot End	—	4	—	—	—	4	—	54	—	—	—
Lune Estuary	—	—	—	—	—	20	—	—	—	—	—
Morecambe	—	—	—	—	—	669	—	105	11	15	—
Hest Bank	—	—	—	—	—	80	—	22	—	—	—
Kent Estuary	—	—	—	—	—	356	—	—	—	—	—
Flookburgh	—	—	—	—	—	224	—	38	—	—	—
Whitehaven	99	2,823	—	480	60	—	278	11,432	2,081	101	13,877
Coast Road	—	33	—	51	—	381	—	183	—	—	—
Barrow	—	50	—	71	—	44	—	115	6	—	—
Duddon Estuary	—	2	—	—	—	182	—	73	2	—	—
Workington	—	24	—	—	—	—	—	264	338	4	—
Maryport	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	130	73	—	—
Silloth	—	—	—	59	—	180	—	90	101	—	—

TABLE 2a—concluded

(ii) Other Stations—concluded

Stations	WET FISH					SHELL FISH					Total Value of Wet and Shell Fish
	Herrings	Mackerel	All Others and Mixed	Total Quantity	Total Value	Crabs	Lobsters and Crawfish	Cockles and Periwinkles	Mussels	Shrimps	
WEST COAST	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	£	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	£
Sennen Cove ...	—	—	412	432	842	179	272	—	—	—	5,607
Scilly ...	352	1,017	563	8,218	29,506	58	158	—	—	—	32,593
Newquay (Cornwall) ...	3	70	102	196	668	8	37	—	—	—	1,427
Padstow ...	—	—	—	—	—	16	41	—	60	—	894
Port Isaac and district ...	45	12	—	103	310	163	351	—	—	—	6,959
Ilfracombe ...	—	—	18	2,002	5,608	—	—	—	—	—	5,608
Burry Inlet ...	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	37,671	582	1	21,537
Tenby ...	—	—	5	72	341	—	—	—	—	—	341
Newquay (Corns.) ...	88	141	1	232	1,413	15	93	—	—	—	2,368
Aberystwyth ...	—	11	—	11	94	—	126	—	—	—	2,254
Aberdovey ...	—	4	—	4	22	—	44	—	—	—	822
Pwllheli ...	9	—	1	30	128	—	61	—	—	—	1,179
Aberdaron ...	8	37	—	45	229	59	141	—	—	—	3,360
Caernarvon ...	—	—	—	79	486	—	—	65	9	—	590
Bangor ...	—	—	—	108	761	—	—	165	1,408	—	1,906
Conwy ...	110	—	—	4,537	15,373	—	—	—	10,200	—	22,503
Rhyl or Connah ...	—	—	—	419	1,388	—	—	—	—	262	2,861
Holyhead ...	—	—	385	36,669	58,649	18	57	—	—	—	59,715
Haylake ...	—	—	12	651	1,912	—	—	264	—	1,899	13,330
Mersey Estuary ...	—	—	—	961	2,622	—	—	—	—	403	4,956
Southport ...	—	—	—	6	16	—	—	14	—	1,175	7,786
Lytham St. Anne's ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,159	1,603	10,459
Blackpool ...	—	—	—	70	304	—	—	—	—	219	1,582
Knott End ...	—	—	—	62	283	—	—	—	—	—	283
Lune Estuary ...	—	—	—	20	72	—	—	—	1,880	251	2,134
Morescombe ...	—	—	—	800	1,251	—	—	—	—	1,510	8,810
Mext Bank ...	—	—	—	102	320	—	—	—	—	38	534
Kent Estuary ...	—	—	—	356	1,003	—	—	—	32	8	1,046
Flookburgh ...	—	—	—	262	756	—	—	24,091	—	1,856	20,090
Whitehaven ...	—	—	1,381	12,612	84,378	—	—	—	—	—	84,378
Coast Road ...	—	—	—	648	2,014	—	—	96	62	292	3,030
Barrow ...	—	4	—	290	944	—	—	95	—	—	1,027
Duddon Estuary ...	—	13	—	272	845	—	—	—	—	21	91
Workington ...	—	—	2	632	1,709	—	2	—	—	—	1,74
Maryport ...	—	—	—	203	846	—	—	—	—	2	86
Silloch ...	—	—	74	504	1,494	—	—	—	—	572	3,95

TABLE 2b

Quantity of the Principal Kinds of Fish of Foreign Taking Landed Direct
from the Fishing Grounds at Each Station in 1955

(A) By Fishing Vessels

(B) By Carrier Vessels

Stations	Cartfish	Cod	Dabs	Haddock	Maake	Halibut	Lemon Soles	Ling	Plaice	Redfish	Saithe (Coalfish)	Skates and Rays	Soles	Turbot	Whiting	Witches	Total De- mortal Fish	Herrings	Mackerel	Total Wet Fish (1954)	Total Value of Wet Fish (1954)	Total Wet Fish (1954)	Total Value of Wet Fish (1954)	Stations	
(A)	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	£	£	cwt	£	(A)
North Shields ...	3	174	1	1	—	—	2	—	17	—	—	2	—	—	—	1	203	—	—	—	203	480	101	123	North Shields
Hartlepool ...	180	8,710	55	64	—	4	231	2	1,838	—	8	98	5	165	93	25	11,707	—	8	11,841	34,619	11,841	41,461	Hartlepool	
Hull ...	498	22,334	880	1,561	1	25	302	119	8,327	40	367	119	61	188	918	40	36,715	94,289	1,564	132,568	284,482	123,870	275,081	Hull	
Grimby ...	7,551	250,385	4,966	102,343	283	1,424	4,124	6,745	62,251	104,283	89,579	2,130	768	1,868	6,132	1,609	682,930	860	1,314	665,146	1,697,687	491,108	1,450,202	Grimby	
Lowestoft ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	7	—	—	1	—	11	—	—	—	11	23	—	Lowestoft	
Brixham ...	—	26	—	—	5	—	1	3	9	—	—	134	10	2	18	—	386	—	—	—	386	676	2,330	Brixham	
Plymouth ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	5	—	—	10	1	—	11	—	46	—	—	—	46	98	299	Plymouth	
Newlyn...	—	254	10	29	111	—	59	34	79	—	18	507	157	40	408	1	2,395	90	1,215	3,700	12,916	1,252	4,610	Newlyn	
Millford Haven...	—	188	—	6	228	3	3	39	18	—	57	223	68	17	249	4	1,486	2,437	277	4,200	8,638	192	540	Millford Haven	
Whitehaven ...	—	162	—	1	—	—	—	—	208	—	—	9	—	—	—	—	382	—	—	—	382	1,067	—	Whitehaven	
(B)																								(B)	
Grimby ...	—	1,731	20	13,804	—	2,717	9	100	3	—	17	311	—	—	38	—	20,558	—	—	—	20,558	81,071	11,767	41,503	Grimby

TABLE 3

Expenditure of Fishing Power by each Description of British Vessels
of 40 ft and over Registered Length Employing Demersal-Catching Methods in 1955

St.—Steam

M.—Motor

Regions	Trawl		Danish Seine		Line		Pareja		Trawl		Danish Seine		Pareja	
	St.	M.	St.	M.	St.	M.	St.	M.	St.	M.	St.	M.	St.	M.
Number of Landings														
Barents Sea (I)	760	42	—	—	1	—	—	—	94,514	5,407	—	—	—	—
Norwegian Coast (IIa)	241	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	28,867	645	—	—	—	—
Bear Island and Spitzbergen (IIb)	699	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	71,461	495	—	—	—	—
North Sea—North (IVa)	350	141	—	51	—	1	—	—	31,239	13,959	—	4,687	—	—
Middle (IVb)	3,366	1,140	—	4,016	—	3,013	—	—	352,066	125,302	1,606	117,010	—	—
South (IVc)	371	1,442	—	7	—	325	—	—	41,712	105,837	—	746	—	—
Total (IV)	4,087	2,723	—	18	—	3,339	—	—	425,017	245,098	1,606	122,443	—	—
Iceland (Va)	1,759	20	—	4	—	—	—	—	212,344	2,718	—	403	—	—
Faroe (Vb)	616	25	—	1	—	—	—	—	64,804	2,510	—	18	—	—
West of Scotland (VIa)	1,403	184	—	7	—	—	—	—	172,214	19,421	—	226	—	—
Rockall (Vib)	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,045	—	—	—	—	—
Irish Sea (VIlia)	574	805	—	984	38	—	—	—	54,851	18,254	—	18,305	—	—
West of Ireland (VIlb and VIlc)	167	8	—	—	—	—	13	—	30,193	795	—	—	1,191	—
English Channel (VId and VIle)	1	3,094	—	9	—	540	—	—	128	78,453	—	70	—	—
Bristol Channel (VIIf)	238	672	—	—	2	426	—	—	22,626	23,065	—	—	—	—
South of Ireland (VIlg—k)	473	25	—	—	—	247	35	—	57,905	2,573	—	—	1,991	—
West Coast of Greenland (XV)	17	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,858	932	—	—	—	—
Grand Banks, Newfoundland (XX)	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3,570	—	—	—	—
Total	11,045	7,615	18	5,079	41	4,552	49	—	1,237,827	403,936	1,606	141,465	—	3,182

TABLE 3—continued

Region	St.—Steam			M.—Motor		
	Trawl		Danish Seine		Line	
	St.	M.	St.	M.	St.	M.
Pareja	Number of Days Absent on Voyages			Average Duration of Voyage (in days)		
	St.	M.	St.	M.	St.	M.
Barents Sea (I) ...	15,563	858	—	—	20.5	20.4
Norwegian Coast (IIa) ...	4,668	110	—	—	19.4	22.0
Bear Island and Spitzbergen (IIb) ...	12,854	107	—	—	18.4	17.8
North Sea—North (IVa) ...	3,672	1,757	—	631	10.5	12.5
Middle (IVb) ...	25,119	8,429	178	15,731	7.5	7.4
South (IVc) ...	2,732	7,057	—	91	7.4	4.9
Total (IV) ...	31,523	17,243	178	16,453	7.7	6.3
Ireland (Va) ...	31,073	364	—	90	17.7	18.2
Faroe (Vb) ...	8,367	316	—	3	13.6	12.6
West of Scotland (VIa) ...	17,712	2,309	—	33	12.6	12.5
Rockall (Vlb) ...	123	—	—	—	12.3	—
Irish Sea (Vlla) ...	5,568	1,902	—	2,442	9.7	2.4
West of Ireland (Vllb and Vllc) ...	2,423	68	—	—	14.5	8.5
English Channel (Vlll and Vlle) ...	14	6,317	—	9	2.0	2.0
Bristol Channel (Vllf) ...	1,977	2,142	—	—	8.3	3.2
South of Ireland (Vllg—k) ...	4,610	213	—	—	9.7	8.5
West Coast of Greenland (XV) ...	393	89	—	—	23.1	44.5
Grand Banks, Newfoundland (XX) ...	—	278	—	—	—	69.5
Total ...	136,868	32,316	178	19,030	12.4	4.2
					9.9	3.7
					9.2	1.2
					10.3	—

TABLE 4—Quantity of Each Kind of Demersal Fish (excluding Livers and Liver Oils), of British Taking Landed from each Fishing Region, Distinguishing Class of Vessels and Method of Capture in 1955

Kinds of Fish		DEEP SEA VESSELS—ALL REGIONS										Other Vessels	Total Quantity Landed																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																					
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TABLE 4—continued

	BARENTS SEA (Region I)			NORWEGIAN COAST (Region Ila)			BEAR ISLAND AND SPITZBERGEN (Region Iib)			NORTH SEA (Region IV)		
	Trawl			Trawl			Trawl			Trawl		
	Stream	Motor	Line	Stream	Motor	Total	Stream	Motor	Total	Stream	Motor	Total
DEEP SEA VESSELS												
Kinds of Fish												
1	Bream ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2	Brill ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	Calfish ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4	Cod ...	1,439,721	3,762	1,503,963	297,801	304,155	1,720,390	15,006	1,735,396	200,368	47,035	227
5	Conger Eels ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6	Dabs, Long Rough	303	18	321	...	...	40	...	40	4	...	...
7	Dabs, Other ...	3,407	853	4,260	64	103	22	...	22	9,596	6,143	...
8	Dogfish ...	232	...	232	744	744	349	...	349	43,415	7,421	...
9	Dory ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...
10	Flounders or Flukes ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
11	Gurnards and Latchets	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
12	Haddock ...	310,915	20,184	331,102	234,058	237,607	175,236	834	176,070	341	579	...
13	Hake ...	16	...	16	24	24	29	2	31	3,138	1,929	...
14	Halibut ...	2,050	214	2,264	1,562	1,604	1,884	9	1,893	82,878	24,307	...
15	Lemon Soles ...	8	3	14	12	15	2	...	2	14,793	33,023	...
16	Ling ...	153	3	156	1,656	1,663	463	1	464	1,320	775	...
17	Megrim ...	1	1	2	2	2	...	...	...	10,156	1,741	...
18	Monks or Anglers	6	1	7	34	34	4	...	4	11,325	9,683	...
19	Mullet, Red ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	916	1,448	...
20	Prairie ...	75,478	14,322	89,800	977	1,850	179	...	179	8,294	1,765	...
21	Pollock ...	6	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	166,676	101,846	...
22	Redfish ...	48,298	1,225	49,651	41,805	42,248	60,189	252	60,441	1,235	194	...
23	Saithe (Coalfish)	26,066	2,701	28,767	55,517	56,613	10,621	191	10,812	139	44,765	...
24	Skates and Rays	951	340	1,291	61	70	509	4	513	43,975	16,426	...
25	Soles ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24,593	12,317	...
26	Torsk (Tusk) ...	77	1	78	1,125	1,131	95	...	95	927	1,036	...
27	Turbot ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18,995	8,468	...
28	Whiting ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27,436	18,433	...
29	Witches ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,674	261	...
30	Other kinds and Mixed	6,193	227	6,424	14,793	14,990	5,531	20	5,551	5,249	2,414	...
	Total Demersal	1,923,460	101,813	2,029,172	650,467	663,124	1,991,952	16,427	2,008,379	729,554	345,279	...
	Total Value (£)	4,728,978	288,624	5,015,729	1,462,522	1,491,515	4,278,953	33,515	4,312,468	3,018,354	1,511,307	...

TABLE 4—continued

Kinds of Fish		NORTH SEA (continued) (Region IV)				ICELAND (Region Va)		FAROE (Region Vb)					
		DEEP SEA VESSELS				DEEP SEA VESSELS		DEEP SEA VESSELS					
		Seine		Total Quantity Landed	Other Vessels	Trawl		Seine	Total	Trawl		Seine	Total
		Steam	Motor			Steam	Motor			Steam	Motor		
1	Bream ...	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt
2	Brill ...	—	109	913	—	6	1	—	—	11	—	—	11
3	Carfish ...	5	989	5,984	85	2	—	—	—	2	—	—	2
4	Cod ...	104	53,118	3,698	5	85,666	1,233	59	86,958	1,380	49	1,429	
5	Conger Eels ...	—	—	300,625	41,141	2,236,051	31,165	98	2,267,314	266,927	15,374	282,351	
6	Dabs, Long Rough ...	—	—	553	131	—	—	—	—	6	—	—	7
7	Dabs, Other ...	130	5,421	21,290	2,565	3,231	57	4	3,292	1,418	50	1,470	
8	Dogfish ...	—	30	50,866	10,480	3,929	—	18	3,947	7,350	213	7,563	
9	Dory ...	—	—	4	55	—	—	—	—	6	—	—	6
10	Flounders or Flukes ...	1	54	975	299	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
11	Gurnards and Larchets ...	12	605	5,684	200	62	—	—	62	308	9	317	
12	Haddock ...	—	9,359	116,544	7,711	452,835	4,654	476	457,965	82,145	2,241	84,386	
13	Hake ...	—	38	47,854	18	291	5	—	296	271	2	273	
14	Halibut ...	—	79	2,174	13	11,977	197	4	12,178	9,343	353	9,696	
15	Lemon Soles ...	58	3,174	15,129	157	19,242	280	46	19,568	5,212	162	5,374	
16	Ling ...	—	203	21,211	1,262	18,623	192	161	18,976	12,637	501	13,138	
17	Megrim ...	—	27	2,391	—	1,320	—	97	1,417	95	—	95	
18	Monks or Anglers ...	9	823	10,891	244	183	—	5	188	2,624	127	2,751	
19	Mullet, Red ...	—	—	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	19
20	Plaice ...	753	72,938	342,213	13,899	119,185	1,435	205	120,825	976	13	993	
21	Pollock ...	—	48	1,477	—	4	—	—	4	67	2	69	
22	Redfish ...	—	—	142	—	78,833	989	4	79,826	2,964	16	2,980	
23	Saithe (Coalfish) ...	—	26	90,766	3	90,769	1,133	—	144,801	92,769	5,976	98,745	
24	Skates and Rays ...	82	3,252	63,028	10,274	143,668	71	7	6,468	2,111	—	2,230	
25	Soles ...	12	410	37,329	1,035	6,390	—	—	—	—	—	—	25
26	Torsk (Tusk) ...	—	—	1,963	32	3,687	30	—	3,717	1,929	67	1,996	
27	Turbot ...	12	1,490	28,965	1,631	30,596	7	—	7	47	7	54	
28	Whiting ...	—	12,607	58,526	14,002	4,186	7	83	4,276	5,013	196	5,209	
29	Witches ...	15	569	2,519	147	2,371	2	674	3,047	28	—	28	
30	Other kinds and Mixed ...	—	2,420	10,083	3,051	23,134	202	1	23,337	4,681	383	5,065	
	Total Demersal	1,194	167,790	1,243,817	108,440	3,214,899	41,653	1,942	3,258,494	500,320	25,861	57	526,238
	Total Value (£)	6,021	731,723	5,267,405	384,375	8,209,741	105,209	6,390	8,321,340	1,385,929	68,694	128	1,454,751

TABLE 4—continued

Kinds of Fish	WEST OF SCOTLAND (Region VIa)			ROCKALL (Region VIb)		IRISH SEA (Region VIIa)				WEST OF IRELAND (Regions VIIb and c)	
	DEEP SEA VESSELS						DEEP SEA VESSELS		DEEP SEA VESSELS		
	Trawl		Seine	Trawl		Trawl		Trawl		Trawl	
	Steam	Motor		Steam	Motor	Steam	Motor	Steam	Motor	Steam	Motor
1 Bream	cwt 1,291	cwt 977	cwt 2,268	cwt —	cwt —	cwt 2	cwt —	cwt —	cwt 2	cwt 1,240	cwt 79
2 Brill	292	4	296	—	—	622	47	—	188	16	—
3 Catfish	32	2	34	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4 Cod	117,049	14,426	131,511	1,567	2	25,797	2,973	16	31,334	1,735	67
5 Conger Eels	5,153	220	5,373	—	—	2,203	101	4,220	6,524	439	18
6 Dabs, Long Rough	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
7 Dabs, Other	345	1	346	—	—	626	25	—	8	1	—
8 Dogfish	87,844	8,129	95,974	241	33	3,389	33	335	3,784	6	108
9 Dory	278	4	282	—	—	26	—	—	27	8	—
10 Flounders or Flukes	19	—	19	—	—	145	5	—	154	—	—
11 Gurnards & Hatchets	9,913	391	10,304	14	—	3,503	231	—	4,343	676	3
12 Haddock	88,585	6,419	95,222	2,303	104	2,137	104	—	2,537	3,281	45
13 Hake	113,469	31,201	144,775	69	69	6,484	149	3	8,315	26,198	897
14 Halibut	1,776	712	2,488	45	—	1	—	—	—	77	14
15 Lemon Soles	1,217	20	1,237	—	—	499	23	—	541	44	—
16 Ling	23,374	10,986	34,360	645	263	263	12	97	430	211	16
17 Megrim	13,934	1,535	15,469	106	831	845	14	—	888	3,879	88
18 Monks or Anglers	5,853	1,312	7,165	72	1,122	23	7	—	1,212	1,547	51
19 Mulllet, Red	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20 Plaice	6,235	27	6,308	14	6,235	389	6,951	—	13,575	43	6
21 Pollock	5,912	188	6,100	—	680	62	5	—	747	366	21
22 Redfish	6	—	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
23 Saithe (Coalfish)	89,230	39,273	127,503	402	2,140	90	7	—	2,237	5,193	200
24 Skates and Rays	34,755	1,580	36,349	1,025	31,142	1,971	1,593	2,974	37,680	4,306	153
25 Soles	271	2	273	—	5,804	461	31	—	6,296	12	25
26 Torsk (Tusk)	3,669	1,828	5,497	30	—	—	—	—	1,895	289	56
27 Turbot	1,896	22	1,918	36	1,235	44	8	—	1,287	68	27
28 Whiting	19,243	365	19,782	32	14,261	1,174	18,064	2	33,501	786	3
29 Witches	1,076	9	1,085	—	162	5	11	—	178	56	29
30 Other kinds & Mixed	5,941	1,384	7,333	65	695	107	70	3	875	2,201	65
Total Demersal	637,659	121,017	759,278	6,671	109,995	8,043	30,485	7,650	156,173	59,687	2,068
Total Value (£)	2,183,019	497,589	2,682,182	16,344	416,538	24,665	71,470	19,654	532,327	234,556	8,833

TABLE 4—continued

Kinds of Fish	WEST OF IRELAND (Regions VIIb and c) (continued)			ENGLISH CHANNEL (Regions VIIa and e)			BRISTOL CHANNEL (Region VIIf)					
	DEEP SEA VESSELS			DEEP SEA VESSELS			DEEP SEA VESSELS					
	Pareja	Total Quantity Landed	Trawl	Other Vessels	Total Quantity Landed	Trawl			Line	Total	Other Vessels	Total Quantity Landed
						Steam	Motor	Steam				
	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt	cwt
1 Bream...	100	1,419	2	75	77	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2 Brill ...	—	16	—	997	997	—	—	—	—	—	77	772
3 Carfish ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4 Cod ...	3	1,795	19	1,399	1,418	—	—	—	—	—	589	4,775
5 Conger Eels ...	16	473	2	7,697	7,699	—	—	—	—	—	3,890	4,612
6 Dabs, Long Rough ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	9	21
7 Dabs, Other ...	—	—	—	1,774	1,774	—	—	—	—	—	111	1,171
8 Dogfish ...	50	1,136	252	5,978	6,230	—	—	—	—	—	3,302	3,945
9 Dory ...	—	8	—	452	452	—	—	—	—	—	76	202
10 Flounders or Flukes ...	—	—	—	586	586	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
11 Gurnards and Lurchets ...	14	693	—	7,816	7,816	—	—	—	—	—	145	1,826
12 Haddock ...	1	3,327	10	1,267	1,277	—	—	—	—	—	28	339
13 Hake ...	3,562	30,657	87	5,022	5,109	—	—	—	—	—	112	1,087
14 Halibut ...	—	91	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
15 Lemon Soles ...	—	44	—	2,309	2,309	—	—	—	—	—	30	1,535
16 Ling ...	139	6,611	14	1,087	1,101	—	—	—	—	—	504	753
17 Megrim ...	77	4,044	15	2,039	2,054	—	—	—	—	—	33	817
18 Monks or Anglers ...	85	1,683	11	1,480	1,491	—	—	—	—	—	34	1,217
19 Mullet, Red ...	—	—	—	92	92	—	—	—	—	—	2	38
20 Plaice ...	—	49	—	11,988	11,988	—	—	—	—	—	974	10,070
21 Pollock ...	—	366	3	1,216	1,219	—	—	—	—	—	43	648
22 Redfish ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
23 Saithe (Coalfish) ...	43	5,436	8	11	19	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
24 Skates and Rays ...	160	4,619	62	17,340	17,402	—	—	—	—	—	6,756	22,771
25 Soles ...	—	13	2	3,372	3,374	—	—	—	—	—	235	8,258
26 Torsk (Tusk) ...	—	336	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
27 Turbot ...	—	70	—	1,090	1,090	—	—	—	—	—	193	1,137
28 Whiting ...	—	789	—	20,757	20,757	—	—	—	—	—	500	9,234
29 Witches ...	—	56	—	6,374	6,376	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
30 Other kinds and Mixed ...	168	2,434	2	6,374	6,376	—	—	—	—	—	743	1,545
Total Demersal	4,418	66,173	490	102,218	102,708	—	—	—	—	—	18,386	77,001
Total Value (£)	29,207	272,596	1,085	377,717	378,802	—	—	—	—	—	57,574	315,987

TABLE 4—concluded

	Kinds of Fish	SOUTH OF IRELAND (Regions VIIg—k)						WEST COAST OF GREENLAND (Region XV)			GRAND BANKS OF NEWFOUNDLAND (Region XX)		
		DEEP SEA VESSELS						DEEP SEA VESSELS			DEEP SEA VESSELS		
		Trawl			Purse			Trawl			Trawl		
		Motor			Steam			Motor			Motor		
		Stream	Motor	Total	Stream	Motor	Total	Stream	Motor	Total	Stream	Motor	Total
1	Bream ...	815	13	979	151	—	979	—	—	979	—	—	979
2	Brill ...	326	15	341	—	—	341	—	—	341	—	—	341
3	Carfish ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4	Cod ...	20,207	1,041	21,255	7	—	21,255	—	—	21,255	—	—	21,255
5	Conger Eels ...	1,251	32	1,299	16	—	1,299	—	—	1,299	—	—	1,299
6	Dabs, Long Rough	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
7	Dabs, Other ...	925	30	955	—	—	955	—	—	955	—	—	955
8	Dogfish ...	4,360	334	4,768	74	—	4,768	—	—	4,768	—	—	4,768
9	Dory ...	153	10	163	—	—	163	—	—	163	—	—	163
10	Flounders or Flukes ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
11	Gurnards and Latchets	2,159	94	2,254	—	—	2,254	—	—	2,254	—	—	2,254
12	Haddock ...	10,227	964	11,191	—	—	11,191	—	—	11,191	—	—	11,191
13	Hake ...	16,055	192	23,148	6,901	—	23,148	—	—	23,148	—	—	23,148
14	Halibut ...	6	—	6	—	—	6	—	—	6	—	—	6
15	Lemon Soles ...	1,933	126	2,059	—	—	2,059	—	—	2,059	—	—	2,059
16	Ling ...	3,462	175	3,800	163	—	3,800	—	—	3,800	—	—	3,800
17	Megrim ...	5,034	111	5,279	134	—	5,279	—	—	5,279	—	—	5,279
18	Monks or Anglers	3,018	59	3,200	123	—	3,200	—	—	3,200	—	—	3,200
19	Mullet, Red ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20	Plaice ...	5,195	211	5,406	—	—	5,406	—	—	5,406	—	—	5,406
21	Pollock ...	1,209	92	1,301	—	—	1,301	—	—	1,301	—	—	1,301
22	Redfish ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
23	Saithe (Coalfish)	2,449	72	2,556	35	—	2,556	—	—	2,556	—	—	2,556
24	Skates and Rays	17,274	492	18,020	254	—	18,020	—	—	18,020	—	—	18,020
25	Soles ...	2,961	79	3,040	—	—	3,040	—	—	3,040	—	—	3,040
26	Torsk (Tusk) ...	7	—	7	—	—	7	—	—	7	—	—	7
27	Turbot ...	1,024	32	1,056	—	—	1,056	—	—	1,056	—	—	1,056
28	Whiting ...	18,661	938	19,599	—	—	19,599	—	—	19,599	—	—	19,599
29	Witches ...	19	2	22	—	—	22	—	—	22	—	—	22
30	Other kinds and Mixed	1,440	15	1,680	225	—	1,680	—	—	1,680	—	—	1,680
Total Demersal ...		120,170	5,130	133,385	8,085	—	133,385	10,810	—	144,195	54,226	10,834	154,394
Total Value (£)		438,300	16,527	502,286	47,459	—	502,286	29,803	—	532,089	124,641	29,753	561,481

**TABLE 5—Quantity and Value of Pelagic Fish of British Taking
Landed from Each Fishing Region in 1955,
Distinguishing Class of Vessel and Method of Capture**

Kinds of Fish	VESSELS 40 ft and OVER REGISTERED LENGTH						Vessels under 40 ft Registered Length	Total Quantity Landed	Total Value
	Trawl		Drift		Ring Net	Other Methods			
	Steam	Motor	Steam	Motor	Motor	Motor			
	CWT	CWT	CWT	CWT	CWT	CWT	CWT	CWT	£
ALL REGIONS									
Herrings...	10,814	722	261,562	489,044	37,955	110	9,444	809,651	1,000,285
Mackerel...	5,670	793	11,805	5,435	—	106	13,688	37,497	92,595
Horse Mackerel...	13	—	—	—	—	9	—	22	2
Pilchards...	—	83	2,166	40,622	—	—	54,122	96,993	124,828
Sprats...	—	12,269	—	—	—	—	72,480	84,749	42,936
Other Pelagic...	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,586	1,586	4,548
Total Pelagic...	16,497	13,867	275,533	535,101	37,955	225	151,320	1,030,498	1,265,194
NORTH SEA (Region IV)									
Herrings...	125	709	218,986	465,135	37,955	—	4,533	727,443	874,028
Mackerel...	335	422	2,319	851	—	41	284	4,252	6,102
Horse Mackerel...	—	—	—	—	—	9	—	9	2
Pilchards...	—	26	623	1,618	—	—	—	2,267	2,324
Sprats...	—	6,104	—	—	—	—	64,039	70,143	35,056
Other Pelagic...	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,586	1,586	4,548
Total Pelagic...	460	7,261	221,928	467,604	37,955	50	70,442	805,700	922,060
FAROE (Region Vb)									
Herrings...	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	18
Mackerel...	220	4	—	—	—	—	—	224	275
Horse Mackerel...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pilchards...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sprats...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other Pelagic...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Pelagic...	228	4	—	—	—	—	—	232	293
WEST OF SCOTLAND (Region VIa)									
Herrings...	10,044	9	—	—	—	—	—	10,053	12,864
Mackerel...	3,283	295	—	—	—	—	—	3,578	4,640
Horse Mackerel...	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	—
Pilchards...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sprats...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other Pelagic...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Pelagic...	13,335	304	—	—	—	—	—	13,639	17,504
IRISH SEA (Region VIIa)									
Herrings...	—	—	—	1,228	—	110	105	1,443	2,665
Mackerel...	5	1	—	—	—	4	206	216	1,594
Horse Mackerel...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pilchards...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sprats...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other Pelagic...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Pelagic...	5	1	—	1,228	—	114	311	1,659	4,259
WEST OF IRELAND (Regions VIIb and VIIc)									
Herrings...	144	—	—	—	—	—	—	144	240
Mackerel...	1,116	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,116	2,904
Horse Mackerel...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pilchards...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sprats...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other Pelagic...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Pelagic...	1,260	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,260	3,144
ENGLISH CHANNEL (Regions VIId and VIIe)									
Herrings...	—	—	25,683	4,760	—	—	4,496	34,939	48,735
Mackerel...	—	55	7	683	—	61	11,840	12,646	27,365
Horse Mackerel...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pilchards...	—	57	1,543	38,772	—	—	52,201	92,573	119,531
Sprats...	—	6,165	—	—	—	—	8,441	14,606	7,880
Other Pelagic...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Pelagic...	—	6,277	27,233	44,215	—	61	76,978	154,764	203,511
BRISTOL CHANNEL (Region VIIf)									
Herrings...	—	—	—	90	—	—	310	400	1,227
Mackerel...	—	—	1,302	432	—	—	1,292	3,026	10,756
Horse Mackerel...	—	—	—	199	—	—	1,921	2,120	2,926
Pilchards...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sprats...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other Pelagic...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Pelagic...	—	—	1,302	721	—	—	3,523	5,546	14,909
SOUTH OF IRELAND (Regions VIIg—VIIh)									
Herrings...	493	4	16,893	17,931	—	—	—	35,221	60,508
Mackerel...	711	16	9,177	3,469	—	—	66	12,439	38,959
Horse Mackerel...	5	—	—	33	—	—	—	33	47
Pilchards...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sprats...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other Pelagic...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Pelagic...	1,209	20	25,070	21,333	—	—	66	47,698	99,514

TABLE 6—Quantity and Value of Demersal, Pelagic and Total Wet Fish ; Value of Shell Fish and Total Value of all Fish of British Taking ; and Quantity and Value of Wet Fish of Foreign Taking Landed Direct from the Fishing Grounds, 1916-1955

Years	BRITISH TAKING						FOREIGN TAKING			Years	
	Demersal		Pelagic		Total Wet Fish		Value of Shell Fish	Total Value	Wet Fish		
	cwt	£	cwt	£	cwt	£	£	£	cwt		£
Average 1916-1920	5,003,267	11,931,564	2,567,606	2,106,225	7,573,931	14,044,029	453,656	14,497,685	284,893	693,513	Average 1916-1920
1921-1925	8,570,537	12,752,336	3,841,032	1,853,956	12,414,546	14,612,559	477,201	15,089,760	386,870	653,021	1921-1925
1926-1930	9,613,586	11,507,206	4,181,762	1,923,769	13,798,468	13,435,396	425,904	13,861,300	702,615	906,152	1926-1930
1931-1935	11,102,302	10,737,895	2,885,309	984,154	13,991,637	11,725,882	374,606	12,100,488	481,336	559,848	1931-1935
Year											Year
1936	12,637,573	10,600,556	3,168,691	1,327,511	15,812,697	11,931,330	443,670	12,375,000	326,983	403,260	1936
1937	13,333,342	10,587,127	3,694,768	1,341,357	17,034,722	11,932,690	441,563	12,374,253	305,638	391,172	1937
1938	12,644,600	11,300,925	2,882,105	928,786	15,532,692	12,233,209	408,637	12,641,846	331,704	446,747	1938
1939	10,066,719	10,011,023	1,361,686	784,772	11,433,381	10,798,433	365,503	11,163,936	Not available	Not available	1939
1940	3,174,451	7,604,785	380,332	489,427	3,557,292	8,097,720	296,337	8,394,057	Not available	Not available	1940
1941	2,264,864	9,714,342	233,603	314,319	2,502,247	10,035,194	412,196	10,447,390	*1,936,723	6,785,469	1941
1942	2,981,196	9,033,892	172,312	224,355	3,155,818	9,260,674	474,811	9,735,485	*2,306,405	7,520,968	1942
1943	3,007,592	8,563,457	168,653	210,202	3,180,586	8,776,892	564,009	9,340,901	*2,516,706	7,789,156	1943
1944	3,206,979	9,792,540	234,067	262,366	3,444,905	10,066,231	560,840	10,627,071	*2,674,125	8,172,147	1944
1945	5,134,488	16,516,596	862,950	967,334	5,999,466	17,490,315	730,510	18,220,825	*2,777,547	9,069,737	1945
1946	10,768,380	26,738,144	1,888,087	1,896,803	12,657,758	28,639,292	927,653	29,566,945	*2,101,211	5,900,718	1946
1947	11,651,665	28,607,308	2,738,650	2,393,474	13,893,738	31,005,924	862,614	31,868,538	*2,105,524	5,348,415	1947
1948	11,915,308	31,205,439	2,524,018	2,601,907	14,439,999	33,809,691	987,850	34,797,541	*1,937,287	5,375,047	1948
1949	12,571,093	27,834,867	1,601,768	1,640,030	14,174,843	29,481,857	903,989	30,385,846	*1,629,490	4,320,718	1949
1950	10,900,275	24,705,262	1,696,517	1,591,484	12,598,219	26,299,182	720,163	27,019,345	*768,073	1,924,444	1950
1951	12,289,364	32,552,429	1,708,730	1,917,651	14,001,366	34,475,761	879,768	35,355,529	*1,392,543	3,536,908	1951
1952	12,120,370	30,468,248	1,567,618	1,809,403	13,690,405	32,281,840	874,150	33,155,990	*1,000,169	2,520,988	1952
1953	11,536,722	28,603,365	1,655,145	1,714,445	13,194,815	30,322,349	931,351	31,253,700	*698,329	1,972,418	1953
1954	11,242,104	30,507,642	1,416,596	1,498,426	12,662,128	32,010,670	932,702	32,943,372	*643,018	1,828,113	1954
1955	11,878,927	32,051,804	1,030,498	1,265,194	12,909,425	33,316,998	1,030,944	34,347,942	*838,915	2,118,218	1955

* Includes landings by Carrier Vessels.

TABLE 7—Quantity and Value of Fresh Fish of British and Foreign Taking Landed Direct from the Fishing Grounds at Certain Stations During 1953, 1954 and 1955 (Foreign Landings include Landings by Carrier Vessels, but exclude Landings of Boxed Fish)

Stations		1953	1954	1955
North Shields ...	Demersal Fish ... cwt ...	260,875	236,165	233,530
	Pelagic Fish ... £ ...	190,125	153,691	136,623
	Wet and Shell Fish ... £ ...	934,912	864,460	830,308
	Foreign Landings ... { cwt ... £ ...	1,553 2,097	101 123	203 480
Hull ...	Demersal Fish ... cwt ...	4,970,955	4,956,504	5,315,282
	Pelagic Fish ... £ ...	2,533	1,626	15
	Wet and Shell Fish ... £ ...	9,998,812	11,065,552	11,879,049
	Foreign Landings ... { cwt ... £ ...	76,315 288,678	125,461 284,215	132,568 284,482
Grimsby ...	Demersal Fish ... cwt ...	3,791,352	3,764,120	3,901,938
	Pelagic Fish ... £ ...	8,689	5,256	5,236
	Wet and Shell Fish ... £ ...	9,741,280	10,523,785	11,061,947
	Foreign Landings ... { cwt ... £ ...	594,601 1,600,094	502,875 1,491,704	685,704 1,774,758
Yarmouth ...	Demersal Fish ... cwt ...	154	128	79
	Pelagic Fish ... £ ...	532,616	506,700	222,618
	Wet and Shell Fish ... £ ...	534,698	494,024	296,827
	Foreign Landings ... { cwt ... £ ...	— —	192 1,079	— —
Lowestoft ...	Demersal Fish ... cwt ...	296,398	295,169	260,139
	Pelagic Fish ... £ ...	438,596	402,697	224,449
	Wet and Shell Fish ... £ ...	1,594,576	1,687,817	1,523,809
	Foreign Landings ... { cwt ... £ ...	25 59	— —	11 23
Milford Haven ...	Demersal Fish ... cwt ...	432,590	374,904	364,573
	Pelagic Fish ... £ ...	26,687	33,384	47,241
	Wet and Shell Fish ... £ ...	1,631,032	1,560,856	1,465,253
	Foreign Landings ... { cwt ... £ ...	427 1,509	192 540	4,200 8,638
Fleetwood ...	Demersal Fish ... cwt ...	1,288,862	1,126,406	1,235,907
	Pelagic Fish ... £ ...	12,118	4,506	3,160
	Wet and Shell Fish ... £ ...	3,793,599	3,808,765	4,031,964
	Foreign Landings ... { cwt ... £ ...	1,089 2,317	— —	— —

TABLE 8—Total Demersal Landings (excluding Livers), (a) at Certain Stations, and (b) All Stations in 1954 and 1955 from Distant Waters and Near and Middle Waters

Stations	1954		1955	
	Distant Waters	Near and Middle Waters *	Distant Waters	Near and Middle Waters *
North Shields ...	—	223,268	—	219,815
Hull ...	4,543,402	126,075	4,927,155	93,774
Grimsby ...	2,554,065	1,069,540	2,662,230	1,089,692
Lowestoft ...	—	295,169	—	260,139
Cardiff ...	—	49,773	—	47,805
Swansea ...	—	63,572	—	57,980
Milford Haven ...	—	374,904	—	364,573
Fleetwood ...	264,293	719,457	424,010	778,955

* Includes Inshore Fisheries.

Year	Distant Waters	Near and Middle Waters	Inshore Fisheries	Percentages of Total Demersal		
				Distant Waters	Near and Middle Waters	Inshore Fisheries
1954 ...	7,492,090	2,958,139	308,753	70	27	3
1955 ...	8,095,632	2,950,840	319,608	71	26	3

TABLE 9—Quantity and Value of Demersal Fish of British Taking, Landed in Great Britain during 1954 and 1955, by Vessels 140 ft and over Registered Length

Stations	Hull	Grimsby	Fleetwood	Other Stations	Total, Gt. Britain
1954 ... cwt	4,664,532	2,794,091	440,842	72,149	7,971,614
£	10,792,287	7,113,249	1,303,079	233,154	19,441,769
1955 ... cwt	5,015,505	2,933,474	502,379	131,727	8,583,085
£	11,597,453	7,519,303	1,399,777	376,255	20,392,788

TABLE 10—Quantity and Value of Fish of British Taking, Landed in Great Britain, with the Quantities of the Principal Kinds Distinguished by both England and Wales, and Scotland, 1945-1955

Kinds of Fish		1945	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	Kinds of Fish
Carfish	...	24,464	47,021	87,310	134,096	147,183	113,858	129,704	136,545	149,728	119,371	125,096	Carfish
Cod	...	2,378,334	5,636,102	6,280,398	6,754,097	7,636,881	6,438,714	7,440,657	7,566,354	7,123,908	7,090,119	7,431,362	Cod
Conger Eels	...	26,013	43,313	49,611	49,703	59,993	43,404	44,686	39,086	36,345	35,277	31,907	Conger Eels
Dabs	...	26,156	47,904	107,910	109,397	105,308	80,188	81,534	70,053	64,817	63,963	56,249	Dabs
Haddock	...	1,159,558	2,873,977	3,151,999	2,575,116	2,622,146	2,528,197	2,355,044	2,170,022	2,330,809	2,492,242	2,909,222	Haddock
Hake	...	891,965	1,280,821	894,874	751,755	555,694	520,333	483,703	456,233	425,277	344,335	321,914	Hake
Halibut	...	30,179	69,220	95,412	115,054	128,178	155,929	123,510	105,835	86,376	74,213	65,277	Halibut
Lemon Soles	...	31,235	50,552	55,744	64,931	63,201	111,041	111,369	120,555	133,014	109,885	104,712	Lemon Soles
Ling	...	123,894	200,364	288,041	276,815	249,806	218,805	203,106	184,297	182,628	162,770	154,045	Ling
Megrimms	...	27,200	36,041	47,092	48,417	76,826	58,407	63,066	59,079	56,472	49,766	57,010	Megrimms
Monks	...	28,942	36,969	47,094	62,754	61,059	54,004	52,435	54,606	71,495	76,147	79,437	Monks
Plaice	...	988,763	1,188,870	963,842	779,357	719,664	648,614	563,543	584,353	649,903	651,700	737,765	Plaice
Saithe (Coalfish)	...	218,256	336,513	635,782	670,080	641,076	547,448	639,158	679,437	689,998	640,944	646,386	Saithe (Coalfish)
Skates and Rays	...	218,240	292,008	394,688	403,800	388,647	386,800	387,046	354,375	358,832	346,203	337,761	Skates and Rays
Torsk (Tusk)	...	16,896	24,183	36,633	56,106	66,300	54,477	55,793	43,762	42,489	38,256	34,408	Torsk (Tusk)
Turbot	...	72,648	97,954	111,219	99,603	79,425	64,773	56,186	48,845	51,283	54,434	49,248	Turbot
Whiting	...	399,370	657,950	872,989	945,973	722,517	678,944	946,962	1,056,574	938,199	840,271	963,570	Whiting
Witches	...	27,673	41,365	25,687	47,656	37,393	33,771	34,541	37,101	29,500	26,359	36,324	Witches
Other Demersal	...	534,129	928,374	1,142,421	1,327,301	1,369,362	1,160,201	1,499,148	1,441,498	1,300,413	1,283,704	1,276,989	Other Demersal
Total Demersal	{ £ ... }	7,243,915	13,858,501	15,288,946	15,272,811	15,720,659	13,897,908	15,372,191	15,210,790	14,721,486	14,499,459	15,440,672	Total Demersal
		21,876,368	33,652,064	36,638,557	39,563,527	35,473,376	32,247,883	41,337,592	38,928,954	36,555,756	39,370,568	41,064,750	
Herrings	...	2,382,129	3,985,120	4,400,540	5,270,892	4,025,755	3,576,114	3,287,999	4,119,445	4,442,167	3,848,933	3,216,484	Herrings
Mackerels	...	72,024	67,423	71,513	160,459	134,932	81,754	124,313	130,508	89,731	98,584	63,396	Mackerels
Other Pelagic	...	126,978	99,678	112,849	142,590	140,439	146,985	201,938	334,888	351,429	187,969	314,034	Other Pelagic
Total Pelagic	{ £ ... }	2,582,131	4,147,219	4,584,972	5,573,941	4,301,146	3,754,853	3,609,248	4,584,841	4,883,327	4,135,486	3,613,904	Total Pelagic
		2,945,170	4,346,611	4,669,860	5,852,203	4,309,919	3,453,829	3,990,743	4,767,465	4,439,327	3,671,522	3,449,738	
*Total Wet Fish	{ £ ... }	9,879,074	18,007,011	19,875,291	20,846,625	20,033,787	17,454,188	18,884,711	19,798,048	19,026,761	18,428,273	19,054,576	*Total Wet Fish
		24,827,913	38,205,020	41,513,559	45,418,075	39,790,255	35,704,148	45,334,016	43,700,608	40,999,622	43,746,892	44,514,488	
Shell Fish	£ ...	1,065,592	1,350,548	1,251,323	1,417,916	1,275,041	975,991	1,176,446	1,193,872	1,230,422	1,310,065	1,498,727	Shell Fish
Total Value	£ ...	25,893,515	39,555,588	42,764,882	46,935,991	41,065,296	36,680,139	46,510,462	44,884,480	42,230,044	44,556,757	46,013,215	Total Value

* Includes Grey Mullies and Whitebait.

† Subject to Revision.

TABLE II

Average Value of Fish of British Taking Landed in 1938, and 1950 to 1955

Kinds of Fish	1938	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Wet Fish							
Bream	s. d. per cwt 10 1	s. d. per cwt 11 10	s. d. per cwt 14 5	s. d. per cwt 22 9	s. d. per cwt 26 1	s. d. per cwt 34 6	s. d. per cwt 36 9
Brill	77 0	145 11	161 2	151 4	155 2	163 7	154 6
Codfish	14 0	26 4	32 4	41 0	26 9	36 6	37 0
Cod:							
Large	13 5	45 3	44 2	42 8	41 5	47 4	48 5
Medium	13 4	59 2	63 5	61 9	57 9	46 5	45 4
Small	12 8	41 5	41 2	35 5	37 3	39 10	29 0
Unsorted	23 3	31 4	41 1	40 2	39 1	57 2	54 7
Total	13 2	35 0	44 3	42 3	41 6	45 10	45 6
Conger Eels	12 4	20 10	31 3	33 5	32 11	36 10	38 2
Dabs, Long Rough	—	—	15 0	18 4	15 8	32 5	27 2
Dabs, Other	26 9	45 10	57 4	53 4	47 2	57 1	59 9
Dogfish	12 5	28 3	35 8	34 8	33 2	38 8	39 0
Dory	18 10	48 5	64 4	58 1	54 4	61 1	57 5
Flounders or Flukes	18 3	37 11	38 8	32 9	22 3	41 6	38 2
Gurnards and Latchets	8 1	16 1	23 2	24 11	23 1	27 1	25 0
Haddock:							
Large	20 0	56 10	58 5	66 4	68 6	70 1	70 3
Medium	18 5	63 8	69 6	69 6	70 9	62 9	60 4
Small	17 7	55 9	59 2	44 8	45 4	47 6	49 8
Unsorted	20 6	46 0	59 11	54 3	56 2	71 2	58 4
Total	18 6	49 6	60 6	57 4	57 5	59 6	58 2
Hake:							
Large	56 10	145 5	176 3	168 2	170 4	181 6	186 11
Medium	49 8	157 7	181 9	175 9	173 1	187 2	195 11
Small	31 5	89 4	106 4	113 3	117 8	139 10	138 7
Unsorted	26 6	106 4	142 4	106 7	102 1	118 3	115 7
Total	37 1	114 6	141 6	138 10	140 8	159 8	158 10
Halibut	79 3	170 0	193 4	196 0	204 3	222 7	226 6
Lemon Soles	62 2	115 3	132 7	129 0	123 6	142 8	154 2
Ling	9 11	20 7	30 2	28 3	25 10	31 8	31 10
Magnims	21 6	48 4	62 6	59 5	51 8	63 11	57 5
Monks	14 6	43 2	51 6	46 1	40 4	48 4	48 2
Mullet, Grey	38 2	35 5	49 8	37 5	34 1	34 6	41 8
Mullet, Red	51 4	46 4	57 11	81 8	115 7	139 6	172 0
Plaice:							
Large	57 4	147 6	143 4	122 4	108 11	121 7	124 3
Medium	67 7	141 4	163 6	149 4	129 9	142 10	143 7
Small	42 2	68 9	85 11	82 3	73 3	92 10	102 11
Unsorted	49 7	110 4	145 10	123 9	110 2	103 7	101 0
Total	51 6	108 9	124 2	110 6	97 2	111 3	116 1
Pollock	15 5	45 3	63 3	53 0	48 9	55 9	51 8
Redfish	5 11	19 4	27 11	25 3	28 5	34 3	33 10
Saiche (Coalfish)	5 4	16 4	24 5	26 9	28 6	33 11	31 11
Steeze and Rays	24 0	53 8	67 8	65 8	61 0	66 10	67 9
Sole:							
Large	136 2	206 10	234 11	238 10	221 7	226 4	277 4
Medium	141 6	217 2	238 4	231 5	234 5	261 9	285 5
Small	121 3	124 11	165 5	172 5	153 6	189 6	253 1
Unsorted	136 5	192 4	217 11	219 6	204 9	202 3	264 8
Total	131 10	186 1	210 0	213 0	196 11	209 5	266 5
Torsk (Tusk)	10 0	20 10	30 1	25 8	26 10	32 6	31 0
Turbot	74 2	133 2	138 6	132 8	134 5	135 6	146 2
Whiting	15 0	40 7	45 5	44 0	37 0	39 11	35 7
Witches	26 1	45 4	56 4	45 4	47 4	63 2	62 6
Other kinds or Mixed	9 0	23 2	28 3	25 5	24 2	24 9	24 5
Total Demersal	17 10	45 4	53 0	50 3	49 7	54 3	54 0
Herrings	6 3	19 6	21 9	22 3	20 5	20 11	24 8
Mackerel	12 4	39 9	50 8	44 5	45 1	44 10	49 5
Pilchards	4 9	21 8	23 0	30 9	22 5	21 10	25 9
Sprats	5 3	16 3	13 5	12 8	9 7	11 4	10 2
Whitbait	7 6	34 0	30 1	33 3	29 7	24 11	57 4
Total Wet Fish	15 9	41 9	49 3	47 2	46 0	50 7	51 7
Shell Fish							
Oysters	per 100 16 3	per 100 37 7	per 100 37 3	per 100 36 11	per 100 38 9	per 100 38 2	per 100 37 10
Crabs	21 8	62 3	64 9	71 4	64 10	per cwt 75 10	per cwt 71 4
Crawfish (Crayfish)	230 4	546 0	729 4	782 9	903 4	336 6	325 6
Lobsters	124 3	300 7	349 5	368 1	337 5	354 9	388 6
Coddles	per cwt 2 11	per cwt 7 10	per cwt 8 0	per cwt 8 9	per cwt 8 0	per cwt 8 2	per cwt 9 6
Escallops and Queens	28 6	29 0	37 5	40 5	33 1	45 6	45 0
Mussels	3 11	9 8	10 3	10 2	9 11	10 0	10 11
Norway Lobsters	24 6	49 11	79 4	101 1	87 0	87 4	84 7
Periwinkles	10 2	23 10	28 1	30 4	29 9	28 2	29 11
Prizes	369 8	676 6	511 9	533 8	525 10	550 0	661 1
Shrimps	29 3	73 1	72 6	79 0	76 9	89 1	80 11
Whelks	7 9	14 4	23 1	30 2	30 0	30 9	39 8

FISHERMEN AND FISHING VESSELS

TABLE 12

Estimated Number of Fishermen Employed in Sea Fishing

<i>Year</i>	<i>Regularly Employed</i>	<i>Occasionally Employed</i>
1924	24,827	11,142
1928	24,189	10,398
1936	23,963	9,022
1952	15,683	4,069
1953	15,400	3,921
1954	14,786	2,501
1955	14,292	2,024

TABLE 13

Number of Fishing Vessels

<i>Year</i>	<i>Vessels 40 ft and over</i>			<i>Vessels under 40 ft</i>		
	<i>Steam</i>	<i>Motor</i>	<i>Sail</i>	<i>Steam</i>	<i>Motor</i>	<i>Sail</i>
1924	1,808	372	446	8	1,934	3,462
1928	1,668	347	337	4	2,417	2,219
1936	1,569	340	100	2	2,996	1,490
1952	790	406	—	—	3,464	191
1953	737	410	—	—	3,492	188
1954	659	454	—	—	3,403	182
1955	560	488	—	—	3,323	162

Figures in the above Tables were supplied by the District Fishery Officers of the Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food. Entries in the corresponding Tables published in the Sea Fisheries Statistical Tables prior to 1952 were compiled from information supplied by the Registrar-General of Shipping and Seamen.

The following figures furnished by the Fisheries Division of the Scottish Home Department are added for convenience:

Scotland (1955): Fishermen totalled 12,006 (10,844 regularly, and 1,162 partially employed).

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	<i>Steam</i>	<i>Motor</i>	<i>Sail</i>	<i>Total</i>
40 ft and over	218	923	—	1,141
Under 40 ft	—	2,097	220	2,317
Total Number	218	3,020	220	3,458

TABLE 14

Number of Fishing Vessels as at 31st December, 1955

Stations	Trawlers						Drifters and Drifter Trawlers				Selnors		Liners		Others		Port Total			
	Over 140 ft		130-140 ft		70-129.9 ft.		40-69.9 ft		Under 40 ft		70-129.9 ft		40-69.9 ft		40-69.9 ft					
	Steam	Motor	Steam	Motor	Steam	Motor	Steam	Motor	Steam	Motor	Steam	Motor	Steam	Motor	Steam	Motor				
Berwick-upon-Tweed	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6			
North Sunderland	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27			
Ambly	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22			
Blyth	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9			
North Shields	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	55			
Sunderland	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	39			
Hartlepool	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50			
Whitby	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	37			
Scarborough	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	34			
Brillington	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31			
Hull	143	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	147			
Lunningham	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1			
Grimsby	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	279			
Boston	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42			
King's Lynn	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50			
Great Yarmouth	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	65			
Lowestoft	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	140			
Ilwaco	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36			
Tollesbury	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22			
Wivenhoe	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13			
Brightlingsea	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10			
Burham-on-Crouch	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	47			
Leigh-on-Sea	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10			
Whitstable	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50			
Margate	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	38			
Ramsgate	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9			
Folkestone	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8			
Newhaven	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20			
Poole	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19			
Brixham	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	57			
Torquay	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	68			
Plymouth	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24			
Bideford	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	49			
Loe	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3			
Polperro	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	62			
Mevagissey	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20			
Portleven	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20			
Devlyn	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	97			
St Ives	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	34			
Ilfracombe	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	52			
Cardiff	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	46			
Swansea	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7			
Millford Haven	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12			
Pwllheli	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20			
Caernarvon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	58			
Conway	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12			
Rhyl	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15			
Harvey	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19			
Heston	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10			
Barrow	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	84			
Whitchaven	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	138			
Other Ports	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	97			
Total	261	5	26	11	213	85	125	1,178	...	...	24	17	3	104	39	89	1,161	42	928	4,533

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IMPORTS AND EXPORTS

(Figures supplied by Board of Customs and Excise, 1954, subject to revision)

TABLE 15

Quantity and Value of Fish Imported into the United Kingdom in 1954 and 1955, showing Principal Consigning Countries

Kinds of Fish	Consigned from	Quantity		Value	
		1954	1955	1954	1955
		cwt	cwt	£	£
Total Imports*	Total	2,516,339	2,770,905	22,101,696	22,425,936
	Deep Sea Fisheries	728,184	937,502	1,720,785	2,051,502
	British Countries	346,738	362,587	6,029,881	4,530,301
	Foreign Countries	1,441,417	1,470,816	14,351,030	15,844,133
Fresh or Frozen:					
Salmon and Migratory Trout:					
Fresh	Total	18,872	11,824	666,389	457,077
	Irish Republic	16,712	11,211	597,461	433,516
	Norway	1,966	579	65,914	22,291
Chilled or Frozen	Total	28,859	28,045	882,686	968,255
	Denmark	7,598	3,809	183,303	93,047
	Japan	382	4,168	6,225	69,969
	Norway	15,861	18,596	558,277	758,023
	Poland	2,030	1,204	56,480	38,951
Trout (excluding Migratory Trout)	Total	7,453	8,056	96,063	109,720
	Denmark	7,347	7,986	94,579	108,651
Eels	Total	19,681	18,391	259,716	261,597
	Denmark	10,294	9,588	138,643	132,458
	France	817	617	12,365	7,844
	Irish Republic	1,916	1,954	23,501	23,411
	Netherlands	5,701	4,765	72,511	77,407
	Norway	655	522	8,800	6,510
	Sweden	—	826	—	13,030
Herrings	Total	314,180	381,544	428,631	575,096
	Deep Sea Fisheries	102,989	137,742	125,400	187,775
	Irish Republic	23,411	31,135	39,061	53,653
	Norway	154,744	211,201	216,746	329,411
	Sweden	32,429	441	46,355	965
Cod	Total	323,258	315,272	662,097	614,214
	Deep Sea Fisheries	277,328	282,986	507,064	507,851
	Denmark	18,698	11,595	68,255	44,504
	Iceland	8,029	6,330	20,989	10,681
	Norway	15,331	11,794	56,472	45,224
Haddock	Total	164,455	237,387	451,917	615,839
	Deep Sea Fisheries	105,605	141,099	243,896	306,975
	Denmark	9,337	8,353	34,881	30,427
	Faroe Isles	7,503	15,853	23,551	43,055
	Iceland	3,216	726	9,203	1,477
	Norway	35,152	69,136	126,469	225,334
Plaice	Total	342,578	300,227	2,103,434	2,047,281
	Belgium	13,521	14,592	69,089	68,891
	Deep Sea Fisheries	94,911	76,598	522,274	474,325
	Denmark	179,268	155,754	1,204,125	1,207,330
	Iceland	1,656	1,011	12,102	6,004
	Netherlands	38,964	40,732	208,667	217,593
	Norway	14,190	11,425	86,352	72,569

* Includes the Value of "Oysters for Breeding", but not the Quantity.

TABLE 15—continued

Kinds of Fish	Consigned from	Quantity		Value	
		1954	1955	1954	1955
Other Sorts (Wet Fish)...	Total	cwt 341,710	cwt 465,102	£ 1,535,784	£ 1,710,951
	Belgium	9,016	12,120	51,472	76,414
	Deep Sea Fisheries	139,832	274,755	296,585	485,109
	Denmark	30,354	21,207	201,821	191,564
	Iceland	6,780	2,106	28,187	13,894
	Irish Republic	1,476	5,298	4,520	7,376
	Netherlands	25,745	16,254	217,589	142,622
	Norway	116,655	120,277	680,153	718,940
	Sweden	3,562	1,893	9,760	7,757
	Union of South Africa	3,596	5,756	25,057	42,645
Fish Roes	Total	23,441	34,477	112,541	179,279
	Belgium	2,110	1,646	8,582	7,547
	Deep Sea Fisheries	3,479	4,265	11,204	14,400
	Denmark	863	1,038	3,356	4,368
	Iceland	10,609	22,796	58,300	130,109
	Norway	5,225	3,849	26,355	19,394
Cured or Salted (not in Airtight Containers):					
Herrings	Total	1,729	2,379	4,315	7,505
	Irish Republic	1,415	1,371	2,894	3,157
	Netherlands	277	644	1,227	2,698
Other Sorts	Total	3,701	4,248	33,465	42,973
	Denmark	303	3,156	2,096	21,026
	Irish Republic	508	468	8,514	13,138
	Norway	16	54	163	828
	Spain	119	236	1,124	1,220
Wet Salted Split	Total	57,070	87,780	178,687	315,333
	Deep Sea Fisheries	3,846	19,767	13,628	73,915
	Faroe Isles	20,035	20,926	62,329	75,610
	Iceland	33,119	47,055	102,420	165,564
Shell Fish:					
Oysters for Food	Total	1,470	1,910	20,456	25,409
	Denmark	955	478	13,819	8,053
	Netherlands	373	1,313	5,200	16,250
Prawns	Total	20,817	23,752	342,363	427,414
	Norway	18,753	21,526	322,018	370,395
Other Shell Fish for Food	Total	135,194	125,755	358,184	435,494
	Denmark	87,858	71,285	59,922	52,908
	Irish Republic	32,605	38,163	80,766	96,227
	Netherlands	8,225	7,197	52,022	41,834
	Norway	3,544	5,073	89,092	153,993
Oysters for Breeding	Total	(1,000's) 3,810	(1,000's) 6,295	6,289	18,830
	France	300	2,350	1,575	12,841
	Portugal	3,510	3,911	4,714	5,225
In Airtight Containers:					
Salmon	Total	cwt 291,506	cwt 178,134	6,735,058	4,717,752
	Canada	156,170	70,921	3,620,117	1,911,756
	Japan	81,392	10,700	1,980,967	230,149
	Soviet Union	25,553	43,849	449,997	954,955
	United States	26,510	48,374	617,900	1,438,915
Herrings	Total	2,372	7,969	26,912	94,674
	France	132	72	2,562	1,190
	Germany, Western	—	986	—	10,201
	Norway	1,017	6,650	12,220	80,628
Pilchards	Total	80,437	173,845	527,910	1,127,314
	South West African Territory	59,031	124,605	373,811	798,986
	Union of South Africa	21,386	49,219	153,927	328,201

TABLE 15—concluded

Kinds of Fish	Consigned from	Quantity		Value	
		1954	1955	1954	1955
Brisling	Total	cwt 37,756	cwt 18,945	£ 1,047,614	£ 511,635
	Norway	37,597	18,672	1,044,815	507,498
Sardines	Total	162,187	133,644	2,241,383	1,866,512
	French Morocco	8,011	89	107,064	1,162
	Portugal	147,196	132,089	2,038,488	1,842,296
Fish Roes	Total	14,257	15,337	137,855	153,730
	Norway	13,657	15,330	133,774	153,571
Lobsters	Total	1,999	1,928	144,813	115,273
	Canada	1,956	1,754	141,643	109,192
	Chile	—	160	—	4,979
Crabs	Total	20,513	64,247	681,565	2,320,531
	Japan	12,244	25,672	437,122	786,677
	Norway	5,169	4,230	160,704	128,169
	Soviet Union	3,097	34,329	83,663	1,405,186
Other Sorts (including Fish Paste):	Total	100,463	130,328	2,306,640	2,618,534
	Australia	820	1,482	26,854	27,028
	Chile	2,626	3,466	42,518	54,930
	Denmark	748	3,087	10,134	29,060
	Netherlands	308	2,946	3,217	68,240
	Norway	15,591	14,543	418,724	455,251
	Peru	49,898	74,467	784,071	1,200,597
	Portugal	1,929	1,244	42,476	33,939
	Spain	3,385	9,324	43,153	86,794
	Union of South Africa (in- cluding South West African Territory)	20,575	14,237	840,342	574,075
Sturgeon Roe, Caviare, and other Fish Roes prepared in a like manner	Total	381	379	108,929	87,714
	Denmark	62	78	3,103	4,063
	Soviet Union	270	234	92,635	73,788

TABLE 16

**Quantity and Value of Fish of British Taking or Curing
Exported from the United Kingdom in 1954 and 1955, showing Principal
Countries of Destination**

Kinds of Fish	Consigned to	Quantity		Value	
		1954	1955	1954	1955
		cwt	cwt	£	£
Total Exports of British Fish	Total	1,243,501	986,275	5,884,921	5,778,433
	British Countries	406,351	431,878	2,761,540	3,134,837
	Foreign Countries	837,150	554,397	3,123,381	2,643,596
Fresh or Frozen:	Total	37,283	28,129	94,362	89,542
Herrings	Australia	768	1,895	4,174	8,125
	Czecho-Slovakia	11,343	2,280	19,459	3,819
	Gold Coast	2,965	3,412	12,654	13,315
	Irish Republic	7,204	3,324	11,865	5,875
	Kenya	410	580	1,555	1,949
	Poland	9,854	9,906	25,402	23,864
Other Sorts (Wet Fish)	Total	142,600	174,430	1,100,995	1,451,482
	Australia	47,149	57,115	307,041	404,186
	Belgium	23,722	25,134	189,412	208,031
	Channel Islands	10,996	12,967	83,544	107,960
	France	13,612	14,706	95,343	120,747
	Germany, Western	8,367	14,328	58,942	113,355
	Irish Republic	4,451	2,065	29,077	17,033
	Italy	3,290	7,437	21,411	53,313
	Singapore	3,794	7,875	54,623	89,091
	United States	8,638	8,535	71,158	72,917
Shell Fish (for Food) ...	Total	11,407	20,761	165,072	239,969
	Belgium	1,979	1,562	49,959	43,506
	Channel Islands	592	959	5,468	7,151
	France	4,730	7,458	35,183	44,024
	Irish Republic	1,230	5,378	4,712	21,735
	Netherlands	2,422	4,044	62,050	93,680
Cured or Salted (not in Airtight Containers):	Total	712,513	400,943	2,118,278	1,345,665
*Herrings	Australia	9,824	11,188	50,230	58,345
	British West Indies	4,548	5,798	18,341	23,510
	Canada	7,665	10,765	37,520	51,405
	Cyprus	5,439	3,398	27,365	16,412
	Czecho-Slovakia	1,945	5,431	5,392	13,219
	Egypt	37,331	30,461	142,281	109,548
	Finland	29,609	—	85,000	—
	Germany, Eastern	31,760	37,898	80,458	93,169
	Germany, Western	44,821	14,486	117,110	42,176
	Greece	41,002	30,575	172,027	130,426
	Irish Republic	9,035	6,508	38,419	28,818
	Italy	45,689	35,673	142,299	120,309
	Kenya	1,478	2,045	8,847	11,814
	Poland	11,111	—	28,106	—
	Soviet Union	370,673	139,097	885,144	332,688
	Sweden	2,450	1,896	6,873	5,546
	Union of South Africa	21,167	22,733	100,143	112,564
	United States	13,178	18,418	58,643	81,612
Pilchards	Total	10,676	2,385	40,505	11,449
	Italy	10,367	2,348	38,506	11,178
Cod	Total	80,168	125,347	497,738	735,116
	Angola	1,401	4,797	11,592	38,584
	Australia	8,786	6,308	60,352	46,127
	Azores	2,705	3,372	17,588	25,073

* For Pickled Herrings the Salt and Pickle included in the quantities amount to 2% of the weight.

TABLE 16—concluded

Kinds of Fish	Consigned to	Quantity		Value	
		1954	1955	1954	1955
		cwt	cwt	£	£
Cured or Salted (not in Airtight Containers) —(contd.)					
Cod (contd.)	British Guiana	5,144	8,127	25,970	45,373
	British West Indies	2,712	2,786	15,387	18,818
	Cuba	6,112	7,744	38,459	49,756
	Denmark	806	1,285	4,780	4,549
	France	4,437	3,879	34,955	32,832
	Greece	1,550	9,778	5,809	40,063
	Hong Kong	977	1,286	6,569	8,720
	Irish Republic	5,162	5,161	29,777	29,942
	Italy	11,889	38,113	48,523	167,216
	Madeira	2,133	3,057	12,790	19,105
	Netherlands	2,198	2,737	12,171	17,259
	New Zealand	1,378	4,486	9,583	35,803
	Panama	1,003	1,640	6,520	11,611
	Portugal	4,568	2,231	25,533	12,931
	United States	4,058	4,844	32,636	40,994
Other Sorts	Total	87,758	71,672	512,767	471,213
	Australia	4,087	4,700	29,430	35,393
	British Guiana	18,869	15,122	93,620	87,665
	British West Indies	12,775	8,287	83,501	62,464
	Canada	1,131	774	7,901	6,109
	Cuba	3,491	1,494	18,841	11,584
	Egypt	2,152	1,353	12,685	8,344
	France	2,669	1,039	16,915	9,280
	Gold Coast	702	1,062	4,241	6,990
	Irish Republic	20,110	19,354	94,553	101,104
	Malta and Gozo	1,087	1,195	6,788	9,319
	Singapore	1,456	1,110	13,357	8,449
	Surinam	6,329	3,028	33,099	16,733
	Union of South Africa	145	1,056	3,343	12,227
	United States	2,137	1,104	13,903	8,138
In Airtight Containers:					
Herrings	Total	129,023	124,417	1,002,862	969,531
	Australia	57,967	47,500	452,337	383,715
	British Guiana	3,852	1,768	33,352	15,481
	British West Indies	11,036	7,237	81,529	56,660
	Canada	2,001	2,969	19,041	26,676
	Ceylon	675	1,734	4,485	12,280
	Czecho-Slovakia	—	2,295	2	7,686
	Fiji	4,176	4,221	28,833	31,362
	India	1,910	2,459	14,008	18,998
	Malaya	2,556	2,936	19,119	19,573
	New Zealand	8,712	12,705	69,205	100,905
	Nigeria	1,462	933	11,035	6,565
	Singapore	553	2,002	3,853	14,619
	Union of South Africa	297	3,937	2,342	30,706
	United States	13,346	12,009	108,652	95,991
	West Samoa and Ross	1,920	2,016	12,681	11,212
Other Sorts and Fish Paste	Total	32,073	38,191	352,342	464,466
	Australia	7,387	11,249	94,737	136,985
	British Guiana	1,387	4,195	8,936	37,722
	British West Indies	2,631	532	21,887	5,812
	Ceylon	696	468	5,293	5,465
	Channel Islands	712	662	12,130	10,444
	Dominican Republic	700	225	5,615	1,544
	Fiji	3,100	4,206	21,242	30,981
	Germany, Western	134	968	2,583	20,795
	Gold Coast	1,269	722	8,490	6,559
	India	219	715	2,433	6,914
	Irish Republic	687	539	7,871	7,260
	Israel	496	54	2,756	507
	Malta and Gozo	368	344	4,326	4,876
	New Zealand	1,094	1,369	24,944	25,103
	Nigeria	414	413	4,295	5,348
	Union of South Africa	2,335	4,353	24,422	54,968
	United States	1,299	746	13,365	11,445

TABLE 17—Imports and Exports of Fish (United Kingdom), Distinguishing Fresh or Frozen, Cured or Salted (not Canned), and Canned; the Total Trade with British Countries and the Imports Direct from the Fishing Grounds, 1939-1955

Year	Fresh or Frozen*			Cured or Salted (not Canned)			Canned			Total			Exports to British Countries		Year	
	Total Imports	Imports Retained	Exports of British Fish	Total Imports	Imports Retained	Exports of British Fish	Total Imports	Imports Retained	Exports of British Fish	Total Imports	Imports Retained	Exports of British Fish	Total Imports from British Countries	Foreign and Colonial Fish		
1939	2,231,932	2,215,164	596,928	72,126	66,451	1,357,338	1,686,591	1,659,992	49,603	4,003,649	3,941,607	2,023,968	499,126	37,115	1939	
1940	3,465,069	3,466,713	27,612	78,052	68,940	422,153	1,594,707	1,685,404	58,158	5,501,832	5,420,557	486,960	880,000	33,635	1940	
1941	3,346,744	3,348,336	581	218,474	215,784	10,997	1,596,007	1,685,404	7,925	5,168,546	5,100,557	486,960	1,531,714	6,532	1941	
1942	3,435,633	3,434,673	186	68,671	67,349	78,179	2,711,328	2,711,328	1,782	6,213,705	6,213,705	80,177	1,571,107	2,430	1942	
1943	3,897,139	3,897,139	570	54,897	48,895	10	2,971,577	2,969,562	4,038	6,213,705	6,213,705	80,177	1,571,107	1,684	1943	
1944	4,380,846	4,380,846	697	52,428	48,895	10	2,971,577	2,969,562	4,038	6,213,705	6,213,705	80,177	1,571,107	1,684	1944	
1945	4,691,817	4,674,514	697	52,428	48,895	10	2,971,577	2,969,562	4,038	6,213,705	6,213,705	80,177	1,571,107	1,684	1945	
1946	4,181,394	4,176,423	238,504	62,769	62,713	685,221	1,570,455	1,544,312	73,771	5,813,616	5,783,448	203,950	1,219,416	6,277	1946	
1947	4,451,993	4,451,615	307,046	12,549	12,519	796,155	1,570,455	1,544,312	73,771	5,813,616	5,783,448	203,950	1,219,416	6,277	1947	
1948	4,491,693	4,491,015	609,499	10,603	10,500	1,089,533	1,570,455	1,544,312	73,771	5,813,616	5,783,448	203,950	1,219,416	6,277	1948	
1949	3,901,561	3,886,114	264,122	1,641	1,571	1,075,966	1,570,455	1,544,312	73,771	5,813,616	5,783,448	203,950	1,219,416	6,277	1949	
1950	2,244,220	2,222,391	260,970	1,970	1,928	868,049	1,570,455	1,544,312	73,771	5,813,616	5,783,448	203,950	1,219,416	6,277	1950	
1951	3,438,617	3,434,977	197,163	5,811	5,487	875,640	1,570,455	1,544,312	73,771	5,813,616	5,783,448	203,950	1,219,416	6,277	1951	
1952	2,814,336	2,809,932	171,911	3,101	2,487	961,507	1,570,455	1,544,312	73,771	5,813,616	5,783,448	203,950	1,219,416	6,277	1952	
1953	1,974,060	1,972,773	140,030	12,358	4,436	859,444	1,570,455	1,544,312	73,771	5,813,616	5,783,448	203,950	1,219,416	6,277	1953	
1954	1,795,038	1,797,715	191,290	5,430	5,316	891,115	1,570,455	1,544,312	73,771	5,813,616	5,783,448	203,950	1,219,416	6,277	1954	
1955	2,035,522	2,037,969	223,320	6,627	6,596	600,347	1,570,455	1,544,312	73,771	5,813,616	5,783,448	203,950	1,219,416	6,277	1955	

QUANTITY (IN CWT)															
1939	2,231,932	2,215,164	596,928	72,126	66,451	1,357,338	1,686,591	1,659,992	49,603	4,003,649	3,941,607	2,023,968	499,126	37,115	1939
1940	3,465,069	3,466,713	27,612	78,052	68,940	422,153	1,594,707	1,685,404	58,158	5,501,832	5,420,557	486,960	880,000	33,635	1940
1941	3,346,744	3,348,336	581	218,474	215,784	10,997	1,596,007	1,685,404	7,925	5,168,546	5,100,557	486,960	1,531,714	6,532	1941
1942	3,435,633	3,434,673	186	68,671	67,349	78,179	2,711,328	2,711,328	1,782	6,213,705	6,213,705	80,177	1,571,107	2,430	1942
1943	3,897,139	3,897,139	570	54,897	48,895	10	2,971,577	2,969,562	4,038	6,213,705	6,213,705	80,177	1,571,107	1,684	1943
1944	4,380,846	4,380,846	697	52,428	48,895	10	2,971,577	2,969,562	4,038	6,213,705	6,213,705	80,177	1,571,107	1,684	1944
1945	4,691,817	4,674,514	697	52,428	48,895	10	2,971,577	2,969,562	4,038	6,213,705	6,213,705	80,177	1,571,107	1,684	1945
1946	4,181,394	4,176,423	238,504	62,769	62,713	685,221	1,570,455	1,544,312	73,771	5,813,616	5,783,448	203,950	1,219,416	6,277	1946
1947	4,451,993	4,451,615	307,046	12,549	12,519	796,155	1,570,455	1,544,312	73,771	5,813,616	5,783,448	203,950	1,219,416	6,277	1947
1948	4,491,693	4,491,015	609,499	10,603	10,500	1,089,533	1,570,455	1,544,312	73,771	5,813,616	5,783,448	203,950	1,219,416	6,277	1948
1949	3,901,561	3,886,114	264,122	1,641	1,571	1,075,966	1,570,455	1,544,312	73,771	5,813,616	5,783,448	203,950	1,219,416	6,277	1949
1950	2,244,220	2,222,391	260,970	1,970	1,928	868,049	1,570,455	1,544,312	73,771	5,813,616	5,783,448	203,950	1,219,416	6,277	1950
1951	3,438,617	3,434,977	197,163	5,811	5,487	875,640	1,570,455	1,544,312	73,771	5,813,616	5,783,448	203,950	1,219,416	6,277	1951
1952	2,814,336	2,809,932	171,911	3,101	2,487	961,507	1,570,455	1,544,312	73,771	5,813,616	5,783,448	203,950	1,219,416	6,277	1952
1953	1,974,060	1,972,773	140,030	12,358	4,436	859,444	1,570,455	1,544,312	73,771	5,813,616	5,783,448	203,950	1,219,416	6,277	1953
1954	1,795,038	1,797,715	191,290	5,430	5,316	891,115	1,570,455	1,544,312	73,771	5,813,616	5,783,448	203,950	1,219,416	6,277	1954
1955	2,035,522	2,037,969	223,320	6,627	6,596	600,347	1,570,455	1,544,312	73,771	5,813,616	5,783,448	203,950	1,219,416	6,277	1955

VALUE (IN £)															
1939	3,566,678	3,517,123	528,757	92,383	83,232	1,400,892	8,174,803	7,910,784	297,876	11,783,864	11,511,139	2,227,515	2,110,574	173,969	1939
1940	7,176,744	7,165,324	76,083	161,737	145,126	672,877	8,946,807	8,610,657	337,150	16,285,288	15,921,107	3,441,269	3,441,269	223,015	1940
1941	10,981,632	10,982,764	3,295	435,525	427,389	297,663	7,716,804	7,678,230	38,574	19,135,961	18,865,572	89,549	4,536,531	41,937	1941
1942	11,197,807	11,194,955	600	165,927	161,937	1,337	12,282,322	12,282,322	1,404	21,446,064	21,446,064	27,733	6,823,211	8,244	1942
1943	12,207,858	12,207,858	1,050	156,050	136,042	1,337	12,282,322	12,282,322	1,404	21,446,064	21,446,064	27,733	6,823,211	8,244	1943
1944	14,251,716	14,251,716	1,219	177,558	177,221	39	12,282,322	12,282,322	1,404	21,446,064	21,446,064	27,733	6,823,211	8,244	1944
1945	16,003,868	15,901,707	9,329	181,702	177,221	39	12,282,322	12,282,322	1,404	21,446,064	21,446,064	27,733	6,823,211	8,244	1945
1946	12,891,927	12,864,172	464,098	238,284	238,017	467,160	12,282,322	12,282,322	1,404	21,446,064	21,446,064	27,733	6,823,211	8,244	1946
1947	13,207,341	13,207,948	566,515	51,371	51,212	2,230,378	12,282,322	12,282,322	1,404	21,446,064	21,446,064	27,733	6,823,211	8,244	1947
1948	13,679,550	13,674,128	1,200,034	41,055	40,547	3,184,050	12,282,322	12,282,322	1,404	21,446,064	21,446,064	27,733	6,823,211	8,244	1948
1949	13,018,591	12,895,107	549,317	11,219	10,622	3,184,050	12,282,322	12,282,322	1,404	21,446,064	21,446,064	27,733	6,823,211	8,244	1949
1950	8,428,333	8,359,518	747,038	34,364	32,849	3,342,426	12,282,322	12,282,322	1,404	21,446,064	21,446,064	27,733	6,823,211	8,244	1950
1951	10,776,457	10,756,872	1,017,282	32,312	26,826	2,910,469	12,282,322	12,282,322	1,404	21,446,064	21,446,064	27,733	6,823,211	8,244	1951
1952	8,566,953	8,548,065	871,050	55,169	52,702	3,091,294	12,282,322	12,282,322	1,404	21,446,064	21,446,064	27,733	6,823,211	8,244	1952
1953	8,052,237	8,047,863	1,360,429	37,780	36,486	3,169,288	12,282,322	12,282,322	1,404	21,446,064	21,446,064	27,733	6,823,211	8,244	1953
1954	8,761,789	8,739,591	1,780,993	50,478	49,856	2,563,443	12,282,322	12,282,322	1,404	21,446,064	21,446,064	27,733	6,823,211	8,244	1954
1955															1955

Note: The figures include the Value of "Oysters for Breeding," but not the Quantity.

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