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FOREWORD

The Sea Fisheries Statistics for 1979 largely follow the layout of the 1978 publication. Where appropriate, figures for earlier years have been converted to metric units. Classification of vessel lengths and gross registered tonnage of vessels remain in imperial units. The tables refer, as far as possible, to the United Kingdom with separate figures for England and Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland. Additional statistics relating to Scotland are published annually in the Scottish Sea Fisheries Statistical Tables.

In some cases figures for the various parts of the United Kingdom are not strictly comparable and differences are explained in the headings and footnotes of the tables. More general definitions are given in the Explanatory Notes on Page 1.

These tables are intended to provide a broad picture of the United Kingdom fishing industry and its operations. Requests for more detailed information should be addressed to:

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EXPLANATORY NOTES

1. The various species of fish are divided into three main groups: demersal, pelagic and shellfish. The names of the kinds of fish included in each group are shown in table 2.
2. The term "demersal" fish covers species living on or near the seabed; "pelagic" fish are species found mainly in coastal waters in shoals near the surface of the sea. The term "wet fish" is used to denote both demersal and pelagic species.
3. Quantities of headless or filleted-at-sea fish landed by British and foreign fishing vessels are shown in terms of equivalent landed weight (i.e. head on, gutted) except in the trade tables (17 et seq) where actual product weights are shown.
4. The figures of "fish livers" are expressed as the raw equivalent of any liver oils landed.
5. The average values of fish quoted in table 11 are those realised at first-hand sales and apply to all fish sold regardless of whether it was sold for human consumption or for other uses (e.g. fish meal, animal feeding stuffs).
6. The term "British landings" relates to the landings of British registered fishing vessels.
7. Mackerel landing figures for 1977-1979 include a quantity caught by British vessels but not actually landed at British ports. These quantities are transhipped to foreign vessels in coastal waters and are later recorded as exports.
8. The sign ●● indicates a quantity of less than 0.5 tonne or a value less than £500 according to the table.

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A. Statistical Area (part) of the International Council for the Exploration of the Sea (I.C.E.S.)

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| I. Barents Sea and Murman Coast
II. Northward of Norwegian Coast
IIa. Norwegian Coast
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III. Skagerrak, Kattegat, The Sound, Belts and Baltic
IIIa. Skagerrak and Kattegat
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B. Statistical Area of the North West Atlantic Fisheries Organisation (N.A.F.O.)

1. West Coast of Greenland
2. Labrador
3. Grand Banks, Newfoundland
4. Gulf of St. Lawrence
5. Gulf of Maine and Georges Bank

Landings of Fish

TABLE 1

TOTAL SUPPLIES OF FRESH AND FROZEN FISH (a)

United Kingdom
1938

	Demersal		Herring		Other Pelagic		Shellfish		Total All Fish	
	tonnes	£ 000's	tonnes	£ 000's	tonnes	£ 000's	tonnes	£ 000's	tonnes	£ 000's
Landings by British vessels										
England and Wales	642,366	11,301	131,419	804	15,291	128	27,026	409	816,102	12,642
Scotland	127,203	2,742	142,291	1,063	3,861	21	4,673	80	278,028	3,906
Northern Ireland	1,524	28	1,778	12			356	5	3,658	45
United Kingdom	771,093	14,071	275,488	1,879	19,152	149	32,055	494	1,097,788	16,593
Imports	75,032	2,371	20,320	202	(b)	(b)	10,566	349	105,918	2,922
Total Supplies	846,125	16,442	295,808	2,081	19,152	149	42,621	843	1,203,706	19,515

1948

Landings by British vessels										
England and Wales	605,282	31,206	119,787	2,299	8,483	305	24,181	988	757,733	34,798
Scotland	170,535	8,358	147,980	3,079	6,960	171	4,216	430	329,692	12,038
Northern Ireland	7,214	303	2,540	50			254	13	10,007	366
United Kingdom	783,031	39,867	270,307	5,428	15,443	476	28,651	1,431	1,097,432	47,202
Imports	183,896	11,481	35,509	780	(b)	(b)	7,671	512	227,076	12,773
Total Supplies	966,927	51,348	305,816	6,208	15,443	476	36,322	1,943	1,324,508	59,975

1960

Landings by British vessels										
England and Wales	520,141	36,275	16,866	583	7,772	206	20,218	1,080	564,998	38,144
Scotland	171,044	11,840	89,510	1,882	3,150	72	7,163	951	270,866	14,745
Northern Ireland	2,235	69	4,622	50			661	48	7,518	167
United Kingdom	693,420	48,184	110,998	2,515	10,922	278	28,042	2,079	843,382	53,086
Imports	116,078	12,281	15,799	574	(b)	(b)	5,029	1,035	139,906	13,890
Total Supplies	809,498	60,465	126,797	3,089	10,922	278	33,071	3,114	980,288	66,946

1970

Landings by British vessels										
England and Wales	476,555	44,873	14,529	542	22,301	504	30,378	2,326	543,763	48,245
Scotland	250,596	18,957	126,695	4,011	19,507	319	22,607	3,953	419,405	27,240
Northern Ireland	3,810	195	4,369	130	254	4	3,454	448	11,887	777
United Kingdom	730,961	64,025	145,593	4,683	42,062	827	56,439	6,727	976,055	76,262
Imports	156,515	22,395	(c)9,398	(c)360	(b)	(b)	7,468	6,852	173,381	29,607
Total Supplies	887,476	86,420	154,991	5,043	42,062	827	63,907	13,579	1,148,436	105,869

1975

Landings by British vessels										
England and Wales	325,494	80,944	8,727	1,059	70,144	2,804	41,773	5,276	446,138	90,083
Scotland	249,503	41,067	98,506	9,586	39,579	1,182	21,611	7,432	409,199	59,267
Northern Ireland	4,123	567	5,604	588	44	2	4,022	906	13,793	2,063
United Kingdom	579,120	122,578	112,837	11,233	109,767	3,988	67,406	13,614	869,130	161,413
Imports	169,774	55,976	(c)3,212	(c)453	(b)	(b)	7,671	8,654	180,657	65,083
Total Supplies	748,894	178,554	116,049	11,686	109,767	3,988	75,077	22,268	1,049,787	216,496

(a) Salmon and trout are excluded.

The quantity of boneless fish is expressed in terms of landed weight equivalent (head on, gutted). The actual weight of imported boneless fish is shown in tables 17 and 18. Imports include semi-preserved (salted, in brine, dried or smoked) fish.

(b) Pelagic fish, other than herring, are not separately distinguishable in the import statistics. These imports are relatively small and are included with demersal fish.

(c) The quantities and values of imported herring in this table (and in tables 17-19) exclude herring imported for conversion into fish meal and oil.

TABLE 1
—concluded

Total Supplies of Fresh and Frozen Fish (a)

United Kingdom
1976

	Demersal		Herring		Other Pelagic		Shellfish		Total All Fish	
	tonnes	£ 000's	tonnes	£ 000's	tonnes	£ 000's	tonnes	£ 000's	tonnes	£ 000's
Landings by British vessels										
England and Wales	296,663	104,302	12,163	1,454	117,262	5,746	48,877	9,158	474,965	120,660
Scotland	273,966	60,965	73,079	9,392	66,262	3,087	28,924	12,385	442,231	85,829
Northern Ireland	5,488	992	5,770	741	95	5	4,226	1,567	15,579	3,305
United Kingdom	576,117	166,259	91,012	11,587	183,619	8,838	82,027	23,110	932,776	209,794
Imports	181,670	63,787	(c)1,752	(c)440	(b)	(b)	9,510	14,921	192,932	79,148
Total Supplies	757,787	230,046	92,764	12,027	183,619	8,838	91,537	38,031	1,126,707	288,942

1977

Landings by British vessels										
England and Wales	242,832	105,151	1,792	579	199,637	13,946	47,893	10,514	492,154	130,190
Scotland	251,275	84,708	38,275	11,201	96,602	6,544	26,056	14,675	412,208	117,128
Northern Ireland	5,204	1,395	2,982	1,092	97	7	3,683	1,830	11,966	4,324
United Kingdom	499,311	191,254	43,049	12,872	296,336	20,497	77,632	27,019	916,328	251,642
Imports	184,450	85,900	(c)3,702	(c)1,539	(b)	(b)	8,527	13,374	196,679	100,813
Total Supplies	683,761	277,154	46,751	14,411	296,336	20,497	86,159	40,393	1,113,007	352,455

1978

	Demersal		Mackerel (d)		Other Pelagic		Shellfish		Total All Fish	
	Tonnes	£'000	Tonnes	£'000	Tonnes	£'000	Tonnes	£'000	Tonnes	£'000
Landings by British vessels										
England and Wales	196,058	90,942	213,499	21,301	71,640	4,137	37,641	11,311	518,837	127,692
Scotland	232,910	85,572	107,415	9,696	59,106	7,764	26,712	19,180	426,152	122,212
Northern Ireland	5,522	1,424	46	4	1,274	427	1,935	2,986	8,777	4,849
United Kingdom	434,490	177,938	320,960	31,001	132,020	12,328	66,288	33,477	953,766	254,753
Imports (e)							15,521	20,971	289,652	154,138
Total Supplies							81,809	54,448	1,243,418	408,891

1979

	Demersal		Mackerel (d)		Other Pelagic		Shellfish		Total All Fish	
	Tonnes	£'000	Tonnes	£'000	Tonnes	£'000	Tonnes	£'000	Tonnes	£'000
Landings by British vessels										
England and Wales	159,967	84,129	244,997	26,688	32,517	2,336	34,264	12,173	471,744	125,326
Scotland	203,292	86,447	108,432	10,275	14,958	2,082	28,294	23,420	354,976	122,224
Northern Ireland	5,934	1,854	25	2	1,722	499	1,823	4,265	9,504	6,620
United Kingdom	369,193	172,430	353,454	36,965	49,197	4,917	64,381	39,858	836,224	254,170
Imports (e)							17,021	29,149	352,197	194,475
Total Supplies							81,402	69,007	1,188,421	448,645

(a) Salmon and trout are excluded.

The quantity of boneless fish is expressed in terms of landed weight equivalent (head on, gutted). The actual weight of imported boneless fish is shown in tables 17 and 18. Imports include semi-preserved (salted, in brine, dried or smoked) fish.

(b) Pelagic fish, other than herring, are not separately distinguishable in the import statistics. These imports are relatively small and are included with demersal fish.

(c) The quantities and values of imported herring in this table (and in tables 17-19) exclude herring imported for conversion into fish meal and oil.

(d) Landings include transshipments of mackerel (see explanatory note 7, Page 1).

(e) Imports for demersal and pelagic fish are not given separately as they are not readily distinguishable in the import statistics.

TABLE 2

LANDINGS BY BRITISH AND FOREIGN FISHING VESSELS

Quantity of Fresh and Frozen Fish by Species in 1979

United Kingdom

KIND OF FISH	BRITISH VESSELS				FOREIGN VESSELS*			TOTAL
	England and Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland	United Kingdom	England and Wales	Scotland	United Kingdom	United Kingdom
	tonnes	tonnes	tonnes	tonnes	tonnes	tonnes	tonnes	tonnes
Brill	271	17	13	301	26	—	26	327
Catfish	665	554	—	1,219	635	8	643	1,862
Cod	64,842	42,829	1,584	109,255	50,276	740	51,016	160,271
Conger Eels	422	109	—	531	1	1	2	533
Dabs	752	654	2	1,408	53	—	53	1,461
Dogfish	8,147	6,539	153	14,839	478	99	577	15,416
Flounders or Flukes	401	50	—	451	3	—	3	454
Gurnards	680	93	3	776	64	6	70	846
Haddock	17,225	55,527	7	72,759	9,260	523	9,783	82,542
Hake	316	1,214	76	1,606	25	37	62	1,668
Halibut	40	223	—	263	167	21	188	451
Halibut, Greenland	152	—	—	152	573	—	573	725
Lemon Soles	2,609	2,171	—	4,780	605	72	677	5,457
Ling	1,805	1,593	39	3,437	381	274	655	4,092
Megrim	255	764	9	1,028	72	5	77	1,105
Monks or Anglers	1,310	3,239	217	4,766	163	71	234	5,000
Norway Pout	—	3,038	3	3,041	—	240	240	3,281
Plaice	27,089	4,825	153	32,067	3,753	24	3,777	35,844
Pollack (Lythe)	833	435	—	1,268	141	1	142	1,410
Redfish	1,823	2	—	1,825	1,063	20	1,083	2,908
Saithe	8,393	10,211	239	18,843	6,251	236	6,487	25,330
Sand Eels	—	13,392	—	13,392	1,156	—	1,156	14,548
Skates & Rays	3,233	2,846	120	6,199	162	25	187	6,386
Soles	1,888	46	47	1,981	152	—	152	2,133
Torsk (Tusk)	69	393	—	462	206	179	385	847
Turbot	860	97	8	965	53	2	55	1,020
Whiting	8,736	49,465	2,946	61,147	363	53	416	61,563
Whiting Blue	2,936	1,500	—	4,436	—	447	447	4,883
Witches	176	1,043	7	1,226	17	9	26	1,252
Other Demersal	2,961	72	232	3,265	326	9	335	3,600
Fish Livers	898	1	—	899	1	—	1	900
Fish Roes	178	350	76	604	78	3	81	685
Total Demersal	159,967	203,292	5,934	369,193	76,504	3,105	79,609	448,802
Herring	853	2,012	1,722	4,587	1	—	1	4,588
Horse Mackerel	2,803	40	—	2,843	540	—	540	3,383
Mackerel	244,997	108,432	25	353,454	4,749	4,568	9,317	362,771
Pilchards	9,866	63	—	9,929	1,907	—	1,907	11,836
Sprats	18,833	12,843	—	31,676	497	280	777	32,453
Whitebait	155	—	—	155	—	—	—	155
Other Pelagic	—	—	7	—	—	—	—	7
Total Pelagic	277,514	123,390	1,747	402,651	7,694	4,848	12,542	415,193
Total Wet Fish	437,481	326,682	7,681	771,844	84,198	7,953	92,151	863,995
Cockles	10,415	—	—	10,415	—	—	—	10,415
Crabs	8,039	2,380	6	10,425	12	—	12	10,437
Lobsters	315	461	18	794	—	—	—	794
Mussels	4,691	819	—	5,510	—	—	—	5,510
Nephrops	1,657	12,888	1,466	16,011	17	—	17	16,028
Oysters	664	—	—	664	—	—	—	664
Periwinkles	157	2,865	207	3,229	—	—	—	3,229
Queens	1,414	4,712	43	6,169	—	—	—	6,169
Scallops	3,566	3,710	67	7,343	48	—	48	7,391
Shrimps	1,050	348	—	1,398	—	353	353	1,751
Squids	254	82	16	352	21	—	21	373
Whelks	1,759	26	—	1,785	—	—	—	1,785
Other Shellfish	283	3	—	286	29	—	29	315
Total Shellfish	34,264	28,294	1,823	64,381	127	353	480	64,861
Total All Fish	471,745	354,976	9,504	836,225	84,325	8,306	92,631	928,856

(a) The weight of oysters is calculated on the basis of one tonne being equal to 15,748 oysters in England and Wales.

(b) Includes transshipments of mackerel (see explanatory note 7, page 1).

* Includes landings by foreign fishing vessels and carriers (if first point of sale of fish). Total imports, which combine landings by fishing vessels, carriers and cargo vessels are shown in tables 17 and 18.

TABLE 2
—concludedLANDINGS BY BRITISH AND FOREIGN FISHING VESSELS
Value of Fresh and Frozen Fish by Species in 1979

United Kingdom

KIND OF FISH	BRITISH VESSELS				FOREIGN VESSELS*			TOTAL
	England and Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland	United Kingdom	England and Wales	Scotland	United Kingdom	United Kingdom
	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000
Brill	294	15	11	320	29	—	29	349
Catfish	236	204	—	440	195	2	197	637
Cod	36,463	26,389	716	63,568	26,983	447	27,430	90,998
Conger Eels	169	25	—	194	—	—	—	194
Dabs	221	189	—	410	12	—	12	422
Dogfish	2,655	1,608	18	4,281	140	16	156	4,437
Flounders or Flukes	79	5	—	84	—	—	—	84
Gurnards	112	11	—	123	9	—	9	132
Haddock	8,735	27,175	3	35,913	5,253	298	5,551	41,464
Hake	349	1,059	66	1,474	29	50	79	1,553
Halibut	81	483	—	564	229	44	273	837
Halibut, Greenland	59	—	—	59	218	—	218	277
Lemon Soles	2,284	1,721	—	4,005	492	48	540	4,545
Ling	737	639	11	1,387	162	129	291	1,678
Megrim	130	245	2	377	21	2	23	400
Monks or Anglers	1,299	2,124	55	3,478	113	53	166	3,644
Norway Pout	—	88	—	88	—	6	6	94
Plaice	14,655	2,418	52	17,125	2,095	12	2,107	19,232
Pollack (Lythe)	396	195	—	591	61	1	62	653
Redfish	433	—	—	433	297	6	303	736
Saithe	2,636	3,303	69	6,008	1,862	89	1,951	7,959
Sand Eels	—	297	—	297	34	—	34	331
Skates and Rays	1,617	970	24	2,611	56	12	68	2,679
Soles	4,626	88	42	4,756	382	—	382	5,138
Torsk (Tusk)	23	136	—	159	57	51	108	267
Turbot	1,562	183	5	1,750	91	3	94	1,844
Whiting	2,291	16,248	713	19,252	112	18	130	19,382
Whiting, Blue	300	41	—	341	—	10	10	351
Witches	62	334	2	398	6	2	8	406
Other Demersal	1,471	15	54	1,540	105	4	109	1,649
Fish Livers	82	—	—	82	—	—	—	82
Fish Roes	72	239	11	322	45	1	46	368
Total Demersal	84,129	86,447	1,854	172,430	39,088	1,304	40,392	212,822
Herring	282	1,146	499	1,927	—	—	—	1,927
Horse Mackerel	223	7	—	230	61	—	61	291
Mackerel	26,688	10,275	2	36,965	445	344	789	37,754
Pilchards	820	2	—	822	141	—	141	963
Sprats	906	927	—	1,833	20	12	32	1,865
Whitebait	105	—	—	105	—	—	—	105
Other Pelagic	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Pelagic	29,024	12,357	501	41,882	667	356	1,023	42,905
Total Wet Fish	113,153	98,804	2,355	214,312	39,755	1,660	41,415	255,727
Cockles	504	—	—	504	—	—	—	504
Crabs	3,390	513	3	3,906	2	—	2	3,908
Lobsters	1,477	2,582	71	4,130	—	—	—	4,130
Mussels	237	34	—	271	—	—	—	271
Nephrops	2,092	15,950	4,072	22,114	18	—	18	22,132
Oysters	1,009	—	—	1,009	—	—	—	1,009
Periwinkles	31	671	45	747	—	—	—	747
Queens	270	1,045	20	1,335	—	—	—	1,335
Scallops	1,605	2,210	46	3,861	29	—	29	3,890
Shrimps	648	331	—	979	—	292	292	1,271
Squids	281	66	8	355	30	—	30	385
Whelks	257	4	—	261	—	—	—	261
Other Shellfish	372	14	—	386	19	—	19	405
Total Shellfish	12,173	23,420	4,265	39,858	98	292	390	40,248
Total All Fish	125,326	122,224	6,620	254,170	39,853	1,952	41,805	295,975

(a) Includes transshipments of mackerel (see explanatory note 7, page 1).

* Includes landings by foreign fishing vessels and carriers (if first point of sale of fish). Total imports which combine landings by fishing vessels, carriers and cargo vessels are shown in tables 17 and 19.

TABLE 3

LANDINGS OF MAIN VARIETIES IN SELECTED YEARS 1938-1979

Quantity and Value of Fresh and Frozen Fish landed by British
and Foreign Vessels

United Kingdom

Country of Landing	Cod		Haddock		Hake		Halibut		Lemon Soles	
	tonnes	£ 000's	tonnes	£ 000's	tonnes	£ 000's	tonnes	£ 000's	tonnes	£ 000's
England and Wales										
1938	327,457	4,239	93,116	1,696	32,512	1,184	3,150	248	4,267	261
1948	309,017	13,921	72,034	3,877	34,290	3,158	2,438	390	762	83
1960	273,304	17,784	78,638	5,769	7,772	1,618	2,642	629	2,743	422
1970	298,602	27,684	42,367	4,660	1,270	443	660	253	1,778	551
1975	194,921	49,103	39,632	10,251	465	280	509	347	2,377	1,096
1976	163,978	63,037	36,619	11,621	450	326	384	356	2,574	1,514
1977	108,537	55,951	29,279	12,275	398	362	162	215	2,501	1,919
1978	82,663	43,047	19,277	9,561	398	406	81	130	2,492	1,937
1979	64,842	36,463	17,225	8,735	316	349	40	81	2,609	2,284
Scotland										
1938	27,838	507	52,070	1,035	1,727	60	1,676	119	3,455	243
1948	34,087	1,266	58,776	2,868	3,912	351	3,404	549	2,540	273
1960	40,896	2,970	57,912	3,990	2,388	331	1,981	448	3,048	532
1970	45,517	4,624	133,807	8,945	1,422	335	660	330	2,083	560
1975	46,556	11,713	72,834	15,454	1,830	653	296	289	1,869	762
1976	47,142	16,914	90,837	23,236	1,249	687	294	374	1,809	967
1977	37,984	20,527	93,653	35,612	1,166	905	208	317	2,294	1,416
1978	42,658	23,957	63,114	29,794	1,243	953	195	358	2,256	1,580
1979	42,829	26,389	55,527	27,175	1,214	1,059	223	483	2,171	1,721
Northern Ireland										
1938	102	2	102	2	—	—	—	—	—	—
1948	508	19	51	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
1960	305	17	—	2	51	2	—	—	—	—
1970	1,067	76	152	9	152	15	—	—	—	—
1975	963	177	13	2	175	31	—	—	—	—
1976	990	274	5	1	116	52	—	—	—	—
1977	1,178	488	6	2	66	34	—	—	—	—
1978	1,070	389	8	2	75	40	—	—	—	—
1979	1,584	716	7	3	76	66	—	—	—	—
United Kingdom										
1938	355,397	4,748	145,288	2,733	34,239	1,244	4,826	367	7,722	504
1948	343,612	15,206	130,861	6,746	38,202	3,509	5,842	939	3,302	356
1960	314,605	20,771	136,550	9,761	10,211	1,951	4,623	1,077	5,791	954
1970	345,186	32,384	176,326	13,614	2,844	793	1,320	583	3,861	1,111
1975	242,440	60,993	112,479	25,707	2,470	964	805	636	4,246	1,858
1976	212,110	80,225	127,461	34,858	1,815	1,065	678	730	4,383	2,541
1977	147,699	76,966	122,938	47,889	1,630	1,301	370	532	4,795	3,335
1978	126,391	67,393	82,399	39,357	1,716	1,399	276	488	4,748	3,517
1979	109,255	63,568	72,759	35,913	1,606	1,474	263	564	4,780	4,005
Foreign Landings*										
1938	8,382	101	3,607	73	559	16	254	17	406	26
1948	52,679	2,431	12,903	693	1,016	96	813	136	305	30
1960	26,517	1,713	12,649	977	102	14	356	71	254	41
1970	21,488	1,947	3,200	386	—	4	152	47	152	51
1975	29,904	5,964	3,585	1,110	110	24	69	37	269	133
1976	48,699	15,627	3,178	1,040	6	4	44	31	149	101
1977	27,681	13,176	1,291	601	22	19	43	39	254	186
1978	42,579	21,625	5,207	2,830	67	63	91	122	399	296
1979	51,016	27,430	9,783	5,551	62	79	188	273	677	540
Total Landings										
1938	363,779	4,849	148,895	2,806	34,798	1,260	5,080	384	8,128	530
1948	396,291	17,637	143,764	7,439	39,218	3,605	6,655	1,075	3,607	386
1960	341,122	22,484	149,199	10,738	10,313	1,965	4,979	1,148	6,045	995
1970	366,674	34,331	179,526	14,000	2,844	797	1,472	630	4,013	1,162
1975	272,344	66,957	116,064	26,817	2,580	988	874	673	4,515	1,991
1976	260,809	95,852	130,639	35,898	1,821	1,069	722	761	4,532	2,642
1977	175,380	90,142	124,229	48,490	1,652	1,320	413	571	5,049	3,521
1978	168,970	89,018	87,606	42,187	1,783	1,462	367	610	5,147	3,813
1979	160,271	90,998	82,542	41,464	1,668	1,553	451	837	5,457	4,545

* Landings by foreign vessels at British fishing ports (as in footnote to table 2).

TABLE 3
—continuedLANDINGS OF MAIN VARIETIES IN SELECTED YEARS 1938-1979
Quantity and Value of Fresh and Frozen Fish landed by British and Foreign Fishing Vessels

United Kingdom

Country of Landing	Place		Redfish		Saithe (Coalfish)		Skates and Rays		Soles	
	tonnes	£ 000's	tonnes	£ 000's	tonnes	£ 000's	tonnes	£ 000's	tonnes	£ 000's
England and Wales										
1938	23,470	1,889	3,759	22	28,194	146	17,475	413	3,150	409
1948	35,306	3,609	10,617	315	29,362	773	14,681	636	2,997	600
1960	30,785	4,112	18,390	523	32,563	1,304	9,245	725	2,235	719
1970	38,659	5,486	7,366	334	31,902	1,344	4,877	637	1,270	860
1975	23,869	8,883	5,905	624	16,835	1,975	3,807	944	1,144	1,558
1976	27,856	10,878	6,211	1,171	19,356	3,540	3,649	1,061	1,260	2,343
1977	31,357	13,149	7,467	1,451	17,077	4,896	3,527	1,250	1,185	2,524
1978	27,336	13,844	3,467	789	13,343	3,777	3,279	1,536	1,555	3,563
1979	27,089	14,655	1,823	433	8,393	2,636	3,233	1,617	1,888	4,626
Scotland										
1938	3,556	175	†	†	3,353	18	4,267	71	—	—
1948	4,267	427	†	†	4,674	98	5,842	236	—	—
1960	5,791	701	152	3	4,572	139	5,893	334	—	—
1970	5,334	730	203	7	18,085	659	3,911	385	—	4
1975	3,968	1,213	133	13	17,668	1,725	2,891	507	20	24
1976	3,890	1,384	246	42	21,020	3,431	3,115	665	22	34
1977	4,198	1,734	125	29	18,078	4,841	3,321	878	28	52
1978	4,463	2,087	55	15	17,493	4,719	3,195	1,035	35	69
1979	4,825	2,418	2	—	10,211	3,303	2,846	970	46	88
Northern Ireland										
1938	254	9	—	—	102	1	102	1	—	—
1948	254	15	—	—	152	5	51	2	—	—
1960	51	4	—	—	102	3	51	1	—	—
1970	152	16	—	—	559	11	102	3	51	4
1975	116	21	—	—	294	27	46	4	21	11
1976	128	32	—	—	305	40	60	7	49	26
1977	169	44	—	—	386	91	101	13	49	39
1978	177	49	—	—	370	73	94	13	57	57
1979	153	52	—	—	239	69	120	24	47	42
United Kingdom										
1938	27,280	2,073	3,759	22	31,649	165	21,844	485	3,150	409
1948	39,827	4,051	10,617	315	34,188	876	20,574	874	2,997	600
1960	36,627	4,817	18,542	526	37,237	1,446	15,189	1,060	2,235	719
1970	44,145	6,232	7,569	341	50,546	2,014	8,890	1,025	1,321	868
1975	27,953	10,117	6,038	637	34,797	3,727	6,744	1,455	1,185	1,593
1976	31,874	12,294	6,457	1,213	40,681	7,011	6,824	1,733	1,331	2,403
1977	35,724	14,927	7,592	1,480	35,541	9,828	6,949	2,141	1,262	2,615
1978	31,976	15,980	3,522	804	31,206	8,569	6,568	2,584	1,647	3,689
1979	32,067	17,125	1,825	433	18,843	6,008	6,199	2,611	1,981	4,756
Foreign Landings*										
1938	3,302	199	102	1	711	5	660	16	51	9
1948	21,387	2,017	5,080	185	17,221	471	711	30	102	18
1960	3,200	441	1,981	61	2,591	99	1,016	68	153	57
1970	3,505	540	305	14	1,372	63	51	6	305	181
1975	3,638	1,312	138	15	10,011	679	127	23	127	206
1976	2,502	1,042	113	25	621	116	57	13	257	505
1977	2,302	1,003	166	46	1,290	356	138	32	228	573
1978	3,516	2,045	568	165	6,091	1,717	215	78	157	371
1979	3,777	2,107	1,083	303	6,487	1,951	187	68	152	382
Total Landings										
1938	30,582	2,272	3,861	23	32,360	170	22,504	501	3,201	418
1948	61,214	6,068	15,697	500	51,409	1,347	21,285	904	3,099	618
1960	39,827	5,258	20,523	587	39,828	1,545	16,205	1,128	2,388	776
1970	47,650	6,772	7,874	355	51,918	2,077	8,941	1,031	1,626	1,049
1975	31,591	11,429	6,176	652	44,808	4,406	6,871	1,478	1,312	1,799
1976	34,376	13,336	6,570	1,238	41,302	7,127	6,881	1,746	1,588	2,908
1977	38,026	15,930	7,758	1,526	36,831	10,184	7,087	2,173	1,490	3,188
1978	35,492	18,025	4,090	969	37,297	10,286	6,783	2,662	1,804	4,060
1979	35,844	19,232	2,908	736	25,330	7,959	6,386	2,679	2,133	5,138

† Included with "Other Demersal".

* Landings by foreign vessels at British fishing ports (as in footnote to table 2).

TABLE 3
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LANDINGS OF MAIN VARIETIES IN SELECTED YEARS 1938-1979
Quantity and Value of Fresh and Frozen Fish landed by British and Foreign Fishing Vessels

United Kingdom

Country of Landing	Whiting		Other Demersal		Total Demersal		Herring		Mackerel (a)	
	tonnes	£ 000's	tonnes	£ 000's	tonnes	£ 000's	tonnes	£ 000's	tonnes	£ 000's
England and Wales										
1938	13,665	203	92,151	591	642,366	11,301	131,420	804	7,003	85
1948	14,173	571	79,604	3,273	605,282	31,206	119,786	2,299	3,037	179
1960	8,534	432	53,289	2,238	520,141	36,275	16,866	583	1,231	70
1970	4,775	268	43,028	2,353	476,555	44,873	14,529	542	3,404	207
1975	6,832	885	29,198	4,998	325,494	80,944	8,727	1,059	31,590	1,749
1976	6,924	1,330	27,402	7,065	296,663	104,302	12,163	1,454	57,397	3,575
1977	8,329	2,044	33,013	9,115	242,832	105,151	1,792	579	132,426	10,298
1978	9,377	2,355	32,789	9,997	196,057	90,942	854	373	213,499	21,301
1979	8,736	2,291	23,773	9,959	159,967	84,129	853	282	244,997	26,688
Scotland										
1938	16,307	272	12,954	242	127,203	2,742	142,291	1,063	3,215	19
1948	33,884	1,409	19,151	881	170,536	8,358	147,981	3,079	5,114	146
1960	30,226	1,600	18,085	792	171,044	11,840	89,509	1,882	2,539	65
1970	25,095	1,407	14,478	971	250,596	18,957	126,695	4,011	965	34
1975	37,060	5,281	64,378	3,433	249,503	41,067	98,506	9,586	16,756	554
1976	39,209	7,241	65,133	5,991	273,966	60,965	73,079	9,392	29,606	1,671
1977	38,997	11,115	51,223	7,282	251,275	84,708	38,275	11,201	54,242	4,357
1978	45,488	13,628	52,725	7,383	232,920	85,578	13,841	5,433	107,415	9,696
1979	49,465	16,248	33,933	6,593	203,292	86,447	2,012	1,146	108,432	10,275
Northern Ireland										
1938	863	12		1	1,524	28	1,778	12	—	—
1948	6,096	250	102	11	7,213	303	2,540	50	—	—
1960	1,422	37	254	3	2,235	69	4,623	50	—	—
1970	1,168	48	406	13	3,810	195	4,368	130	254	4
1975	2,022	250	473	44	4,123	567	5,604	588	30	2
1976	3,290	475	545	95	5,488	992	5,770	741	95	5
1977	2,674	582	575	102	5,204	1,395	2,982	1,092	97	7
1978	3,088	682	583	118	5,522	1,423	1,274	427	46	4
1979	2,946	713	762	169	5,934	1,854	1,722	499	25	2
United Kingdom										
1938	30,835	487	105,105	834	771,093	14,071	275,489	1,879	10,218	104
1948	54,153	2,230	98,857	4,165	783,031	39,867	270,307	5,428	8,151	325
1960	40,182	2,069	71,628	3,033	693,420	48,184	110,998	2,515	3,770	135
1970	31,038	1,723	57,912	3,337	730,961	64,025	145,592	4,683	4,623	245
1975	45,914	6,416	94,049	8,475	579,120	122,578	112,837	11,233	48,376	2,305
1976	49,423	9,046	93,080	13,141	576,117	166,259	91,012	11,587	87,098	5,251
1977	50,000	13,741	84,811	16,499	499,311	191,254	43,049	12,872	186,765	14,662
1978	57,953	16,665	86,097	17,498	434,499	177,943	15,969	6,233	320,960	31,001
1979	61,147	19,252	58,468	16,721	369,193	172,430	4,587	1,927	353,454	36,965
Foreign Landings*										
1938	559	11	3,810	89	22,403	563	355	1	48	1
1948	1,524	61	9,703	379	123,444	6,547	305	5	1,387	n.a.
1960	1,423	63	5,029	193	55,270	3,798	4,978	155	915	33
1970	51	4	13,818	231	44,399	3,474	15,596	274	762	14
1975	241	21	9,631	482	51,850	10,006	309	30	258	5
1976	37	6	8,487	488	64,150	18,998	65	8	189	11
1977	138	40	7,039	1,107	40,592	17,178	7	1	157	11
1978	496	152	7,536	1,567	66,922	31,031	525	448	1,402	154
1979	416	130	5,781	1,578	79,609	40,392	1		9,317	789
Total Landings										
1938	31,394	498	108,915	923	793,496	14,634	275,844	1,880	10,266	105
1948	55,677	2,291	108,560	4,544	906,475	46,414	270,612	5,433	9,538	n.a.
1960	41,605	2,132	76,637	3,226	748,690	51,982	115,976	2,670	4,685	168
1970	31,090	1,727	71,730	3,568	775,360	67,499	161,188	4,957	5,385	259
1975	46,155	6,437	103,680	8,957	636,970	132,584	113,146	11,263	48,634	2,310
1976	49,460	9,052	101,567	13,629	640,267	185,257	91,077	11,595	87,287	5,262
1977	50,138	13,781	91,850	17,606	539,903	208,432	43,056	12,873	186,922	14,673
1978	58,449	16,817	93,633	19,065	501,421	208,974	16,494	6,681	322,362	31,155
1979	61,563	19,382	64,249	18,299	448,802	212,822	4,588	1,927	362,771	37,754

* Landings by foreign vessels at British fishing ports (as in footnote to table 2).
(a) Includes transshipments of mackerel (see explanatory note 7, page 1).

TABLE 3
—concludedLANDINGS OF MAIN VARIETIES IN SELECTED YEARS 1938-1979
Quantity and Value of Fresh and Frozen Fish landed by British and Foreign Fishing Vessels

United Kingdom

Country of Landing	Other Pelagic		Total Pelagic		Total Wet Fish		Total Shellfish		Total All Fish	
	tonnes	£ 000's	tonnes	£ 000's	tonnes	£ 000's	tonnes	£ 000's	tonnes	£ 000's
England and Wales										
1938	8,288	43	146,711	932	789,077	12,233	27,025	409	816,102	12,642
1948	5,447	126	128,270	2,604	733,552	33,810	24,181	988	757,733	34,798
1960	6,541	136	24,638	789	544,779	37,064	20,219	1,080	564,998	38,144
1970	18,897	297	36,830	1,046	513,385	45,919	30,378	2,326	543,763	48,245
1975	38,554	1,055	78,871	3,863	404,365	84,807	41,773	5,276	446,138	90,083
1976	59,865	2,171	129,425	7,200	426,088	111,502	48,877	9,158	474,965	120,660
1977	67,211	3,648	201,429	14,525	444,261	119,676	47,893	10,514	492,154	130,190
1978	70,786	3,764	285,139	25,438	481,196	116,380	37,641	11,312	518,837	127,692
1979	31,664	2,054	277,514	29,024	437,481	113,153	34,264	12,173	471,745	125,326
Scotland										
1938	646	2	146,152	1,084	273,355	3,826	4,674	80	278,029	3,906
1948	1,845	25	154,940	3,250	325,476	11,608	4,216	430	329,692	12,038
1960	611	7	92,659	1,954	263,703	13,794	7,163	951	270,866	14,745
1970	18,542	285	146,202	4,330	396,799	23,287	22,606	3,953	419,405	27,240
1975	22,823	628	138,085	10,768	387,588	51,835	21,611	7,432	409,199	59,267
1976	36,656	1,416	139,341	12,479	413,307	73,444	28,924	12,385	442,231	85,829
1977	42,360	2,187	134,877	17,745	386,152	102,453	26,056	14,675	412,208	117,128
1978	45,265	2,331	166,520	17,460	399,440	103,038	26,712	19,174	426,152	122,212
1979	12,946	936	123,390	12,357	326,682	98,804	28,294	23,420	354,976	122,224
Northern Ireland										
1938	—	—	1,778	12	3,302	40	356	5	3,658	45
1948	—	—	2,540	50	9,753	353	254	13	10,007	366
1960	—	—	4,623	50	6,858	119	660	48	7,518	167
1970	—	—	4,623	134	8,433	329	3,455	448	11,887	777
1975	14	—	5,648	590	9,771	1,157	4,022	906	13,793	2,063
1976	—	—	5,865	746	11,353	1,738	4,226	1,567	15,579	3,305
1977	—	—	3,079	1,099	8,283	2,494	3,683	1,830	11,966	4,324
1978	—	—	1,320	431	6,842	1,854	1,935	2,995	8,777	4,849
1979	—	—	1,747	501	7,681	2,355	1,823	4,265	9,504	6,620
United Kingdom										
1938	8,934	45	294,641	2,028	1,065,734	16,099	32,055	494	1,097,789	16,593
1948	7,292	151	285,750	5,904	1,068,781	45,771	28,651	1,431	1,097,432	47,202
1960	7,152	143	121,920	2,793	815,340	50,977	28,042	2,079	843,382	53,056
1970	37,440	582	187,655	5,510	918,617	69,535	56,439	6,727	975,055	76,262
1975	61,391	1,683	222,604	15,221	801,724	137,799	67,406	13,614	869,130	151,413
1976	96,521	3,587	274,631	20,425	850,748	186,684	82,027	23,110	932,775	209,794
1977	109,571	5,835	339,385	33,369	838,696	224,623	77,632	27,019	916,328	251,642
1978	116,051	6,095	452,979	43,329	887,478	221,272	66,288	33,481	953,766	254,753
1979	44,610	2,990	402,651	41,882	771,844	214,312	64,381	39,858	836,225	254,170
Foreign Landings*										
1938	2	..	406	2	22,809	565	..	..	22,809	565
1948	187	n.a.	1,880	94	125,324	6,641	..	..	125,324	6,641
1960	—	—	5,893	188	61,163	3,986	51	4	61,214	3,990
1970	—	—	16,358	289	60,756	3,763	..	..	60,757	3,763
1975	10,788	289	11,355	324	69,205	10,330	51	17	69,256	10,347
1976	9,213	317	9,063	328	73,213	19,326	185	79	73,398	19,405
1977	732	33	896	45	41,488	17,223	414	305	41,902	17,528
1978	3,597	233	5,524	835	72,446	31,865	800	577	73,246	32,442
1979	3,224	234	12,542	1,023	92,151	41,415	480	390	92,631	41,805
Total Landings										
1938	8,936	45	295,047	2,030	1,088,543	16,664	32,055	494	1,120,598	17,158
1948	7,479	n.a.	287,630	5,998	1,194,105	52,412	28,651	1,431	1,222,756	53,843
1960	7,152	143	127,813	2,981	876,503	54,963	28,093	2,083	904,596	57,046
1970	37,440	583	204,013	5,799	973,373	73,298	56,439	6,727	1,035,812	80,025
1975	72,179	1,972	233,959	15,545	870,929	148,129	67,457	13,631	938,386	161,760
1976	105,734	3,904	283,694	20,753	923,961	206,010	82,212	23,189	1,006,173	229,199
1977	110,303	5,868	340,281	33,414	880,184	241,846	78,046	27,324	958,230	269,170
1978	119,648	6,328	458,503	44,164	959,924	253,137	67,088	34,058	1,027,012	287,195
1979	47,834	3,224	415,193	42,905	863,995	255,727	64,861	40,248	928,856	295,975

* Landings by foreign vessels at British Fishing ports (as in footnote to table 2).

TABLE 4

**LANDINGS AT MAJOR PORTS (ENGLAND AND WALES)
AND DISTRICTS (SCOTLAND)**

Quantity and Value of Fresh and Frozen Fish landed by British Vessels in 1979

Great Britain

Kind of Fish	NORTH SHIELDS		WHITBY		SCARBOROUGH		BRIDLINGTON	
	tonnes	£	tonnes	£	tonnes	£	tonnes	£
Brill	—	—	1	722	3	2,076	2	1,382
Catfish	27	12,297	26	8,691	31	12,880	14	5,727
Cod	5,494	3,381,942	1,646	1,005,060	2,788	1,748,877	3,239	1,977,403
Conger Eels	—	—	1	289	—	176	—	67
Oabs	36	8,906	1	249	8	1,984	8	1,812
Dogfish	949	257,441	135	33,587	165	40,919	93	26,743
Flounders or Flukes	—	—	—	—	—	7	1	147
Gurnards	5	483	—	—	—	14	—	7
Haddock	2,426	1,281,831	229	101,766	387	216,245	171	84,280
Hake	4	3,349	—	25	—	99	—	15
Halibut	4	7,937	—	225	1	1,654	—	60
Halibut, Greenland	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lemon Soles	291	239,102	114	92,544	170	140,758	146	101,452
Ling	26	12,250	18	5,569	37	13,838	9	3,786
Megrim	1	338	—	—	—	—	—	—
Monks or Anglers	89	52,710	13	5,089	44	24,121	36	20,674
Norway Pout	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Plaice	307	160,063	180	84,094	190	94,660	139	77,219
Pollack (Lythe)	9	4,399	2	879	3	1,002	2	732
Redfish	—	128	—	—	—	—	—	—
Saithe	823	239,188	9	2,712	34	10,144	1	266
Sand Eels	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Skates and Rays	78	8,002	21	7,098	93	28,606	128	42,098
Soles	—	75	6	10,995	20	44,471	5	10,135
Torsk (Tusk)	—	77	—	—	—	—	—	—
Turbot	4	5,983	3	4,327	8	13,155	4	4,716
Whiting	1,422	400,473	1,043	215,027	711	153,252	619	143,534
Whiting, Blue	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Witches	27	9,591	—	2	1	223	—	2
Other Demersal	223	112,247	32	7,459	31	7,253	14	5,152
Fish Livers	1	28	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fish Roes	17	10,813	—	165	—	294	3	2,677
Total Demersal	12,263	6,209,653	3,479	1,586,574	4,725	2,556,708	4,634	2,510,086
Herring	12	5,541	—	—	—	52	—	79
Horse Mackerel	4	224	—	—	—	—	—	3
Mackerel (a)	46	5,144	—	114	—	71	—	107
Pilchards	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Spratts	12,277	510,180	—	—	—	—	161	7,241
Whitebait	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other Pelagic	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Pelagic	12,339	521,089	—	114	—	123	161	7,430
Total Wet Fish	24,602	6,730,742	3,479	1,586,688	4,725	2,556,831	4,795	2,517,516
Cockles	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Crabs	—	25	187	45,983	90	32,567	254	102,814
Lobsters	—	—	12	57,508	9	44,137	27	119,958
Mussels	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nephrops	265	369,909	—	—	—	—	—	—
Oysters	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Periwinkles	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Queens	—	48	—	8	—	—	1	269
Scallops	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shrimps	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Squids	2	679	—	—	—	—	—	—
Whelks	—	7	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other Shellfish	94	69,210	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Shellfish	361	439,878	199	103,499	99	76,704	282	223,041
Total All Fish	24,963	7,170,620	3,678	1,690,187	4,824	2,633,535	5,077	2,740,557

(a) Mackerel figures in table 4 include transshipment where applicable (see explanatory notes no. 7, page 1).

TABLE 4
—continuedLANDINGS AT MAJOR PORTS (ENGLAND AND WALES) AND DISTRICTS (SCOTLAND)
Quantity and Value of Fresh and Frozen Fish landed by British Vessels in 1979

Great Britain

Kind of Fish	HULL		GRIMSBY		LOWESTOFT		PLYMOUTH	
	tonnes	£	tonnes	£	tonnes	£	tonnes	£
Brill	—	—	20	19,885	57	45,909	10	11,214
Catfish	309	103,279	106	41,913	144	47,579	—	—
Cod	15,469	7,696,131	24,662	14,013,252	4,550	2,505,247	13	7,719
Conger Eels	—	—	1	158	—	33	31	11,595
Dabs	6	1,265	51	13,933	205	60,100	33	10,383
Dogfish	7	1,206	4,254	1,443,638	916	368,644	5	1,408
Flounders or Flukes	10	2,470	3	542	67	11,543	—	44
Gurnards	1	138	55	5,546	34	6,513	38	4,894
Haddock	6,581	3,603,411	4,738	2,240,065	817	305,169	2	1,107
Hake	9	4,083	49	49,907	19	9,729	14	13,111
Halibut	3	3,739	21	46,617	4	4,532	—	16
Halibut, Greenland	152	58,275	—	135	—	—	—	—
Lemon Soles	2	1,612	664	570,621	365	281,271	122	127,663
Ling	38	14,505	286	130,427	65	20,679	81	28,871
Megrim	5	1,115	36	11,104	—	—	1	212
Monks or Anglers	6	3,527	200	132,911	77	86,762	76	89,897
Norway Pout	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Plaice	1	397	5,875	3,273,368	17,346	9,367,462	71	44,985
Pollack (Lythe)	2	941	148	81,649	13	5,713	85	38,505
Redfish	1,744	412,972	55	15,719	—	30	—	—
Saithe	1,864	552,835	3,819	1,263,696	69	25,282	1	428
Sand Eels	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Skates and Rays	14	2,876	416	205,433	317	133,470	41	21,246
Soles	—	—	47	113,861	239	582,107	41	98,239
Torsk (Tusk)	22	6,573	10	4,165	—	—	—	—
Turbot	—	54	129	218,310	518	852,400	9	20,529
Whiting	8	3,063	861	264,075	274	60,242	87	32,710
Whiting, Blue	2,936	300,316	—	—	—	—	—	—
Witches	21	4,979	42	17,435	74	25,345	—	—
Other Demersal	465	126,962	100	58,728	67	27,844	168	100,758
Fish Livers	660	70,964	111	7,218	—	—	—	—
Fish Roes	21	8,713	49	19,127	4	2,863	1	715
Total Demersal	30,356	12,986,401	46,808	24,263,438	26,241	14,836,468	930	666,249
Herring	—	77	—	—	—	—	1	487
Horse Mackerel	71	11,658	1	43	2	185	1,787	96,034
Mackerel	8,826	1,386,455	38	5,533	2	495	21,979	1,714,957
Pilchards	10	1,620	—	—	—	—	9,314	772,428
Sprats	—	—	2,718	119,149	1	202	546	24,911
Whitebait	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other Pelagic	5	484	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Pelagic	8,912	1,400,294	2,757	124,725	5	882	33,627	2,608,817
Total Wet Fish	39,268	14,386,695	49,565	24,388,163	26,246	14,837,350	34,557	3,275,066
Cockles	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Crabs	—	—	15	5,482	—	58	184	78,789
Lobsters	—	—	—	75	—	922	3	16,130
Mussels	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nephrops	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Oysters	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Periwinkles	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	701
Queens	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	709
Scallops	—	—	—	—	—	—	754	435,041
Shrimps	—	—	—	—	—	50	—	—
Squids	—	63	16	2,754	—	—	16	16,661
Whelks	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other Shellfish	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	8,485
Total Shellfish	—	63	31	8,311	—	1,030	964	556,516
Total All Fish	39,268	14,386,758	49,596	24,396,474	26,246	14,838,380	35,521	3,831,582

TABLE 4
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LANDINGS AT MAJOR PORTS (ENGLAND AND WALES) AND DISTRICTS (SCOTLAND)
Quantity and Value of Fresh and Frozen Fish landed by British Vessels in 1979

Great Britain

Kind of Fish	BRIXHAM		NEWLYN		MILFORD HAVEN		FLEETWOOD	
	tonnes	£	tonnes	£	tonnes	£	tonnes	£
Brill	74	104,821	20	31,161	14	15,151	20	15,950
Catfish	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	1,426
Cod	52	33,625	54	33,981	212	126,647	2,863	1,718,781
Conger Eels	16	7,038	156	63,343	17	6,796	25	8,554
Dabs	98	29,484	18	4,756	22	5,274	28	4,726
Dogfish	26	8,278	133	32,608	145	47,006	560	172,139
Flounders or Flukes	58	5,658	—	69	1	123	36	3,991
Gurnards	94	19,040	212	37,389	56	8,661	92	15,484
Haddock	—	151	46	31,286	67	22,981	1,393	657,913
Hake	9	7,346	58	68,412	19	19,862	104	145,521
Halibut	—	—	—	—	—	241	8	15,570
Halibut, Greenland	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	67
Lemon Soles	121	144,690	118	101,456	4	2,690	29	14,894
Ling	34	10,718	804	331,268	15	7,361	111	47,119
Megrim	1	261	190	109,027	3	1,624	17	6,010
Monks or Anglers	146	160,683	249	347,557	48	31,549	85	53,062
Norway Pout	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Plaice	315	206,456	87	53,586	155	70,137	995	475,997
Pollack (Lythe)	120	46,415	80	39,717	33	22,986	84	48,951
Redfish	—	—	1	219	—	—	23	3,955
Saithe	—	—	5	1,704	35	9,956	1,714	523,868
Sand Eels	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Skates and Rays	91	60,461	294	158,730	604	350,663	499	267,446
Soles	422	1,204,949	161	442,567	45	123,650	144	330,922
Torsk (Tusk)	—	—	—	—	—	—	36	11,825
Turbot	50	146,612	35	96,965	26	58,059	20	41,249
Whiting	290	85,511	77	28,482	153	44,559	566	162,834
Whiting, Blue	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Witches	—	—	—	38	—	—	7	2,859
Other Demersal	242	99,260	205	116,284	50	24,006	118	40,009
Fish Livers	—	—	—	—	—	—	126	4,138
Fish Roes	15	3,817	5	2,354	1	646	25	7,392
Total Demersal	2,274	2,385,274	3,008	2,132,959	1,725	1,000,628	9,731	4,802,652
Herring	6	3,515	—	59	157	68,043	7	2,045
Horse Mackerel	158	19,986	64	2,973	353	56,854	110	10,627
Mackerel	93	18,989	10,663	1,038,965	47,180	8,284,947	52	3,948
Pilchards	—	4	46	5,142	—	—	—	—
Sprats	1,329	113,985	2	328	—	—	—	58
Whitebait	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	27
Other Pelagic	—	14	—	—	1	80	—	—
Total Pelagic	1,586	156,493	10,775	1,047,467	47,691	8,409,924	169	16,705
Total Wet Fish	3,860	2,541,767	13,783	3,180,426	49,416	9,410,552	9,900	4,819,357
Cockles	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Crabs	397	168,447	29	12,304	4	1,810	—	—
Lobsters	2	9,381	1	3,293	7	34,596	—	180
Mussels	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nephrops	—	—	—	—	—	—	368	476,515
Oysters	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Periwinkles	—	—	—	—	10	1,963	—	—
Queens	9	1,215	—	6	—	26	190	40,023
Scallops	652	372,287	162	75,502	—	188	1	614
Shrimps	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	3,780
Squids	56	63,883	51	68,145	30	31,118	28	30,134
Whelks	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	44
Other Shellfish	—	72	1	8,413	1	3,649	—	—
Total Shellfish	1,116	615,285	244	167,663	52	73,350	593	551,290
Total All Fish	4,976	3,157,052	14,027	3,348,089	49,468	9,483,902	10,493	5,370,647

TABLE 4
—continuedLANDINGS AT MAJOR PORTS (ENGLAND AND WALES) AND DISTRICTS (SCOTLAND)
Quantity and Value of Fresh and Frozen Fish landed by British Vessels in 1979

Great Britain

Kind of Fish	WHITEHAVEN		ALL OTHER PORTS		ABERDEEN		PETERHEAD	
	tonnes	£	tonnes	£	tonnes	£	tonnes	£
Brill	11	5,781	39	39,673	2	1,111	1	440
Catfish	—	—	5	1,856	98	37,639	349	129,515
Cod	200	95,002	3,600	2,118,948	11,157	6,905,364	16,762	10,902,249
Conger Eels	—	49	175	71,263	6	1,646	—	23
Dabs	5	455	233	77,268	128	41,996	34	9,774
Dogfish	87	21,567	672	199,571	1,426	305,292	1,532	366,526
Flounders or Flukes	3	255	222	54,275	—	33	1	105
Gurnards	1	106	92	13,617	84	9,909	1	44
Haddock	1	306	367	188,487	16,433	7,755,032	24,330	12,228,926
Hake	1	561	30	27,229	125	104,277	252	172,083
Halibut	—	—	—	436	182	404,548	21	40,504
Halibut, Greenland	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lemon Soles	1	402	462	464,821	506	447,558	522	443,213
Ling	1	154	280	110,215	816	325,142	393	173,635
Megrim	—	—	1	336	155	58,359	81	28,612
Monks or Anglers	9	3,420	232	286,829	500	329,776	827	623,828
Norway Pout	—	—	—	—	—	10	—	—
Plaice	480	198,636	948	548,376	716	406,548	751	377,061
Pollack (Lythe)	—	60	252	103,694	185	88,970	83	41,357
Redfish	—	—	—	—	2	402	—	—
Saithe	3	912	16	5,351	5,903	1,869,437	2,314	858,636
Sand Eels	—	—	—	—	—	12	—	95
Skates and Rays	38	14,256	599	316,991	733	268,472	186	59,412
Soles	36	72,518	723	1,591,772	—	225	—	58
Torsk (Tusk)	—	—	—	8	350	122,292	—	268
Turbot	2	1,565	52	97,911	37	69,305	18	35,368
Whiting	267	43,231	2,358	653,804	10,726	3,811,953	15,132	5,011,595
Whiting, Blue	—	—	—	—	2	862	—	—
Witches	—	1	4	1,886	56	25,168	307	127,215
Other Demersal	6	2,270	1,241	742,773	60	9,817	2	883
Fish Livers	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	425
Fish Roes	11	1,659	26	11,068	138	93,995	59	49,560
Total Demersal	1,163	463,146	12,630	7,728,457	50,526	23,495,151	63,959	31,681,410
Herring	624	177,982	46	23,936	—	72	6	2,359
Horse Mackerel	—	—	253	24,001	—	14	—	—
Mackerel	10	894	156,108	14,227,334	384	40,850	23	2,734
Pilchards	—	—	496	40,977	—	—	—	—
Sprats	27	3,114	1,772	127,115	373	41,880	—	—
Whitebait	—	—	155	104,706	—	—	—	—
Other Pelagic	—	—	1	105	—	—	—	—
Total Pelagic	661	181,990	158,831	14,548,174	757	82,816	29	5,093
Total Wet Fish	1,824	645,136	171,461	22,276,631	51,283	23,577,967	63,988	31,686,503
Cockles	—	—	10,415	503,619	—	—	—	—
Crabs	—	—	6,879	2,941,486	29	6,788	91	20,244
Lobsters	—	—	254	1,191,096	2	9,178	4	18,271
Mussels	—	—	4,691	236,662	—	—	—	—
Nephrops	529	570,405	495	675,396	1	671	—	—
Oysters	—	—	664	1,008,652	—	—	—	—
Periwinkles	—	—	147	28,797	—	—	—	—
Queens	308	66,349	901	161,288	—	—	—	—
Scallops	5	3,319	1,992	718,291	—	—	—	—
Shrimps	—	—	1,044	644,282	—	—	107	100,269
Squids	—	58	55	67,224	41	26,294	—	—
Whelks	—	—	1,759	256,642	—	—	—	—
Other Shellfish	—	—	185	282,677	—	—	—	—
Total Shellfish	842	640,131	29,481	8,716,112	73	42,931	202	138,784
Total All Fish	2,666	1,285,267	200,942	30,992,743	51,356	23,620,898	64,190	31,825,287

TABLE 4
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LANDINGS AT MAJOR PORTS (ENGLAND AND WALES) AND DISTRICTS (SCOTLAND)
Quantity and Value of Fresh and Frozen Fish landed by British Vessels in 1979

Great Britain

Kind of Fish	SHETLAND		ULLAPOOL		MALLAIG		ALL OTHER DISTRICTS	
	tonnes	£	tonnes	£	tonnes	£	tonnes	£
Brill	—	—	—	349	—	235	14	12,673
Catfish	9	1,278	—	26	—	2	99	35,744
Cod	449	192,392	701	394,405	896	450,970	12,863	7,543,808
Conger Eels	—	—	8	1,420	44	7,766	51	14,559
Dabs	1	116	66	18,220	1	226	424	118,306
Dogfish	30	3,421	1,142	350,401	224	52,330	2,186	529,895
Flounders or Flukes	—	—	—	—	1	240	48	4,457
Gurnards	—	—	1	77	1	74	7	1,315
Haddock	2,237	868,634	1,753	916,250	324	124,577	10,450	5,281,494
Hake	46	21,624	118	97,922	91	94,908	582	567,756
Halibut	1	1,935	7	12,265	2	3,676	11	19,887
Halibut, Greenland	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	19
Lemon Soles	4	1,034	49	28,433	17	7,653	1,073	793,390
Ling	79	19,620	21	7,078	39	13,521	246	100,183
Megrim	144	30,541	177	64,316	26	4,568	181	58,395
Monks or Anglers	205	100,433	308	163,695	431	271,896	969	634,103
Norway Pout	3,015	87,231	—	—	—	—	23	872
Plaice	18	4,752	396	195,053	28	11,282	2,917	1,422,901
Pollack (Lythe)	1	145	17	6,515	48	18,001	101	40,271
Redfish	—	—	—	8	—	—	—	27
Saithe	87	17,855	375	105,142	234	69,882	1,297	381,866
Sand Eels	13,392	297,123	—	—	—	—	—	6
Skates and Rays	132	24,293	456	172,168	215	78,215	1,123	367,517
Soles	—	—	1	672	—	14	45	87,136
Torsk (Tusk)	—	5	—	—	—	32	42	13,110
Turbot	—	110	7	12,382	5	8,066	30	57,380
Whiting	6,234	1,750,611	2,530	792,046	950	241,897	13,892	4,640,300
Whiting, Blue	32	768	1	26	—	—	1,464	38,950
Witches	1	99	104	30,331	270	65,326	306	85,682
Other Demersal	1	191	—	98	—	—	10	4,337
Fish Livers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	42
Fish Roes	—	34	13	8,909	16	8,486	124	77,617
Total Demersal	26,118	3,424,245	8,251	3,378,207	3,863	1,533,843	50,578	22,933,998
Herring	—	—	1	180	—	—	2,005	1,143,382
Horse Mackerel	—	—	—	—	34	5,983	6	529
Mackerel	1,154	94,441	82,852	7,926,059	11,555	1,299,846	12,464	910,635
Pilchards	—	—	—	—	—	—	63	1,759
Sprats	206	22,950	—	—	647	56,770	11,617	805,069
Whitebait	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other Pelagic	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Pelagic	1,360	117,391	82,853	7,926,239	12,236	1,362,599	26,155	2,861,374
Total Wet Fish	27,478	3,541,636	91,104	11,304,446	16,099	2,896,442	76,733	25,795,372
Cockles	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	212
Crabs	115	22,650	59	12,948	8	1,388	2,078	448,502
Lobsters	10	47,142	9	55,170	4	20,618	433	2,431,916
Mussels	4	697	—	—	—	—	814	33,014
Nephrops	—	—	1,934	2,330,417	3,153	4,462,656	7,800	9,155,830
Oysters	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	200
Periwinkles	9	1,549	196	48,548	289	71,183	2,370	549,972
Queens	493	110,217	—	—	—	—	4,219	934,658
Scallops	557	343,430	82	51,062	242	138,681	2,830	1,677,070
Shrimps	—	—	—	—	—	—	241	230,813
Squids	—	4	4	3,591	6	3,727	32	32,911
Whelks	26	3,962	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other Shellfish	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	14,225
Total Shellfish	1,214	529,651	2,284	2,501,736	3,702	4,698,253	20,820	15,509,323
Total All Fish	28,692	4,071,287	93,388	13,806,182	19,801	7,594,695	97,553	41,304,695

TABLE 5

LANDINGS BY FOREIGN FISHING VESSELS
Quantity and Value of Fresh and Frozen Fish landed at British Fishing Ports in 1979*

United Kingdom

COUNTRY	COD		HADDOCK		PLAICE		OTHER DEMERSAL		MACKEREL		OTHER PELAGIC		SHELLFISH		TOTAL ALL FISH	
	tonnes	£'000	tonnes	£'000	tonnes	£'000	tonnes	£'000	tonnes	£'000	tonnes	£'000	tonnes	£'000	tonnes	£'000
Belgium	2,279	1,245	514	296	1,886	1,050	964	682	174	—	—	—	15	5	5,659	3,277
Denmark	6,621	3,805	268	116	1,067	553	2,439	675	2,158	2,040	—	—	364	300	14,957	5,768
Eire	8	5	—	—	48	29	108	213	903	154	1	—	62	45	1,130	447
Faroe Islands	1,453	824	539	318	1	1	803	270	1,105	83	85	4	—	—	3,985	1,501
France	399	229	937	452	7	5	1,632	593	41	8	3	—	18	29	3,037	1,316
West Germany	698	264	1	—	6	3	66	26	—	—	337	—	—	—	344	—
Iceland	13,970	7,828	4,895	2,960	722	448	3,960	1,489	—	—	—	—	3	—	1,108	344
Netherlands	5	3	—	—	39	18	10	12	—	—	—	—	18	11	23,550	12,726
Norway	25,583	13,225	2,627	1,409	—	—	5,052	1,346	5,120	369	759	—	—	—	39,142	16,384
All countries	51,016	27,430	9,783	5,551	3,777	2,107	15,033	5,304	9,327	789	3,225	234	480	390	92,640	41,805

* Includes landings by foreign fishing vessels and carriers (if first point of sale of fish). There were no similar landings made in Northern Ireland.

TABLE 6

LANDINGS BY REGION OF CAPTURE
British Landings of Demersal and Pelagic Fish (Excl. Livers) in 1979
(A) Landings in England and Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland

United Kingdom

Region (ICES Area) and Kind of Fish	ENGLAND AND WALES		SCOTLAND		NORTHERN IRELAND		UNITED KINGDOM	
	tonnes	£'000	tonnes	£'000	tonnes	£'000	tonnes	£'000
WEST OF SCOTLAND (VIIa)								
Cod	1,957	1,173	5,774	3,557	2	1	7,733	4,731
Haddock	1,378	651	6,630	3,245	—	—	8,008	3,896
Plaice	83	45	815	408	2	1	900	454
Redfish	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—
Saithe	1,521	470	2,964	959	9	5	4,494	1,434
Skates and Rays	186	110	1,283	437	—	—	1,469	547
Soles	—	1	8	16	—	—	8	17
Whiting	284	100	9,434	3,098	—	—	9,718	3,198
Other Demersal	2,929	662	6,730	2,087	—	—	9,659	2,749
Total Demersal	8,338	3,212	33,639	13,807	13	7	41,990	17,026
Herring	54	20	2,003	1,141	2	—	2,059	1,161
Mackerel (a)	13,471	2,389	103,151	9,768	2	1	116,624	12,158
Other Pelagic	79	10	1,138	128	—	—	1,217	138
Total Pelagic	13,604	2,419	106,292	11,037	4	1	119,900	13,457
Total for Region	21,942	5,631	139,931	24,844	17	8	161,890	30,483
IRISH SEA (VIIa)								
Cod	817	460	99	51	1,582	715	2,498	1,226
Haddock	13	7	1	1	7	3	21	11
Plaice	1,714	769	100	40	152	50	1,966	859
Redfish	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Saithe	36	13	28	9	230	64	294	86
Skates and Rays	785	417	48	16	120	24	953	457
Soles	258	567	37	72	47	42	342	681
Whiting	749	157	137	35	2,946	713	3,832	905
Other Demersal	1,033	454	93	26	838	235	1,964	715
Total Demersal	5,405	2,844	543	250	5,922	1,846	11,870	4,940
Herring	656	188	1	1	1,720	499	2,377	688
Mackerel (a)	18	3	8	1	23	1	49	5
Other Pelagic	55	13	—	—	—	—	55	13
Total Pelagic	729	204	9	2	1,743	500	2,481	706
Total for Region	6,134	3,048	552	252	7,665	2,346	14,351	5,646

(B) Landings in England and Wales and Scotland
(There were no landings in Northern Ireland from these Regions)

Region (ICES Area) and Kind of Fish	ENGLAND AND WALES		SCOTLAND		UNITED KINGDOM	
	tonnes	£'000	tonnes	£'000	tonnes	£'000
NORWEGIAN COAST (IIa)						
Cod	4,632	2,358	—	—	4,632	2,358
Haddock	2,813	1,620	—	—	2,813	1,620
Plaice	—	—	—	—	—	—
Redfish	1,195	290	—	—	1,195	290
Saithe	862	270	—	—	862	270
Skates and Rays	4	1	—	—	4	1
Soles	—	—	—	—	—	—
Whiting	—	—	32	1	32	1
Other Demersal	289	86	—	—	289	86
Total (Demersal) for Region	9,795	4,626	32	1	9,827	4,626
BEAR ISLAND AND SPITZBERGEN (IIb)						
Cod	453	219	—	—	453	219
Haddock	32	17	—	—	32	17
Plaice	—	—	—	—	—	—
Redfish	99	23	—	—	99	23
Saithe	1	—	—	—	1	—
Skates and Rays	1	—	—	—	1	—
Soles	—	—	—	—	—	—
Whiting	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other Demersal	43	14	—	—	43	14
Total (Demersal) for Region	629	273	—	—	629	273

A list of ICES areas can be found on Page 1 (a) Mackerel figures in table 6 include transshipments where applicable (see explanatory notes).

TABLE 6
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LANDINGS BY REGION OF CAPTURE
British Landings of Demersal and Pelagic Fish (Excl. Livers) in 1979
(B) Landings in England and Wales and Scotland
(There were no landings in Northern Ireland from these Regions)

United Kingdom

Region (ICES Area) and Kind of Fish	ENGLAND AND WALES		SCOTLAND		UNITED KINGDOM	
	tonnes	£'000	tonnes	£'000	tonnes	£'000
FAROE ISLANDS (Vb)						
Cod	219	138	1,115	687	1,334	825
Haddock	29	21	282	138	311	159
Plaice	5	4	18	9	23	13
Redfish						
Saithe	169	62	301	97	470	159
Skates and Rays	3	1	86	29	89	30
Soles	—	—	—	—	—	—
Whiting	8	4	32	11	40	15
Other Demersal	1,219	144	1,390	584	2,609	728
Total Demersal	1,652	374	3,224	1,555	4,876	1,929
Herring	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mackerel	1	—	—	—	1	—
Other Pelagic	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Pelagic	1	—	—	—	1	—
Total for Region	1,653	374	3,224	1,555	4,877	1,929
NORTH SEA (IV)						
Cod	45,743	26,641	35,675	21,979	81,418	48,620
Haddock	8,976	4,317	48,106	23,543	57,082	27,860
Plaice	24,363	13,237	3,893	1,951	28,256	15,188
Redfish	2	1	1	—	3	1
Saithe	5,560	1,741	6,880	2,225	12,440	3,966
Skates and Rays	1,245	527	1,301	444	2,546	971
Soles	576	1,364	1	1	577	1,365
Whiting	6,737	1,708	39,859	13,090	46,596	14,798
Other Demersal	13,070	6,662	28,926	7,102	41,996	13,764
Total Demersal	106,272	56,198	164,642	70,335	270,914	126,533
Herring	28	19	7	42	35	61
Mackerel	100	13	5,272	499	5,372	512
Other Pelagic	16,924	840	11,746	776	28,670	1,616
Total Pelagic	17,052	872	17,025	1,317	34,077	2,189
Total for Region	123,324	57,070	181,667	71,652	304,991	128,722
ROCKALL (Vib)						
Cod	108	66	165	102	273	168
Haddock	1,378	614	487	238	1,865	852
Plaice	—	—	—	—	—	—
Redfish	—	—	—	—	—	—
Saithe	48	17	37	12	85	29
Skates and Rays	50	16	127	43	177	59
Soles	—	—	—	—	—	—
Whiting	1	—	2	1	3	1
Other Demersal	115	49	370	90	485	139
Total (Demersal) for Region	1,700	762	1,188	486	2,888	1,248
BARENTS SEA (I)						
Cod	9,908	4,830	—	—	9,908	4,830
Haddock	2,533	1,440	—	—	2,533	1,440
Plaice	2	1	—	—	2	1
Redfish	462	106	—	—	462	106
Saithe	176	56	—	—	176	56
Skates and Rays	7	1	—	—	7	1
Soles	—	—	—	—	—	—
Whiting	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other Demersal	346	112	—	—	346	112
Total (Demersal) for Region	13,434	6,546	—	—	13,434	6,546

TABLE 6
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LANDINGS BY REGION OF CAPTURE

British Landings of Demersal and Pelagic Fish (Excl. Livers) in 1979

(B) Landings in England and Wales and Scotland

(There were no landings in Northern Ireland from these Regions)

United Kingdom

Region (ICES Area) and Kind of Fish	ENGLAND AND WALES		SCOTLAND		UNITED KINGDOM	
	tonnes	£'000	tonnes	£'000	tonnes	£'000
SOUTH AND WEST OF IRELAND (VIIb, g-k) incl. SOLE AND PORCUPINE BANKS						
Cod	28	17	1	1	29	18
Haddock	16	13	19	9	35	22
Plaice	28	16	..	..	28	16
Redfish	1	..	..	..	1	..
Saithe	2	1	..	..	2	1
Skates and Rays	155	94	..	..	155	94
Soles	24	74	..	..	24	74
Whiting	20	6	1	..	21	6
Other Demersal	908	454	1	..	909	454
Total Demersal	1,182	675	22	10	1,204	685
Herring	99	47	—	—	99	47
Mackerel	279	26	—	—	279	26
Other Pelagic	75	9	—	—	75	9
Total Pelagic	453	82	—	—	453	82
Total for Region	1,635	757	22	10	1,657	767

TABLE 6
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British Landings of Demersal and Pelagic Fish (Excl. Livers) in 1979(C) Landings in England and Wales only
(There were no landings in ^a Scotland or Northern Ireland from these Regions)

United Kingdom

Region (ICES Area) Kind of Fish	ENGLAND AND WALES		Region (ICES Area) and Kind of Fish	ENGLAND AND WALES	
	tonnes	£'000		tonnes	£'000
LABRADOR (2)*			BRISTOL CHANNEL (VIII)		
Cod	289	141	Cod	41	26
Haddock	—	—	Haddock	10	6
Plaice	—	—	Plaice	147	74
Redfish	11	2	Redfish	—	—
Saithe	—	—	Saithe	1	—
Skates and Rays	—	—	Skates and Rays	395	226
Soles	—	—	Soles	82	196
Whiting	—	—	Whiting	111	37
Other Demersal	12	3	Other Demersal	866	515
Total (Demersal) for Region	312	146	Total Demersal	1,653	1,080
ENGLISH CHANNEL (VII d and e)			Herring	1	—
Cod	405	274	Mackerel	29,671	3,067
Haddock	42	27	Other Pelagic	170	19
Plaice	747	509	Total Pelagic	29,842	3,086
Redfish	—	—	Total for Region	31,495	4,166
Saithe	15	5	EAST COAST OF GREENLAND (XIV)		
Skates and Rays	403	224	Cod	—	—
Soles	948	2,423	Haddock	—	—
Whiting	826	279	Plaice	—	—
Other Demersal	4,876	3,390	Redfish	—	—
Total Demersal	8,262	7,131	Saithe	—	—
Herring	14	7	Skates and Rays	—	—
Mackerel	201,456	21,190	Soles	—	—
^a Other Pelagic	14,401	1,162	Whiting	—	—
Total Pelagic	215,871	22,359	Other Demersal	—	—
Total for Region	224,133	29,490	Total (Demersal) for Region	—	—
NEWFOUNDLAND (3)*			BAY OF BISCAY (VIII)		
Cod	242	118	Cod	1	1
Haddock	—	—	Haddock	3	1
Plaice	—	—	Other Demersal	1	—
Redfish	53	11	Total Demersal	5	2
Saithe	—	—	Horse Mackerel	22	3
Skates and Rays	—	—	Total Pelagic	22	3
Soles	—	—	Total for Region	27	5
Whiting	—	—			
Other Demersal	136	49			
Total (Demersal) for Region	431	178			

* NAFO area number.

^a Includes 63 tonnes landed in Scotland at £2,000.

TABLE 7

FISHING EFFORT BY REGION OF CAPTURE

British Vessels in 1979

United Kingdom

LANDINGS IN ENGLAND AND WALES Region of Capture (ICES Area) and Method of Fishing	Catch of Demersal fish only (excl. livers) by vessels of 40 ft. and over					
	Number of:			Average vessel tonnage per voyage	Fish landed	
	Arrivals	Hours fishing	Days absent		Quantity tonnes	Value £'000
BARENTS SEA (I)						
Seine, Motor	—	—	—	—	—	—
Trawl, Motor	58	23,746	1,920	1,285	13,431	6,545
Total	58	23,746	1,920	1,285	13,431	6,545
NORWEGIAN COAST (IIa)						
Trawl, Motor	66	18,971	1,708	1,199	9,795	4,625
Total	66	18,971	1,708	1,199	9,795	4,625
BEAR ISLAND AND SPITZBERGEN (IIb)						
Trawl, Motor	16	1,677	143	1,400	629	273
Total	16	1,677	143	1,400	629	273
NORTH SEA (IV)						
Trawl, Motor	20,825	553,104	48,760	54	63,282	33,059
Seine, Motor	2,951	187,180	22,073	41	22,809	12,470
Small and Hand Lines, Motor	1,144	na	1,608	21	1,966	830
Parega, Motor	1,732	38,182	8,866	88	13,273	6,819
Driftnet, Motor	79	187	469	36	519	379
Others, Motor	39	13	47	26	22	12
Total	26,830	778,666	81,823	54	101,871	53,569
FAROE (Vb)						
Trawl, Steam	—	—	—	—	—	—
Trawl, Motor	24	2,664	272	418	1,652	374
Total	24	2,664	272	418	1,652	374
WEST OF SCOTLAND (VIa)						
Trawl, Motor	202	24,825	2,154	281	6,043	2,091
Seine, Motor	—	—	—	—	—	—
Parega, Motor	76	3,217	624	775	2,273	1,109
Lines, Motor	1	na	11	205	22	12
Total	279	28,042	2,789	415	8,338	3,212
IRISH SEA (VIIa)						
Trawl, Motor	3,706	92,137	8,358	39	4,346	2,380
Seine, Motor	186	6,359	573	28	438	179
Small and Hand Lines, Motor	6	na	35	78	—	—
Parega, Motor	10	79	22	133	44	21
Others, Motor	—	—	—	—	6	6
Total	3,908	98,575	8,988	39	4,834	2,586
ROCKALL (VIb)						
Trawl, Motor	8	1,246	156	843	1,509	679
Parega, Motor	8	70	16	931	65	55
Lines, Motor	17	na	59	203	126	27
Total	33	1,316	231	535	1,700	761
WEST OF IRELAND AND PORCUPINE BANK (VII b and c)						
Trawl, Motor	1	11	5	1,238	3	1
Parega, Motor	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	1	11	5	1,238	3	1

n.a. = not available.

A list of ICES areas can be found on Page 1.

FISHING EFFORT BY REGION OF CAPTURE
British Vessels in 1979

TABLE 7
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United Kingdom

LANDINGS IN ENGLAND AND WALES Region of Capture (ICES Area) and Method of Fishing	Catch of Demersal fish only (excl. livers) by vessels of 40 ft. and over					
	Number of:			Average vessel tonnage per voyage	Fish landed	
	Arrivals	Hours fishing	Days absent		Quantity	Value
					tonnes	£'000
ENGLISH CHANNEL (VII d and e)						
Trawl, Motor	6,014	109,475	9,815	31	4,096	3,856
Seine, Motor	203	1,876	233	41	147	94
Small and Hand Lines, Motor	196	na	243	20	156	69
Parega, Motor	82	249	60	41	17	8
Others, Motor	205	194	210	18	293	425
Total	6,700	111,794	10,561	30	4,709	4,452
BRISTOL CHANNEL (VII f)						
Trawl, Motor	825	25,080	1,978	40	1,053	725
Seine, Motor	—	—	—	—	—	—
Small and Hand Lines, Motor	93	na	174	31	220	108
Fixed net, Motor	53	65	56	19	3	4
Total	971	25,145	2,208	38	1,276	837
SOUTH OF IRELAND and SOLE BANKS (VII g-k)						
Trawl, Motor	96	5,422	402	116	317	265
Seine, Motor	1	30	4	42	2	2
Small and Hand Lines, Motor	153	na	510	43	810	376
Others, Motor	—	—	—	—	14	10
Total	250	5,452	916	71	1,143	653
EAST COAST OF GREENLAND (XIV)						
Trawl, Steam	—	—	—	—	—	—
Trawl, Motor	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	—	—	—	—	—	—
LABRADOR (2)*						
Trawl, Motor	1	184	18	1,476	312	146
Total	1	184	18	1,476	312	146
GRAND BANKS OF NEWFOUNDLAND (3)*						
Trawl, Motor	1	577	56	1,476	431	178
Total	1	577	56	1,476	431	178

n.a. = not available.
* NAFO Area Number.

TABLE 7

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FISHING EFFORT BY REGION OF CAPTURE

British Vessels in 1979

United Kingdom

LANDINGS IN SCOTLAND Region of Capture (ICES Area) and Method of Fishing	Catch of Demersal, Pelagic and Shellfish by all vessels				
	Number of:			Fish landed	
	Arrivals	Hours fishing	Days absent	Quantity tonnes	Value £'000
NORTH SEA					
Trawl, Motor	1,346	85,425	9,028	22,775	9,433
Seine, Motor	18,998	315,003	41,540	73,925	36,339
Great Lines, Motor	13	101	13	6	3
Small and Hand Lines, Motor	2,102	5,925	2,102	476	263
Other Methods, Motor	74,447	636,793	92,592	94,202	32,377
TOTAL	96,906	1,043,247	145,275	191,384	78,415
FAROEES					
Trawl, Motor	45	4,784	613	1,103	560
Great Lines, Motor	70	12,804	1,160	1,396	975
Other Methods, Motor	7	381	41	732	28
Total	122	17,969	1,814	3,231	1,563
WEST OF SCOTLAND					
Trawl, Motor	422	31,035	3,193	8,283	3,603
Seine, Motor	2,362	38,544	4,063	8,423	3,498
Great Lines, Motor	6	174	24	30	9
Small and Hand Lines, Motor	98	217	98	46	12,031
Other Methods, Motor	54,602	734,451	76,268	137,799	11,227
Total	57,490	804,421	83,646	164,581	30,368
IRISH SEA					
Trawl, Motor	—	—	—	—	—
Seine, Motor	3	52	6	8	4
Great Lines, Motor	—	—	—	—	—
Small and Hand Lines, Motor	2	12	2	1	0
Other Methods, Motor	2,151	29,388	2,939	4,463	1,374
Total	2,156	29,452	2,947	4,472	1,378
ROCKALL					
Trawl, Motor	11	1,612	118	554	182
Seine, Motor	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lines, Motor	24	3,728	363	607	287
Other Methods, Motor	2	204	18	27	17
Total	37	5,544	499	1,188	486
NORWEGIAN COAST					
Trawl, Motor	—	—	—	—	—
Other Methods, Motor	1	2	7	32	1
Total	1	2	7	32	1
BARENTS SEA					
Trawl, Motor	—	—	—	—	—
Total	—	—	—	—	—
BEAR ISLAND AND SPITZBERGEN					
Trawl, Motor	—	—	—	—	—
Total	—	—	—	—	—
SOUTH AND WEST OF IRELAND inc. Sole and Porcupine Banks					
Trawl, Motor	1	68	10	23	10
Seine, Motor	—	—	—	—	—
Great Lines, Motor	—	—	—	—	—
Total	1	68	10	23	10
ENGLISH CHANNEL					
Other Methods, Motor	2	18	7	63	2
Total	2	18	7	63	2

FISHING EFFORT BY REGION OF CAPTURE
British Vessels in 1979

TABLE 7
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United Kingdom

LANDINGS IN NORTHERN IRELAND Region of Capture (ICES Area) and Method of Fishing	Catch of Demersal and Pelagic fish by all vessels				
	Number of:			Fish landed	
	Arrivals	Hours fishing	Days absent	Quantity	Value
				tonnes	£'000
IRISH SEA					
Trawl, Motor	14,584	173,560	15,459	7,661	2,343
Seine, Motor	—	—	—	—	—
Small and Hand Lines, Motor	—	—	—	—	—
Other Methods, Motor	15	30	15	3	3
Total	14,599	173,590	15,474	7,664	2,346
WEST OF SCOTLAND					
Trawl, Motor	40	400	40	4	2
Small and Hand Lines, Motor	87	870	87	12	6
Total	127	1,270	127	16	8

TABLE 8

LANDINGS BY MAIN VESSEL LENGTH GROUPS

Quantity and Value of Fresh and Frozen Demersal Fish (excl. livers) landed by
British Vessels in 1978 and 1979

United Kingdom

Vessel Length Group		Quantity tonnes		Value £'000	
		1978	1979	1978	1979
140 ft. and over	England and Wales	52,210	32,163	22,293	14,140
	Scotland	2,427	—	912	—
	Total	54,637	32,163	23,205	14,140
110-139.9 ft.	England and Wales	45,052	36,142	20,935	18,488
	Scotland	21,435	14,832	7,898	5,856
	Total	66,487	50,974	28,833	24,303
80-109.9 ft.	England and Wales	15,344	13,895	8,209	8,392
	Scotland	16,759	15,645	7,034	6,617
	Total	32,103	29,540	15,243	14,968
All vessels of 80 ft. and over (deep-sea)	England and Wales	112,606	82,200	51,437	41,020
	Scotland	40,621	30,477	15,844	12,473
	Total	153,227	112,677	67,281	53,493
All vessels of under 80 ft. (inshore)	England and Wales	82,264	76,869	39,391	430,39
	Scotland	192,299	172,814	69,735	73,974
	Northern Ireland	5,522	5,934	1,424	1,854
	Total	280,085	255,617	110,550	118,867

TABLE 9

LANDINGS BY DISTANT WATER VESSELS

(140 ft. and over registered length)

Quantity and Value of Fresh and Frozen Demersal Fish (excl. livers) landed at Principal Ports in 1975-1979

United Kingdom

PORTS		1975	1976	1977	1978	1979
Hull	tonnes £'000	121,452 19,372	98,071 35,619	74,675 32,593	37,972 17,191	28,427 12,450
Grimsby	tonnes £'000	55,412 13,109	39,625 13,884	28,656 12,812	8,571 3,526	1,602 618
Fleetwood	tonnes £'000	10,308 2,496	7,521 2,628	4,299 1,779	1,621 711	1,229 562
Other Ports	tonnes £'000	9,697 11,452	7,662 967	2,696 1,163	6,473 1,777	897 505
TOTAL: United Kingdom		196,869 46,429	152,879 53,098	110,326 48,347	54,637 23,205	32,155 14,135

TABLE 10

LANDINGS OF FISH FROZEN AT SEA BY BRITISH VESSELS IN 1975-1979

United Kingdom (a)

Kind of Fish	tonnes (b)				
	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979
Catfish	747	668	712	609	300
Cod	60,386	58,038	38,321	21,111	14,720
Dabs	197	22	80	80	6
Haddock	12,713	8,695	5,020	3,955	6,276
Halibut	9	15	24	6	2
Plaice	1,313	1,877	3,150	1	—
Redfish	1,799	2,798	3,150	2,266	1,638
Saithe(Coalfish)	1,312	3,627	6,974	2,762	1,027
Herring	513	20	300	134	57
Mackerel	603	4,895	18,204	45,938	62,026
Others	1,404	1,661	3,521	6,280	2,879
Total	80,996	82,316	78,456	83,143	88,931

(a) All freezer-trawlers are based in England and Wales.

(b) Filleted fish is converted to landed weight equivalent (i.e. head on, gutted).

TABLE 11

AVERAGE ANNUAL VALUES OF FISH

Based on Landings by British Vessels in Selected Years 1938-1979

Great Britain

£ per tonne

Kinds of Fish	ENGLAND AND WALES								
	1938	1948	1960	1970	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Brill	76	179	182	286	587	694	787	937	1,084
Catfish	14	30	44	64	157	251	297	332	354
Cod	13	45	65	93	252	384	515	521	562
Conger/Elms	12	32	41	82	185	214	229	275	402
Dabs	—	—	na	88	180	232	249	286	293
Dogfish	12	27	41	70	147	194	216	268	326
Flounders or Flukes	18	50	55	56	154	171	234	241	197
Gurnards	8	19	27	49	94	103	120	134	165
Haddock	18	54	74	110	259	317	419	486	507
Hake	36	92	208	356	602	725	909	1,021	1,104
Halibut	78	161	232	391	681	928	1,326	1,595	2,009
Halibut, Greenland	na	na	na	na	184	316	383	389	385
Lemon Soles	61	108	154	308	461	612	767	777	875
Ling	10	33	45	63	150	281	405	398	408
Megrim	21	61	84	118	232	280	343	367	510
Monks or Anglers	14	49	62	115	460	672	804	922	991
Norway Pout	na	na	na	na	—	34	51	—	—
Plaice	51	102	134	142	372	391	419	506	541
Pollack (Lythe)	15	37	75	102	342	344	496	494	475
Redfish	6	30	29	45	106	188	194	228	238
Saithe	6	26	40	42	117	183	287	283	314
Sand Eels	na	na	na	na	17	—	44	40	—
Skates and Rays	24	43	78	130	248	291	354	469	500
Soles	130	200	322	668	1,362	1,860	2,130	2,292	2,450
Torsk (Tusk)	10	32	41	61	120	233	348	385	329
Turbot	73	178	177	432	1,094	1,319	1,608	1,964	1,815
Whiting	15	40	49	56	130	192	245	251	262
Whiting, Blue	na	na	na	na	29	29	55	87	102
Witches	26	62	77	107	193	283	331	370	354
Other Demersal	na	na	na	26	253	332	375	462	497
Fish Livers	6	20	16	15	54	59	76	88	92
Fish Roes	26	61	69	104	221	326	329	327	406
Total Demersal	18	52	70	94	249	352	433	464	526
Herring	6	19	34	37	121	120	323	436	330
Horse Mackerel	na	na	na	na	41	29	60	66	79
Mackerel	12	59	54	61	55	62	78	100	109
Pilchards	5	25	26	30	46	33	57	79	83
Sprats	5	21	16	14	25	35	52	47	48
Whitebait	7	64	64	198	295	419	422	677	676
Other Pelagic	—	4	11	35	—	196	293	266	108
Total Pelagic	7	20	32	28	49	56	72	89	105
Total Wet Fish	16	46	68	89	210	262	269	242	259
Cockles	3	8	11	18	18	19	22	28	48
Crabs	16	67	82	116	231	288	357	384	422
Lobsters	91	264	513	1,242	2,756	3,604	3,504	4,800	4,694
Mussels	4	8	13	23	28	28	28	37	50
Nephrops	24	89	139	319	464	607	893	991	1,262
Oysters	128	240	317	763	876	909	1,070	1,515	1,519
Periwinkles	10	21	27	48	120	128	170	170	200
Queens	(e)	(e)	(e)	(e)	73	129	128	167	191
Scallops	28	56	41	62	170	287	498	597	450
Shrimps	29	70	102	159	288	347	455	550	617
Squids	na	na	na	135	253	572	521	854	1,103
Whelks	8	23	36	41	65	74	115	123	146
Other Shellfish	na	na	na	1,255	641	1,275	668	759	1,317
Total Shellfish	15	41	53	77	126	187	220	301	355
Total All Fish	16	46	68	89	202	281	265	246	266

na = not available.

Average values throughout this table are based on realisations for first-hand sales of fish to all outlets, i.e. for human consumption and also for other uses such as fish meal and animal feeding stuffs.

TABLE 11

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AVERAGE ANNUAL VALUES OF FISH

Based on Landings by British Vessels in Selected Years 1938-1979

Great Britain

£ per tonne

Kinds of Fish	SCOTLAND								
	1938	1948	1960	1970	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Blue Ling	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	315
Brill	56	169	132	241	478	623	706	767	887
Catfish	12	29	35	53	151	215	319	378	369
Cod	18	37	72	102	252	359	540	562	616
Conger Eels	13	34	32	52	112	150	188	245	234
Dabs	19	55	53	91	163	218	260	265	288
Dogfish	(a)	(a)	23	41	102	134	173	220	246
Flounders or Flukes	19	60	29	29	68	68	84	110	97
Gurnards	5	16	21	63	89	141	129	106	122
Haddock	20	49	69	67	212	256	380	472	489
Hake	34	90	138	233	357	550	776	766	872
Halibut	71	160	229	484	977	1,270	1,526	1,839	2,163
Halibut, Greenland	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lemon Soles	70	108	173	272	408	535	617	700	793
Ling	12	30	40	81	146	262	403	397	401
Megrim	31	64	70	81	172	221	324	327	320
Monks or Anglers	7	20	60	93	241	472	602	658	656
Norway Pout	na	na	na	na	17	32	38	32	29
Plaice	49	109	121	137	306	356	413	468	501
Pollack (Lythe)	(a)	(a)	53	77	166	263	427	447	449
Redfish	—	—	24	39	95	171	231	274	257
Sand Eels	na	na	na	na	13	28	37	29	22
Saithe	6	21	30	36	98	163	268	270	323
Skates and Rays	17	40	56	99	175	214	264	324	341
Soles	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	1,191	1,538	1,861	1,978	1,928
Torsk (Tusk)	9	32	39	64	139	231	356	401	345
Turbot	62	166	174	354	952	1,336	1,821	2,129	1,881
Whiting	17	42	53	56	143	185	285	300	328
Whiting, Blue	na	na	na	na	13	28	42	49	27
Witches	36	61	78	96	155	184	272	287	320
Other Demersal	8	29	36	15	138	215	248	59	210
Fish Livers	(d)	(d)	13	19	300	154	218	200	778
Fish Roes	(d)	(d)	98	143	274	403	478	492	682
Total Demersal	22	49	69	76	164	223	337	377	425
Herring	7	21	21	32	97	129	293	393	569
Horse Mackerel	na	na	na	na	21	44	64	69	163
Mackerel	6	29	26	35	33	57	80	90	95
Pilchards	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	28
Sprats	3	13	12	15	28	39	52	51	72
Whitebait	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other Pelagic	70	120	146	118	—	—	—	181	—
Total Pelagic	7	21	21	30	78	90	132	105	100
Total Wet Fish	14	36	52	59	134	178	265	265	302
Cockles	(b)	(b)	(b)	20	80	—	64	—	1,060
Crabs	10	74	62	68	118	136	190	210	215
Lobsters	96	408	541	1,278	3,123	4,089	4,815	5,400	5,602
Mussels	2	5	8	17	28	32	30	40	41
Nephrops	(a)	(a)	133	244	476	577	806	975	1,238
Oysters	99	348	—	866	—	786	120	863	—
Periwinkles	(a)	(a)	(a)	49	110	129	176	212	234
Queens	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	94	128	161	195	222
Scallops	(e) 26	92	83	96	316	403	484	648	596
Pink Shrimps	(b)	(b)	(b)	188	350	400	548	708	901
Squids	(c)	(c)	56	95	370	740	615	705	814
Whelks	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	119	na	—	128	153
Other Shellfish	9	31	38	—	1,800	—	2,153	768	—
Brown Shrimps	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	1,093	1,344
Crawfish	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	5,076
Total Shellfish	17	102	132	175	344	428	563	718	828
Total All Fish	14	36	55	65	145	194	284	287	344

na = not available.

(a) Landings were either nil or not separately recorded and included with other fish.

(b) Prior to 1962 cockles and shrimps were included with 'other shellfish'.

(c) Prior to 1955 squids were classified as demersal fish and included with 'other demersal' varieties.

(d) Distributed among different types of demersal fish.

(e) Prior to 1972 landings of scallops and queens were not separately identifiable and were entered under the one heading of Escallops.

TABLE 11

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AVERAGE ANNUAL VALUES OF FISH
Based on Landings by British Vessels in Selected Years 1938-1979

Great Britain

£ per tonne

Kinds of Fish	GREAT BRITAIN								
	1938	1948	1960	1970	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979
Brill	75	179	182	285	579	683	778	920	1,073
Cattfish	14	30	45	63	156	246	300	345	361
Cod	13	44	66	94	252	364	522	535	584
Conger Eels	12	32	38	73	173	202	222	270	367
Dabs	25	56	90	92	173	225	254	277	291
Dogfish	(b)	(b)	35	66	122	158	194	247	290
Flounders or Flukes	18	54	45	52	142	158	206	221	186
Gurnards	8	18	26	50	93	106	120	130	159
Haddock	19	52	71	77	229	273	390	478	494
Hake	36	92	191	290	407	596	810	828	920
Halibut	76	161	233	440	790	1,077	1,438	1,766	2,140
Halibut, Greenland	(a)	na	na	na	184	316	383	389	385
Lemon Soles	65	108	164	289	438	580	695	741	838
Ling	11	32	43	72	148	273	404	398	405
Megrim	23	62	77	108	185	232	328	335	368
Monks or Anglers	11	31	60	99	292	518	649	728	752
Norway Pout	na	na	na	na	17	32	38	32	29
Plaice	50	102	131	141	363	386	419	501	535
Pollack (Lythe)	(b)	37	68	90	206	308	467	475	466
Redfish	(b)	(b)	28	45	105	187	195	228	238
Saithe	5	26	39	40	107	173	277	276	319
Sand Eels	na	na	na	na	13	28	38	30	22
Skates and Rays	22	43	70	116	217	255	311	397	426
Soles	130	200	322	667	1,360	1,854	2,214	2,285	2,438
Torsk (Tusk)	10	32	40	63	134	232	353	397	343
Turbot	71	176	177	426	1,075	1,321	1,639	1,988	1,822
Whiting	16	41	52	56	140	186	278	291	319
Whiting, Blue	na	na	na	na	23	28	47	78	77
Witches	30	62	79	98	162	200	284	299	325
Other Demersal	na	na	na	na	250	325	358	457	490
Fish Livers	(b)	(b)	15	15	54	59	76	88	92
Fish Roes	(b)	(b)	76	119	251	365	394	412	589
Total Demersal	18	51	70	88	212	290	386	411	471
Herring	7	20	23	32	99	127	294	395	496
Horse Mackerel	na	na	na	na	35	30	61	66	81
Mackerel	10	40	36	55	48	60	79	97	105
Pilchards	(a)	5	25	26	30	46	33	57	83
Sprats	5	17	15	15	26	37	52	49	58
Whitebait	(a)	7	64	198	295	419	422	677	676
Other Pelagic	na	na	na	na	150	184	274	208	108
Total Pelagic	7	20	23	29	67	73	96	95	103
Total Wet Fish	16	43	63	76	173	220	267	249	277
Cockles	(b)	(b)	11	18	18	19	22	28	48
Crabs	15	69	76	98	202	249	311	338	375
Lobsters	94	339	531	1,262	2,974	3,897	4,263	5,175	5,233
Mussels	3	8	12	23	28	29	28	37	49
Nephrops	(b)	(b)	135	249	474	581	821	978	1,241
Oysters	(a)	128	240	317	764	876	905	1,070	1,519
Periwinkles	10	21	27	49	112	129	176	209	233
Queens	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	86	128	151	108	215
Scallops	(c)	27	64	73	94	233	326	491	524
Shrimps	(b)	(b)	102	161	304	380	515	653	700
Squids	na	na	na	103	294	629	533	790	1,032
Whelks	8	23	36	41	65	74	115	123	146
Other Shellfish	na	na	na	na	642	1,272	683	755	1,354
Total Shellfish	16	50	74	119	200	277	341	474	569
Total All Fish	15	43	63	78	175	226	274	264	299

na = not available.

(a) All average values are based on landings in England and Wales only. Landings in Scotland were either non-existent or negligible and included with 'other' fish.

(b) Average values for Great Britain not available. Landings in Scotland of the species in the years indicated were included with 'Other Demersal' or 'Other Shellfish'.

(c) Prior to 1972 landings of Escallops and Queens were not separately identifiable and were entered under one heading of Escallops.

FISH SUPPLIES MOVING INTO HUMAN CONSUMPTION
(Kg per head of population per annum)

United Kingdom

Fish	Pre-war	1948	1960	1970	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979
Fresh, frozen and cured (wet fillet equivalent)	9.9	13.0	7.3	7.3	6.1	6.5	5.7	5.1	5.0
Herring	—	—	0.6	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.1
Other	—	—	6.7	6.7	5.7	6.1	5.6	5.0	4.9
Shell Fish (edible weight)	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.6
Canned Fish (imported)	1.6	0.8	1.2	1.0	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.0	1.2
Total (edible weight)	11.9	14.1	8.8	8.8	7.9	8.4	7.4	6.7	6.8

Notes (i) These statistics are based on total supplies moving into consumption and as such measure disappearance rather than final consumption, since it is not practicable to measure changes in wholesale and retail stock levels.

(ii) The figures include consumption not only in private households but also in institutions and catering establishments, and by H.M. Forces in the United Kingdom. Comprehensive tables of food consumption levels in the United Kingdom are published annually in the Trade and Industry Journal and in the Annual Abstract of Statistics.

(iii) More detailed estimates of the consumption of fish and other foods in private households are published in the annual reports of the National Food Survey Committee.

N.B.—The series for 'Fresh, frozen and cured' fish has been revised as from 1960 and broken down into 'Herring' and 'Other': it is not strictly comparable with the series for earlier years.

—1975 and 1976 totals have been revised.

Fishermen and Fishing Vessels

TABLE 13

NUMBER OF FISHERMEN
As at 31st December of each year (selected years 1938—1979)

United Kingdom

	ENGLAND and WALES (a)		SCOTLAND (b)		NORTHERN IRELAND		UNITED KINGDOM	
	Regularly Employed	Partially Employed (c)	Regularly Employed	Partially Employed	Regularly Employed	Partially Employed	Regularly Employed	Partially Employed
1938	26,062	2,949	12,976	4,939	342	556	39,380	8,444
1948	25,946	3,373	12,080	5,148	800	300	38,826	8,821
1960	12,712	3,646	8,795	2,451	500	150	22,007	6,247
1970	9,424	2,382	7,656	1,441	548	200	17,628	4,023
1973	10,199	2,830	8,311	1,336	600	200	19,110	4,366
1974	9,799	3,256	8,172	1,399	600	200	18,571	4,855
1975	9,016	3,447	7,507	1,341	538	285	17,061	5,073
1976	8,730	3,601	7,560	1,306	540	285	16,830	5,192
1977	8,172	3,850	7,625	1,360	540	285	16,337	5,495
1978	8,064	4,056	7,863	1,378	540	285	16,467	5,719
1979	8,377	3,805	7,613	1,211	600	300	16,590	5,316

(a) Prior to 1952 figures were based on information supplied by the Registrar General of Shipping and Seamen.

Since 1952 figures have been supplied by the District Fishery Officers of the Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food.

(b) Prior to 1961 Scottish figures were as at 30th November of each year.

(c) From 1966 these figures exclude 'hobby' fishermen, i.e. fishermen who do not fish commercially. The corresponding figures for Scotland and Northern Ireland have never included 'hobby' fishermen.

FISHING VESSELS AT MAIN PORTS
As at 31st December 1979

United Kingdom

(a) There are no freezer vessels under 140 ft.
(b) Figures exclude vessels registered as fishing vessels which were not used at all for commercial fishing.
(c) Includes one vessel which is part freezer.

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FISHING VESSELS AT MAIN PORTS
As at 31st December 1979

United Kingdom

	SEINERS				LINERS				RING- NET- TERS 40 to 79.9 ft.	OTHERS			TOTAL ALL VESSELS
	Under 40 ft.	40 to 79.9 ft.	80 to 109.9 ft.	TOTAL	Under 40 ft.	40 to 79.9 ft.	80 to 109.9 ft.	TOTAL		Under 40 ft.	40 to 79.9 ft.	80 to 109.9 ft.	TOTAL
ENGLAND AND WALES													
Fleetwood	—	6	—	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	3
Grimsby	—	167	—	167	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hull	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
Lowestoft	—	—	—	—	18	8	—	26	—	4	—	—	4
Milford Haven	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	2	—	10	1	—	11
North Shields	—	13	—	13	—	—	—	—	1	6	1	—	7
Other Ports	8	40	—	48	625	54	—	679	—	1,522	62	—	1,584
TOTAL	8	226	—	234	654	69	—	723	1	1,542	67	—	1,609
SCOTLAND													
Aberdeen	3	13	—	16	11	1	—	13	—	8	—	—	8
Mal Pais	—	—	—	—	21	—	—	21	—	59	7	—	66
Peterhead	1	34	3	38	23	—	—	23	—	12	—	—	12
Shetland	1	18	—	19	10	—	—	10	—	119	5	—	124
Ullapool	—	7	—	7	5	—	—	5	—	90	2	—	92
Other Ports	5	235	1	241	217	3	4	224	—	734	54	2	790
TOTAL	10	307	4	321	287	4	5	296	—	1,022	68	2	1,092
GREAT BRITAIN	18	533	4	555	941	73	5	1,019	1	2,564	135	2	2,701
NORTHERN IRELAND	—	3	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	120	—	—	120
UNITED KINGDOM 1979	18	536	4	558	941	73	5	1,019	1	2,684	135	2	2,821
1975	33	595	3	631	885	80	4	969	11	2,457	129	—	2,586
1976	22	551	4	577	839	83	3	925	9	2,625	147	—	2,772
1977	21	528	4	551	881	80	3	984	8	2,660	135	—	2,795
1978	19	531	4	554	920	76	4	1,000	2	2,755	129	2	2,886

TABLE 15
AGE OF VESSELS (of 80 ft. and over registered length)*
By Ports as at 31st December 1979

United Kingdom

YEARS OF CONSTRUCTION																
	Unknown	Pre-1956	1956-60	1961-65	1966-70	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	Total	
ENGLAND AND WALES	—	1	2	1	—	4	2	1	—	3	2	—	—	—	16	
	—	—	25	13	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	41	
	—	1	3 (1)	2 (2)	15 (12)	1 (1)	3 (3)	7 (7)	4 (4)	3 (1)	—	—	—	1 (1)	40 (32)	
	—	4	14	20	11	3	3	—	2	3	1	—	—	1	62	
	—	—	4	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	
	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	5	
	—	4	3	2	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	13	
	—	10	51 (1)	43 (2)	32 (12)	8 (1)	8 (3)	8 (7)	6 (4)	9 (1)	3	—	1	4 (1)	183 (32)	
	SCOTLAND	—	—	18	18	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	1	—	1	41
—		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	
2		1	5	3	11	1	3	1	6	4	3	—	4	2	46	
2		1	23	21	11	1	3	1	7	4	6	1	4	3	88	
NORTHERN IRELAND	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	
	2	12	74 (1)	64 (2)	43 (12)	9 (1)	11 (3)	9 (7)	13 (4)	13 (1)	9	1	5	7 (1)	272 (32)	

*Includes trawlers, drifter trawlers, great liners, seiners and purse seiners.
The figures in brackets indicate the number of freezers, part freezers, filleters/freezers and factory trawlers included.

TABLE 16

GROSS TONNAGE OF BRITISH FISHING VESSELS
(40 ft. and over registered length)

By Main Vessel Length Groups and Methods of Capture,
as at 31st December 1979

Great Britain

Method of Capture and Length Group	ENGLAND and WALES		SCOTLAND		GREAT BRITAIN	
	Number of Vessels	Tonnage	Number of Vessels	Tonnage	Number of Vessels	Tonnage
TRAWLERS						
40-79.9 ft.	569	18,445	628	23,866	1,197	42,311
80-109.9 ft.	53	10,058	26	5,064	79	15,122
110-139.9 ft.	71	23,278	20	6,321	91	29,599
140 ft. and over } Freezers	31	38,943	—	—	31	38,943
Others	22	12,496	—	—	22	12,496
Total	746	103,220	674	35,251	1,420	138,471
DRIFTERS						
40-79.9 ft.	2	18	1	19	3	37
Total	2	18	1	19	3	37
SEINERS						
40-79.9 ft.	226	8,830	307	16,875	533	25,705
80-109.9 ft.	—	—	4	468	4	468
Total	226	8,830	311	17,343	537	26,173
PURSE SEINERS						
40-79.9 ft.	—	—	9	870	9	870
80-109.9 ft.	—	—	20	2,874	20	2,874
110-139.9 ft.	1	324	11	2,802	12	3,126
140 ft. and over	5	4,010	—	—	5	4,010
Total	6	4,334	40	6,546	46	10,880
LINERS						
40-79.9 ft.	69	1,490	4	435	73	1,925
80-109.9 ft.	—	—	5	888	5	888
Total	69	1,490	9	1,323	78	2,813
RINGNETTERS						
40-79.9 ft.	1	23	—	—	1	23
Total	1	23	—	—	1	23
OTHERS						
40-79.9 ft.	67	1,402	68	1,816	135	3,218
80-109.9 ft.	—	—	2	205	2	205
Total	67	1,402	70	2,021	137	3,423
ALL VESSELS OF 40 ft. AND OVER						
40-79.9 ft.	934	30,208	1,017	43,081	1,951	74,089
80-109.9 ft.	53	10,058	57	9,499	110	19,557
110-139.9 ft.	72	23,602	31	9,123	103	32,725
140 ft. and over	58	55,449	—	—	58	55,449
Total	1,117	119,317	1,105	62,503	2,222	181,820

UNITED KINGDOM
International Trade with the E.E.C., E.F.T.A.,
and all other countries

These tables are based on figures supplied by
H.M. Customs and Excise, and are subject to revision

TABLE 17

IMPORTS OF FISH AND FISH PREPARATIONS IN 1978 AND 1979

United Kingdom

H.M. CUSTOMS STATISTICAL CLASSIFICATION	1978		1979	
	tonnes	£'000 (c.i.f.)	tonnes	£'000 (c.i.f.)
DEMERSAL AND PELAGIC FISH				
Fresh, Chilled or Frozen				
Livers and Roes	1,302	927	1,265	985
Fresh, including Chilled:				
Cod	43,253	20,886	54,186	27,935
Haddock	5,349	2,788	10,329	5,532
Halibut	155	146	620	409
Herring	2,877	1,159	2,506	1,202
Plaice	15,961	8,626	18,476	10,471
Saithe	2,908	746	2,642	822
Salmon	313	1,079	552	2,287
Trout	159	231	150	243
Other	10,643	6,811	14,173	6,870
Total Fresh and Chilled	81,618	42,472	103,634	55,771
Frozen Fillets:				
Coated with batter or breadcrumbs	1,844	3,058	1,741	2,838
Cod	46,556	53,790	57,868	65,432
Haddock	6,856	7,937	10,321	12,572
Hake	3,570	2,126	1,164	590
Plaice	1,275	1,719	1,188	1,733
Other	5,871	4,150	7,676	5,815
Total Frozen Fillets	65,972	72,780	79,958	88,980
Other Frozen:				
Cod	8,931	4,671	9,321	5,797
Dover Sole	349	1,096	141	431
Haddock	791	392	1,237	752
Hake	3,700	1,501	3,874	1,377
Halibut	1,319	1,114	2,193	1,692
Herring	6,166	2,839	8,814	3,758
Plaice	967	442	918	522
Salmon	4,457	10,408	4,596	12,555
Trout	569	966	938	1,710
Other	8,261	4,233	8,407	4,617
Total Other Frozen	35,510	27,662	40,439	33,211
Total Fresh, Chilled and Frozen	184,402	143,841	225,296	178,947
Salted, in Brine, Dried or Smoked				
Cod	765	568	1,123	844
Herring	2,046	1,051	1,571	753
Other, Including Livers and Roes	1,351	1,304	1,483	1,573
Total Salted, etc.	4,162	2,926	4,177	3,170

TABLE 17
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IMPORTS OF FISH AND FISH PREPARATIONS IN 1978 AND 1979

United Kingdom

H.M. CUSTOMS STATISTICAL CLASSIFICATION	1978		1979	
	tonnes	£'000 (c.i.f.)	tonnes	£'000 (c.i.f.)
Prepared or Preserved (including roes and pastes)				
Caviar and caviar substitutes	181	1,436	199	1,752
Herring	410	545	863	1,077
Mackerel	1,254	997	1,395	1,295
Pilchards	5,443	3,044	11,163	6,104
Salmon	14,046	30,639	15,176	34,386
Sardines	7,480	7,054	7,595	8,123
Tunny and Bonito	7,252	10,375	10,487	15,106
Other	5,957	5,377	8,078	9,967
Total Prepared and Preserved	42,023	59,467	54,966	77,810
Total Demersal and Pelagic Fish	230,587	206,234	284,429	259,927
SHELLFISH (CRUSTACEANS AND MOLLUSCS)				
Fresh, Chilled, Frozen, Salted in Brine or Dried				
Cockles and Mussels	2,030	1,092	1,888	1,428
Oysters	136	270	155	299
Prawns (<i>Pandalidae</i> Sp.)	7,743	7,366	6,857	8,701
Other Shrimps and Prawns	3,881	9,147	5,968	15,292
Other Crustaceans	648	1,959	767	2,190
Other Molluscs	1,084	1,137	1,387	1,237
Total Fresh, Chilled, Frozen, etc.	15,522	20,971	17,022	29,147
Prepared and Preserved				
Crabs	577	1,606	931	2,750
Other Crustaceans	10,784	26,056	10,295	28,105
Molluscs	1,150	1,519	1,052	1,282
Total Prepared and Preserved	12,511	29,181	12,278	32,137
Total Shellfish	28,033	50,152	29,300	61,284
Total All Fish	258,620	256,386	313,729	321,211

TABLE 18

IMPORTS OF FISH AND FISH PREPARATIONS

Quantity in tonnes

United Kingdom

Country of Consignment	DEMERSAL AND PELAGIC FISH											
	Fresh, chilled or frozen										Semi-Preserved	
	Frozen Fillets (a)		Other fresh, chilled or frozen						Total fresh, chilled or frozen			
			Demersal Fish (b)		Herring		Salmon and Trout					
	1978	1979	1978	1979	1978	1979	1978	1979	1978	1979	1978	1979
E.E.C.												
Belgium	106	128	7,673	7,665	—	—	6	3	7,785	7,796	1	—
Denmark	4,620	8,040	14,195	22,230	—	165	525	883	19,340	31,318	220	159
France	530	1,841	6,576	4,682	71	113	130	36	7,307	6,672	17	26
Irish Republic	206	182	3,858	5,311	2,894	2,670	829	517	7,787	8,680	394	335
Italy	16	2	701	457	—	—	1	45	718	504	64	120
West Germany	3,377	6,972	4,279	3,887	191	13	16	28	7,863	10,900	2	—
Netherlands	758	911	30,455	32,036	37	69	110	31	31,360	33,047	80	124
Total	9,613	18,076	67,737	76,268	3,193	3,030	1,617	1,543	82,160	98,917	778	764
E.F.T.A.												
Iceland	10,156	15,663	15,071	28,530	927	2,956	38	24	26,192	47,173	869	1,193
Norway	37,227	37,157	7,261	8,740	77	78	227	758	44,792	46,733	45	81
Portugal	—	—	103	97	—	—	—	—	103	97	—	—
Sweden	17	43	1,355	376	—	7	19	55	1,391	481	—	—
Others	38	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	38	—	—	—
Total	47,438	52,863	23,790	37,743	1,004	3,041	284	837	72,516	94,484	914	1,274
OTHER COUNTRIES												
Canada	2,881	2,842	2,079	2,781	4,722	5,249	804	1,062	10,486	11,934	1,651	1,176
Rep. of S. Africa (inc. S.W. Africa)	119	44	1,426	2,264	—	—	—	—	1,545	2,308	4	8
Faroe Islands	2,614	3,310	1,486	2,102	—	—	—	2	4,100	5,414	482	659
Japan	8	34	145	138	—	—	188	233	341	405	3	2
Poland	—	16	—	744	—	—	—	—	—	760	—	—
U.S.A.	43	61	377	938	87	—	2,597	2,530	3,104	3,529	21	—
U.S.S.R.	—	19	1,000	—	—	—	—	—	1,000	19	—	—
Others	3,254	2,691	5,850	4,807	39	—	8	29	9,151	7,527	309	294
Total	8,919	9,017	12,363	13,774	4,848	5,249	3,597	3,856	29,727	31,896	2,470	2,139
All Countries Total	65,970	79,956	103,890	127,785	9,045	11,320	5,498	6,236	184,403	225,297	4,162	4,177

(a) Fillets are expressed in terms of product weight.

(b) Includes pelagic fish other than herring, which are not separately identifiable.

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IMPORTS OF FISH AND FISH PREPARATIONS

Quantity in tonnes

United Kingdom

Country of Consignment	DEMERSAL AND PELAGIC (contd.)				SHELLFISH						Total All Fish and Fish Preparations	
	Prepared or Preserved		Total Fish and Fish Preparations		Fresh chilled, frozen or semi- preserved		Prepared or Preserved		Total Shellfish			
	1978	1979	1978	1979	1978	1979	1978	1979	1978	1979	1978	1979
E.E.C.												
Belgium	19	—	7,805	7,796	331	255	669	88	1,000	343	8,805	8,139
Denmark	5,410	7,516	24,970	38,993	2,074	1,769	1,058	1,636	3,132	3,405	28,102	42,398
France	241	116	7,565	6,814	700	801	101	105	801	906	8,366	7,720
Irish Republic	347	485	8,528	9,500	2,308	2,297	205	195	2,513	2,492	11,041	11,992
Italy	125	292	907	916	153	53	39	30	192	83	1,099	999
West Germany	176	150	8,041	11,050	377	511	72	21	449	532	8,490	11,582
Netherlands	103	232	31,543	33,403	1,602	1,926	718	436	2,320	2,362	33,863	35,765
Total	6,421	8,791	89,359	108,472	7,545	7,612	2,862	2,511	10,407	10,123	99,766	118,595
E.F.T.A.												
Iceland	115	66	27,176	48,432	217	108	493	503	710	611	27,886	49,043
Norway	635	846	45,472	47,660	809	284	2,405	2,881	3,214	3,165	48,686	50,825
Portugal	3,148	2,919	3,251	3,016	—	—	—	—	—	—	3,251	3,016
Sweden	19	28	1,410	509	514	64	6	61	520	125	1,930	634
Others	3	16	41	16	63	23	4	4	67	27	108	43
Total	3,920	3,875	77,350	99,633	1,603	479	2,908	3,449	4,511	3,928	81,861	103,561
OTHER COUNTRIES												
Canada	5,843	7,755	17,980	20,865	268	676	709	1,199	977	1,875	18,957	22,740
Rep. of S. Africa (inc. S. W. Africa)	3,084	2,162	4,633	4,478	86	54	42	17	128	71	4,761	4,549
Faroe Islands	—	—	4,582	6,073	189	768	—	30	189	798	4,771	6,871
Japan	8,037	10,407	8,381	10,814	23	48	40	74	63	122	8,444	10,936
Poland	—	1	—	761	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	761
U.S.A.	4,570	5,392	7,695	8,921	505	877	209	98	714	975	8,409	9,896
U.S.S.R.	1,108	2,270	2,108	2,289	2,856	2,590	—	8	2,856	2,598	4,964	4,887
Others	9,041	14,304	18,501	22,125	2,446	3,917	5,742	4,891	8,188	8,808	26,689	30,933
Total	31,683	42,291	63,880	76,326	6,373	8,930	6,742	6,317	13,115	15,247	76,995	91,573
All Countries Total	42,023	54,957	230,588	284,431	15,521	17,021	12,512	12,277	28,033	29,298	258,621	313,729

TABLE 19

IMPORTS OF FISH AND FISH PREPARATIONS

Value (c.i.f.) in £'000

United Kingdom

Country of Consignment	DEMERSAL AND PELAGIC FISH											
	Fresh, chilled or frozen										Semi- Preserved	
	Frozen Fillets	Other fresh, chilled or frozen						Total fresh, chilled or frozen				
		Demersal Fish (a)		Herring		Salmon and Trout						
	1978	1979	1978	1979	1978	1979	1978	1979	1978	1979	1978	1979
E.E.C.												
Belgium	120	122	4,389	4,499	—	—	11	14	4,520	4,635	9	—
Denmark	6,473	10,320	8,088	12,282	—	86	974	1,847	15,535	24,535	368	323
France	522	1,830	2,426	1,910	35	61	216	112	3,199	3,913	25	26
Irish Republic	194	161	2,268	3,004	1,194	1,056	2,816	2,749	6,472	6,970	279	241
Italy	13	2	426	316	—	—	3	63	442	381	37	79
West Germany	3,616	7,345	2,002	2,003	114	8	39	24	5,771	9,380	3	1
Netherlands	847	1,089	17,065	18,679	15	38	156	120	18,083	19,926	124	142
Total	11,785	20,869	36,664	42,693	1,358	1,249	4,215	4,929	54,022	69,740	845	812
E.F.T.A.												
Iceland	11,213	17,445	7,258	13,492	453	1,356	146	110	19,070	32,403	535	854
Norway	42,584	42,689	3,489	4,464	35	44	828	3,146	46,936	50,343	83	110
Portugal	—	—	44	46	—	—	—	—	44	46	—	—
Sweden	13	28	260	216	—	2	69	132	342	378	—	—
Others	47	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	47	—	—	—
Total	53,857	60,162	11,051	18,218	488	1,402	1,043	3,388	66,439	83,170	618	964
OTHER COUNTRIES												
Canada	1,925	2,171	1,194	1,712	2,108	2,125	1,831	2,599	7,058	8,607	772	509
Rep. of S. Africa (inc. S. W. Africa)	72	35	471	772	—	—	—	—	543	807	2	6
Faroe Islands	3,153	4,250	798	913	—	—	—	7	3,951	5,170	299	441
Japan	10	34	183	166	—	1	246	418	439	619	19	13
Poland	—	4	—	232	—	—	—	—	—	236	—	—
U.S.A.	43	41	323	730	35	—	5,331	5,410	5,732	6,181	5	1
U.S.S.R.	—	5	376	—	—	—	—	—	376	5	—	—
Others	1,935	1,410	3,318	2,962	8	—	20	45	5,281	4,417	366	424
Total	7,138	7,950	6,663	7,487	2,151	2,126	7,428	8,479	23,380	26,042	1,463	1,394
All Countries Total	72,780	88,981	54,378	68,398	3,997	4,777	12,686	16,796	143,841	178,952	2,926	3,170

(a) Includes pelagic fish, other than herring which are not identifiable.

TABLE 19

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IMPORTS OF FISH AND FISH PREPARATIONS

Value (c.i.f.) in £'000

United Kingdom

Country of Consignment	DEMERSAL AND PELAGIC FISH (contd.)				SHELLFISH						Total All Fish and Fish Preparations	
	Prepared or Preserved		Total Fish and Fish Preparations		Fresh, chilled, frozen or semi- preserved		Prepared or Preserved		Total Shellfish and Shellfish Preparations			
	1978	1979	1978	1979	1978	1979	1978	1979	1978	1979	1978	1979
E.E.C.												
Belgium	21	—	4,550	4,635	807	693	1,310	176	2,117	869	6,667	5,504
Denmark	5,668	8,499	21,571	33,357	2,743	2,937	2,521	5,148	5,264	8,085	26,835	41,442
France	289	250	3,513	4,189	1,641	2,225	325	447	1,966	2,672	5,479	6,861
Irish Republic	332	634	7,083	7,845	2,727	3,090	312	234	3,303	3,324	10,122	11,169
Italy	154	315	633	775	290	114	53	46	343	160	976	935
West Germany	446	404	6,220	9,785	200	389	182	66	382	455	6,602	10,240
Netherlands	175	321	18,382	20,389	2,553	3,431	917	610	3,470	4,041	21,852	24,430
Total	7,085	10,423	61,952	80,975	10,961	12,879	5,620	6,727	16,581	19,606	78,533	100,581
E.F.T.A.												
Iceland	130	73	19,735	33,330	297	264	1,675	1,827	1,972	2,091	21,707	35,421
Norway	943	1,465	47,962	61,918	960	406	7,684	9,225	8,644	9,631	56,606	61,549
Portugal	3,091	3,183	3,135	3,229	—	—	—	—	—	—	3,135	3,229
Sweden	24	40	366	418	187	105	9	206	196	311	562	729
Others	91	277	138	277	151	83	2	2	153	85	291	362
Total	4,279	5,038	71,336	89,172	1,595	858	9,370	11,260	10,965	12,118	82,301	101,290
OTHER COUNTRIES												
Canada	13,438	18,449	21,268	27,565	678	1,199	2,532	4,413	3,210	5,612	24,478	33,177
Rep. of S. Africa (inc. S. W. Africa)	1,823	1,123	2,368	1,936	248	142	175	76	423	218	2,791	2,154
Faroe Islands	—	—	4,250	5,611	292	1,081	—	113	292	1,204	4,542	6,815
Japan	11,418	10,242	11,876	10,874	56	85	132	147	188	232	12,064	11,106
Poland	1	1	1	237	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	237
U.S.A.	9,618	12,160	15,355	18,342	386	851	591	271	977	1,122	16,332	19,464
U.S.S.R.	2,533	4,021	2,909	4,026	932	935	—	63	932	998	3,841	5,024
Others	10,708	16,353	16,355	21,194	5,823	11,109	10,761	9,067	16,584	20,176	32,939	41,376
Total	49,539	62,349	74,382	89,785	8,415	15,412	14,191	14,150	22,606	29,562	96,988	119,347
All Countries Total	60,903	77,810	207,670	269,932	20,971	29,149	29,181	32,137	50,152	61,286	257,822	321,218

TABLE 20

IMPORTS OF FISH AND MARINE MAMMAL PRODUCTS

United Kingdom

Country of Consignment	MEALS AND FLOURS				OILS				TOTAL			
	tonnes		£'000		tonnes		£'000		tonnes		£'000	
	1978	1979	1978	1979	1978	1979	1978	1979	1978	1979	1978	1979
E.E.C.												
Denmark	62,739	74,301	16,827	17,133	20,416	16,619	4,979	3,549	83,155	90,920	21,806	20,682
Netherlands	—	—	—	—	12,036	30,727	2,993	6,855	12,036	30,727	2,993	6,855
Others	5,345	3,868	1,375	904	4,207	11,185	1,035	3,291	9,552	15,053	2,410	4,195
Total	68,084	78,169	18,202	18,037	36,659	58,531	9,007	13,695	104,743	136,700	27,209	31,732
E.F.T.A.												
Iceland	34,357	66,268	7,954	13,787	52,578	44,853	12,041	9,634	86,935	111,121	19,995	23,421
Norway	50,024	60,575	11,407	13,112	42,513	44,284	11,252	10,119	92,537	104,859	22,659	23,231
Portugal	—	—	—	—	—	601	—	128	—	601	—	128
Others	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	84,381	126,843	19,361	26,899	95,091	89,738	23,293	19,881	179,472	216,581	42,654	46,780
OTHER COUNTRIES												
Australia	—	—	—	—	2,703	—	1,095	—	2,703	—	1,095	—
Canada	9,296	7,092	2,151	1,437	—	—	—	—	9,296	7,092	2,151	1,437
Rep. of S. Africa (inc. S. W. Africa)	—	—	—	—	7,782	10,495	1,644	2,057	7,782	10,495	1,644	2,057
Japan	—	—	—	—	47,607	30,100	11,323	6,645	47,607	30,100	11,323	6,645
U.S.A.	73	54	17	11	24,966	7,453	6,102	1,609	25,039	7,507	6,119	1,620
Faroe Islands	8,711	13,890	2,279	3,027	749	—	202	—	9,460	13,890	2,481	3,027
Others	20,975	29,082	4,930	6,089	1,708	18,467	417	3,744	22,683	47,549	5,347	9,833
Total	39,055	50,118	9,377	10,564	85,515	66,515	20,783	14,055	124,570	116,633	30,160	24,619
All Countries Total	191,520	255,130	46,940	55,500	217,265	214,784	53,083	47,631	408,785	469,914	100,023	103,131

Values expressed in c.i.f. terms.

TABLE 21

EXPORTS* OF FISH AND FISH PREPARATIONS

United Kingdom

Consigned to	DEMERSAL AND PELAGIC FISH														All Forms of Shellfish				Total Fish and Fish Preparations					
	Fresh, chilled or frozen				Semi-preserved				Prepared and Preserved				Total											
	tonnes	£'000	1978	1979	tonnes	£'000	1978	1979	tonnes	£'000	1978	1979	tonnes	£'000	1978	1979	tonnes	£'000	1978	1979	tonnes	£'000	1978	1979
E.E.C.																								
Belgium/Lux	28.65	29.35	1.888	1.506	89	40	377	320	220	205	215	341	3.174	3.180	2.480	2.167	1.249	936	3.956	3.300	4.423	4.116	6.436	5.467
Denmark	9.157	5.218	2.172	1.920	583	69	211	43	43	222	55	224	9.783	5.509	2.438	2.171	623	577	923	905	10.406	6.086	3.361	3.076
France	31.898	28.238	16.175	16.584	664	713	917	1.619	92	93	123	180	32.654	29.044	17.215	18.383	15.046	12.381	17.494	18.435	47.700	41.425	34.709	36.818
West Germany	11.010	8.246	4.383	2.696	762	363	421	295	181	283	258	305	11.953	8.892	5.062	3.296	501	632	1.790	2.313	12.454	9.524	6.852	5.809
Irish Republic	10.599	1.681	5.327	1.597	1.703	1.661	1.498	1.592	1.895	1.414	2.670	2.318	14.197	4.756	9.494	5.507	347	406	939	1.313	14.544	5.162	10.434	6.820
Italy	4.085	2.390	2.028	802	1.179	1.034	1.510	1.354	19	109	25	153	5.283	3.533	3.563	2.309	897	764	2.302	2.268	6.180	4.297	5.865	4.577
Netherlands	17.033	13.559	8.802	7.988	3.737	4.938	1.965	2.026	414	692	656	930	21.184	19.189	11.423	10.944	1.980	1.550	3.698	3.398	23.164	20.739	15.121	14.342
E.E.C. Total	86.647	82.267	40.776	33.093	8,717	8,818	6,899	7,233	2,864	3,018	4,002	4,451	98.228	74,103	51,676	44,777	20,643	17,246	31,102	31,932	118,871	91,349	82,778	76,709
E.F.T.A. Total	13.659	9.239	2.271	2.312	1.797	1.254	1.251	784	116	129	103	130	15.572	10.822	3.825	3.226	621	362	2.031	1.792	16.093	10.984	5.656	5.018
OTHER COUNTRIES																								
Australia	3.457	1.739	3.811	2.172	514	209	678	284	1.886	719	2.447	1.030	5.857	2.667	6.936	3.486	27	48	50	107	5.884	2.715	6.986	3.593
Canada	77	2	73	2	193	110	217	130	103	47	175	103	375	159	465	235	54	37	220	180	427	196	687	415
Rep. of S. Africa (inc. S.W. Africa)	93	79	98	75	555	294	728	555	274	536	545	790	922	909	1.371	1.420	52	51	105	153	974	960	1.476	1.573
U.S.A.	3.056	1.072	3.311	1.317	472	354	852	860	319	530	671	1.333	3.847	1.956	4.834	3.510	773	1.168	2.639	4.578	4.620	3.124	7.473	8.088
U.S.S.R.	47.946	104.242	43.63	9.385	330	—	35	—	31	—	32	—	48.307	104.242	4.430	9.385	—	—	—	—	48.307	104.242	4.430	9.385
Others	153.765	146.077	23.693	22.138	2.990	2.725	3.474	3.480	2.433	2.432	2.456	2.448	159.188	151.234	29.623	38.066	3.271	4.687	4.804	7.267	62.429	55.921	34.427	35.333
Other Total	208.394	253.211	35.349	35.089	5.054	3.692	5.984	5.309	5.046	4.264	6.326	5.704	218.494	281.167	47.659	46.102	4.147	5.991	7.820	12.285	222.641	267.168	55.479	59.387
All Countries Total	308.700	324.717	78.395	70.494	15.568	13.764	14.134	13.326	8.026	7.412	10.431	10.285	332.294	345.892	102.960	94.106	25.311	23.599	40.953	46.005	357.605	369.401	143.913	140.114

Values expressed in f.o.b. terms

*Includes re-exports which are not separately identifiable.

TABLE 22

EXPORTS* OF FISH AND MARINE MAMMAL PRODUCTS

United Kingdom

Consigned to	FISH AND MARINE MAMMAL OILS				FISH MEALS				TOTAL			
	tonnes		£'000		tonnes		£'000		tonnes		£'000	
	1978	1979	1978	1979	1978	1979	1978	1979	1978	1979	1978	1979
E.E.C.												
Belgium	1		1		—	—	—	—	1		1	
Denmark	75	75	50	62	79	62	18	12	154	137	68	74
France	104	2	57	10	—	—	—	—	104	2	57	10
Irish Republic	382	147	162	47	4,080	5,292	1,065	1,230	4,462	5,439	1,227	1,277
Italy	310	176	263	98	—	—	—	—	310	176	263	98
West Germany	785	140	244	101	—	21	—	3	785	161	244	104
Netherlands	1,307	870	330	228	17	89	6	27	1,324	959	336	255
Total	2,964	1,410	1,107	546	4,176	5,464	1,089	1,272	7,140	6,874	2,196	1,818
E.F.T.A.												
Finland	11	2	7	1	1,290	702	379	230	1,301	704	386	231
Norway	1,319	175	259	48	20	—	21	—	1,339	175	280	48
Sweden	16	11	8	7	2	—	1	—	18	11	9	7
Switzerland	541	529	252	262	—	—	—	—	541	529	252	262
Others	1	4	1	1	—	—	—	—	1	4	1	1
Total	1,888	721	527	319	1,312	702	401	230	3,200	1,423	928	549
OTHER COUNTRIES												
Australia	49	4	24	4	—	72	—	25	49	76	24	29
Canada	129	56	85	42	—	1	—	—	129	57	85	42
Malta	—	4	—	1	111	—	23	—	111	4	23	1
Lebanon	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—
U.S.A.	87	27	21	19	17	—	5	—	104	27	26	19
Others	723	504	401	332	3,183	216	598	57	3,906	720	999	389
Total	988	595	532	398	3,311	289	626	82	4,299	884	1,158	480
All Countries Total	5,840	2,726	2,166	1,263	8,799	6,455	2,116	1,584	14,639	9,181	4,282	2,847

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