

4.—Quantities<sup>1</sup> and Values<sup>2</sup> of the Chief Commercial Fishes, calendar years 1930-34.

Kind of Fish.	1930.	1931.	1932.	1933.	1934.	Increase (+) or Decrease (-) 1934 compared with 1933.
Salmon.....cwt.	2,362,529	1,343,701	1,331,054	1,456,501	1,696,856	+ 240,355
\$	17,731,891	7,972,017	8,037,904	9,758,346	12,875,257	+ 3,116,911
Lobsters.....cwt.	407,265	435,490	483,488	374,916	361,992	- 12,924
\$	5,214,643	5,037,028	4,745,311	3,524,355	4,269,764	+ 745,409
Cod.....cwt.	1,662,421	1,463,626	1,428,941	1,561,647	1,714,059	+ 152,412
\$	4,288,813	2,827,350	2,193,621	2,598,756	3,327,507	+ 728,751
Herring.....cwt.	2,190,776	2,462,751	1,862,372	2,056,706	1,901,874	- 154,832
\$	2,623,174	2,330,044	1,473,288	1,747,863	1,799,967	+ 52,104
Whitefish.....cwt.	169,747	156,215	138,478	152,135	144,615	- 7,520
\$	1,818,941	1,425,311	1,193,634	1,136,400	1,358,692	+ 222,292
Halibut <sup>3</sup> .....cwt.	282,605	210,926	193,845	200,824	123,152	- 77,672
\$	2,871,455	1,730,044	1,227,680	1,694,405	1,134,307	- 560,098
Haddock.....cwt.	486,344	363,850	360,185	268,881	356,068	+ 87,187
\$	1,851,724	1,362,876	1,114,802	832,029	1,075,529	+ 243,500
Sardines.....brl.	129,459	63,660	66,910	130,485	191,549	+ 61,064
\$	1,074,487	337,560	426,914	623,976	1,039,002	+ 415,026
Pickrel or doré.....cwt.	103,146	92,349	89,498	106,272	122,512	+ 16,240
\$	939,762	765,492	707,957	623,343	844,848	+ 221,505
Trout.....cwt.	69,809	57,420	50,198	50,932	58,977	+ 8,045
\$	1,031,979	707,522	557,988	525,192	594,354	+ 69,162
Smelts.....cwt.	66,121	74,522	98,163	77,699	59,909	- 17,790
\$	853,034	652,837	690,964	495,632	557,538	+ 61,906
Pilchards.....cwt.	1,501,404	1,472,085	886,964	121,013	860,103	+ 739,090
\$	1,589,609	807,842	383,920	77,464	549,910	+ 472,446
Mackerel.....cwt.	178,464	196,248	178,453	263,316	190,818	- 72,498
\$	598,019	502,477	276,947	396,306	421,013	+ 24,707
Perch.....cwt.	43,762	51,415	60,972	40,945	72,766	+ 31,821
\$	346,649	231,736	272,110	242,123	384,889	+ 142,766
Ling cod.....cwt.	49,591	50,987	39,960	40,282	47,806	+ 7,524
\$	333,564	239,014	159,534	198,570	281,644	+ 83,074
Hake and cusk.....cwt.	294,376	171,748	128,208	177,514	246,179	+ 68,665
\$	431,566	191,898	133,600	149,211	257,340	+ 108,129
Saugers.....cwt.	8,961	18,279	18,942	24,914	48,695	+ 23,781
\$	62,482	74,194	105,404	115,635	242,889	+ 127,254
Tullibee.....cwt.	62,041	42,804	47,644	42,300	44,076	+ 1,776
\$	461,676	190,421	224,138	265,204	204,984	- 60,220
Swordfish.....cwt.	11,933	12,629	10,359	17,137	14,091	- 3,046
\$	214,806	236,617	99,585	208,038	176,640	- 31,398
Scallops.....brl.	18,636	11,788	23,396	43,172	44,945	+ 1,773
\$	95,522	41,641	77,141	161,779	168,415	+ 6,636
Eels.....cwt.	16,388	20,083	21,476	27,404	25,238	- 2,166
\$	147,114	125,981	110,317	148,995	159,674	+ 10,679
Oysters.....brl.	23,942	24,337	23,041	22,424	24,964	+ 2,540
\$	205,019	193,563	115,102	126,533	158,241	+ 31,708
Pike.....cwt.	56,464	45,452	41,400	41,146	37,195	- 3,951
\$	228,905	161,674	133,250	112,312	149,821	+ 37,509
Blue pickerel.....cwt.	59,284	54,048	40,610	42,164	24,321	- 17,843
\$	420,917	178,359	174,623	257,201	116,741	- 140,460
Clams and quahaugs..brl.	64,709	56,053	49,922	38,281	42,657	+ 4,376
\$	319,469	227,614	167,851	107,522	111,885	+ 4,363

<sup>1</sup> Quantities caught. <sup>2</sup> Values marketed. <sup>3</sup> Previous to 1934 the totals for halibut included landings at British Columbia ports by United States vessels, whereas for 1934 the United States landings are excluded from the statistics and the figures for that year cover landings by Canadian vessels only. <sup>4</sup> Revised since the publication of the 1934-35 Year Book.

**Quantities and Values in Recent Years.**—The wide variations in prices from year to year make total values misleading. On the other hand, the quantities of different kinds of fish are stated in many different units which make the total volume of production difficult to compare from year to year. An effort is made to overcome these difficulties in Table 5 by working out what the values would be in a later year if prices had remained the same as in the preceding year. From 1933 to 1934 there was an increase of 23.7 p.c. in the total value of the fisheries. The increase due to better prices was 15.0 p.c., while larger quantities caught