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FOREWORD

The content of the 1978 edition of the Scottish Sea Fisheries Statistical Tables is similar to the 1977 version.

One additional table (No. 42) has been included in this edition, showing the landings by Scottish vessels in England and Wales and the Isle of Man in the last 2 years. Amendments to tables include the splitting of ICES area IV in table 26 into the ICES sub-areas IVA, IVB and IVC, and minor rearrangements of the layout in other tables.

Table 1 shows that landings in Scotland rose by over 3% to 426,000 tonnes in 1978, and that this figure represents over 44% of UK landings in 1978. Table 42 shows that Scottish vessels landed 151,000 tonnes (mainly mackerel and sprats) in England and Wales, a further 16% of UK landings. The value of landings in Scotland has risen by 4% to £122 million in 1978, while the value of landings in England and Wales by Scottish boats rose by 38% to well over £13 million.

EXPLANATORY NOTES

SPECIES

The various species of fish are divided into 3 main groups; demersal, pelagic and shell fish. Demersal species live on or near the sea bed; pelagic species are found mainly in shoals near the surface.

Landings

Data on landings in Scotland is obtained from sales notes completed at the first auction of the fish, and additional information on effort and grounds is obtained, where possible, by interview with the skippers. The quantities in the tables are expressed in terms of landed weight; in the case of demersal fish (excluding Norway Pout and sand eels) this means head on, gutted fish; for the other species including shell fish it means whole fish.

Vessels (Tables 23, 33, 34, 35, 37)

Data on vessels is obtained from records kept by the Department and updated by reports of officers in the Sea Fisheries Inspectorate based at each of the Sea Fisheries Districts. All vessels actively engaged in commercial fishing and registered under the Merchant Shipping Act of 1894 are recorded.

Disposal of fish (Tables 30, 31, 32)

Disposal information is obtained by officers of the Sea Fisheries Inspectorate from information supplied by buyers at the point of sale. The term 'klondyking' refers to direct landings to foreign container or factory vessels for immediate export.

Processing (Tables 24, 25 and 29)

This data is obtained from fish processing plants in each fishery district, by interview or by questionnaire.

Fishermen employed (Tables 36 and 37)

Estimates of numbers of fishermen regularly and partially employed are made at 31 st December each year by the Fisheries Officers in each Sea Fisheries District.

Symbols used in tables

The following symbols are used in the tables;

- = not available.
- = nil.

Rounding

In some tables, where figures have been rounded, the sum of the constituent items may not always agree exactly with the total shown.

Explanatory Notes—continued

FISHING REGIONS

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

I	Barents Sea	VIIa	Irish Sea
II	Bear Island and Spitzbergen	VIIb	West of Ireland
IIIa	Skagerrak and Kattegat	VIIc	English Channel, East
IVa	Northern North Sea	VIIe	English Channel, West
IVb	Middle North Sea	VIIe	Bristol Channel
IVc	Southern North Sea	VIIg	South-east Ireland
Vb	Faroes	VIIh	Little Sole Bank
Vla	West of Scotland	VIIj	Great Sole Bank
Vlb	Rockall		

DESCRIPTION OF FISHING METHODS REFERRED TO IN THE TABLES

Motor Trawl. The gear consists of a net in the shape of a funnel attached to the vessel by wire ropes or "warps". As the net is towed over the sea floor the mouth is kept open by a combination of boards, floats and weights. The tail end of the net where the fish are trapped is known as the "cod-end". The length of the warps is normally about 3.5–4 times the depth of the water and can extend in depths of 110m to about 450m from the stern of the vessel. This method is used by the deep sea trawlers operating mainly out of Aberdeen. Other single-vessel trawling methods ("Industrial Trawl", "Light Trawl" and "Nephrop Trawl") follow the same principles. Light Trawl and Nephrop Trawl are used by "Inshore" vessels in the 10m–25m group, many of which are multi-purpose and may also use seine nets (see below).

Two-Boat Trawl ("Pair Trawl": "Mid-Water Trawl"). A variant of trawling used to fish at intermediate depths between the surface and the sea floor. The net is towed by two vessels which may be up to 400m apart, the depth of the net being mainly controlled by the length of the warps and the vessels speed, used by vessels in the inshore fleet for catching both demersal and pelagic species.

Seine Net. Another bottom fishing method. The gear consists of a sac of netting with wings on either side, kept in position vertically by floats and weights. Long warps are attached to the net, one of which is initially fastened to a flag pole passed through a buoy ("dahn buoy"). The vessel steams forward paying out warp, then the net itself, then more warp to form a rough triangle back to the dahn, which may be some 1–3kms distant from the net. The vessel then steams ahead, causing the warps to herd the fish into the path of the net, which is finally winched aboard.

Purse Seine. This method involves complete encirclement of a shoal or area known to contain fish. As the name implies the net, which may be up to 1200m long and 240m deep, is shaped like a purse. One end is first attached to a buoy, and the vessel then steams round the shoal paying out the net as it goes. On return to the buoy the net is closed at the foot or "pursed". The net is then winched to the side of the vessel and the fish taken on board by means of a fish pump. This gear requires relatively heavy equipment and is not generally suitable for vessels below 20m; used to catch pelagic species mainly herring, mackerel and sprats. Ring Nets are similar except that the net is much smaller and operated by two vessels. This last method is now uncommon, but still used by a few relatively small vessels on the West Coast of Scotland.

Drift Nets. Sheets of netting each about 35m long and totalling up to 1500m or more are paid out to form a curtain or barrier in the path of on-coming fish (usually herring). The net is kept vertical by floats on the headrope and a heavy footrope, the fish being caught in the mesh by their gills. There are now very few drifters in operation.

Ground Nets are similar except that the nets are anchored near to the sea floor from which they are made to stand upright (by means of floats) like a fence. Occasionally used to catch eg cod off both the West and East coasts of Scotland.

Explanatory Notes—continued

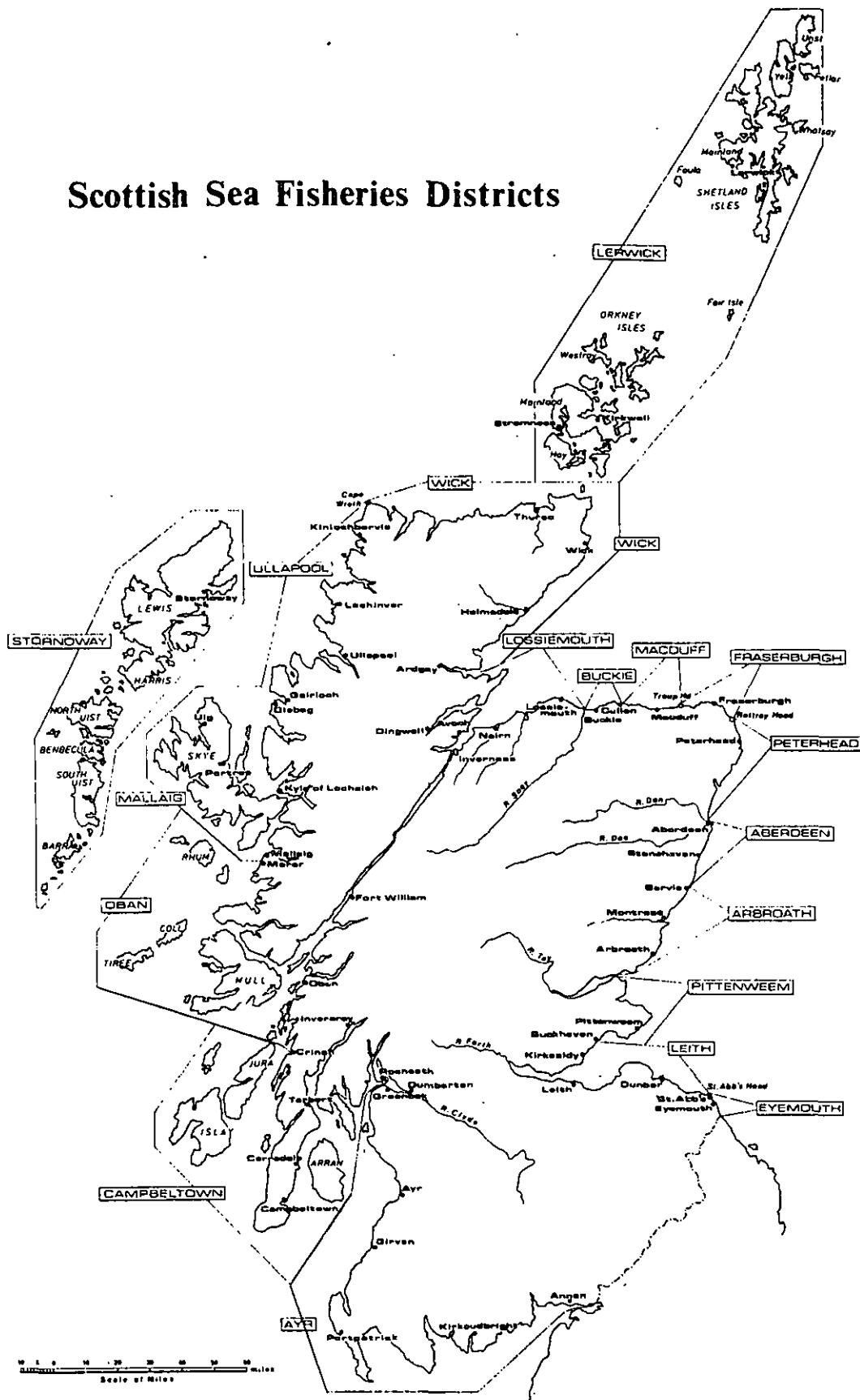
Great Lines. These are lines of thin rope totalling up to 15,000m long with hooks attached at intervals. The hooks are baited and the lines then laid along the sea floor, their position being marked by floats at each end. This method is especially suitable for rocky and uneven grounds where other methods may be impracticable. Used by vessels in the 25m–30m groups, which may be away for up to 3 weeks or more on each trip. There are now few vessels using this method in the Scottish fleet.

Small Lines work on the same principle, but the vessels are smaller and usually return to port every day.

Creels. These are traps or "pots" used to catch shellfish, especially lobsters, nephrops and crabs. The pots vary in size and are generally made from a combination of wood, cane and netting. They are normally arranged on the sea floor in lots between 10 and 50, depending on the capacity of the vessel fishing, and are checked (weather permitting) daily.

Dredge. Used to catch scallops and queen scallops. The apparatus consists of a steel-framed "mouth" attached to a bag of light metal link chain. As the dredge is towed along the sea floor metal teeth attached to the underside of the "mouth" rake the shellfish into the bag. The number of dredges may vary between one and six depending on the power and size of the vessel, which may be up to 20m.

Scottish Sea Fisheries Districts



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TABLE 1

United Kingdom: Quantity and value of principal species landed by British and foreign vessels (1946, 1974-1978)

	Cod		Dogfish		Haddock		Hake		Lemon Soles		Plaice		Saithe (Coalfish)		Whiting		Other Demersal		Total Demersal Fish		
	00 m.t.	£000	00 m.t.	£000	00 m.t.	£000	00 m.t.	£000	00 m.t.	£000	00 m.t.	£000	00 m.t.	£000	00 m.t.	£000	00 m.t.	£000	00 m.t.	£000	
England and Wales																					
1946	2,458	9,799	56	136	810	4,045	629	3,295	7	67	542	5,128	129	339	113	404	726	3,525	5,470	26,738	
1974	2,177	49,262	61	885	466	10,913	6	272	20	884	246	7,446	193	2,570	64	868	513	7,587	3,746	80,687	
1975	1,949	49,103	76	1,110	396	10,250	5	280	24	1,096	239	8,883	168	1,975	88	885	330	7,362	3,285	80,944	
1976	1,639	63,037	67	1,300	366	11,621	5	326	26	1,574	279	10,878	194	3,640	69	1,330	322	10,696	2,967	104,302	
1977	1,085	55,951	83	1,796	293	12,275	4	362	25	1,919	314	13,149	171	4,896	83	2,044	370	12,759	2,428	105,151	
1978	827	43,047	96	2,578	193	9,561	4	406	25	1,937	273	13,844	133	3,777	94	2,355	269	13,026	1,914	90,531	
Scotland																					
1946	405	1,567	..	..	650	2,877	21	110	19	177	63	552	41	91	221	790	150	950	1,570	7,114
1974	489	12,377	84	870	795	16,304	16	573	19	707	44	1,156	247	3,003	320	4,648	609	3,696	2,623	43,334	
1975	485	11,713	91	923	728	15,454	18	653	19	762	40	1,213	177	1,725	371	5,281	586	3,343	2,495	41,067	
1976	471	16,914	99	1,326	908	23,236	12	687	18	967	39	1,384	210	3,431	392	7,241	575	5,736	2,724	60,922	
1977	380	20,527	88	1,524	937	35,612	12	905	23	1,416	42	1,734	181	4,841	390	11,115	430	6,906	2,483	84,580	
1978	427	23,957	76	1,675	631	29,794	12	952	23	1,580	45	2,087	175	4,719	455	13,628	469	7,108	2,313	85,500	
Northern Ireland																					
1946	3	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	15	1	4	66	208	2	8	74	247
1974	10	185	0	0	0	5	1	13	..	..	1	16	3	28	18	183	5	47	38	477
1975	10	177	0	0	0	2	2	31	..	..	1	21	3	27	20	250	5	59	41	568
1976	10	274	0	0	0	0	1	52	..	..	1	32	3	40	32	475	8	118	56	992
1977	12	488	0	0	0	0	1	34	..	..	2	44	4	91	27	582	7	154	53	1,396
1978	9	389	0	0	0	0	1	40	..	..	2	49	3	73	28	682	7	186	50	1,423
United Kingdom																					
1946	2,866	11,378	56	136	1,460	6,922	650	3,405	26	244	607	5,695	171	434	400	1,402	878	4,483	7,114	34,089	
1974	2,676	61,824	145	1,755	1,281	27,222	23	858	39	1,591	291	8,618	443	5,601	402	5,699	1,127	11,330	6,407	124,498	
1975	2,424	60,993	167	2,034	1,124	25,706	25	964	43	1,858	280	10,117	348	3,727	459	6,416	921	10,764	5,791	122,579	
1976	2,120	80,225	166	2,626	1,274	34,858	18	1,065	44	2,541	319	12,294	407	7,011	493	9,046	905	16,550	5,746	166,216	
1977	1,477	76,566	171	3,321	1,230	47,889	17	1,301	48	3,335	368	14,927	356	9,828	500	13,741	807	19,819	4,964	191,127	
1978	1,263	67,393	172	4,255	824	39,357	17	1,398	48	3,517	320	15,980	311	8,569	577	16,665	745	20,320	4,277	177,484	
Foreign Landings																					
1946	544	2,323	1	2	189	890	13	66	2	21	238	2,180	56	153	6	20	119	564	1,168	6,219	
1974	230	4,853	4	65	65	1,261	1	31	2	89	29	828	110	956	5	47	95	738	541	8,868	
1975	239	6,964	4	63	38	1,108	1	24	3	133	36	1,312	100	679	2	22	97	700	578	10,006	
1976	487	15,826	2	44	32	1,040	0	3	2	100	25	1,002	6	116	0	0	83	1,012	637	18,990	
1977	277	13,176	3	91	13	601	0	19	2	186	23	1,002	13	356	1	40	60	1,656	392	17,127	
1978	426	21,625	9	237	62	2,630	1	63	0	296	35	2,044	61	1,717	5	152	65	2,029	658	30,993	
Total Landings																					
1946	3,410	13,701	57	138	1,649	7,812	683	3,471	28	265	845	7,875	227	587	406	1,422	997	5,047	8,282	40,318	
1974	2,906	66,677	149	1,820	1,326	28,483	24	889	41	1,680	320	9,446	553	6,557	407	16,748	1,222	12,068	6,948	133,366	
1975	2,723	66,957	171	2,087	1,160	26,815	26	988	46	1,991	316	11,429	448	4,406	461	6,438	1,018	11,464	6,369	132,585	
1976	2,607	95,851	168	2,670	1,306	35,898	18	1,068	46	2,641	344	13,336	413	7,127	493	9,053	988	17,562	6,383	185,206	
1977	1,764	80,142	174	3,412	1,243	48,480	17	1,320	50	3,521	381	15,929	369	10,184	501	13,781	867	21,475	6,356	208,254	
1978	1,689	89,018	181	4,492	876	42,187	18	1,481	52	3,813	355	18,024	372	10,286	582	16,817	810	22,349	4,935	208,447	

TABLE 1—continued

	Herring		Mackerel		Sprats		Other Pelagic		Total Pelagic Fish		Total Wet Fish		Norway Lobsters		Scallops and Queens		Total Shell Fish		Total all Fish	
	00 m.t.	£000	00 m.t.	£000	00 m.t.	£000	00 m.t.	£000	00 m.t.	£000	00 m.t.	£000	00 m.t.	£000	00 m.t.	£000	00 m.t.	£000	00 m.t.	£000
England and Wales																				
1946	914	1,802	8	20	11	22	27	57	960	1,901	6,430	28,639	—	—	77	297	417	928	4,772	29,567
1974	111	918	212	1,108	266	922	21	121	609	3,069	4,355	83,756	7	324	61	719	418	4,099	4,772	87,855
1975	87	1,059	316	1,749	363	905	22	150	788	3,863	4,043	84,807	12	563	88	489	418	4,461	4,461	90,083
1976	122	1,454	574	3,575	532	1,883	67	288	1,295	7,200	4,262	111,502	17	1,053	87	1,620	479	10,514	4,921	120,560
1977	18	579	1,324	10,298	548	2,844	124	804	2,014	14,525	4,442	119,676	21	1,851	50	2,477	376	11,312	5,188	130,190
1978	9	373	2,135	21,301	572	2,663	182	1,512	2,898	25,849	4,812	116,380	20	1,945	64	2,531	267	19,174	4,261	127,692
Scotland																				
1946	1,110	2,373	24	53	13	23	0	3	1,147	2,452	2,717	9,566	—	—	49	793	191	423	4,772	9,989
1974	1,294	11,833	88	341	562	1,733	14	39	1,958	13,946	4,581	57,280	83	3,844	76	1,182	216	7,432	4,092	64,062
1975	985	9,586	167	554	224	620	5	8	1,381	10,768	3,876	51,835	82	3,916	100	2,172	289	4,422	4,422	59,267
1976	731	9,392	296	1,672	366	1,411	16	47	1,409	12,522	4,133	73,444	109	6,295	71	2,012	260	14,675	4,122	85,829
1977	383	11,201	542	4,357	423	2,181	31	134	1,379	17,873	3,862	102,453	98	7,912	64	2,531	267	19,174	4,261	117,128
1978	138	5,433	1,074	9,696	452	2,326	17	83	1,681	17,538	3,994	103,038	113	11,058	3	39	29	18	155	122,212
Northern Ireland																				
1946	33	62	—	—	—	—	—	—	33	62	107	309	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	327
1974	87	678	1	3	—	—	—	—	88	682	126	1,159	25	528	3	89	38	906	136	1,779
1975	56	588	1	5	—	—	—	—	57	589	98	1,157	34	745	2	125	42	1,567	156	2,063
1976	58	742	1	7	—	—	—	—	59	747	114	1,739	32	1,278	6	46	37	1,830	121	3,306
1977	30	1,092	1	4	—	—	—	—	31	1,099	84	2,495	32	1,570	1	139	47	2,986	110	4,325
1978	13	427	0	4	—	—	—	—	13	431	63	1,854	41	2,678	2	—	—	—	—	4,840
United Kingdom																				
1946	2,057	4,237	32	73	24	45	27	60	2,140	4,415	9,254	38,514	—	—	129	1,129	637	1,369	9,699	39,883
1974	1,492	13,430	301	1,452	827	2,855	35	160	2,655	17,697	9,062	142,195	115	4,696	139	1,990	672	11,501	8,689	153,696
1975	1,128	11,233	484	2,304	587	1,525	27	158	2,226	15,220	8,017	137,799	128	5,224	194	4,472	820	23,110	8,329	151,413
1976	911	11,588	871	5,252	898	3,294	83	335	2,763	20,469	8,509	186,685	158	8,626	119	3,678	776	27,019	9,164	209,795
1977	431	12,872	1,867	14,662	971	5,025	155	938	3,424	33,497	8,388	224,624	151	11,333	116	5,147	690	33,472	9,569	251,543
1978	160	6,233	3,209	31,001	1,024	4,989	199	1,595	4,592	43,818	8,869	221,272	174	15,681	1	—	—	—	—	254,744
Foreign Landings																				
1946	0	—	0	—	—	—	1	1	1	1	1,169	6,220	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6,220
1974	48	249	10	34	48	191	1	4	107	478	648	9,346	0	11	0	1	0	4	648	9,350
1975	3	30	3	5	108	289	—	1	114	325	692	10,331	1	11	—	—	1	16	693	10,347
1976	0	—	2	12	87	306	5	11	95	336	732	19,326	0	28	0	12	2	79	734	19,405
1977	0	—	2	11	4	23	16	60	22	95	414	17,222	0	25	1	31	4	309	418	17,531
1978	5	448	14	154	26	111	22	158	67	872	724	31,865	1	65	1	39	8	577	732	32,442
Total Landings																				
1946	2,057	4,237	32	73	24	45	28	61	2,141	4,416	10,423	44,734	—	—	129	1,130	637	1,369	9,699	46,103
1974	1,540	13,679	311	1,486	875	2,846	36	164	2,762	18,175	9,710	151,541	115	4,697	139	1,990	673	11,505	10,347	163,046
1975	1,131	11,263	487	2,309	695	1,814	27	159	2,340	15,545	8,709	148,130	129	5,235	194	4,484	822	23,189	9,382	161,760
1976	912	11,595	873	5,264	985	3,600	88	346	2,858	20,805	9,241	206,011	159	8,654	120	3,709	780	27,328	10,063	229,200
1977	431	12,873	1,869	14,673	975	5,048	171	998	3,446	33,592	8,802	241,846	181	11,358	117	5,186	698	34,049	9,582	268,174
1978	165	6,681	3,223	31,155	1,050	5,100	221	1,753	4,658	44,990	9,593	253,137	175	15,746	1	—	—	—	—	287,186

TABLE 2

British vessels: Quantity and value of each species landed in each district

	ALL DISTRICTS				Total		Eyemouth		
	1978		1977		m.t.	£	m.t.	£	
DEMERSAL FISH	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	
Brill	25.7	19,708	23.3	16,450	16.3	12,172	0.1	102	
Catfish	484.5	183,078	488.6	155,673	477.6	181,676	4.1	1,538	
Cod	42,668.0	23,957,311	37,984.2	20,527,204	38,627.5	21,969,290	1,943.5	915,740	
Conger eels	91.4	22,370	92.6	17,384	11.2	3,312	0.4	163	
Dabs	660.8	175,002	725.1	188,249	551.5	151,493	7.2	1,968	
Dogfish	7,630.2	1,675,198	8,825.0	1,523,956	5,034.3	1,075,427	354.3	108,838	
Dover sole	34.8	68,828	27.7	51,549	1.4	1,383	0.1	112	
Flounders	59.3	6,504	53.8	4,528	5.8	462	—	—	
Gurnards	141.9	15,027	59.3	7,623	124.9	12,657	0.1	5	
Haddock	63,113.8	29,783,537	93,652.4	35,611,799	56,635.8	27,259,670	1,352.9	693,089	
Hake	1,242.9	852,449	1,166.1	905,295	347.0	225,999	0.5	314	
Halibut	194.9	358,319	207.5	316,709	182.3	333,757	1.6	1,740	
Lemon sole	2,256.0	1,580,164	2,293.3	1,415,782	2,094.8	1,496,814	156.4	114,439	
Ling	1,622.8	643,821	1,614.3	649,850	1,319.9	534,473	1.1	438	
Lythe	514.6	229,802	488.1	208,657	349.9	167,213	0.8	339	
Megrims	781.2	255,578	832.9	270,253	375.2	128,008	0.1	36	
Monks	3,259.5	2,146,020	3,589.5	2,159,693	2,107.4	1,468,075	33.8	16,290	
Norway pout	5,798.9	184,402	7,433.3	279,853	0.5	344	—	—	
Plaice	4,483.4	2,086,853	4,199.4	1,734,284	3,775.3	1,764,544	217.9	92,735	
Redfish	54.9	15,056	125.0	28,866	54.5	14,885	—	—	
Saithe	17,492.6	4,718,914	18,078.1	4,841,239	14,827.5	4,011,831	88.3	15,582	
Sandeels	28,054.9	807,849	21,992.9	824,121	124.5	3,823	—	—	
Skate	3,194.9	1,034,992	3,321.1	877,532	1,913.5	643,536	2.5	446	
Torsk	367.5	143,420	459.1	163,216	345.4	140,150	0.0	6	
Turbot	131.2	279,291	119.1	216,907	105.9	242,092	4.2	4,020	
Whiting	45,487.9	13,828,312	38,996.8	11,114,715	33,353.7	10,379,003	2,267.8	638,929	
Witches	1,019.2	292,102	876.3	238,516	564.2	175,755	14.9	5,325	
Livers	0.1	20	0.4	87	0.0	3	—	—	
Roes	414.5	204,103	413.2	197,375	334.6	169,506	3.4	2,578	
Other	79.8	21,555	136.7	33,857	53.7	14,976	1.6	538	
Total	1978	231,320.2	85,499,585	—	—	163,717.9	72,580,317	6,457.6	2,615,310
	1977	—	—	248,275.1	84,581,202	176,688.4	69,803,593	5,639.3	2,033,662
PELAGIC FISH									
Herring	13,841.0	5,432,849	38,275.0	11,200,613	367.5	190,471	—	—	
Horse mackerel	14.0	962	109.0	6,975	6.1	417	0.0	2	
Mackerel	107,415.3	9,696,170	54,241.8	4,356,822	2,820.1	211,809	0.1	8	
Blue whiting	1,599.6	78,278	3,000.4	127,175	26.2	1,015	—	—	
Sprats	45,230.8	2,326,322	42,250.8	2,180,545	32,219.2	1,568,075	—	—	
Other pelagic	19.5	3,547	0.4	81	19.5	3,547	—	—	
Total	1978	168,120.2	17,538,128	—	—	35,460.6	1,975,334	0.1	10
	1977	—	—	137,877.4	17,872,211	42,089.8	3,137,482	2.6	426
WET FISH									
Total	1978	399,440.4	103,037,713	—	—	199,178.5	74,555,651	6,457.7	2,615,320
	1977	—	—	386,152.5	102,453,413	218,778.2	72,941,075	5,641.9	2,034,088
SHELL FISH									
Whelks	63.4	8,081	—	—	0.3	72	—	—	
Periwinkles	2,583.3	544,263	3,353.6	590,983	963.5	192,167	397.8	72,893	
Crabs	2,637.7	579,120	2,394.1	455,641	1,373.9	351,584	218.8	53,015	
Lobsters	516.8	2,790,868	540.8	2,604,061	179.4	953,868	33.2	172,913	
Oysters	0.3	259	0.1	12	0.3	259	—	—	
Shrimps	2,044.1	1,455,379	1,750.0	959,693	2,023.6	1,433,027	1.7	889	
Cockles	—	—	26.3	1,680	—	—	—	—	
Scallops	2,836.7	1,838,051	2,673.6	1,294,573	0.8	459	—	—	
Mussels	922.0	36,227	888.6	26,373	899.1	34,652	—	—	
Norway lobsters	11,338.0	11,057,560	9,814.9	7,912,042	3,345.1	3,144,787	296.2	285,434	
Squids	242.3	170,806	162.6	100,048	172.9	113,849	0.5	515	
Queen scallops	3,546.6	693,128	4,445.7	717,096	10.9	2,231	7.4	1,566	
Other	0.6	461	5.8	12,487	0.4	57	—	—	
Total	1978	26,711.8	19,174,203	—	—	8,970.2	6,228,992	955.6	587,225
	1977	—	—	26,056.1	14,674,689	7,689.6	4,574,951	732.9	505,359
Total of all fish	1978	426,152.2	122,211,916	—	—	208,148.7	80,782,643	7,413.3	3,202,645
	1977	—	—	412,208.6	117,128,102	226,467.8	77,516,026	6,374.8	2,539,447

TABLE 2—continued

EAST COAST								
Leith		Pittenweem		Arbroath		Aberdeen		
m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	
0.0	9	0.1	97	0.1	36	2.3	2,389	DEMERSAL FISH
2.1	696	2.6	1,186	5.5	1,762	121.9	45,114	Brill
435.5	214,290	1,018.2	576,161	1,279.0	619,619	11,570.8	6,502,482	Catfish
0.2	46	0.0	82	0.0	7	7.7	2,312	Cod
1.8	388	32.6	8,614	51.0	13,381	166.9	51,692	Conger eels
69.6	13,635	159.0	37,916	53.6	8,676	2,110.5	441,898	Dabs
0.0	71	0.0	152	0.0	18	0.1	110	Dogfish
—	—	0.0	21	4.7	234	—	—	Dover sole
2.4	341	0.4	13	0.0	2	123.5	12,246	Flounders
695.7	347,361	955.1	589,701	745.6	323,080	20,904.7	9,667,828	Gurnards
7.7	5,335	0.6	553	0.1	48	125.8	110,005	Haddock
2.1	5,987	0.1	425	0.1	194	153.0	282,324	Hake
6.7	4,029	124.2	80,004	182.0	113,777	617.4	470,726	Halibut
33.3	13,967	0.3	162	0.9	269	884.9	361,852	Lemon sole
9.5	3,961	1.6	810	1.7	567	268.7	129,793	Ling
12.0	2,218	0.0	12	0.2	54	176.0	82,919	Lythe
11.9	7,712	15.7	5,891	41.4	16,208	593.4	392,296	Megrim
—	—	—	—	0.0	2	0.3	169	Monks
16.4	6,130	329.5	144,128	327.2	108,335	774.8	423,312	Norway pout
0.8	259	—	—	—	—	53.7	14,626	Plaice
639.5	169,763	26.0	5,933	14.2	2,035	11,067.7	2,936,334	Redfish
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Saithe
22.2	8,266	8.7	2,223	40.7	7,125	968.7	360,591	Sandeels
3.0	822	—	—	—	—	339.8	138,292	Skate
1.3	1,781	1.8	3,382	0.6	1,603	52.3	138,783	Torsk
612.1	162,986	1,500.8	534,711	2,194.8	553,587	10,013.9	3,420,673	Turbot
0.5	170	1.8	566	3.0	863	47.9	20,734	Whiting
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Witches
4.5	1,584	2.1	1,160	6.2	4,182	182.2	85,669	Livers
8.9	2,233	0.0	38	1.0	422	38.0	9,847	Roes
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Other
2,599.7	974,040	4,181.2	1,993,941	4,953.6	1,776,086	61,366.9	26,085,016	1978 Total
4,679.9	1,826,778	3,223.0	1,312,819	3,779.1	1,185,006	69,515.7	27,496,392	1977
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	PELAGIC FISH
37.2	15,991	—	—	—	—	—	—	Herring
0.4	9	0.4	28	—	—	5.3	374	Horse mackerel
9.3	1,501	1.0	233	2.0	896	321.4	28,349	Mackerel
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Blue whiting
9,600.2	592,222	—	—	70.5	2,821	340.0	17,697	Sprats
—	—	—	—	—	—	19.5	3,547	Other pelagic
9,647.1	609,723	1.4	261	72.5	3,717	686.2	49,987	1978 Total
1,642.9	104,752	2.1	381	221.7	11,681	872.6	70,815	1977
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	WET FISH
12,246.8	1,583,763	4,182.6	1,994,202	5,026.1	1,779,803	62,053.1	26,134,983	1978
6,322.8	1,931,530	3,225.1	1,313,200	4,000.8	1,196,687	70,388.3	27,567,207	1977
—	—	—	—	—	—	0.3	72	SHELL FISH
115.7	22,385	234.6	47,443	66.0	12,937	—	—	Whelks
120.7	28,102	165.4	44,063	109.8	28,044	45.2	11,865	Periwinkles
23.9	121,205	35.3	184,686	17.7	92,473	1.4	6,798	Crabs
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Lobsters
—	—	0.7	442	—	—	—	—	Oysters
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Shrimps
—	—	0.0	3	—	—	—	—	Cockles
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Scallops
—	—	—	—	94.4	5,309	—	—	Mussels
623.7	656,801	542.8	523,106	34.5	40,679	—	—	Norway lobsters
11.7	6,275	0.3	229	0.2	229	117.6	63,320	Squids
—	—	3.3	536	—	—	—	—	Queen scallops
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Other
895.7	834,768	982.4	800,508	322.6	179,671	164.5	82,055	1978 Total
1,010.7	746,081	1,300.5	785,344	435.2	252,806	60.2	27,270	1977
13,142.5	2,418,531	5,165.0	2,794,710	5,348.7	1,959,474	62,217.6	26,217,038	1978 Total of all fish
7,333.5	2,677,611	4,525.6	2,098,544	4,436.0	1,449,493	70,448.5	27,594,477	1977

TABLE 2—continued

	EAST COAST (continued)								
	Peterhead		Fraserburgh		Macduff		Buckie		
	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	
DEMERSAL FISH									
Brill	1.1	834	0.1	70	1.4	1,035	3.5	2,338	
Catfish	266.8	105,133	50.9	18,593	8.8	2,930	9.0	3,139	
Cod	16,793.1	9,788,675	3,099.1	1,909,756	1,289.3	815,507	450.3	249,007	
Conger eels	0.5	208	0.2	55	1.4	228	0.2	78	
Dabs	48.8	11,726	14.9	3,998	44.4	10,455	34.5	9,498	
Dogfish	1,370.1	274,053	441.2	87,759	212.7	48,268	97.7	22,603	
Dover sole	0.1	114	0.2	150	0.5	400	0.1	8	
Flounders	0.4	9	0.5	198	—	—	—	—	
Gurnards	0.3	25	—	—	0.1	11	0.1	14	
Haddock	25,631.8	12,612,296	2,684.0	1,301,374	1,811.7	850,522	421.4	196,154	
Hake	110.1	63,669	32.0	14,181	33.0	15,785	14.3	6,073	
Halibut	19.3	34,480	2.4	4,266	0.5	859	0.6	1,286	
Lemon sole	526.6	388,619	226.5	151,083	115.2	88,968	56.3	34,216	
Ling	284.5	115,472	71.3	26,592	15.5	5,212	23.4	8,779	
Lythe	60.1	28,534	4.1	2,024	1.1	355	1.0	439	
Megrims	75.7	27,347	35.6	10,479	10.3	3,754	33.9	9,139	
Monks	724.0	535,367	387.3	322,239	77.9	41,697	146.8	94,345	
Norway pout	0.0	8	0.1	115	0.0	3	—	—	
Piace	887.2	415,829	124.7	63,178	297.2	146,115	269.0	130,343	
Redfish	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Saithe	2,592.8	774,440	301.2	84,924	49.3	11,453	26.1	6,813	
Sandeels	—	—	124.5	3,823	—	—	—	—	
Skate	204.3	62,118	103.9	35,328	95.7	21,943	77.5	20,052	
Torsk	0.4	211	0.5	375	0.0	5	0.0	30	
Turbot	24.8	50,067	12.3	29,315	1.4	2,427	3.8	7,203	
Whiting	10,208.9	3,282,085	3,352.1	880,662	1,292.7	389,187	598.9	167,845	
Witches	288.0	98,228	111.0	25,367	28.2	7,357	49.0	12,133	
Livers	—	—	0.0	3	—	—	—	—	
Roes	105.8	55,817	10.6	7,419	6.1	4,284	5.1	2,633	
Other	2.5	1,418	—	—	0.8	228	0.7	177	
Total	1978	60,228.0	28,724,782	11,191.2	4,983,326	5,395.2	2,468,986	2,323.2	984,345
	1977	62,307.4	25,706,722	11,339.9	4,327,218	6,473.1	2,513,387	3,116.2	1,121,371
PELAGIC FISH									
Herring	0.0	16	330.3	174,464	—	—	—	—	
Horse mackerel	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.0	4	
Mackerel	401.5	34,232	2,087.5	144,864	2.9	437	1.5	260	
Blue whiting	0.1	22	28.1	993	—	—	—	—	
Sprats	18.2	726	10,801.7	486,748	4,117.4	170,254	481.8	21,140	
Other pelagic	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Total	1978	419.8	34,996	13,227.6	807,089	4,120.3	170,691	483.3	21,404
	1977	1,234.5	133,371	21,694.8	1,988,945	5,660.3	262,881	4,381.1	250,452
WET FISH									
Total	1978	60,647.8	28,759,778	24,418.8	5,790,395	9,515.5	2,639,677	2,806.5	1,005,749
	1977	63,541.9	25,840,093	33,034.7	6,316,163	12,133.4	2,776,268	7,497.3	1,371,823
SHELL FISH									
Whelks	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Periwinkles	3.4	670	109.6	26,598	—	—	—	—	
Crabs	88.7	23,476	133.7	35,961	128.2	31,517	0.5	45	
Lobsters	4.7	25,199	5.6	29,756	1.8	10,168	2.3	12,411	
Oysters	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Shrimps	847.3	601,665	929.3	653,555	—	—	244.6	176,470	
Cockles	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Scallops	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.2	80	
Mussels	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Norway lobsters	—	—	393.1	400,447	123.5	98,835	779.0	681,439	
Squids	0.4	437	8.5	9,422	17.7	18,948	4.8	3,022	
Queen scallops	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.0	9	
Other	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Total	1978	944.6	651,447	1,679.8	1,157,739	271.2	159,468	1,031.4	873,476
	1977	779.0	421,136	1,158.9	671,245	78.8	54,227	672.2	467,220
Total of all fish	1978	61,692.3	29,411,225	25,998.6	6,948,134	9,786.7	2,799,145	3,837.9	1,879,225
	1977	64,320.9	26,261,229	34,193.6	6,987,408	12,212.2	2,830,495	8,169.5	1,839,043

TABLE 2—continued

Lossiemouth		Wick		ORKNEY AND SHETLAND		
				Lerwick		
m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	
3.4	2,262	4.2	3,000	0.0	5	DEMERSAL FISH
4.3	1,180	1.6	405	4.6	865	Brill
389.5	198,867	359.2	179,176	543.2	223,539	Catfish
0.0	17	0.6	116	—	—	Cod
33.1	8,963	116.3	30,810	0.6	73	Conger eels
25.3	4,451	140.3	27,330	20.2	1,901	Dabs
0.1	109	0.2	139	—	—	Dogfish
—	—	—	—	—	—	Dover sole
—	—	—	—	0.0	2	Flounders
385.8	178,673	1,047.1	499,592	2,817.5	955,641	Gurnards
11.2	5,473	11.7	4,563	42.2	17,613	Haddock
0.2	283	2.4	1,913	0.6	431	Hake
29.4	20,632	54.1	32,321	2.1	435	Halibut
1.1	375	3.6	1,355	120.0	45,446	Lemon sole
1.1	339	0.2	52	0.2	17	Ling
11.9	3,787	19.5	6,261	106.6	19,671	Lythe
31.6	13,609	43.6	22,421	176.1	103,487	Megrim
0.1	35	0.0	12	5,494.3	172,471	Monks
219.3	90,758	312.1	143,681	11.7	2,936	Norway pout
—	—	—	—	0.0	3	Plaice
2.8	746	19.6	3,808	170.5	34,555	Redfish
—	—	—	—	27,930.4	804,015	Saithe
44.9	11,188	344.4	114,256	167.2	21,858	Sandeels
—	—	1.7	409	0.4	152	Skate
1.6	1,492	1.8	2,019	0.0	8	Torsk
491.3	137,125	820.4	211,213	6,077.5	1,582,858	Turbot
13.1	3,218	6.8	1,794	0.0	9	Whiting
—	—	—	—	0.1	8	Witches
6.8	3,119	1.8	1,061	1.5	360	Livers
0.2	77	—	—	1.2	276	Roes
—	—	—	—	—	—	Other
1,708.1	688,778	3,313.2	1,287,707	43,688.7	3,988,635	1978 Total
2,087.0	774,849	4,527.8	1,505,389	39,346.7	4,775,911	1977
—	—	—	—	78.1	28,435	PELAGIC FISH
—	—	—	—	—	—	Herring
—	—	12.9	1,029	1,099.8	91,770	Horse mackerel
6,789.4	276,467	—	—	—	—	Mackerel
—	—	—	—	949.6	53,226	Blue whiting
—	—	—	—	—	—	Sprats
—	—	—	—	—	—	Other pelagic
6,789.4	276,467	12.9	1,029	2,127.5	173,431	1978 Total
6,325.5	294,132	51.7	19,546	6,907.0	646,630	1977
8,497.5	963,245	3,326.1	1,288,736	45,816.2	4,162,066	WET FISH
8,412.5	1,068,981	4,579.5	1,525,035	46,253.7	5,422,541	1978
—	—	—	—	63.1	8,009	SHELL FISH
16.3	3,490	20.1	3,751	43.9	7,265	Whelks
—	—	362.9	95,496	964.7	158,030	Periwinkles
4.6	22,557	48.9	275,702	79.1	417,911	Crabs
0.3	259	—	—	—	—	Lobsters
0.0	6	—	—	—	—	Oysters
—	—	—	—	—	—	Shrimps
0.6	376	—	—	309.6	194,066	Cockles
804.7	29,343	—	—	—	—	Scallops
550.9	456,778	—	—	—	—	Mussels
5.3	5,415	1.4	1,248	0.2	118	Norway lobsters
0.2	120	5.9	6,037	0.1	60	Squids
0.4	57	—	—	165.3	30,250	Queen scallops
—	—	—	—	—	—	Other
1,383.3	518,401	439.2	382,234	1,626.0	815,709	1978 Total
1,168.8	312,422	292.4	331,841	1,513.2	736,550	1977
9,880.8	1,481,646	3,765.3	1,670,970	47,442.2	4,977,775	1978 Total of
9,581.3	1,381,403	4,871.9	1,856,876	47,766.9	6,159,091	all fish
—	—	—	—	—	—	1977

TABLE 2—continued

	WEST COAST							
	Total		Stornoway		Ullapool		Mallaig	
	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£
DEMERSAL FISH								
Brill	9.4	7,531	1.2	1,238	1.0	793	0.2	252
Catfish	2.3	537	—	—	0.4	110	—	—
Cod	3,487.3	1,764,492	173.8	81,888	665.7	358,914	582.1	293,974
Conger eels	80.2	19,058	13.0	3,250	6.6	1,012	26.3	4,892
Dabs	108.7	23,436	5.3	1,013	66.3	15,123	1.1	141
Dogfish	2,575.7	597,870	127.2	21,845	1,596.1	401,291	380.3	77,397
Dover sole	33.4	67,446	0.1	45	0.1	83	0.1	83
Flounders	53.7	6,042	0.1	4	—	—	0.0	1
Gurnards	15.0	2,368	6.8	1,021	0.2	33	0.7	64
Haddock	3,660.5	1,578,226	100.6	40,508	1,824.4	855,489	195.5	80,983
Hake	853.7	708,837	66.5	27,560	139.0	96,246	139.8	113,358
Halibut	12.0	24,131	3.0	3,607	5.9	9,483	1.1	1,905
Lemon sole	159.1	82,915	55.4	27,554	51.5	24,891	12.3	4,816
Ling	183.0	63,902	32.1	13,849	39.2	13,090	42.3	14,446
Lyrhe	164.6	62,572	15.0	4,678	28.3	11,447	46.9	17,375
Megrim	295.4	109,901	56.4	18,643	179.6	79,735	13.1	3,333
Monks	976.0	574,458	111.7	54,851	286.9	181,402	425.7	262,358
Norway pout	302.1	11,587	301.6	11,456	—	—	0.0	23
Plaice	676.4	319,373	32.4	14,204	308.2	144,993	28.6	10,241
Redfish	0.4	167	0.2	35	0.0	2	0.2	130
Saithe	2,494.6	672,528	126.0	25,603	257.5	65,681	179.9	49,807
Sandeels	0.0	11	—	—	—	—	—	—
Skate	1,114.2	369,598	86.4	25,080	481.3	170,418	191.1	58,550
Torsk	11.7	3,118	3.4	1,500	0.3	78	0.1	38
Turbot	25.3	37,191	0.2	125	6.7	12,380	4.5	4,455
Whiting	6,056.7	1,666,451	641.9	137,668	2,636.5	750,996	857.6	224,718
Witches	455.0	116,338	41.4	8,529	76.7	22,487	282.9	69,340
Livers	0.0	9	0.0	9	—	—	—	—
Roes	78.4	34,237	1.7	942	15.3	7,886	5.9	2,441
Other	24.9	6,303	—	—	0.1	17	0.2	30
Total 1978	23,913.6	8,930,633	2,003.4	528,705	8,673.8	3,224,080	3,418.5	1,293,151
1977	32,240.0	10,001,698	4,938.8	694,497	13,073.1	4,226,000	4,502.4	1,572,856
PELAGIC FISH								
Herring	13,395.4	5,213,943	369.7	122,095	3,402.6	1,042,583	5,474.7	1,964,045
Horse mackerel	7.9	545	—	—	—	—	0.2	7
Mackerel	103,495.4	9,382,591	9,289.6	575,992	80,195.7	7,570,163	11,544.3	966,908
Blue whiting	1,571.4	77,268	497.9	31,637	—	—	1,073.5	45,625
Sprats	12,062.0	705,021	4,837.3	250,307	873.6	39,175	5,701.3	372,203
Other pelagic	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total 1978	130,532.1	15,389,363	14,994.5	980,031	84,471.9	8,651,921	23,794.0	3,348,788
1977	88,880.6	14,088,099	15,069.1	1,247,551	38,246.2	5,111,166	27,119.7	4,686,403
WET FISH								
1978	154,445.7	24,319,996	16,997.9	1,506,736	93,145.7	11,876,001	27,212.5	4,641,939
1977	121,120.6	24,089,797	20,007.9	1,942,048	51,319.3	9,337,166	31,622.1	6,259,259
SHELL FISH								
Whelks	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Periwinkles	1,555.9	344,831	64.3	12,211	2.5	466	372.9	91,286
Crabs	299.1	69,506	37.9	3,701	223.3	56,756	36.7	8,697
Lobsters	258.3	1,419,089	160.9	852,551	10.9	64,160	5.8	35,712
Oysters	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shrimps	20.5	22,352	—	—	—	—	0.1	37
Cockles	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Scallops	2,528.3	1,643,526	68.3	53,366	266.6	163,257	562.4	380,251
Mussels	22.9	1,575	22.9	1,575	—	—	—	—
Norway lobsters	7,992.7	7,912,675	1,280.8	1,100,210	1,271.8	1,281,110	2,434.2	2,605,553
Squids	69.3	66,897	3.2	2,463	10.5	8,183	7.4	4,920
Queen scallops	3,370.4	660,647	—	—	0.5	108	23.6	4,558
Other	0.2	404	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total 1978	16,115.6	12,131,502	1,638.3	2,026,077	1,786.1	1,574,040	3,442.1	3,131,014
1977	16,853.3	9,363,188	1,439.3	1,273,640	1,742.3	1,346,616	3,078.8	2,179,558
Total of all fish 1978	170,561.3	36,451,498	18,636.2	3,532,813	94,931.8	13,450,041	30,654.6	7,772,953
1977	137,973.9	33,452,985	21,447.2	3,215,688	53,061.6	10,683,782	34,700.9	8,438,817

TABLE 2—continued

Oban		Campbeltown		Ayr		
m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	
0.6	856	0.1	52	6.3	4,540	DEMERSAL FISH
0.0	28	—	—	1.9	399	Brill
267.8	148,755	475.7	217,942	1,322.2	663,019	Catfish
1.6	366	5.2	923	27.5	8,615	Cod
1.7	451	0.3	47	34.0	6,661	Conger eels
120.6	24,231	117.6	21,907	233.9	51,199	Dabs
0.3	984	2.1	3,888	30.7	62,363	Dogfish
—	—	0.3	23	53.3	6,014	Dover sole
0.2	55	0.1	20	7.0	1,175	Flounders
207.0	116,303	33.4	15,824	1,299.6	469,119	Gurnards
41.8	38,471	118.1	100,317	348.5	332,885	Haddock
0.1	228	0.0	23	1.9	8,885	Hake
20.3	12,554	4.4	1,915	15.2	11,185	Halibut
3.9	1,370	3.5	896	62.0	20,251	Lemon sole
4.7	1,865	8.6	2,614	61.0	24,493	Ling
11.1	3,473	0.1	35	39.1	4,682	Lythe
39.3	20,449	34.0	15,223	78.4	40,175	Megrims
—	—	—	—	0.5	108	Monks
55.7	28,820	34.1	14,746	217.4	106,369	Norway pout
—	—	—	—	—	—	Pleice
5.9	1,762	284.6	64,296	1,640.7	465,379	Redfish
—	—	0.0	3	0.0	8	Saithe
179.6	66,389	48.6	11,304	127.2	39,857	Sandeels
0.0	86	0.0	4	7.9	1,412	Skate
3.0	6,568	0.9	1,080	10.0	12,583	Torsk
625.8	211,000	337.1	84,631	957.8	257,438	Turbot
31.8	10,268	10.4	1,980	11.8	3,734	Whiting
—	—	—	—	—	—	Witches
1.3	767	10.0	3,677	44.2	18,524	Livers
0.1	13	0.8	67	23.7	6,176	Roes
—	—	—	—	—	—	Other
1,624.2	696,012	1,530.0	563,437	6,663.7	2,627,248	1978 Total
2,417.5	854,576	1,914.0	617,186	5,394.2	2,036,583	1977
256.2	105,240	1,725.5	851,773	2,166.7	1,128,207	PELAGIC FISH
—	—	4.0	193	3.7	345	Herring
382.4	31,670	394.9	44,100	1,688.5	203,758	Horse mackerel
—	—	0.0	1	—	—	Mackerel
639.8	42,614	10.0	722	—	—	Blue whiting
—	—	—	—	—	—	Sprats
—	—	—	—	—	—	Other pelagic
1,278.4	179,524	2,134.4	896,789	3,858.9	1,332,310	1978 Total
1,133.2	241,284	2,286.8	1,075,444	5,025.6	1,726,251	1977
2,902.6	875,536	3,664.4	1,460,226	10,522.6	3,959,558	WET FISH
3,550.7	1,095,860	4,200.8	1,692,630	10,419.8	3,762,834	1978
—	—	—	—	—	—	1977
373.3	92,439	133.7	27,094	609.2	121,335	SHELL FISH
1.2	270	—	—	1.0	82	Whelks
47.6	290,227	25.4	143,364	7.7	33,075	Periwinkles
—	—	—	—	—	—	Crabs
0.1	81	—	—	20.3	22,234	Lobsters
—	—	—	—	—	—	Oysters
280.7	165,319	1,274.4	838,108	73.9	43,225	Shrimps
—	—	—	—	—	—	Cockles
679.6	748,529	1,216.3	1,124,376	1,110.0	1,052,897	Scallops
10.5	10,573	7.8	6,493	29.9	24,265	Mussels
27.9	6,844	714.7	155,455	2,603.7	493,682	Norway lobsters
0.2	404	—	—	—	—	Squids
—	—	—	—	—	—	Queen scallops
—	—	—	—	—	—	Other
1,421.1	1,314,688	3,372.3	2,294,890	4,455.7	1,790,795	1978 Total
1,700.5	1,106,597	3,358.8	1,788,011	5,533.6	1,688,766	1977
4,323.7	2,190,222	7,036.7	3,755,118	14,978.3	5,750,353	1978 Total of all fish
5,251.2	2,202,457	7,569.6	3,480,641	15,953.4	5,431,600	1977

TABLE 3

British vessels: Quantity of each species landed in 1971 to 1978

	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978
DEMERSAL FISH	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.
Brill	7.0	7.9	11.3	11.2	13.3	16.9	23.3	25.7
Catfish	342.0	401.6	450.2	505.8	461.1	483.2	488.6	484.5
Cod	47,840.6	61,365.4	53,728.3	48,940.4	46,556.0	47,142.3	37,984.2	42,658.0
Conger eels	103.9	156.9	125.7	100.7	78.9	98.8	92.6	91.4
Dabs	757.9	788.1	982.9	917.8	759.5	722.5	725.1	660.8
Dogfish	6,866.2	7,426.5	8,163.7	8,428.4	9,082.6	9,937.5	8,825.0	7,630.2
Dover sole	12.8	19.9	17.8	..	20.4	22.4	27.7	34.8
Flounders	25.9	44.4	19.6	37.0	33.0	25.6	53.8	59.3
Gurnards	75.6	105.8	131.3	116.3	67.0	40.6	59.3	141.9
Haddock	143,673.6	114,962.1	99,250.1	79,530.6	72,833.6	90,837.3	93,652.4	63,113.8
Hake	1,509.8	1,657.3	1,718.7	1,564.6	1,830.1	1,249.3	1,166.1	1,242.9
Halibut	541.8	468.0	477.1	344.6	296.4	294.1	207.5	194.9
Lemon sole	2,020.3	1,632.0	1,766.1	1,945.8	1,868.9	1,809.0	2,294.3	2,256.0
Ling	2,077.7	2,695.6	2,097.8	1,958.6	1,377.5	1,419.2	1,614.3	1,622.9
Lythe	242.9	300.5	460.3	462.0	401.7	448.0	488.1	514.6
Megrim	820.0	869.1	753.9	816.5	599.4	589.1	832.9	781.2
Monks	2,437.9	2,676.1	2,822.9	3,361.1	3,254.2	3,784.6	3,589.5	3,259.5
Norway pout	1,743.1	4,767.8	23,763.1	38,278.1	33,228.2	26,389.8	7,433.3	5,796.9
Plaice	4,792.2	3,870.8	4,942.8	4,380.1	3,967.8	3,889.9	4,198.4	4,463.4
Porbeagles	6.9	14.0	10.1	..	..	..	..	..
Redfish	148.7	192.7	169.3	139.7	133.4	246.0	125.0	54.9
Saithe	16,486.6	20,336.3	27,544.9	24,691.6	17,667.7	21,019.6	18,078.1	17,492.6
Sandeels	..	..	..	8,816.6	13,218.5	18,696.4	21,992.9	28,054.9
Skate	3,994.2	4,228.6	3,400.7	2,878.0	2,890.6	3,115.3	3,321.1	3,194.9
Torsk	599.9	755.8	735.9	710.0	516.3	476.9	459.1	357.5
Turbot	122.6	80.7	101.1	88.1	85.8	94.5	119.1	131.2
Whiting	34,120.7	30,874.2	27,548.4	32,009.2	37,059.9	39,208.5	38,996.8	45,487.9
Witches	644.8	612.6	583.2	600.5	661.8	774.4	876.3	1,019.2
Livers	249.8	256.2	128.6	42.3	0.1	1.1	0.4	0.1
Roes	554.6	435.2	401.9	405.8	482.5	492.7	413.2	414.5
Other	103.7	100.5	105.8	161.3	57.3	67.5	136.7	79.8
Total	272,921.7	282,101.6	262,413.5	262,242.7	249,503.5	272,393.0	248,276.1	231,320.2
PELAGIC FISH								
Herring	132,854.2	137,916.0	145,333.8	129,417.8	98,505.8	73,079.1	38,275.0	13,841.0
Horse mackerel	..	..	..	1,263.7	189.1	85.1	109.0	14.0
Mackerel	1,422.8	1,811.1	8,158.3	8,860.4	16,756.3	29,606.0	54,241.8	107,415.3
Blue whiting	..	..	..	..	278.8	1,573.4	3,000.4	1,599.6
Sprats	23,434.7	38,589.4	59,841.4	56,223.1	22,354.0	36,570.4	42,250.8	45,230.8
Other pelagic	..	..	1,068.5	37.1	0.6	0.2	0.4	19.5
Total	157,713.2	178,318.0	214,402.2	195,802.1	138,084.6	140,914.2	137,877.4	168,120.2
WET FISH	430,634.9	440,419.6	476,815.7	458,044.8	387,588.1	413,307.2	386,152.5	399,440.4
SHELL FISH								
Wheiks	..	..	..	10.9	1.6	0.0	..	63.4
Periwinkles	1,373.9	1,874.4	1,328.4	1,551.9	2,034.1	2,240.4	3,353.6	2,563.3
Crabs	1,705.8	1,896.6	2,273.1	2,360.0	1,685.8	1,996.0	2,394.1	2,637.7
Lobsters	677.9	584.7	545.0	600.4	503.1	528.0	540.8	516.8
Oysters	14.6	4.7	0.4	1.0	..	26.8	0.1	0.3
Shrimps	464.8	197.2	170.0	440.7	538.2	2,026.8	1,750.0	2,044.1
Cockles	58.9	..	8.8	1.5	2.8	..	26.3	..
Scallops	2,598.4	1,557.5	1,210.3	1,684.7	2,117.0	3,249.9	2,673.6	2,836.7
Mussels	293.0	515.2	566.6	569.0	703.7	749.8	888.6	922.0
Norway lobsters	9,027.7	10,777.7	9,778.6	8,319.2	8,223.4	10,906.5	9,814.9	11,338.0
Squids	1,367.4	682.8	656.6	392.9	355.6	462.3	162.6	242.3
Queen scallops	4,993.3	4,628.0	7,493.3	3,232.8	5,445.3	6,737.2	4,445.7	3,546.6
Other	..	..	..	..	0.2	..	5.8	0.6
Total	22,575.7	22,618.8	24,031.1	19,165.0	21,610.8	28,923.7	26,056.1	26,711.8
Total of all fish	453,210.6	463,038.4	500,846.8	477,209.8	409,198.9	442,230.9	412,208.6	426,152.2

TABLE 4

British vessels: Value of each species landed in 1971 to 1978

	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978
DEMERSAL FISH	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Brill	1,824	2,721	4,325	4,581	6,363	10,521	16,450	19,708
Catfish	24,715	35,300	55,808	79,576	69,488	103,868	155,673	183,078
Cod	6,067,894	8,998,454	13,031,474	12,377,427	11,712,924	16,913,721	20,527,204	23,957,311
Conger eels	6,695	11,234	11,031	12,222	8,815	14,855	17,384	22,370
Dabs	73,225	83,488	125,232	129,268	123,670	157,158	188,249	176,002
Dogfish	336,982	382,873	670,938	869,911	922,744	1,326,472	1,523,956	1,675,198
Dover sole	7,306	12,833	17,518	..	24,288	34,452	51,549	68,829
Flounders	508	1,043	511	1,816	2,235	1,751	4,528	6,504
Gurnards	3,688	5,867	6,635	8,576	5,933	5,715	7,623	15,027
Haddock	12,546,791	14,335,646	17,149,581	16,303,916	15,453,893	23,235,553	35,611,799	29,793,637
Hake	403,483	441,319	499,283	573,295	653,079	687,041	905,295	952,449
Halibut	291,821	303,034	331,224	306,345	289,480	373,596	316,709	368,319
Lemon sole	570,945	525,372	615,769	707,132	761,943	967,172	1,415,782	1,530,164
Ling	195,341	299,826	319,433	372,162	200,984	371,712	649,850	643,821
Lythe	19,947	29,384	79,123	86,358	66,765	117,986	208,657	229,802
Megrim	81,612	102,709	101,466	116,259	103,311	130,117	270,253	255,578
Monks	254,628	328,604	389,167	581,594	784,178	1,784,540	2,159,693	2,146,020
Norway pout	15,593	61,470	770,505	851,419	567,695	811,187	279,853	184,402
Plaice	765,029	698,740	1,061,923	1,156,323	1,212,842	1,384,464	1,734,264	2,086,853
Porbeagles	1,125	2,804	1,905	..	..	..	..	..
Redfish	6,791	7,296	10,651	12,976	12,650	42,068	28,866	15,055
Saithe	854,036	1,136,359	2,410,854	3,003,230	1,725,338	3,430,673	4,841,239	4,718,914
Sandeels	..	..	..	219,033	173,691	519,058	824,121	807,849
Skate	428,760	523,684	509,578	496,468	506,858	664,967	877,532	1,034,992
Torsk	52,679	75,910	96,620	116,126	71,898	110,058	163,216	143,420
Turbot	59,195	41,714	59,548	60,793	81,714	126,253	216,907	279,291
Whiting	2,475,181	3,322,990	3,907,841	4,647,427	5,281,326	7,241,352	11,114,715	13,628,312
Witches	62,936	70,939	91,329	96,830	102,483	142,819	238,516	292,102
Livers	4,574	4,730	2,372	1,669	30	169	87	20
Roes	87,617	69,135	72,280	97,187	132,331	198,685	197,375	204,103
Other	3,570	8,771	10,878	43,875	7,891	14,479	33,857	21,555
Total	25,704,491	31,924,249	42,414,802	43,333,794	41,066,840	60,922,462	84,681,202	85,499,586
PELAGIC FISH								
Herring	4,429,647	5,072,551	8,629,017	11,833,054	9,586,190	9,391,956	11,200,613	6,432,849
Horse mackerel	..	..	..	37,198	3,963	3,776	6,975	962
Mackerel	39,220	54,751	378,832	341,421	554,109	1,671,516	4,356,822	9,696,170
Blue whiting	..	..	..	..	3,595	43,223	127,175	78,278
Sprats	425,498	652,317	1,595,123	1,733,350	620,413	1,411,192	2,180,545	2,326,322
Other pelagic	..	..	42,070	1,369	90	19	81	3,547
Total	4,894,439	5,779,789	10,645,072	13,946,392	10,768,360	12,521,682	17,872,211	17,538,128
WET FISH	30,598,930	37,704,038	53,059,874	57,280,186	51,835,200	73,444,144	102,453,413	103,037,713
SHELL FISH								
Whelks	..	..	..	540	190	7	..	8,081
Periwinkles	73,140	102,594	92,273	134,391	223,078	289,901	590,983	544,263
Crabs	125,503	157,134	238,343	297,863	198,658	270,412	455,641	579,120
Lobsters	904,899	991,758	1,188,014	1,422,057	1,571,084	2,158,976	2,604,061	2,790,868
Oysters	10,223	3,193	206	368	..	21,075	12	259
Shrimps	86,005	36,258	47,265	162,932	188,199	810,935	959,693	1,455,379
Cockles	1,013	..	346	190	223	..	1,680	..
Scallops	576,325	345,553	320,313	531,409	669,079	1,310,163	1,294,573	1,838,051
Mussels	6,571	10,806	13,393	17,284	19,829	23,687	26,373	36,227
Norway lobsters	2,114,667	3,854,754	5,010,517	3,844,478	3,915,908	6,295,422	7,912,042	11,057,560
Squids	170,233	79,638	157,253	108,452	131,635	341,877	100,048	170,806
Queen scallops	337,432	443,242	703,829	261,652	513,235	862,025	717,096	693,128
Other	..	..	..	..	360	..	12,487	461
Total	4,400,011	6,024,930	7,771,752	6,781,617	7,431,477	12,384,480	14,674,689	19,174,203
Total of all fish	35,004,941	43,728,968	60,831,626	64,061,803	59,266,677	85,828,624	117,128,102	122,211,916

TABLE 5

British vessels: Average value of each species landed in 1971 to 1978

	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978
DEMERSAL FISH	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Brill	262.0	345.5	381.7	408.1	478.4	622.5	706.0	766.8
Catfish	72.2	88.0	124.0	157.3	150.7	215.0	318.6	377.9
Cod	126.8	146.6	242.5	253.0	251.6	358.8	540.4	561.6
Conger eels	64.4	71.7	87.8	121.5	111.7	150.4	187.7	244.7
Dabs	96.7	105.9	127.4	140.9	162.8	217.5	259.6	264.8
Dogfish	49.0	51.6	82.3	103.1	101.6	133.5	172.7	219.5
Dover sole	573.0	642.7	982.5	..	1,190.6	1,538.0	1,861.0	1,977.8
Flounders	19.7	23.4	26.0	49.0	67.7	68.4	84.2	109.7
Gurnards	48.8	55.5	50.6	73.6	88.6	140.8	128.5	105.9
Haddock	87.4	124.6	172.8	204.9	212.2	256.0	380.3	472.1
Hake	267.3	266.3	290.6	366.3	356.9	549.9	776.3	766.3
Halibut	538.6	647.4	694.3	889.0	976.7	1,270.3	1,526.3	1,838.5
Lemon sole	282.7	321.9	348.6	363.4	407.7	534.6	617.1	700.4
Ling	94.1	111.2	152.4	190.0	145.9	261.9	402.6	396.7
Lythe	82.1	97.8	171.8	187.0	166.2	263.4	427.5	446.6
Megrim	99.6	118.1	134.6	142.3	172.4	220.9	324.5	327.2
Monks	104.5	122.8	137.8	173.0	241.0	471.5	601.7	658.4
Norway pout	8.9	12.8	32.5	22.2	17.1	31.9	37.6	31.8
Plaice	159.6	180.5	214.8	264.0	305.7	355.9	413.1	467.5
Porbeagles	163.0	200.3	188.6	..	..	..	..	..
Redfish	46.3	37.8	63.0	92.9	94.8	171.0	230.9	274.2
Saithe	51.8	55.9	87.6	121.6	97.6	163.2	266.3	269.8
Sandeels	..	..	..	24.8	13.1	27.8	37.5	28.8
Skate	107.3	123.8	149.8	172.4	175.3	213.5	264.2	324.0
Torsk	87.8	100.4	131.3	163.6	139.3	230.8	355.5	401.2
Turbot	482.9	517.1	588.8	689.8	952.4	1,336.0	1,821.2	2,128.7
Whiting	72.6	107.7	141.9	145.3	142.5	184.7	285.0	299.6
Witches	97.6	115.7	156.5	161.2	154.9	184.4	272.2	286.6
Livers	18.3	18.5	18.5	39.6	300.0	153.6	217.5	200.0
Roes	158.1	158.9	179.9	239.6	274.3	403.3	477.7	492.4
Other	34.4	87.2	102.8	272.0	137.7	214.5	247.7	270.1
Total	94.1	121.9	161.6	165.2	164.6	223.7	340.7	369.6
PELAGIC FISH								
Herring	33.3	36.8	59.4	91.3	97.3	128.5	292.6	392.5
Horse mackerel	..	..	..	29.5	21.0	44.4	64.0	68.7
Mackerel	27.6	30.3	46.4	38.6	33.1	56.5	80.3	90.3
Blue whiting	..	..	..	..	12.9	27.5	42.4	48.9
Sprats	18.1	16.9	26.6	30.9	27.8	38.6	51.6	51.4
Other pelagic	—	—	39.4	36.8	150.0	95.0	202.5	181.9
Total	31.1	32.5	49.6	71.3	78.0	88.9	129.6	104.3
WET FISH	71.1	85.6	111.2	125.0	133.7	177.7	265.3	258.0
SHELL FISH								
Whelks	..	..	..	49.6	118.8	—	—	127.5
Periwinkles	53.1	54.7	69.5	86.6	109.7	129.4	176.2	212.3
Crabs	73.6	82.9	104.9	126.2	117.8	135.5	190.3	219.6
Lobsters	1,334.8	1,696.3	2,179.7	2,368.7	3,122.8	4,089.0	4,815.2	5,400.3
Oysters	701.2	683.3	579.3	381.3	—	786.4	120.0	863.3
Shrimps	185.0	183.9	278.1	369.7	349.7	400.1	548.4	712.0
Cockles	17.2	—	39.4	128.9	79.6	—	63.9	—
Scallops	221.9	221.9	264.6	315.4	316.1	403.1	484.2	648.0
Mussels	22.4	21.1	23.6	30.3	28.2	31.6	29.7	39.3
Norway lobsters	234.3	357.7	512.4	462.2	476.2	577.2	806.1	975.3
Squids	124.4	136.6	239.6	276.0	370.2	739.5	615.3	704.9
Queen scallops	67.5	95.9	93.9	80.9	94.3	128.0	161.3	195.4
Other	—	—	—	—	1,800.0	—	2,152.9	768.3
Total	195.1	266.3	323.4	353.9	343.9	428.2	563.2	717.8
Total of all fish	77.2	94.5	121.5	134.3	144.8	194.1	284.1	286.8

British vessels: Motor trawl (80 feet and over) : Quantity and value of each species landed by district **TABLE 6**

	ALL DISTRICTS											OTHER DISTRICTS*	
	1978		1977		LEITH		ABERDEEN		AYR		50 308		
	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.		£
Number of arrivals	1,559		1,658		57		1,415		37		50		
Number of days absent	13,844		14,751		707		12,388		441		308		
DEMERSAL FISH													
Bjll	1-5	1,339	0-7	935			1-5	1,334			0-0	6	
Catfish	68-1	23,465	117-2	34,985	2-1	682	63-6	22,270	1-9	399	0-5	114	
Cod	5,450-0	3,024,802	7,785-0	4,219,926	192-9	113,764	5,008-6	2,798,319	183-0	77,917	65-5	34,802	
Conger eels	7-4	1,453	4-2	752	0-1	503	2-1	503	0-1	11	6-1	529	
Dabs	68-8	19,286	126-9	34,619	0-2	45	66-4	19,160	0-2	81	0-2	81	
Dogfish	974-4	185,354	1,189-8	204,911	65-3	12,642	844-3	159,642	25-0	3,448	39-8	9,622	
Dover sole	0-1	131	0-2	68	0-0	69	0-1	62					
Gurnards	95-8	9,489	40-4	4,813	2-4	341	91-1	8,956	2-2	186	0-1	6	
Haddock	12,376-9	5,361,594	17,690-4	7,074,782	666-4	331,397	10,375-3	4,553,553	1,233-6	433,137	100-5	43,507	
Hake	121-5	109,059	107-5	93,415	7-7	5,329	95-3	86,188	1-8	732	16-7	16,810	
Halibut	66-8	127,324	96-4	142,619	2-0	5,937	62-5	111,951	1-8	8,796	0-5	640	
Lemon sole	169-9	113,699	302-5	191,709	3-1	1,418	164-8	111,441	0-7	149	1-3	691	
Ling	577-0	215,939	501-3	211,976	33-2	13,929	485-7	182,326	45-9	14,842	12-2	4,842	
Lythe	228-8	106,786	122-4	58,290	9-2	3,898	192-7	92,458	23-8	9,078	3-1	1,357	
Megrim	181-7	50,987	114-5	37,786	12-0	2,218	128-2	43,560	38-8	4,548	2-7	671	
Monks	413-3	270,687	452-2	266,453	8-1	6,550	375-6	244,161	11-5	8,071	18-1	11,905	
Norway pout	0-1	15					0-1	15					
Plaice	175-9	98,192	280-2	146,827	5-3	2,224	166-7	94,717	1-3	373	2-6	878	
Redfish	54-2	14,825	124-5	28,787	0-8	259	53-4	14,566					
Saithe	9,665-0	2,614,015	9,558-2	2,577,002	636-1	168,972	8,818-2	2,394,624	124-8	29,010	85-9	21,409	
Skate	516-1	178,762	463-7	136,105	21-8	8,166	450-5	185,792	36-3	12,266	7-7	2,538	
Torsk	51-1	14,117	57-9	19,229	3-0	809	40-0	11,866	7-9	1,396	0-2	46	
Turbot	26-6	59,046	28-7	59,106	0-7	1,417	20-1	50,577	5-4	6,480	0-4	672	
Whiting	5,121-6	1,749,682	4,561-4	1,558,513	205-1	73,547	4,761-8	1,630,537	78-2	20,629	76-5	24,969	
Witches	24-7	6,994	8-1	2,308	0-2	25	8-4	2,800	0-0	1	16-1	4,168	
Roos	95-7	38,265	140-0	58,083	4-3	1,471	89-2	36,213	1-6	323	0-6	258	
Other	49-3	11,412	104-6	29,602	8-8	2,227	33-5	7,750	7-0	1,435			
Total	38,579-3	14,406,719			1,890-8	757,344	32,399-7	12,835,328	1,832-6	633,227	456-4	180,820	
			43,975-9	17,194,601	4,130-4	1,662,915	39,317-5	15,342,168	173-4	55,023	354-6	134,495	
PELAGIC FISH													
Herring	1-6	526	0-1	25	0-7	68					0-9	458	
Horse mackerel	5-3	347	3-1	295	0-4	9	4-9	338			0-3	42	
Mackerel	241-2	23,494	238-1	24,839	8-4	1,358	229-2	21,251	3-3	843			
Blue whiting			120-0	13,805									
Other pelagic	19-5	3,547					19-5	3,547					
Total	267-6	27,914			9-6	1,435	253-6	25,136	3-3	843	1-2	500	
			361-3	38,964	42-4	5,062	318-6	33,890	0-3	12			
WET FISH	36,848-9	14,434,633			1,900-1	758,779	32,853-3	12,860,464	1,835-9	634,070	457-6	181,320	
			44,337-2	17,233,565	4,172-8	1,667,977	39,636-1	15,376,058	173-7	55,035	354-6	1,134,495	
Norway lobsters	11-2	10,772	2-1	1,441							11-2	10,772	
Squids	109-8	54,860	20-6	9,607			86-9	43,317			0-4	223	
Other	0-3	72					0-3	72					
ALL FISH	38,968-2	14,500,357			1,911-8	765,054	32,740-6	12,903,853	1,846-7	639,135	469-2	192,315	
			44,359-9	17,244,513	4,174-2	1,668,668	39,654-0	15,384,388	175-0	55,496	356-7	135,961	

*Other districts in 1978 comprised: Peterhead, Wick, Ullapool, Mallraig and Oban.

TABLE 7

British vessels: Single boat trawl (under 80 feet): Quantity and value of each species landed by district

	ALL DISTRICTS		ABERDEEN		ULLAPOOL		OTHER DISTRICTS*	
	1978	1977	988		75		10	
	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£
Number of arrivals	1,053	1,118	988	—	75	—	10	—
Number of days absent	6,285	6,098	6,059	—	192	—	34	—
DEMERSAL FISH								
Brill	0.5	609	0.5	£ 926	0.0	22	—	21
Catfish	21.8	8,361	21.8	6,612	0.0	—	0.0	9,598
Cod	1,613.1	917,011	1,544.3	1,002,718	55.9	32,015	12.9	9
Conger eels	0.6	110	0.5	124	0.1	10	0.0	81
Dabs	67.9	18,656	70.0	21,434	55.5	437	0.2	869
Dogfish	626.9	130,321	743.7	126,011	56.4	14,598	3.5	—
Dover sole	0.0	34	0.4	540	—	—	—	—
Flounders	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7
Gurnards	31.9	3,264	31.8	3,257	—	—	0.1	—
Haddock	6,036.4	2,702,616	5,805.4	3,404,783	113.7	52,399	17.3	11,217
Hake	18.3	16,358	15.5	15,860	2.8	2,836	0.0	5
Halibut	16.3	23,140	19.8	14,305	0.8	1,157	—	—
Lemon sole	157.5	121,742	118.8	74,005	1.6	838	1.4	1,359
Ling	86.5	32,141	78.4	32,004	2.3	843	0.3	128
Lythe	70.1	34,319	42.5	19,294	2.9	1,258	0.0	8
Macrims	36.0	13,792	37.1	15,338	6.2	2,466	0.1	47
Monks	123.1	82,635	122.5	75,486	13.5	8,502	0.5	453
Norway pout	0.2	151	0.2	151	—	—	—	—
Piace	161.2	87,635	162.0	84,865	20.5	8,328	0.4	293
Redfish	0.2	44	0.2	50	—	—	—	—
Saithe	2,117.1	511,059	1,491.2	381,012	29.3	7,536	1.3	688
Sandeels	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Skate	293.0	104,367	321.5	103,094	14.6	4,937	1.0	514
Torsk	8.2	2,567	8.2	1,794	—	—	0.0	12
Turbot	26.7	76,140	22.9	53,056	0.8	1,888	0.1	285
Whiting	3,113.5	1,012,945	2,942.9	915,342	150.5	43,058	27.1	11,505
Witches	3.4	1,501	3.7	1,164	1.0	426	0.1	63
Livers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Roes	35.0	17,008	34.6	13,865	0.4	272	—	—
Other	0.6	234	0.6	201	—	—	—	—
Total	14,656.0	5,924,760	14,114.2	5,703,772	475.5	183,828	66.3	37,162
	—	—	17,136.7	6,367,336	892.5	323,263	9.3	3,190
PELAGIC FISH								
Herring	0.0	14	0.1	40	0.0	14	—	—
Horse mackerel	0.4	30	2.4	197	—	—	—	—
Mackerel	93.9	7,568	122.1	12,475	2.6	572	—	—
Blue whiting	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sprats	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other pelagic	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	94.3	7,612	91.7	7,026	2.6	586	—	—
	—	—	124.6	12,712	1.6	133	1.4	208
WET FISH								
	14,760.3	5,932,372	14,205.9	5,710,798	478.1	184,412	66.3	37,162
	—	—	17,261.3	6,380,048	884.1	323,396	10.7	3,398
Crabs								
Norway lobsters	—	—	0.2	48	—	—	—	—
Shrimps	1.6	1,728	1.9	1,390	1.8	1,728	—	—
Squids	30.6	20,079	6.2	2,945	0.3	162	0.3	103
ALL FISH	14,782.7	5,954,179	14,235.9	5,730,612	480.2	186,302	66.6	37,265
	—	—	17,269.6	6,384,431	896.7	325,183	11.1	3,639

*Other districts in 1978 comprised: Pittenweem, Peterhead, Buckie and Wick.

British vessels: Two boat trawl (under 80 feet): Quantity and value of each species landed by district **TABLE 8**

	ALL DISTRICTS				FRASERBURGH	AYR	OTHER DISTRICTS*
	1978		1977				
	m.t.	£	m.t.	£			
Number of arrivals	701	741	741	326	25	140	210
Number of days absent	2,571	2,289	2,289	1,790	95	375	311
DEMERSAL FISH							
Brill	0.0	26	0.1	1	—	4	—
Cattish	10.1	3,623	3.6	3,476	0.4	143	0.0
Cod	1,773.1	1,093,846	1,437.8	960,096	66.4	37,905	101.8
Conger eels	6.0	1,316	5.9	1,298	—	566	4.2
Dabs	1.3	248	0.7	154	0.0	35	0.1
Dogfish	12.9	2,754	92.8	17,038	0.2	1,088	7.5
Dover sole	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Flounders	1.2	72	—	—	—	72	—
Gurnards	0.0	—	—	—	—	—	0.0
Haddock	1,180.5	629,894	715.4	595,933	37.6	18,806	28.8
Hake	34.5	42,052	66.0	2,245	0.1	23,759	14.1
Halibut	0.6	961	0.7	1,078	0.0	67	0.1
Lemon sole	7.0	4,510	5.9	2,416	1.3	748	1.0
Ling	62.7	25,565	75.5	29,807	2.8	1,069	61.0
Lythe	5.6	2,484	11.3	4,775	0.1	1,198	1.7
Megrimis	7.9	2,202	11.3	2,794	0.8	180	0.5
Monks	60.4	40,878	31.1	19,505	2.1	2,048	12.6
Norway pout	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Plaice	9.1	4,338	6.0	3,052	0.8	312	1.4
Redfish	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Saithe	1,791.7	534,990	1,558.5	388,030	21.7	120,958	79.7
Sandeels	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Skate	11.2	3,631	9.2	2,018	0.1	12	1.9
Torsk	0.1	63	0.1	60	—	41	0.0
Turbot	0.3	557	0.3	347	0.0	6	0.0
Whiting	414.7	166,311	293.0	95,939	8.8	1,057	20.3
Witches	2.6	759	3.1	732	0.3	57	0.2
Livers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Roes	22.0	9,990	7.0	3,487	—	2,404	1.6
Other	0.2	48	0.2	97	—	36	—
Total	5,405.7	2,570,692	—	4,488.1	143.5	190,806	267.5
PELAGIC FISH							
Herring	0.4	252	0.1	29	—	132	0.2
Horse mackerel	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mackerel	66.5	7,401	45.5	5,957	9.4	1,974	0.2
Blue whiting	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sprats	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other pelagic	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	66.9	7,653	—	31.9	9.4	2,106	0.4
WET FISH	5,462.6	2,578,345	—	4,520.0	152.9	192,912	267.9
Norway lobsters	0.1	95	0.1	—	—	95	—
Shrimps	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Squids	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ALL FISH	5,462.7	2,578,440	—	4,520.0	152.9	193,007	267.9
Total	5,405.7	2,570,692	4,335.4	1,854,629	281.1	130,141	686.4
WET FISH	5,462.6	2,578,345	—	4,520.0	152.9	192,912	267.9
Total	5,405.7	2,570,692	—	4,488.1	143.5	190,806	267.5
WET FISH	5,462.6	2,578,345	—	4,520.0	152.9	192,912	267.9
Total	5,405.7	2,570,692	4,381.0	1,860,615	281.7	130,947	689.5
WET FISH	5,462.6	2,578,345	—	4,520.0	152.9	192,912	267.9
Total	5,405.7	2,570,692	4,381.1	1,860,666	152.9	193,007	267.9

*Other districts in 1978 comprised: Eyemouth, Arbroath, Aberdeen, Macduff, Buckie, Lerwick, Mallaig, Oban and Campbeltown.

TABLE 9

British vessels: Industrial trawl: Quantity and value of each species landed by district

Species	ALL DISTRICTS						FRASERBURGH	LERWICK	STORNOWAY		OTHER DISTRICTS*		
	1978		1977		1977				m.t.	£		m.t.	£
	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£							
Number of arrivals	1,368	1,476	3	1,337	28	1,337							
Number of days absent	1,765	2,162	7	1,707	51	1,707							
DEMERSAL FISH													
Brill	0.0	12	0.0	15	0.0	—	—	—	12	—	—		
Carfish	0.3	58	0.7	215	0.3	58	—	—	979	—	—		
Cod	66.3	30,091	85.9	37,469	64.1	29,112	—	—	—	—	—		
Conger eels	—	—	1.4	252	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Dabs	0.0	5	0.1	11	—	—	—	—	5	—	—		
Dogfish	2.5	269	16.5	2,944	0.1	18	—	—	251	—	—		
Haddock	41.2	13,608	121.7	36,465	40.0	13,049	—	—	420	—	—		
Hake	8.4	4,063	7.5	3,299	6.4	2,920	—	—	1,143	—	—		
Hallbut	0.2	194	0.4	400	—	—	—	—	107	—	—		
Lemon sole	0.2	82	0.2	143	—	—	—	—	82	—	—		
Ling	33.9	13,568	26.0	6,967	33.9	13,554	—	—	14	—	—		
Lythe	—	—	0.1	28	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Megrimms	4.2	891	5.1	1,220	3.8	788	—	—	103	—	—		
Monks	28.0	15,317	66.2	32,482	24.9	14,761	—	—	558	—	—		
Norway pout	5,793.6	183,840	7,399.1	278,605	5,494.3	172,471	—	—	11,369	—	—		
Plaice	0.2	69	0.5	242	—	—	—	—	299.3	—	—		
Saithe	16.2	4,008	55.5	10,588	15.0	3,799	—	—	50	—	—		
Sandeels	28,054.9	807,638	21,979.9	823,625	124.5	3,823	—	—	207	—	—		
Skate	7.4	1,598	6.9	1,157	6.5	1,235	—	—	363	—	—		
Turbot	—	—	1.0	182	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Whiting	278.0	86,209	415.5	107,816	276.2	85,704	—	—	505	—	—		
Witches	0.2	48	1.6	349	—	—	—	—	46	—	—		
Roos	0.3	64	0.9	513	0.3	64	—	—	—	—	—		
Total	34,334.0	7,161,828	—	—	124.8	3,962	33,896.4	1,141,654	312.8	16,212	—		
	—	—	30,191.8	1,344,957	850.5	84,331	26,393.6	1,121,689	2,942.9	137,490	4.8		
PELAGIC FISH													
Herring	0.5	188	79.2	22,802	—	—	—	—	0.5	188	—		
Mackerel	—	—	0.7	54	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Sprats	14.1	684	2.0	90	—	—	—	—	14.1	684	—		
Total	14.6	872	—	—	—	—	—	—	14.6	872	—		
	—	—	81.9	22,946	—	—	0.7	54	81.2	22,892	—		
WET FISH													
Total	34,348.6	1,162,700	—	—	124.8	3,962	33,896.4	1,141,654	327.4	17,084	—		
	—	—	30,273.7	1,367,903	850.5	84,331	26,394.3	1,121,743	3,024.1	160,382	4.8		
Norway lobsters	0.4	337	2.0	1,369	—	—	—	—	0.4	337	—		
Squids	0.1	33	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
ALL FISH	34,349.1	1,163,070	—	—	124.8	3,962	33,896.5	1,141,687	327.8	17,421	—		
	—	—	30,275.7	1,369,272	850.5	84,331	26,394.3	1,121,753	3,026.1	161,741	4.8		

TABLE 10

British vessels: Light trawl: Quantity and value of each species landed by district

	ALL DISTRICTS										Other Districts*	
	1978		1977		Pittenweem	Aberdeen	Peterhead	Fraserburgh	Lerwick	Ullapool		Ayr
	m.t.	£	m.t.	£								
No. of arrivals	28,468	28,878	28,878	28,878	1,618	1,096	3,418	4,500	1,878	1,739	3,687	10,533
Number of days absent	40,524	40,332	40,332	40,332	2,313	2,123	5,597	6,535	2,482	3,391	4,638	13,445
DEMERSAL FISH												
Brill	9.7	7,670	8.8	6,096	0.0	0.2	183	0.1	0.0	0.7	526	4.9
Catfish	95.0	35,441	69.6	21,980	2.0	7.7	14,196	35.7	2.9	0.4	87	9.0
Cod	10,112.7	5,786,173	7,814.5	4,162,192	469.2	826.9	2,136,811	2,400.7	295.7	735.9	199,712	2,876.9
Conger eels	32.0	7,675	46.5	7,696	0.0	0.3	183	0.2	55	4.4	678	20.1
Dabs	187.9	48,592	187.6	46,191	13.9	5,999	5,922	12.1	0.2	33.6	7,236	67.7
Dogfish	2,471.8	574,840	2,793.0	484,728	122.1	11,802	47,822	351.4	11.5	85.0	19,232	674.7
Dover sole	13.0	24,813	12.3	22,864	0.0	0.0	9	0.4	—	11.5	22,286	1.2
Flounders	29.3	2,818	14.1	1,228	0.0	—	173	0.4	—	24.0	2,384	4.5
Gurnards	6.9	980	3.5	526	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	7	282
Haddock	8,935.4	4,092,243	14,953.8	5,289,407	670.1	765.8	824,309	1,529.3	1,686.6	895.4	421,089	1,486.4
Hake	353.4	262,652	338.0	252,573	0.0	6.7	8,188	18.4	20.5	47.5	33,387	121.6
Hailbut	11.6	17,051	8.0	11,013	0.0	0.4	607	1.1	0.4	3.2	5,116	2.8
Lemon sole	873.9	611,949	828.1	502,456	86.2	54,936	160,310	184.0	1.4	6.3	12,001	253.2
Ling	317.4	121,136	315.7	111,095	0.2	70	37,125	49.9	74.1	11.0	3,864	48.6
Lythe	85.3	34,758	164.7	64,696	1.4	692	31,935	3.1	0.1	14.8	5,926	35.5
Megrims	214.0	71,269	271.3	87,002	—	—	8,985	24.5	42.1	0.2	29,251	10,176
Monks	1,282.8	866,059	1,551.5	964,470	5.1	48.3	196,885	273.2	108.4	156.4	98,187	397.7
Norway pout	2.6	183	0.1	14	—	—	—	0.0	—	0.3	64	2.3
Plaice	1,210.8	546,635	1,077.1	431,248	96.3	60.318	73,495	79.3	4.7	156.5	70,866	451.2
Redfish	0.0	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.0	2	—
Saithe	2,590.3	681,162	2,443.0	608,666	23.8	22,806	125,161	246.9	153.1	178.3	46,834	401.5
Sandels	0.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Skate	966.2	296,202	1,112.0	268,394	6.7	1,639	27,213	81.3	65.4	286.9	100,031	358.6
Torsk	0.6	468	0.3	151	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Turbot	39.5	77,128	37.7	65,259	1.1	1,965	17,508	10.8	0.1	2.0	8,387	9.6
Whiting	16,042.1	4,473,550	13,067.3	3,391,059	1,135.3	4,094.73	709,252	2,502.8	3,280.8	337.7	338,166	3,432.1
Witches	298.4	77,956	318.7	78,584	0.6	1.1	13,699	70.2	16,157	29.2	9,067	145.5
Livers	0.1	17	0.3	69	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Roos	101.4	52,081	83.8	39,274	2.0	1,056	5,663	9.2	0.1	10.1	5,070	11,664
Other	7.6	1,975	2.5	673	0.0	1.5	108	—	0.8	3.0	915	1.5
Total 1978	46,291.7	16,773,289	—	—	2,636.0	1,240,543	8,402.7	7,884.9	5,749.8	4,457.2	1,637,955	10,881.6
1977	—	—	47,536.8	16,920,100	2,146.5	3,098.0	2,573,373	6,208.9	8,548.0	6,397.2	2,133,555	12,332.9
PELAGIC FISH												
Herring	75.9	45,037	14.7	5,680	—	—	—	—	—	0.7	219	18.2
Horse mackerel	4.4	329	7.2	380	0.4	0.0	—	—	—	2.8	247	4.8
Mackerel	58.8	7,627	53.7	7,219	0.5	0.7	1,761	8.4	0.9	1.4	240	6.6
Blue whiting	0.1	21	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	—	—	—
Sprats	0.0	12	0.2	318	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other pelagic	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total 1978	137.2	53,026	—	—	0.9	84	1,761	8.5	1,098	2.1	459	26.0
1977	—	—	81.0	13,534	0.2	314	1,209	8.7	858	8.2	957	23.1
WET FISH 1978	46,428.9	16,826,315	—	—	2,636.9	1,240,716	8,422.6	7,893.4	5,750.7	4,459.3	1,638,414	10,907.6
1977	—	—	47,617.8	16,933,634	2,146.7	3,100.6	6,839.7	6,217.6	8,548.5	6,405.4	2,134,512	12,356.0
Norway lobsters	1,172.6	1,095,839	1,355.4	1,010,374	42.2	—	—	80.6	0.2	160.6	135,640	674.9
Shrimps	0.0	25	0.4	231	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.0
Squids	43.9	41,677	43.9	28,645	0.2	0.6	205	8.4	—	4.4	3,549	25.8
Other shellfish	46.4	9,619	86.3	15,060	3.3	—	—	0.2	—	0.1	28	13.4
ALL FISH 1978	47,691.8	19,973,475	—	—	2,682.6	1,660,979	8,422.8	7,982.6	5,750.9	4,624.4	1,777,631	11,621.7
1977	—	—	49,103.8	17,992,944	2,167.8	3,100.6	6,839.7	6,220.6	8,548.9	6,716.1	2,347,127	13,317.1

*Other districts in 1978 comprised: Eyemouth, Leith, Abroath, Macduff, Buckie, Lossiemouth, Wick, Stornoway, Mallaig, Oban and Campbeltown. Other shellfish in 1978 included Lobsters, Queen Scallops, Crabs and Scallops

TABLE 11

British vessels: Seine net: Quantity and value of each species landed in each district

	ALL DISTRICTS				EAST COAST							Aberdeen			
	1978		1977		Total		Eymouth	Leith	Pittenweem	Arbroath	1978		1977		
No. of arrivals	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	
No. of days absent															
DEMERSAL FISH															
Brill	10.8	7,835	9-1	5,997	9-4	6,477	0-1	68	14	514	0-0	92	16	2,178	
Catfish	273-3	87,094	263-4	87,094	271-6	87,094	2-4	932	34	800	0-0	188	321	11,233	
Cod	20,750-3	11,604,917	16,358-4	8,950,716	19,949-3	11,191,469	1,453-9	681,727	14	514	0-0	263,992	141,027	1,742,228	
Conger eels	3-1	711	3-7	877	1-6	59	0-1	59	7-0	3,229	0-0	2	2	28	
Dabs	323-2	82,745	306-1	77,270	283-7	73,299	6-1	1,637	0-1	24	16-5	3,526	7,607	8,395	
Dogfish	3,101-4	695,069	3,511-4	618,048	2,407-9	533,638	191-6	56,771	0-6	121	33-3	8,052	4,474	155,592	
Dover sole	1-4	1,971	1-2	2,030	0-9	771	0-1	76			0-0	30	3		
Flounders	12-8	1,184	19-2	1,722	0-2	20	0-1	20			0-0	2	8		
Gurnards	3-5	627	3-0	405	1-2	72	0-1	5			0-0	13	2	29	
Haddock	33,821-2	16,588,457	50,017-7	19,024,946	31,732-6	15,734,458	1,088-2	550,299	14-8	8,951	324-6	170,780	131,792	1,828,754	
Hake	407-9	317,483	315-1	236,791	159-1	87,393	0-5	284	0-0	6	0-6	535	10	8-2	
Halibut	25-1	43,397	14-4	22,513	23-6	40,343	1-4	1,381	0-0	13	0-1	208	49	5,575	
Lemon sole	961-7	683,056	959-7	601,189	923-0	660,327	109-0	78,388	0-6	429	36-6	23,279	47,724	149,026	
Ling	169-1	66,517	176-2	63,634	146-9	58,749	0-7	267			0-1	77	57	5,942	
Lythe	73-2	34,518	75-9	34,548	63-3	30,136	0-5	235			0-1	57	31	2,490	
Megrim	228-9	82,490	307-3	103,706	90-9	34,102	0-0	5			0-1	19	10-1	4,835	
Monks	694-4	457,912	708-1	421,315	581-3	388,512	17-7	8,370	0-1	41	4-9	1,923	6,739	32,323	
Norway pout	0-1	64	0-0	7	0-0	41			0-1		18-0			48-4	
Pieice	2,747-9	1,285,232	2,527-3	1,013,317	2,531-8	1,173,337	164-5	71,926	1-4	695	223-6	100,320	62,856	189,221	
Redfish	0-1	19	0-1	16	0-1	16					3-4	351	431	15,419	
Saithe	927-7	281,862	1,653-1	497,832	888-2	270,522	38-3	7,078			1-9			58-6	
Sandeels															
Skate	861-7	261,780	930-3	226,709	513-9	160,201	1-3	211	0-0	2	1-7	486	3,946	10,103	
Tusk	1-7	589	0-0	44	1-7	493	0-0							5	
Turbot	29-7	53,691	22-8	31,419	25-8	46,705	2-6	2,627	0-0	22	0-8	1,153	369	6,385	
Whiting	18,814-0	5,755,392	16,138-6	4,683,959	14,217-0	4,488,079	1,375-1	391,817	9-9	3,860	284-7	102,594	397,004	310,102	
Witches	375-5	130,172	327-2	107,122	345-4	120,166	10-5	3,804	0-1	80	1-1	327	359	16,531	
Livers	0-0		0-2		0-0										
Roos	123-7	66,333	105-1	55,388	114-5	62,008	2-7	1,925			0-1	97	402	9,146	
Other	18-2	6,781	7-4	1,638	5-7	3,444	1-0	336					192	1,464	
Total	84,761-6	38,815,648			75,288-8	35,242,955	4,468-4	1,860,229	34-6	17,473	1,362-6	678,072	805,490	8,940-2	4,512,259
RELAGIC FISH															
Herring	3-3	2,275	1-6	471	0-0	16									
Horse mackerel	0-3	34	0-5	33	0-0	2									
Mackerel	20-0	2,803	24-0	3,205	17-6	2,439								24	
Blue whiting	0-1	22	0-2	22	0-1	22									
Sprats															
Other pelagic			0-2	44											
Total	23-7	5,134			17-7	2,479	0-0	2	0-1	15	0-3	62	644	0-1	24
WET FISH															
	84,785-3	38,820,760			75,306-5	35,245,434	4,468-4	1,860,231	12-2	6,011	833-5	320,201	575,468	8,940-3	4,512,283
ALL FISH															
	84,835-3	38,669,009			76,325-0	35,263,303	4,470-3	1,861,691	34-7	17,488	1,363-9	679,135	806,913	8,940-3	4,512,283
Total	84,851-2	36,922,093			81,851-2	32,842,363	3,912-3	1,400,138	12-2	6,011	836-6	322,243	575,692	8,292-1	3,582,188

Other shellfish include Queen Scallops, Shrimps, Scallops and other Shellfish.

TABLE 11—continued

	EAST COAST (continued)										ORKNEY AND SHETLAND			
	Peterhead		Fraserburgh		Macduff		Buckle		Lossiemouth		Wick		Lerwick	
Number of arrivals	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£
Number of days absent														
DEMERSAL FISH														
Brill	0.9	650	—	—	1.2	865	1.3	756	2.5	1,636	3.1	2,177	—	—
Catfish	216.0	86,223	9.2	3,337	7.5	2,490	1.0	367	3.9	1,098	1.5	364	1.5	288
Cod	12,931.6	7,459,372	359.7	206,215	598.8	335,406	112.3	59,896	317.4	164,136	284.6	133,271	168.7	68,447
Conger eels	0.3	122	—	—	0.6	81	—	—	0.0	17	—	—	—	—
Dabs	21.8	5,519	2.6	618	39.7	9,197	17.3	4,321	29.9	8,156	93.0	24,299	0.4	50
Dogfish	1,109.3	221,354	71.3	14,593	198.1	45,074	25.0	5,340	25.0	4,402	94.7	17,861	7.7	750
Dover sole	0.1	105	0.0	3	0.4	325	—	—	0.1	90	0.2	139	—	—
Flounders	—	—	0.0	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Gurnards	0.2	12	—	—	0.1	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Haddock	22,545.9	11,150,275	1,061.2	529,083	1,437.6	659,135	182.0	85,182	378.8	176,148	931.6	446,059	0.0	2
Hake	87.7	52,306	7.9	3,832	30.3	14,317	1.9	871	10.9	5,329	11.1	4,328	1.087.1	353,721
Halibut	14.8	27,277	0.3	559	0.2	428	0.0	83	0.2	220	2.0	1,530	15.3	5,578
Lemon sole	312.5	221,918	35.4	24,524	80.5	62,329	9.4	5,994	25.0	17,542	48.8	29,174	0.7	190
Ling	114.0	46,988	4.3	1,534	7.8	2,549	1.6	653	0.8	288	2.5	904	11.3	3,693
Lythe	54.8	26,195	0.8	445	0.8	223	0.4	188	0.8	245	0.1	27	0.0	3
Megrim	41.3	15,928	5.1	1,608	8.6	3,087	1.8	685	8.1	2,818	15.8	5,117	60.6	11,064
Monks	362.0	267,183	25.5	19,779	44.4	22,119	9.4	5,241	19.4	8,665	31.5	16,079	42.5	24,478
Norway pout	0.0	8	0.0	10	0.0	3	—	—	0.0	8	0.0	12	—	—
Plaice	717.3	338,760	40.7	20,120	260.4	127,602	137.3	64,114	176.0	72,387	275.9	125,336	6.9	1,786
Redfish	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Saithe	756.8	240,417	10.5	3,149	4.7	1,175	1.0	355	1.5	465	9.5	1,682	0.0	3
Sandeels	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Skate	103.4	30,931	13.9	4,264	71.8	16,505	9.5	2,464	27.5	7,348	229.9	73,941	95.0	12,002
Torsk	0.0	55	0.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1.7	402	—	—
Turbot	15.5	30,943	0.8	1,685	0.7	1,114	0.3	460	1.0	855	1.1	1,082	0.0	8
Whiting	7,061.0	2,395,507	690.0	209,375	1,046.4	316,251	126.9	40,542	449.2	124,733	705.0	176,894	2,519.6	639,088
Witches	233.9	82,966	18.9	4,684	21.7	5,746	5.9	1,689	10.4	2,522	5.5	1,458	0.0	9
Livers	—	—	0.0	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Roes	80.1	43,028	1.3	1,024	3.4	2,273	1.4	442	6.0	2,690	1.7	979	0.1	27
Other	1.7	1,298	—	—	0.2	31	0.2	46	0.2	77	—	—	0.4	93
Total	46,782.9	22,744,850	2,359.4	1,050,488	3,855.9	1,629,338	645.9	279,691	1,494.6	601,855	2,751.3	1,063,212	4,019.8	1,121,636
	51,821.6	21,539,380	3,093.6	1,180,021	4,674.5	1,711,719	1,365.7	520,323	1,891.4	708,517	3,876.1	1,290,967	4,295.8	1,161,475
PELAGIC FISH														
Herring	0.0	16	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Horse mackerel	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mackerel	15.4	1,626	0.0	9	0.1	22	0.1	8	—	—	0.2	29	0.0	7
Blue whiting	0.1	22	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sprats	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other pelagic	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	15.5	1,664	0.0	9	0.1	22	0.1	8	—	—	0.2	29	0.0	7
	15.0	1,614	—	—	0.4	60	0.1	8	0.4	137	1.5	178	0.0	18
WET FISH	46,798.4	22,746,514	2,359.4	1,050,497	3,856.0	1,629,358	646.0	279,699	1,494.6	601,855	2,751.5	1,063,241	4,019.8	1,121,643
	51,836.6	21,540,994	3,093.6	1,180,021	4,674.9	1,711,779	1,365.8	520,331	1,891.8	708,654	3,877.6	1,291,145	4,295.8	1,161,493
Norway lobsters	—	—	—	—	0.5	383	0.0	86	0.0	7	0.1	59	—	—
Squids	0.2	232	0.1	54	5.1	5,118	0.4	342	5.0	5,141	3.3	3,095	0.0	27
Other shellfish	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.2	85	0.1	27	—	—	—	—
ALL FISH	46,798.6	22,746,746	2,359.5	1,050,551	3,881.6	1,634,859	646.6	280,212	1,499.7	607,030	2,754.9	1,066,395	4,019.8	1,121,670
	51,836.6	21,540,994	3,094.0	1,180,288	4,677.8	1,713,691	1,366.5	520,607	1,892.3	709,036	3,878.2	1,291,477	4,295.8	1,161,493

TABLE 11—continued

		WEST COAST											
		Total	Stornoway		Ullapool		Mallaig		Oban		Campbeltown		Ayr
Number of arrivals	Number of days absent	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£
DEMERSAL FISH													
Bull		1.4	1,358	—	0.3	239	40	0.0	0.4	460	—	—	619
Catfish		0.0	23	—	—	—	—	—	0.0	23	—	—	—
Cod		632.3	344,981	138.4	74,563	10.7	6,047	10.7	228.3	130,951	98.0	51,445	81,985
Conger eels		1.5	313	—	39	0.4	79	—	0.5	125	0.1	7	83
Dabs		39.1	9,398	30.2	7,402	—	—	—	1.4	388	—	—	1,588
Dogfish		685.8	160,681	634.0	132,468	47.2	6,499	69.0	69.0	14,289	8.1	1,547	5,898
Dover sole		0.5	1,200	0.0	15	—	—	—	0.2	707	0.0	—	471
Flounders		12.6	1,164	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	7	1,157
Gurnards		2.3	1,553	—	—	—	—	—	0.2	55	—	—	493
Haddock		1,001.6	498,278	766.9	361,731	9.1	4,093	185.4	185.4	110,038	4.3	2,134	20,282
Hake		233.5	224,512	47.0	33,905	7.1	5,467	32.8	32.8	32,426	33.1	34,570	118,144
Halibut		1.4	2,422	1.3	2,229	0.0	63	0.0	0.1	117	—	—	13
Lemon sole		38.0	22,539	14.3	7,017	0.7	429	19.1	19.1	11,950	0.2	108	3,035
Ling		10.9	4,379	6.9	2,545	1.3	438	1.7	2.1	879	0.1	81	152
Lythe		9.9	4,075	2.5	1,141	—	601	—	3.4	1,580	0.8	382	675
Megrimms		77.4	37,324	71.3	35,057	—	—	—	6.0	2,248	0.1	17	4
Monks		70.6	44,922	47.1	31,449	2.8	1,997	16.2	16.2	9,256	0.3	108	2,112
Norway pout		0.1	23	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	23
Plaice		209.2	110,109	125.1	63,523	1.0	422	46.6	46.6	26,305	2.8	1,169	18,690
Redfish		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Saithe		39.6	11,016	6.3	1,829	6.2	1,955	—	4.3	1,324	8.1	2,142	3,966
Sandeels		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Skate		252.8	99,577	123.7	47,712	6.3	1,882	106.4	106.4	44,700	1.2	316	4,957
Torsk		0.0	66	—	—	—	—	—	0.0	66	—	—	—
Turbot		3.9	6,978	1.2	1,713	0.1	143	2.0	2.0	4,463	0.0	11	648
Whiting		2,077.4	647,825	1,108.8	328,794	24.0	4,648	573.7	573.7	198,263	65.4	24,409	91,513
Witches		30.1	9,997	6.8	2,087	4.6	1,033	17.4	17.4	6,417	0.3	100	360
Livers		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Roes		9.1	4,300	2.6	1,581	—	—	—	1.1	671	1.0	365	1,663
Other		12.1	3,244	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.8	63	3,181
Total	1978	5,453.0	2,251,055	3,036.0	1,138,834	123.2	35,834	1,316.6	1,316.6	597,887	224.8	118,988	361,732
Total	1977	8,844.2	2,875,947	5,116.6	1,556,021	347.0	101,822	2,217.8	2,217.8	798,445	64.7	26,902	392,757
PELAGIC FISH													
Herring		3.3	2,259	—	—	—	—	—	0.7	224	0.1	35	2,000
Horse mackerel		0.3	32	—	—	—	—	—	0.0	3	—	—	32
Mackerel		2.4	357	0.8	93	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	250
Blue whiting		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sprats		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other pelagic		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	1978	6.0	2,648	0.8	93	—	—	0.7	0.7	227	0.2	46	2,282
Total	1977	7.2	1,431	2.5	369	—	—	0.8	0.8	126	0.1	24	912
WET FISH													
Total	1978	5,459.0	2,253,703	3,036.8	1,138,927	123.2	35,834	1,317.3	1,317.3	597,914	225.0	119,014	364,014
Total	1977	8,651.4	2,877,378	5,119.1	1,556,390	347.0	101,822	2,218.6	2,218.6	798,571	64.8	26,926	393,669
Norway lobsters		3.8	3,650	1.2	1,135	1.0	1,002	0.5	0.5	426	—	—	1,087
Squids		27.3	26,588	5.0	3,827	0.0	5	9.3	9.3	9,700	1.9	1,486	11,570
Other shellfish		0.4	95	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	95
ALL FISH	1978	6,490.5	2,284,036	3,043.0	1,141,889	124.2	36,841	1,327.1	1,327.1	609,040	226.9	120,500	376,766
Total	1977	8,712.3	2,918,237	6,122.7	1,558,643	349.0	102,952	2,229.8	2,229.8	807,029	67.8	28,441	421,172

TABLE 12

British vessels: Great line: Quantity and value of each species landed by district

	ALL DISTRICTS						1977		1978		Other Districts			
	1977				1978		1977		1978					
	No. of arrivals	No. of days absent	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£				
DEMERSAL FISH														
Brill			0.0	6	0.1	40	0.0	6	0.0					
Catfish			1,020.5	585,920	579.4	322,804	998.4	571,753	1.8	1,087	20.0	12,946	0.3	134
Cod			4.8	1,597	6.1	2,017	4.8	1,597						
Conger eels			—	—	—	—	—	—						
Dabs			—	—	15.1	4,728	—	—						
Dogfish			—	—	—	—	—	—						
Dover sole			—	—	—	—	—	—						
Flounders			—	—	—	—	—	—						
Gurnards			379.8	266,214	463.3	299,818	366.2	256,679	1.5	1,053	12.1	8,482	—	—
Haddock			0.1	111	—	—	0.0	20	0.3	488	0.1	75	0.0	16
Hake			71.3	134,417	74.5	118,679	70.1	132,574	0.3	488	0.9	1,355	—	—
Halibut			—	—	—	—	—	—						
Lemon sole			360.4	142,099	373.6	172,292	276.0	133,131	0.6	248	15.8	6,402	8.0	2,318
Ling			0.2	68	0.4	141	0.2	68						
Lythe			—	—	—	—	—	—						
Megrims			—	—	0.0	5	—	—						
Monks			10.8	7,744	6.7	3,909	10.6	7,561						
Norway pout			—	—	—	—	—	—						
Plaice			—	—	—	—	—	—						
Redfish			0.2	35	—	—	—	—						
Saithe			1.8	527	1.1	307	1.7	490	0.0	6	0.2	35	0.0	4
Sandeels			—	—	—	—	—	—						
Skate			177.9	86,987	239.6	84,121	173.3	83,943	0.3	172	4.2	2,825	0.1	47
Torsk			195.6	125,498	395.5	141,932	291.5	123,775	0.4	145	3.4	1,500	0.3	78
Turbot			0.1	184	0.0	76	0.1	164						
Whiting			0.1	31	0.2	71	0.1	31						
Witches			—	—	—	—	—	—						
Livers			—	—	—	—	—	—						
Ross			26.3	14,887	26.2	16,867	25.9	14,450						
Other			0.3	147	0.9	335	0.3	147						
Total	1978	1977	2,290.2	1,366,252	—	1,168,142	2,219.2	1,328,449	4.9	3,199	57.4	34,007	8.7	2,597
			—	—	2,182.7	1,168,142	2,160.4	1,160,203	—	—	4.2	2,173	—	—

TABLE 13

British vessels: Small and hand line: Quantity and value of each species landed by district

	ALL SPECIES																			
	1978					1977														
	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£										
All Districts . 1978	663.6	256,806	666.6	269,540	240.0	114,958	36.4	21,052	114.0	60,058	34.3	14,251	75.1	6,895	42.4	5,608	121.4	33,984	121.4	33,984
	—	—	—	—	253.8	110,604	47.0	25,233	155.6	81,728	17.3	6,399	75.7	9,183	20.2	1,759	97.0	34,634	97.0	34,634
DEMERIAL FISH																				
Brill	0.3	95	0.1	20	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Catfish	0.9	242	0.7	145	0.9	242	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cod	402.5	204,930	446.8	218,707	198.3	93,468	36.4	21,052	102.0	58,008	21.3	13,136	0.0	6	0.4	172	44.1	19,088	44.1	19,088
Conger eels	5.9	1,707	0.4	99	0.4	86	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dabs	0.5	122	0.3	98	0.5	50	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dogfish	11.5	2,774	0.1	18	0.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dover sole	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Flounders	0.0	1	—	—	0.0	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Gurnards	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Haddock	39.3	21,364	59.3	25,361	36.4	20,147	—	—	1.3	689	0.0	16	0.3	99	—	—	—	—	—	—
Maie	0.0	29	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Halibut	0.0	37	0.4	97	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lemon sole	0.1	16	0.3	164	0.1	16	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Ling	0.4	106	0.3	91	0.0	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lythe	7.9	1,659	4.7	1,469	0.0	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Megrims	—	—	0.1	14	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Monks	0.0	20	0.6	292	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Norway pout	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Plaice	0.7	246	3.2	918	0.0	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Saithe	31.0	4,853	21.7	5,080	—	—	—	—	2.0	487	0.3	48	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sandeels	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Skate	8.6	2,428	2.2	467	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Torsk	0.3	123	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Turbot	0.0	28	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Whiting	5.1	1,216	10.2	2,020	0.0	28	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Witches	—	—	—	—	3.4	912	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Livers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Roes	0.1	29	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other	0.0	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Demersal	515.1	242,028	551.6	255,946	240.0	114,958	36.4	21,052	105.3	59,184	21.6	13,251	1.2	354	10.0	2,195	100.6	31,034	100.6	31,034
Mackerel	148.5	14,778	115.0	13,594	—	—	—	—	8.7	874	12.7	1,000	73.9	6,541	32.4	3,413	20.8	2,950	20.8	2,950

*Other districts in 1978 comprised: Pittenweem, Aberdeen, Macduff, Buckie, Storrnoway, Ullapool, Mallaig, Oban and Ayr.

TABLE 14

British vessels: Drift net: Quantity and value of each species landed by district

	Number of arrivals	Number of days absent	All Species				Herring		Mackerel		Other Species	
			1978		1977		m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£
			m.t.	£	m.t.	£						
ALL DISTRICTS												
1978	77	72	82.0	28,633	—	—	82.0	28,633	—	—	—	
1977	210	210	—	—	279.4	76,565	278.7	76,388	0.5	50	127	
East Coast:												
Total:	—	—	—	—	0.2	127	—	—	—	—	—	
Eyemouth	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Lossiemouth	—	—	—	—	0.2	127	—	—	—	—	—	
Wick	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Orkney and Shetland												
Lerwick	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
West Coast:												
Total:	77	72	82.0	28,633	279.2	76,438	82.0	28,633	—	—	—	
Stornoway	77	72	82.0	28,633	236.7	66,032	82.0	28,633	—	—	—	
Ullapool	—	—	—	—	27.6	7,241	—	—	—	—	—	
Mallaig	—	—	—	—	14.9	3,165	—	—	—	—	—	
Ayr	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	

TABLE 15

British vessels: Ring net: Quantity and value of each species landed by district

	Number of arrivals	Number of days absent	All Species				Herring		Mackerel		Sprats		Other Species	
			1978		1977		m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£
			m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£
ALL DISTRICTS	7	26	73.3	23,495	413.9	141,612	73.3	23,495	6.2	547	—	—	—	—
1978	124	350	—	—	—	—	407.6	141,046	—	—	—	—	0.1	19
1977	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
East Coast:	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total:	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
West Coast:	7	26	73.3	23,495	413.9	141,612	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total:	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Stornoway	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Ullapool	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mallaig	7	26	73.3	23,495	268.4	68,144	73.3	23,495	—	—	—	—	—	—
Oban	—	—	—	—	131.7	67,738	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Campbeltown	—	—	—	—	13.8	5,730	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Ayr	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

TABLE 16

British vessels: Purse seine: Quantity and value of each species landed by district

	Number of arrivals	Number of days absent	All Species				Herring		Mackerel		Other Species*		
			1978		1977		m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	
			m.t.	£	m.t.	£							
All DISTRICTS	1978 1977	828 1,034	1,168 1,316	84,897.0 —	8,405,459 —	— 59,663.0	7,121,265	2,009.1 14,261.3	801,249 3,559,387	81,086.6 40,768.7	7,521,618 3,307,926	1,801.3 4,633.0	82,592 253,952
East Coast:													
Total		54	192	3,817.9	391,961	9,321.2	1,409,881	328.0	173,327	2,367.3	167,853	1,122.6	50,781
Peterhead		4	15	333.9	26,004	410.7	86,001	—	—	333.9	26,004	—	—
Fraserburgh		50	177	3,484.0	365,957	8,910.5	1,323,880	328.0	173,327	2,033.4	141,849	1,122.6	50,781
Orkney and Shetland:													
Lerwick		15	31	1,347.8	124,537	4,770.5	510,797	78.1	28,435	1,025.0	85,123	244.7	10,979
West Coast:													
Total		759	945	79,731.3	7,888,961	45,571.3	5,200,587	1,603.0	599,487	77,694.3	7,268,642	434.0	20,832
Stornoway		82	86	6,843.7	425,332	8,006.6	545,353	32.1	11,724	6,377.6	392,776	434.0	20,832
Ullapool		552	653	66,121.0	6,497,587	24,727.2	2,682,766	350.9	131,089	65,770.1	6,366,498	—	—
Mallaig		125	206	6,766.6	966,042	12,815.1	1,963,206	1,220.0	456,674	5,546.6	509,368	—	—
Oban		—	—	—	—	16.0	6,880	—	—	—	—	—	—
Ayr		—	—	—	—	6.4	2,382	—	—	—	—	—	—

*Other species in 1978 comprised:
Sprats m.t. 1,801.3 £ 82,592

TABLE 17

British vessels: Single and two boat pelagic trawl: Quantity and value of each species landed in each district

	Number of arrivals	Number of days absent	All Species				Herring		Mackerel		Sprats		Other Species*	
			1978		1977		m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£
			m.t.	£	m.t.	£								
ALL DISTRICTS														
1978	6,550	10,857	82,163.0	8,976,023	—	—	11,587.9	4,528,108	25,654.4	2,104,400	43,217.3	2,239,246	1,703.4	104,269
1977	7,140	11,119	—	—	76,986.7	10,513,986	23,218.5	7,390,535	12,820.2	974,947	37,582.2	1,929,621	3,365.8	218,883
East Coast:														
Total	2,071	2,729	30,993.7	1,542,228	32,138.9	1,678,814	38.9	17,060	7.8	481	30,898.4	1,513,506	48.6	11,181
Eyemouth	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Leith	927	1,296	9,440.9	605,058	1,499.5	98,008	36.6	15,923	0.3	52	9,402.0	588,434	2.0	649
Pittenweem	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Arbroath	6	7	70.5	2,821	220.8	11,367	—	—	—	—	70.5	2,821	—	—
Aberdeen	36	36	346.4	21,084	418.3	29,316	—	—	—	—	340.0	17,697	—	—
Peterhead	2	2	18.2	726	770.0	43,273	—	—	—	—	18.2	726	—	—
Fraserburgh	414	448	9,725.1	442,521	12,816.7	669,254	2.3	1,137	7.5	429	9,679.1	435,967	36.2	4,988
Macduff	181	218	4,119.8	171,420	5,658.8	263,662	—	—	—	—	4,117.5	170,254	2.3	1,166
Buckie	26	47	483.5	22,131	4,381.7	250,657	—	—	—	—	481.8	21,140	1.7	991
Lossiemouth	479	675	6,789.3	276,467	6,325.1	293,995	—	—	—	—	6,789.3	276,467	—	—
Wick	—	—	—	—	48.0	19,282	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Orkney and Shetland:														
Lerwick	152	164	704.9	42,235	2,059.3	126,511	—	—	—	—	704.9	42,235	—	—
West Coast:														
Total	4,327	7,964	50,464.4	7,391,560	42,788.5	8,708,661	11,549.0	4,511,048	25,646.6	2,103,919	11,614.0	683,505	1,654.8	93,088
Stornoway	273	427	8,052.1	524,536	6,794.1	614,176	253.1	80,912	2,912.0	183,216	4,389.2	228,791	497.8	31,617
Ullapool	970	1,386	18,347.1	2,153,518	13,494.6	2,424,410	3,050.6	911,082	14,417.3	1,202,241	873.7	39,175	5.5	1,020
Mallaig	1,038	1,643	16,957.1	2,360,076	14,070.4	2,665,818	4,179.8	1,483,169	5,991.3	457,063	5,701.3	372,203	1,084.7	47,641
Oban	94	110	1,277.6	179,280	1,113.5	233,898	255.5	105,016	382.3	31,650	639.8	42,614	—	—
Campbelltown	944	2,361	2,100.8	887,025	2,249.0	1,034,286	1,704.6	840,962	349.2	39,042	10.0	722	37.0	6,299
Ayr	1,008	2,037	3,729.7	1,287,125	5,066.9	1,736,073	2,105.4	1,089,907	1,594.5	190,707	—	—	29.8	6,511

*Other species in 1978 comprised mainly of Cod, Haddock, Whiting, Saithe, Ling, Dogfish, Hake and Blue Whiting.

TABLE 18

British vessels: Nephrop trawl: Quantity and value of each species landed by district

	ALL DISTRICTS										Other* Districts									
	1978		1977		Leith		Buckie		Stornoway			Ullapool		Mallaig		Campbeltown		Ayr		
	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£		m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	
Number of arrivals	24,919		22,596		3,099		887		1,835		1,154		3,043		3,883		2,638		8,380	
Number of days absent	34,377		29,846		3,099		1,698		3,422		2,576		6,111		4,489		3,439		9,543	
Norway lobsters	9,527.9	8,865,431	7,933.4	6,124,637	598.4	630,970	640.4	588,738	1,175.9	998,937	882.3	744,621	1,932.1	1,915,293	1,160.0	1,075,598	894.3	842,385	2,244.5	2,095,889
Shrimps	0.2	129	0.0	8			0.2	98	1.4	1,120	0.9	645	4.1	2,874	4.4	3,788	2.6	2,725	0.2	129
Squids	14.7	11,942	26.4	15,552			0.2	13							7.5	1,731	4.6	1,038	1.1	692
Other	13.1	3,171	11.1	2,013															0.8	389
WET FISH																				
Cod	997.2	470,761	1,233.2	580,992	75.8	29,806	57.6	28,326	74.6	32,866	99.0	51,846	249.5	123,213	110.1	43,136	114.2	56,144	216.4	105,424
Conger eels	24.8	5,336	21.5	3,947	0.1	31	0.1	21	6.0	1,428	1.8	285	9.4	1,694	0.6	114	6.3	1,607	0.5	156
Dogfish	325.5	65,960	318.5	47,352	2.0	391	4.1	771	45.7	8,566	56.7	12,140	88.2	16,710	36.7	6,605	66.3	15,910	25.8	4,967
Haddock	252.6	102,437	406.5	122,625	1.8	752	33.0	14,121	34.3	11,536	48.4	20,231	68.8	27,757	7.7	3,367	3.4	1,653	55.2	23,020
Hake	297.3	199,418	307.4	218,772			5.6	2,068	47.7	19,068	41.5	25,813	54.8	39,104	40.8	27,475	94.4	79,932	12.5	5,958
Lemon sole	80.8	42,192	74.9	41,806	0.9	568	18.1	9,364	21.0	9,605	10.8	5,025	6.6	2,287	1.2	590	2.5	1,752	19.7	13,001
Megrims	107.4	33,636	85.7	21,680			13.6	3,890	38.2	11,875	34.8	12,957	8.4	2,038	0.0	111	0.2	70	12.2	3,094
Monks	528.8	312,520	481.6	263,064	2.5	743	41.5	25,643	64.6	30,432	69.8	43,224	227.4	144,533	24.5	11,033	26.6	13,300	71.9	43,612
Plaice	135.2	53,020	126.2	47,419	4.8	1,504	23.9	9,880	4.3	1,925	6.0	2,242	8.0	2,535	11.7	5,035	27.4	11,978	49.1	17,921
Saithe	240.4	56,517	920.7	203,113	0.6	113	2.2	553	61.1	13,025	28.8	6,529	34.1	9,335	44.9	8,803	65.6	17,516	3.1	643
Skate	329.3	92,494	226.7	53,268	0.3	46	14.8	3,311	48.2	13,131	55.4	17,544	94.2	28,356	33.0	7,738	12.6	3,604	70.8	18,764
Whiting	1,661.8	373,498	1,493.3	341,308	79.6	16,091	124.5	26,394	212.0	45,350	158.6	40,875	365.3	90,183	148.4	29,589	229.7	49,249	343.7	75,767
Whitches	302.0	72,360	206.4	46,329	0.1	31	19.1	4,859	27.3	5,408	39.6	10,869	170.1	40,617	8.1	1,424	5.3	1,525	32.4	7,707
Other	207.4	76,884	250.7	84,538	1.5	506	19.5	9,044	25.8	10,098	15.1	6,819	37.8	14,980	22.2	6,589	70.4	22,550	15.1	6,688
Total	5,490.5	1,957,033	6,153.3	2,076,813	170.0	50,582	377.6	137,645	710.8	214,314	666.3	256,419	1,422.6	543,142	489.9	151,519	724.9	276,790	928.4	326,622
Total of all fish	15,046.4	10,837,706			768.4	681,552	1,018.4	696,494	1,882.1	1,214,371	1,549.5	1,001,685	3,358.8	2,461,309	1,861.8	1,232,638	1,626.4	1,122,938	3,175.0	2,426,721
			14,124.2	8,219,023	885.8	615,325	634.5	351,238	1,205.3	635,098	1,169.2	667,060	2,712.5	1,622,809	1,583.3	992,066	2,706.6	1,353,112	2,227.0	2,553,815

TABLE 19

British vessels trawling for Shrimps: Quantity and value of each species landed by district

	ALL DISTRICTS						Other* Districts
	1978		1977		Ayr	Buckie	
	m.t.	£	m.t.	£			
Number of arrivals	2,043.8	1,455,175	1,749.6	959,410	245	91	7
Number of days absent	8.2	7,069	9.7	6,093	281	342	7
	2,775	2,499	1,040	1,020	363	342	10
Shrimps	8.8	3,107	0.0	3	—	—	—
Norway lobsters	278.9	143,634	305.5	154,062	120.2	10,132	0.9
WET FISH	1.1	205	0.8	119	0.3	146	—
Brill	38.7	5,361	40.2	3,878	24.0	195	—
Catfish	49.8	16,537	152.2	37,071	25.2	1,103	0.1
Cod	0.8	501	0.3	120	0.2	16	0.5
Dabs	0.8	1,711	0.8	1,522	428	298	—
Dogfish	1.8	1,009	2.1	943	1.3	40	0.0
Dover sole	27.1	9,767	26.0	8,892	11.0	1,340	0.1
Haddock	0.2	49	0.1	39	0.1	4	0.1
Hake	1.5	311	0.5	203	1.1	11	—
Halibut	121.0	88,775	161.7	109,892	46.4	9,155	0.3
Lemon sole	0.8	282	1.8	503	0.4	22	0.2
Ling	39.6	11,401	60.3	16,500	22.1	505	0.3
Lythe	2.9	1,006	2.0	701	1.5	54	0.0
Megrims	0.7	1,548	0.1	177	0.4	103	0.0
Monks	31.4	8,191	21.8	5,439	15.4	503	1.2
Plaice	12.4	2,267	7.2	1,269	5.1	432	0.2
Saithe	0.3	20	0.8	296	0.3	—	—
Skate	0.0	11	—	—	—	—	—
Turbot	618.6	295,693	792.4	343,841	277.7	24,410	3.9
Whiting	2,670.6	1,757,937	—	—	1,125.0	22,184	6.9
Witches	—	—	2,551.7	1,309,344	1,097.6	17,817	31.6
Mackerel	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	618.6	295,693	792.4	343,841	277.7	24,410	3.9
Total of all fish	2,670.6	1,757,937	—	—	1,125.0	22,184	6.9
	—	—	2,551.7	1,309,344	1,097.6	17,817	31.6

*Other Districts in 1978 comprised: Eyemouth, Pittenweem and Mallaig.

TABLE 20

British vessels: Other nets: Quantity and value of each species landed in each district

	ALL SPECIES										Other* Species																								
	1978					1977					Sprats		Whiting		Skate		Saithe		Lynche		Ling		Hake		Haddock		Dogfish		Cod						
	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£			
All Districts	393.2	92,387	—	220.5	44,564	—	105.0	59,951	15.7	3,301	0.0	4	358	0.5	355	2.8	1,157	25.9	9,326	12.5	3,835	183	3,788	198.2	3,788	0.5	183	3,835	12.5	3,835	31.7	101,09			
1977	—	—	—	—	—	—	46.7	23,628	48.8	7,337	0.1	51	3,693	0.5	92	7.1	2,932	16.2	3,304	4.2	921	54	1,591	85.7	1,591	0.2	54	921	4.2	921	6.9	1,231			
Leith	199.0	4,105	85.7	1,591	—	—	0.5	235	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	1	—	—	—	—	81	3,788	198.2	3,788	0.3	81	3,788	—	—	—	—	—		
Pittenweem	1.0	408	1.4	604	—	—	0.8	349	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.2	59	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Arbroath	77.4	44,533	20.6	10,945	—	—	73.0	41,958	0.5	144	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	57	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Ullapool	15.5	3,537	33.5	9,636	—	—	0.9	392	5.8	893	—	—	278	0.0	12	0.1	7.2	1,634	0.3	100	43	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Malraig	2.3	552	51.6	11,005	—	—	—	—	2.1	501	—	—	—	—	—	24	0.1	24	0.1	24	0.0	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Ayr	71.5	25,572	27.7	10,782	—	—	21.3	11,961	6.4	1,526	0.0	4	80	0.1	54	2.3	985	2.6	833	12.2	3,732	59	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other districts	28.5	12,560	—	—	—	—	8.5	5,056	0.9	168	—	—	—	—	—	0.3	265	16.0	6,835	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

*In 1978 comprised:—

Brill	m.t.	£	Plaiice	m.t.	£
Conger eels	0.0	10	Turbot	2.5	824
Dabs	5.8	2,136	Roes	0.0	15
Dover sole	0.3	40	Other Demersal	5.8	3,222
Flounders	0.5	1,056	Herring	0.8	209
Lemon sole	14.6	2,232	Mackerel	0.1	57
Monks	0.1	12		1.2	219
	0.0	17			

TABLE 21

British vessels: Landings according to methods of fishing—1971 to 1978

Year	Trawl		Great Lines		Small and Hand Lines		Seine		Nephrop Trawl		Purse Seine		Other*		All Methods	
	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£
1971	227,963.6	16,315,478	3,656.5	560,764	2,230.7	226,296	120,621.4	10,621,859	...	...	...	...	...	...	453,210.6	35,004,941
1972	257,372.6	20,352,274	4,662.1	781,937	2,468.0	231,284	105,728.0	13,022,009	...	...	...	...	...	...	463,038.4	43,728,968
1973	284,923.0	28,299,571	3,988.4	881,165	2,022.8	375,713	102,222.7	18,046,510	...	...	...	...	...	...	500,846.8	60,831,626
1974	293,943.4	32,174,912	2,888.5	788,724	1,397.3	290,424	90,660.2	17,809,509	14,728.8	4,333,770	53,227.6	4,240,534	20,364.0	4,453,930	477,209.8	64,061,803
1975	233,061.3	27,733,714	2,207.9	604,022	773.4	175,624	86,760.9	17,385,930	14,433.8	4,372,206	54,036.7	4,448,060	17,924.9	4,547,121	409,198.9	59,266,677
1976	241,745.4	39,493,462	1,689.3	656,570	756.4	238,315	101,781.8	26,510,180	17,272.5	7,176,097	58,038.3	5,007,074	20,947.2	6,746,926	442,230.9	85,828,624
1977	222,394.8	55,356,590	2,182.7	1,168,142	666.6	269,540	84,659.8	36,922,093	14,124.2	8,219,023	59,663.0	7,121,265	18,317.5	8,071,449	412,208.6	117,128,102
1978	221,417.8	53,145,544	2,290.2	1,366,252	663.6	256,806	84,837.3	38,689,059	15,046.4	10,837,706	84,896.9	8,405,459	17,000.0	9,531,090	426,152.2	122,211,916
Principal species landed in 1978																
Cod	19,030.3	10,859,887	1,020.5	585,920	402.5	204,930	20,750.3	11,604,917	997.2	470,761	—	—	457.2	230,896	42,658.0	23,957,311
Doefish	4,143.7	904,681	—	—	—	—	3,101.5	695,069	325.5	65,960	—	—	59.5	9,488	7,630.2	1,675,198
Haddock	28,570.2	12,799,943	379.8	266,214	39.3	21,364	33,821.0	18,586,457	252.6	102,437	—	—	50.9	17,122	63,113.8	29,753,537
Halibut	58.2	174,670	—	—	—	—	25.1	43,397	2.6	4,087	—	—	0.8	1,711	194.9	358,319
Lemon sole	1,208.5	851,982	—	—	—	—	961.9	683,056	80.8	42,192	—	—	4.7	2,918	2,256.0	1,580,164
Monks	1,895.6	1,275,576	10.9	7,744	0.0	20	694.2	457,912	528.8	312,520	—	—	130.0	92,248	3,259.5	2,146,020
Norway pout	5,796.3	184,189	—	—	—	—	0.2	64	0.4	149	—	—	—	—	5,796.9	184,402
Plaice	1,556.9	736,869	—	—	—	—	2,747.8	1,285,232	135.2	53,020	—	—	22.8	11,486	4,463.4	2,086,853
Saithe	16,223.8	4,353,877	1.8	527	31.0	4,853	927.7	281,862	240.4	56,517	—	—	67.9	21,278	17,492.6	4,718,914
Sandeels	28,054.9	807,849	—	—	—	—	861.8	261,780	—	—	—	—	—	—	28,054.9	807,849
Skate	1,794.9	584,564	177.9	86,987	8.6	2,428	18,814.0	5,755,392	329.3	92,494	—	—	22.4	6,743	3,194.9	1,034,992
Whiting	24,970.5	7,488,852	0.1	31	5.1	1,216	3.3	2,275	1,661.8	373,498	—	—	36.4	9,323	45,487.9	13,628,312
Herring	11,666.2	4,574,125	—	—	—	—	20.1	2,803	7.0	3,015	—	—	155.4	52,185	13,841.0	5,432,849
Mackerel	26,102.8	2,150,490	—	—	—	—	—	—	55.8	6,230	—	—	1.6	251	107,415.3	9,696,170
Sprats	43,231.3	2,239,942	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	198.2	3,788	45,230.8	2,326,322
Norway lobsters	1,186.2	1,108,771	—	—	—	—	6.8	6,890	9,527.9	8,865,431	—	—	617.1	1,076,468	11,336.0	11,057,560

*Other White Fish Nets, Drift, Ring, Scallop, Dredge, Creel Fishing, Shellfishing by Hand, Shrimp Trawl and Queen Scallop Trawl.

TABLE 22

Herring fishing: Seasonal landings

District	Winter (1st Jan. to 31st March)		Summer (1st April to 30th Sept.)		Autumn (1st Oct. to 31st Dec.)		
	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	
ALL DISTRICTS	1978	7,445.2	2,422,097	4,806.1	2,397,221	1,589.7	613,531
	1977	18,240.5	3,372,742	9,663.1	3,923,377	10,371.4	3,904,494
East Coast:							
Total		2.3	1,137	365.2	189,318	0.1	16
Eyemouth		—	—	—	—	—	—
Leith		—	—	37.2	15,991	—	—
Pittenweem		—	—	—	—	—	—
Arbroath		—	—	—	—	—	—
Aberdeen		—	—	—	—	—	—
Peterhead		—	—	—	—	0.1	16
Fraserburgh		2.3	1,137	328.0	173,327	—	—
Macduff		—	—	—	—	—	—
Buckie		—	—	—	—	—	—
Lossiemouth		—	—	—	—	—	—
Wick		—	—	—	—	—	—
Lerwick		59.4	21,509	18.7	6,926	—	—
West Coast:							
Total		7,383.5	2,399,451	4,422.2	2,200,977	1,589.6	613,515
Stornoway		335.6	108,564	23.5	11,799	10.7	1,732
Ullapool		3,015.9	905,351	3868	137,232	—	—
Mallaig		3,736.5	1,263,821	1,737.8	700,224	—	—
Oban		256.2	105,240	—	—	—	—
Campbeltown		4.2	2,260	869.1	505,642	852.3	343,871
Ayr		35.1	14,215	1,405.0	846,080	726.6	267,912

TABLE 23

New vessels by registered length groups—1974 to 1978

New Vessels—Registered Length	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978
Total	70	66	51	27	37
Under 40 ft.	27	15	13	11	15
40–59.9 ft.	10	12	4	3	2
60–79.9 ft.	32	35	28	12	16
80–109.9 ft.	—	2	2	—	2
110–139.9 ft.	1	2	4	1	2
140 ft. and over	—	—	—	—	—

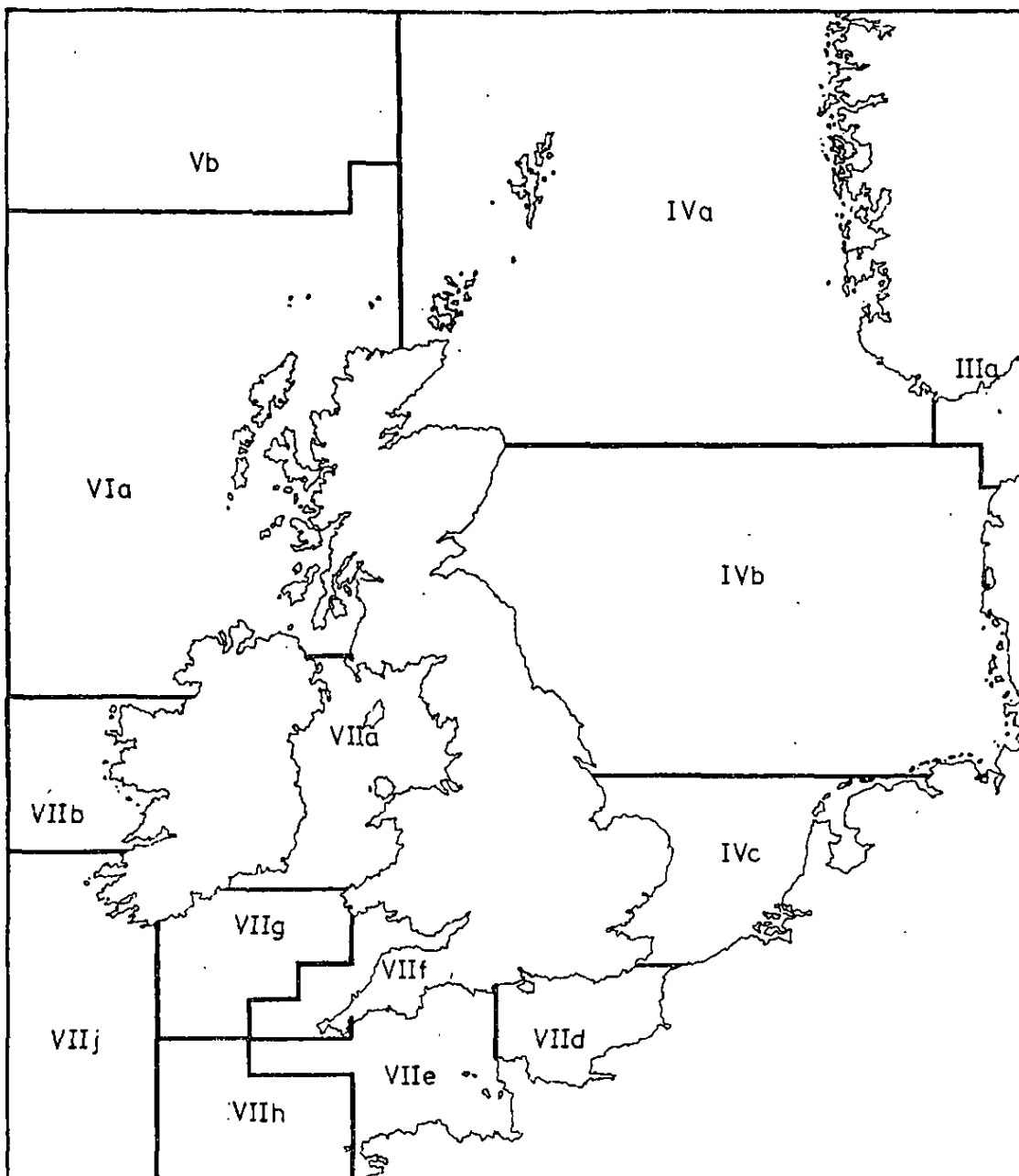
TABLE 24**Raw materials used in the production of fishery by-products****Thousand tonnes**

	1976	1977	1978
Total	198.7	183.5	173.8
Herring	1.5	0.1	0.0
Herring Offal	12.7	6.9	5.7
Sprats	27.5	35.4	34.0
White fish	51.0	33.8	36.7
White fish offal	88.4	83.8	74.1
Mackerel	17.6	23.5	23.3

TABLE 25**Production of fishery by-products**

	1976		1977		1978	
	Thousand tonnes	£ million	Thousand tonnes	£ million	Thousand tonnes	£ million
Total	49.9	11.7	43.9	12.0	46.1	11.0
Fish meal	40.2	9.5	34.3	9.7	36.2	9.0
Fish oils	9.7	2.2	9.6	2.3	9.9	2.0

I.C.E.S. Fishing areas around Britain's coastline



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|------|------------------------|------|-----------------------|
| IIIa | Kattegat and Skagerrak | VIIb | West of Ireland |
| IVa | Northern North Sea | VIIc | English Channel, East |
| IVb | Middle North Sea | VIIe | English Channel, West |
| IVc | Southern North Sea | VIIf | Bristol Channel |
| Vb | Faroe | VIIg | South East Ireland |
| VIa | West of Scotland | VIIh | Little Soie Bank |
| VIIa | Irish Sea | VIIj | Great Sole Bank |

TABLE 26

British vessels: Quantity of each species landed from each fishing region, by method of

		TOTAL NORTH SEA (ICES AREAS IVa, b and c)					
		Total*	Motor Trawl	Light Trawl	Nephrop Trawl	Seine Net	Other† Methods
Number of arrivals	1978	97,365	1,842	20,038	10,990	21,312	43,183
	1977	97,843	1,924	18,165	10,725	23,168	43,861
Number of hours fishing	1978	1,023,556	135,221	239,348	100,590	325,399	222,998
	1977	975,283	144,348	224,073	96,172	311,523	199,167
Number of days absent	1978	143,329	12,817	27,764	12,197	42,795	47,756
	1977	140,231	12,967	24,601	11,332	42,967	48,364
DEMERSAL FISH		m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.
Brill		16.4	1.7	4.4	0.8	9.3	0.2
Catfish		451.3	56.7	94.9	6.2	272.9	20.6
Cod		35,002.8	3,640.7	8,430.9	326.5	20,101.6	2,503.1
Conger eels		6.2	2.3	2.0	0.4	1.4	0.1
Dabs		522.1	96.0	130.0	11.0	282.4	2.7
Dogfish		4,582.6	1,036.4	1,077.2	16.2	2,407.8	45.0
Dover sole		1.9	0.1	0.4	0.2	1.1	0.1
Flounders		6.0	—	5.2	0.4	0.3	—
Gurnards		16.1	14.4	0.4	—	1.3	—
Haddock		51,937.6	9,997.7	7,830.3	86.7	32,721.1	1,301.8
Hake		359.2	91.0	73.3	11.5	173.3	10.1
Halibut		52.0	19.0	6.8	0.5	23.8	1.9
Lemon sole		2,030.6	267.2	799.5	38.1	916.8	9.0
Ling		988.5	441.0	257.7	9.0	156.8	124.0
Lythe		186.5	105.5	13.7	0.4	63.6	3.3
Magrims		409.8	107.7	121.7	21.2	145.8	13.4
Monks		2,065.8	300.3	853.8	98.7	617.4	195.6
Norway pout		5,495.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.2	5,494.3
Plaice		3,651.7	206.4	845.1	74.3	2,516.9	9.0
Redfish		7.9	7.7	—	—	0.2	—
Saithe		11,933.7	8,538.6	1,131.0	5.2	873.9	1,385.0
Sandeels		28,055.0	—	—	—	—	28,055.0
Skate		1,528.3	489.0	436.2	39.9	543.0	20.2
Torsk		41.7	38.4	0.6	0.1	1.9	0.7
Turbot		96.7	37.1	28.6	3.6	26.1	1.3
Whiting		38,028.7	6,576.4	13,468.3	527.5	16,737.7	718.8
Witches		560.6	9.2	151.8	40.8	344.2	14.6
Livers		0.2	—	0.1	—	0.1	—
Roes		227.5	45.8	46.4	0.3	114.0	21.0
Other		39.8	28.3	4.5	0.1	6.4	1.1
Total	1978	188,302.5	32,154.9	35,815.0	1,319.7	79,061.0	39,951.9
	1977	191,245.1	37,768.2	33,832.2	1,442.3	85,711.0	32,491.4
Total Value (£)	1978	68,172,011	12,492,938	14,906,528	464,742	36,261,635	4,046,118
	1977	64,304,303	14,205,241	12,301,794	475,986	33,858,599	3,462,683
PÉLAGIC FISH							
Herring		0.1	—	—	—	0.1	—
Horse mackerel		5.4	4.8	0.4	0.1	0.1	—
Mackerel		3,671.3	262.9	34.8	1.3	17.8	3,354.5
Blue whiting		0.2	—	0.1	—	0.1	—
Sprats		33,146.8	—	0.1	—	—	33,146.7
Other pelagic		17.4	17.4	—	—	—	—
Total	1978	36,841.2	285.1	35.4	1.4	18.1	36,501.2
	1977	47,514.9	275.4	28.6	0.7	19.4	47,190.8
Total Value (£)	1978	1,904,948	25,266	4,003	239	2,486	1,872,934
	1977	3,602,027	27,592	3,351	84	2,330	3,568,670
WET FISH							
	1978	225,143.7	32,440.0	35,850.4	1,321.1	79,079.1	76,453.1
	1977	238,760.0	38,043.6	33,860.8	1,443.0	85,730.4	79,682.2
Total Value (£)	1978	70,076,959	12,518,224	14,910,531	464,981	36,264,171	5,919,052
	1977	67,906,330	14,232,833	12,305,145	476,070	33,860,929	7,031,353
SHELLFISH							
Whelks		—	—	—	—	—	63.2
Periwinkles		1,007.8	—	—	—	—	1,007.8
Crabs		2,338.7	—	0.4	0.2	—	2,338.1
Lobsters		256.0	—	0.3	—	—	255.7
Shrimps		2,024.3	—	—	0.2	—	2,022.7
Scallops		310.7	—	0.2	—	0.3	310.2
Mussels		899.2	—	—	—	—	899.2
Norway lobsters		33,40.4	—	412.6	2,916.3	3.2	8.3
Squids		99.0	54.6	28.9	0.6	14.7	0.2
Queen scallops		176.5	—	10.0	0.1	0.9	165.5
Other shell		1.0	—	0.1	0.7	0.2	—
Total Value (£)	1978	6,976,043	20,725	429,112	2,732,654	17,905	3,775,647

*Main catch only from individual areas.

†Other Methods comprise White Fish Pair Trawl, Industrial Trawl, Single and Two Boat Pelagic Trawl, Queen Scallop Trawl, Shrimp Trawl, Purse Seine, Scallop Dredge, Ground Nets, Creel Fishing and Shell Fishing by Hand.

TABLE 26—continued

capture; showing total values and fishing effort involved

		NORTHERN NORTH SEA (ICES AREA IVa)					
		Total*	Motor Trawl	Light Trawl	Nephrop Trawl	Seine Net	Other† Methods
Number of arrivals	1978	53,507	1,259	10,119	3,418	14,664	24,049
	1977	56,472	1,381	10,540	2,449	17,103	24,999
Number of hours fishing	1978	664,855	115,575	138,384	38,848	229,823	142,225
	1977	664,863	126,799	140,336	25,794	245,858	126,076
Number of days absent	1978	89,910	10,873	15,694	4,600	30,640	28,103
	1977	92,573	11,363	15,137	3,010	34,304	28,759
DEMERSAL FISH		m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.
Brill		14.5	0.8	4.0	0.7	8.8	0.2
Catfish		352.9	47.5	66.6	5.7	213.8	19.3
Cod		22,233.3	2,712.6	4,950.3	106.3	12,333.7	2,130.4
Conger eels		4.8	2.0	1.4	0.2	1.1	0.1
Dabs		309.6	54.5	55.7	6.7	191.2	1.5
Dogfish		2,841.2	895.7	602.0	9.1	1,293.6	40.8
Dover sole		1.4	—	0.3	0.1	0.9	0.1
Flounders		0.8	—	0.6	0.1	0.1	—
Gurnerds		14.9	14.2	0.1	—	0.6	—
Haddock		39,878.9	8,564.9	5,205.1	72.1	24,808.8	1,228.0
Hake		340.7	90.8	67.4	11.4	161.0	10.1
Halibut		41.5	18.7	4.0	0.3	16.7	1.8
Lemon sole		779.7	84.2	298.2	27.0	364.1	6.2
Ling		951.7	433.1	243.3	8.9	142.8	123.6
Lythe		168.2	104.0	6.3	0.3	54.6	3.0
Megrims		392.2	105.7	113.6	21.1	138.4	13.4
Monks		1,751.7	246.8	727.3	82.8	499.8	195.0
Norway pout		5,495.1	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.2	5,494.3
Plaice		1,760.7	83.8	298.3	47.3	1,324.3	7.0
Redfish		7.8	7.7	—	—	0.1	—
Saithe		11,373.9	8,401.9	900.3	3.1	692.8	1,375.8
Sandeels		28,055.0	—	—	—	—	28,055.0
Skate		1,251.7	367.7	339.7	37.8	486.4	20.1
Torsk		41.1	38.1	0.5	—	1.8	0.7
Turbot		44.6	9.3	16.0	2.7	15.5	1.1
Whiting		28,271.0	5,643.1	9,042.3	290.4	12,593.9	701.3
Witches		455.7	7.5	130.0	39.0	264.6	14.6
Livers		0.2	—	0.1	—	0.1	—
Roes		157.5	29.5	21.2	0.2	89.3	17.3
Other		32.9	27.8	1.5	—	3.1	0.5
Total	1978	147,025.2	27,992.2	23,090.2	773.5	55,702.1	39,461.2
	1977	160,276.9	33,437.5	23,685.0	701.0	70,403.6	32,049.8
Total Value (£)	1978	49,406,486	10,466,038	9,350,107	273,259	25,511,816	3,805,266
	1977	52,391,662	12,414,502	8,333,262	237,141	28,140,180	3,266,577
PELAGIC FISH							
Herring		0.1	—	—	—	0.1	—
Horse mackerel		4.9	4.8	—	0.1	—	—
Mackerel		2,307.0	210.4	26.7	0.8	7.9	2,061.2
Blue whiting		0.2	—	0.1	—	0.1	—
Sprats		18,190.2	—	0.1	—	—	18,190.1
Other pelagic		17.4	17.4	—	—	—	—
Total	1978	20,519.8	232.6	26.9	0.9	8.1	20,251.3
	1977	36,663.1	238.0	16.9	0.6	16.9	36,390.7
Total Value (£)	1978	978,173	20,333	2,895	156	745	954,044
	1977	3,040,310	23,739	2,032	60	1,925	3,012,554
WET FISH							
	1978	167,545.0	28,224.8	23,123.1	774.4	55,710.2	59,712.5
	1977	196,940.0	33,675.5	23,701.9	701.6	70,420.5	68,440.5
Total Value (£)	1978	50,384,659	10,486,371	9,353,002	273,415	25,512,561	4,759,310
	1977	55,431,972	12,438,241	8,335,294	237,201	28,142,105	6,279,131
SHELLFISH							
Wheals		63.2	—	—	—	—	63.2
Periwinkles		190.1	—	—	—	—	190.1
Crabs		1,590.2	—	0.4	0.2	—	1,589.6
Lobsters		142.6	—	0.3	—	—	142.3
Shrimps		2,021.3	—	—	0.1	—	2,021.2
Scallops		310.6	—	0.1	—	0.3	310.2
Mussels		804.8	—	—	—	—	804.8
Norway lobsters		1,842.5	—	266.7	1,566.9	0.7	8.2
Squids		92.5	50.1	27.6	0.5	14.1	0.2
Queen scallops		165.6	—	—	—	0.1	165.5
Other shell		1.0	—	0.1	0.7	0.2	—
Total Value (£)	1978	4,524,771	16,688	279,841	1,374,956	14,533	2,838,753

*Main catch only from individual areas.

†Other methods comprise White Fish Pair Trawl, Industrial Trawl, Single and Two Boat Pelagic Trawl, Queen Scallop Trawl, Shrimps Trawl, Purse Seine, Scallop Dredge, Ground Nets, Creel Fishing and Shell Fishing by hand.

TABLE 26—continued

MIDDLE NORTH SEA (ICES AREA IVb)						
Total*	Motor Trawl	Light Trawl	Nephrop Trawl	Seine Net	Other† Methods	
43,855	583	9,918	7,574	6,647	19,133	1978
41,355	543	7,613	8,273	6,065	18,861	1977
358,666	19,646	100,948	61,742	95,560	80,770	1978
310,138	17,549	83,548	70,297	65,665	73,079	1977
53,404	1,944	12,068	7,597	12,152	19,643	1978
47,635	1,604	9,443	8,313	8,663	19,602	1977
m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	
1.9	0.9	0.4	0.1	0.5	—	Brill
98.4	9.2	28.3	0.5	59.1	1.3	Catfish
12,787.9	928.1	3,479.2	220.2	7,767.7	372.7	Cod
1.4	0.3	0.6	0.2	0.3	—	Conger eels
212.4	41.5	74.2	4.3	91.2	1.2	Dabs
1,738.6	140.7	475.2	7.1	1,111.4	4.2	Dogfish
0.5	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	—	Dover sole
5.2	—	4.6	0.3	0.2	—	Flounders
1.2	0.2	0.3	—	0.7	—	Gurnards
12,057.2	1,432.8	2,624.9	14.6	7,911.1	73.8	Haddock
18.4	0.2	5.9	0.1	12.2	—	Hake
10.5	0.3	2.8	0.2	7.1	0.1	Halibut
1,250.5	183.0	501.1	11.1	552.5	2.8	Lemon sole
36.8	7.9	14.4	0.1	14.0	0.4	Ling
18.3	1.5	7.4	0.1	9.0	0.3	Lythe
17.3	2.0	8.1	0.1	7.3	—	Megrims
314.0	53.5	126.5	15.9	117.5	0.6	Monks
0.2	—	0.1	0.1	—	—	Norway pout
1,890.8	122.6	546.7	27.0	1,192.5	2.0	Plaice
0.1	—	—	—	0.1	—	Redfish
559.7	136.7	230.7	2.1	181.0	9.2	Saithe
—	—	—	—	—	—	Sandeels
276.5	121.3	96.5	2.1	56.5	0.1	Skate
0.6	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	—	Torsk
52.1	27.8	12.6	0.9	10.6	0.2	Turbot
9,756.1	933.3	4,425.6	237.1	4,142.6	17.5	Whiting
104.9	1.7	21.8	1.8	79.6	—	Witches
—	—	—	—	—	—	Livers
70.0	16.3	25.2	0.1	24.7	3.7	Roes
7.5	0.5	3.0	0.1	3.3	0.6	Other
41,269.0	4,162.7	12,716.3	546.2	23,353.1	490.7	
30,933.9	4,330.7	10,120.4	739.4	15,307.4	436.0	
18,782,012	2,026,900	5,554,699	191,483	10,748,078	240,852	
11,903,484	1,790,739	3,961,664	238,367	5,718,419	194,295	
—	—	—	—	—	—	Herring
0.5	—	0.4	—	0.1	—	Horse mackerel
1,348.9	52.5	8.1	0.5	9.9	1,277.9	Mackerel
—	—	—	—	—	—	Blue whiting
14,956.6	—	—	—	—	14,956.6	Sprats
—	—	—	—	—	—	Other pelagic
16,308.0	52.5	8.5	0.5	10.0	16,234.5	
10,851.8	37.4	11.7	0.1	2.5	10,800.1	
925,718	4,953	1,108	83	1,741	917,833	
561,717	3,853	1,319	24	405	556,116	
57,575.0	4,215.2	12,724.8	546.7	23,383.1	16,726.2	
41,785.7	4,368.1	10,132.1	739.5	15,309.9	11,236.1	
19,687,730	2,031,853	5,555,807	191,566	10,749,819	1,158,685	
12,466,201	1,794,592	3,962,983	238,391	5,718,824	750,411	
817.7	—	—	—	—	817.7	Periwinkles
748.5	—	—	—	—	748.5	Crabs
113.4	—	—	—	—	113.4	Lobsters
1.8	—	—	0.1	—	1.5	Shrimps
0.1	—	0.1	—	—	—	Scallops
94.4	—	—	—	—	94.4	Mussels
1,497.9	—	145.9	1,349.4	2.5	0.1	Norway lobsters
6.5	4.5	1.3	0.1	0.6	—	Squids
10.9	—	10.0	0.1	0.8	—	Queen scallops
—	—	—	—	—	—	Other shell
2,451,272	4,037	149,271	1,357,698	3,372	936,894	

*Main catch only from individual areas.

†Other Methods comprise White Fish Pair Trawl, Single and Two Boat Pelagic Trawl, Purse Seine, Ground Nets, Creel Fishing and Shell Fishing by Hand.

TABLE 26—continued

		SOUTHERN NORTH SEA (ICES AREA IVc)					
		Total*	Motor Trawl	Light Trawl	Nephrop Trawl	Seine Net	Other† Methods
Number of arrivals	1978	3	—	1	—	1	1
	1977	16	—	12	3	—	1
Number of hours fishing	1978	35	—	16	—	16	3
	1977	282	—	189	81	—	12
Number of days absent	1978	15	—	2	—	3	10
	1977	33	—	21	9	—	3
DEMERSAL FISH		m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.
Brill		—	—	—	—	—	—
Catfish		—	—	—	—	—	—
Cod		1.6	—	1.4	—	0.2	—
Conger eels		—	—	—	—	—	—
Dabs		0.1	—	0.1	—	—	—
Dogfish		2.8	—	—	—	2.8	—
Dover sole		—	—	—	—	—	—
Flounders		—	—	—	—	—	—
Gurnards		—	—	—	—	—	—
Haddock		1.5	—	0.3	—	1.2	—
Hake		0.1	—	—	—	0.1	—
Halibut		—	—	—	—	—	—
Lemon sole		0.4	—	0.2	—	0.2	—
Ling		—	—	—	—	—	—
Lythe		—	—	—	—	—	—
Megrims		0.1	—	—	—	0.1	—
Monks		0.1	—	—	—	0.1	—
Norway pout		—	—	—	—	—	—
Plaice		0.2	—	0.1	—	0.1	—
Redfish		—	—	—	—	—	—
Saithe		—	—	—	—	—	—
Sandeels		—	—	—	—	—	—
Skate		0.1	—	—	—	0.1	—
Torsk		—	—	—	—	—	—
Turbot		—	—	—	—	—	—
Whiting		1.6	—	0.4	—	1.2	—
Witches		—	—	—	—	—	—
Livers		—	—	—	—	—	—
Roes		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other		—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	1978	8.3	—	2.6	—	5.8	—
	1977	34.3	—	26.8	1.9	—	5.6
Total Value (£)	1978	3,513	—	1,722	—	1,791	—
	1977	9,157	—	6,868	478	—	1,811
PELAGIC FISH							
Herring		—	—	—	—	—	—
Horse mackerel		—	—	—	—	—	—
Mackerel		15.4	—	—	—	—	15.4
Blue whiting		—	—	—	—	—	—
Sprats		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other pelagic		—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	1978	15.4	—	—	—	—	15.4
	1977	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Value (£)	1978	1,057	—	—	—	—	1,057
	1977	—	—	—	—	—	—
WET FISH							
Total	1978	23.7	—	2.5	—	5.8	16.4
	1977	34.3	—	26.8	1.9	—	5.6
Total Value (£)	1978	4,570	—	1,722	—	1,791	1,057
	1977	9,157	—	6,868	478	—	1,811
SHELLFISH							
Periwinkles		—	—	—	—	—	—
Crabs		—	—	—	—	—	—
Lobsters		—	—	—	—	—	—
Shrimps		—	—	—	—	—	—
Scallops		—	—	—	—	—	—
Mussels		—	—	—	—	—	—
Norway lobsters		—	—	—	—	—	—
Squids		—	—	—	—	—	—
Queen scallops		—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Value (£)	1978	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1977	—	—	—	—	—	—

*Main catch only from individual areas.

†Other Methods in 1978 comprise Single Boat Pelagic Trawl.

TABLE 26—continued

WEST OF SCOTLAND (ICES AREA VIa)						
Total*	Motor Trawl	Light Trawl	Nephrop Trawl	Seine Net	Other† Methods	
55,917	590	8,201	13,814	2,167	31,145	1978
56,989	500	10,419	12,758	3,149	30,165	1977
764,479	51,555	127,420	219,181	33,653	332,670	1978
690,521	34,060	143,649	196,476	41,897	274,439	1977
83,107	4,907	12,739	21,967	3,577	40,277	1978
82,446	3,154	15,313	19,305	4,661	40,013	1977
m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	
8.1	0.5	3.8	1.5	1.7	0.6	Brill
2.6	1.6	0.4	0.1	0.5	—	Catfish
4,676.0	1,534.8	1,624.3	661.8	642.9	212.2	Cod
80.7	5.9	29.8	24.3	1.8	18.9	Conger eels
122.4	16.5	54.2	7.9	41.0	2.8	Dabs
3,012.9	558.1	1,377.1	303.5	694.0	80.2	Dogfish
7.2	0.1	3.3	3.0	0.6	0.2	Dover sole
39.0	—	24.1	1.1	12.5	1.3	Flounders
122.9	110.8	5.8	3.2	2.4	0.7	Gurnards
8,558.4	6,187.9	1,097.8	166.0	1,091.9	14.8	Haddock
879.0	45.6	279.0	284.8	234.7	34.9	Hake
35.3	25.5	5.0	2.2	1.6	1.0	Halibut
192.9	28.6	73.4	42.7	45.4	2.8	Lemon sole
238.7	105.9	57.7	38.2	12.6	24.3	Ling
320.4	189.0	68.2	36.9	10.0	16.3	Lythe
317.9	55.1	92.5	86.4	83.4	0.5	Megrimms
1,062.1	127.1	426.0	427.9	77.0	4.1	Monks
302.4	0.2	2.6	0.1	0.2	299.3	Norway pout
699.7	104.8	300.4	46.6	230.7	17.2	Plaice
0.5	0.2	0.1	0.2	—	—	Redfish
4,157.0	857.2	1,445.3	234.9	53.8	565.8	Saithe
—	—	—	—	—	—	Sandeels
1,383.9	256.3	506.3	288.1	319.1	14.1	Skate
5.2	2.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	2.7	Torsk
26.3	8.4	10.4	3.4	3.9	0.2	Turbot
7,264.1	1,602.8	2,482.9	1,090.4	2,075.4	12.6	Whiting
457.8	18.4	146.1	260.9	31.5	0.9	Witches
0.1	—	0.1	—	—	—	Livers
154.9	78.0	54.8	3.8	9.8	8.5	Roes
24.5	6.6	3.1	2.3	11.8	0.7	Other
34,152.9	12,928.1	10,174.6	4,022.2	5,690.4	1,337.6	
40,096.2	8,935.8	13,451.9	4,562.1	9,073.3	4,073.1	
13,135,494	5,197,999	3,751,631	1,453,906	2,345,542	386,416	
12,917,695	3,295,883	4,533,155	1,557,854	3,024,717	506,086	
13,796.1	1.8	74.2	6.9	3.3	13,709.9	Herring
9.0	1.0	4.0	3.7	0.3	—	Horse mackerel
103,699.0	69.5	20.7	51.9	2.5	103,554.4	Mackerel
895.3	—	0.1	0.4	—	894.8	Blue whiting
12,084.3	—	—	—	—	12,084.3	Sprats
0.7	0.7	—	—	—	—	Other pelagic
130,484.3	73.0	98.9	62.9	6.1	130,243.4	
89,718.1	83.5	49.5	55.5	7.6	89,522.0	
15,603,235	9,612	48,131	8,944	2,602	15,533,946	
14,211,658	9,132	9,754	9,659	1,445	14,181,668	
164,637.2	13,001.1	10,273.6	4,085.1	5,696.5	131,581.0	
129,814.3	9,019.3	13,501.4	4,617.6	9,080.9	93,595.1	
28,738,729	5,207,611	3,799,762	1,462,850	2,348,144	15,920,362	
27,129,353	3,305,015	4,642,909	1,567,513	3,026,162	14,687,754	
1,298.9	—	—	—	—	1,298.9	Periwinkles
299.2	—	0.2	—	—	299.0	Crabs
254.9	—	0.1	—	—	254.8	Lobsters
1.2	—	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.9	Shrimps
2,459.5	—	—	0.2	—	2,459.3	Scallops
22.9	—	—	—	—	22.9	Mussels
7,866.3	13.1	744.3	6,495.2	3.8	609.9	Norway lobsters
131.6	75.7	13.7	13.8	27.3	1.1	Squids
1,223.0	—	20.9	12.0	0.5	1,189.6	Queen scallops
0.2	—	—	—	—	0.2	Other shell
11,556,786	61,178	701,476	6,050,747	30,374	4,713,011	

*Main catch only from individual areas.

†Other methods comprise Small and Hand Lines, Great Lines, Purse Seine, Two Boat Pelagic Trawl, White Fish Pair Trawl, Queen Scallop Trawl, Ring Net, Scallop Dredge, Ground Nets, Creel Fishing and Shell Fishing by Hand.

TABLE 26—continued

		IRISH SEA (ICES AREA VIIa)					
		Total*	Motor Trawl	Light Trawl	Nephrop Trawl	Seine Net	Other† Methods
Number of arrivals	1978	2,405	—	224	116	—	2,065
	1977	2,197	11	305	110	—	1,771
Number of hours fishing	1978	25,136	—	3,536	2,285	—	19,315
	1977	23,977	107	4,218	2,447	—	17,205
Number of days absent	1978	2,894	—	367	220	—	2,307
	1977	2,432	17	30	217	—	2,168
DEMERSAL FISH		m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.
Brill		2.5	—	1.7	0.6	—	0.2
Catfish		—	—	—	—	—	—
Cod		68.8	—	55.3	8.8	—	4.7
Conger eels		0.9	—	0.4	0.4	—	0.1
Dabs		6.4	—	4.0	1.1	—	0.3
Dogfish		29.8	—	18.0	6.2	—	5.6
Dover sole		26.9	—	9.6	2.8	—	14.5
Flounders		14.9	—	0.2	0.1	—	14.6
Gurnards		1.0	—	0.8	0.2	—	—
Haddock		2.1	—	1.8	0.1	—	0.2
Hake		2.4	—	1.3	1.1	—	—
Halibut		—	—	—	—	—	—
Lemon sole		2.1	—	1.4	0.2	—	0.5
Ling		2.6	—	2.0	0.5	—	0.1
Lythe		4.2	—	3.7	0.4	—	0.1
Megrim		0.2	—	0.1	0.1	—	—
Monks		12.0	—	2.7	2.0	—	7.3
Norway pout		0.3	—	0.1	0.2	—	—
Plaice		87.1	—	65.6	14.4	—	7.1
Redfish		—	—	—	—	—	—
Saithe		7.7	—	6.9	0.4	—	0.4
Sandeels		—	—	—	—	—	—
Skate		43.8	—	24.7	1.2	—	17.9
Torsk		—	—	—	—	—	—
Turbot		1.4	—	0.8	0.4	—	0.2
Whiting		139.5	—	90.9	44.1	—	4.5
Witches		0.7	—	0.3	0.4	—	—
Livers		—	—	—	—	—	—
Roes		0.4	—	0.3	—	—	0.1
Other		0.2	—	0.2	—	—	—
Total	1978	456.1	—	292.6	85.3	—	78.2
	1977	409.4	9.1	255.8	95.1	—	49.4
Total Value (£)	1978	186,309	—	109,117	28,295	—	48,897
	1977	150,527	2,704	84,411	32,448	—	30,964
PELAGIC FISH							
Herring		23.3	—	1.7	0.2	—	21.4
Horse mackerel		—	—	—	—	—	—
Mackerel		12.7	—	1.6	2.7	—	8.4
Blue whiting		—	—	—	—	—	—
Sprats		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other pelagic		—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	1978	36.0	—	3.3	2.9	—	29.8
	1977	77.4	1.5	5.1	2.2	—	68.6
Total Value (£)	1978	7,517	—	788	317	—	6,414
	1977	21,686	203	676	259	—	20,543
WET FISH							
	1978	492.1	—	295.9	88.2	—	108.0
	1977	486.8	10.6	260.9	97.3	—	118.0
Total Value (£)	1978	193,826	—	109,903	28,012	—	55,311
	1977	172,213	2,912	85,087	32,707	—	61,507
SHELLFISH							
Periwinkles		257.3	—	—	—	—	257.3
Crabs		—	—	—	—	—	—
Lobsters		6.2	—	—	—	—	6.2
Shrimps		20.4	—	—	—	—	20.4
Scallops		67.0	—	0.1	—	—	66.9
Mussels		—	—	—	—	—	—
Norway lobsters		129.9	—	15.4	114.5	—	—
Squids		2.3	—	1.5	0.5	—	0.3
Queen scallops		2,147.6	—	14.8	0.2	—	2,132.6
Total Value (£)	1978	633,727	—	16,030	95,548	—	522,099

*Main catch only from individual areas.

†Other Methods comprise Small and Hand Lines, Queen Scallop Trawl, Crael Fishing, Shell Fishing by Hand and Two Boat Pelagic Trawl.

TABLE 26—continued

FAROE (ICES AREA Vb)				BEAR ISLAND, BARENTS SEA, SPITZBERGEN (ICES AREAS 1 and 11b)	
Total *	Motor Trawl	Great Lines	Other† Methods	Motor Trawl	
185 381	108 305	66 62	11 14	9 20	1978 1977
27,596 64,826	15,360 52,227	12,097 11,972	139 627	1,809 4,061	1978 1977
2,551 5,126	1,433 4,047	1,035 1,012	33 67	175 406	1978 1977
m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	
0.1	0.1	—	—	—	Brill
14.4	14.4	—	—	13.6	Catfish
2,108.9	1,188.5	920.4	—	379.4	Cod
2.1	—	2.1	—	—	Conger eels
10.5	10.5	—	—	2.0	Dabs
3.1	3.1	—	—	—	Dogfish
0.1	0.1	—	—	—	Dover sole
—	—	—	—	—	Flounders
0.3	0.3	—	—	—	Gurnards
676.5	318.0	358.5	—	36.1	Haddock
0.7	0.7	—	—	0.1	Hake
89.2	31.2	58.0	—	0.2	Halibut
30.8	30.8	—	—	—	Lemon sole
183.6	45.5	138.1	—	1.3	Ling
0.6	0.4	0.2	—	—	Lythe
1.9	1.9	—	—	—	Megrim
94.5	85.1	9.4	—	0.2	Monks
—	—	—	—	—	Norway pout
24.8	24.8	—	—	0.1	Plaice
4.8	4.8	—	—	20.4	Redfish
1,123.4	1,122.6	0.8	—	20.9	Saithe
—	—	—	—	—	Sandeels
82.4	11.2	71.2	—	0.3	Skate
185.1	4.2	180.9	—	1.2	Torsk
0.2	0.2	—	—	—	Turbot
35.8	35.7	0.1	—	—	Whiting
0.3	0.3	—	—	0.1	Witches
—	—	—	—	—	Livers
21.6	4.1	17.5	—	0.4	Roes
1.0	0.8	0.2	—	7.3	Other
4,696.5 13,934.0	2,939.1 12,145.7	1,757.4 1,691.0	— 97.3	483.6 1,184.5	
2,536,435 6,116,065	1,441,953 5,125,395	1,094,482 948,833	— 41,837	219,108 517,811	
—	—	—	—	—	Herring
0.3	0.3	—	—	—	Horse mackerel
676.3	—	—	676.3	—	Mackerel
—	—	—	—	—	Blue Whiting
1.6	1.6	—	—	—	Sprats
—	—	—	—	—	Other pelagic
678.2 451.1	1.9 158.7	— —	676.3 292.4	— —	
33,308 29,946	256 11,961	— —	33,052 17,985	— —	
5,374.7 14,385.1	2,941.0 12,304.4	1,757.4 1,691.0	676.3 389.7	483.6 1,184.5	
2,569,743 6,146,011	1,442,209 5,137,356	1,094,482 948,833	33,052 59,822	219,108 517,811	
—	—	—	—	—	Periwinkles
—	—	—	—	—	Crabs
—	—	—	—	—	Lobsters
—	—	—	—	—	Shrimps
—	—	—	—	—	Scallops
—	—	—	—	—	Mussels
—	—	—	—	—	Norway lobsters
0.7	0.7	—	—	—	Squids
—	—	—	—	—	Queen scallops
13	13	—	—	—	

*Main catch only from individual areas.

†Other methods comprise Single Boat Pelagic Trawl.

TABLE 26—continued

		ROCKALL (ICES AREA VIb)					NORWEGIAN COAST (ICES AREA 11a)
		Total*	Motor Trawl	Light Trawl	Great Lines	Other Methods†	Motor Trawl
Number of arrivals	1978 1977	82 31	62 10	2 —	16 21	2 —	3 7
Number of hours fishing	1978 1977	11,222 4,515	8,002 1,043	89 —	3,109 3,472	22 —	652 1,384
Number of days absent	1978 1977	1,012 430	711 106	8 —	287 324	6 —	60 122
DEMERSAL FISH		m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.
Brill		—	—	—	—	—	—
Catfish		3.2	3.1	—	0.1	—	1.1
Cod		316.9	221.5	0.7	94.7	—	97.9
Conger eels		3.0	—	—	2.8	—	—
Dabs		0.1	0.1	—	—	—	—
Dogfish		4.3	4.3	—	—	—	—
Dover sole		—	—	—	—	—	—
Flounders		—	—	—	—	—	—
Gurnards		2.6	2.6	—	—	—	—
Haddock		1,830.2	1,806.6	5.8	17.8	—	59.3
Hake		2.4	2.4	—	—	—	—
Halibut		20.1	7.4	0.1	12.6	—	0.3
Lemon sole		1.5	1.4	0.1	—	—	—
Ling		196.6	68.5	0.3	127.8	—	1.8
Lythe		4.2	4.2	—	—	—	—
Megrimms		53.5	53.5	—	—	—	—
Monks		26.3	24.1	0.6	1.5	0.1	0.2
Norway pout		—	—	—	—	—	—
Plaice		1.7	1.6	0.1	—	—	—
Redfish		0.4	0.2	—	0.2	—	21.5
Saithe		153.9	152.5	0.4	1.0	—	10.0
Sandeels		—	—	—	—	—	—
Skate		157.6	52.1	0.5	105.0	—	0.2
Torsk		123.5	11.8	0.2	111.5	—	2.1
Turbot		8.3	8.1	0.1	0.1	—	—
Whiting		20.1	20.0	0.1	—	—	—
Witches		1.0	0.5	0.5	—	—	—
Livers		—	—	—	—	—	—
Roes		8.6	—	—	8.6	—	2.6
Other		5.5	5.4	—	0.1	—	1.4
Total	1978 1977	2,944.7 821.2	2,451.7 377.1	9.1 —	483.8 444.1	0.1 —	198.4 542.5
Total Value (£)	1978 1977	1,111,322 332,998	858,749 136,475	1,995 —	250,577 196,523	1 —	90,870 222,033
PELAGIC FISH							
Herring		—	—	—	—	—	—
Horse mackerel		—	—	—	—	—	—
Mackerel		2.8	2.8	—	—	—	—
Blue whiting		28.1	—	—	—	28.1	—
Sprats		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other pelagic		—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	1978 1977	30.9 104.5	2.8 0.6	— —	— 103.9	28.1 —	— —
Total Value (£)	1978 1977	1,343 6,146	362 66	— —	— 6,080	981 —	— —
WET FISH							
Total	1978 1977	2,975.6 925.7	2,454.5 377.7	9.1 —	483.8 548.0	28.2 —	198.4 542.5
Total Value (£)	1978 1977	1,112,665 339,144	859,111 136,541	1,995 —	250,577 202,603	982 —	90,870 222,033
SHELLFISH							
Whelks		0.3	0.3	—	—	—	—
Crabs		—	—	—	—	—	—
Lobsters		—	—	—	—	—	—
Shrimps		—	—	—	—	—	—
Scallops		—	—	—	—	—	—
Mussels		—	—	—	—	—	—
Norway lobsters		0.2	—	—	—	0.2	—
Squids		9.9	9.9	—	—	—	—
Queen scallops		—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Value (£)	1978	5,728	5,615	—	—	113	—

*Main catch only from individual areas.

†Other methods comprise Nephrop Trawl and Single Boat Pelagic Trawl.

TABLE 26—continued

WEST OF IRELAND (ICES AREA VIIIb)			OTHER REGIONS*	
Total	Motor Trawl	Great Lines	All Methods†	
3	2	1	1	1978
—	—	—	12	1977
298	273	25	8	1978
—	—	—	350	1977
31	26	5	2	1978
—	—	—	33	1977
m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	
—	—	—	—	Brill
—	—	—	—	Catfish
1.6	1.1	0.5	—	Cod
—	—	—	—	Conger eels
—	—	—	—	Dabs
0.2	0.2	—	—	Dogfish
0.1	0.1	—	—	Dover sole
—	—	—	—	Flounders
0.1	0.1	—	—	Gurnards
7.3	7.3	—	—	Haddock
0.6	0.5	0.1	—	Hake
0.1	—	0.1	—	Halibut
0.1	0.1	—	—	Lemon sole
11.9	0.1	11.8	—	Ling
0.4	0.4	—	—	Lythe
0.1	0.1	—	—	Megrim
0.2	0.2	—	—	Monks
—	—	—	—	Norway pout
—	—	—	—	Plaice
—	—	—	—	Redfish
81.2	81.1	0.1	—	Saithe
—	—	—	—	Sandeels
0.5	0.5	—	—	Skate
0.9	—	0.9	—	Torsk
0.1	0.1	—	—	Turbot
0.8	0.8	—	—	Whiting
—	—	—	—	Witches
—	—	—	—	Livers
—	—	—	—	Roes
0.7	0.7	—	—	Other
106.8	93.1	13.5	—	
—	—	—	42.4	
35,119	29,862	5,257	—	
—	—	—	19,770	
—	—	—	—	Herring
—	—	—	—	Horse mackerel
0.2	0.2	—	31.0	Mackerel
—	—	—	—	Blue whiting
—	—	—	—	Sprats
—	—	—	—	Other pelagic
0.2	0.2	—	31.0	
—	—	—	11.5	
10	10	—	2,590	
—	—	—	748	
106.8	93.3	13.5	31.0	
—	—	—	53.9	
35,129	29,872	5,257	2,590	
—	—	—	20,518	
—	—	—	—	Periwinkles
—	—	—	—	Crabs
—	—	—	—	Lobsters
—	—	—	—	Shrimps
—	—	—	—	Scallops
—	—	—	—	Mussels
—	—	—	—	Norway lobsters
—	—	—	—	Squids
—	—	—	—	Queen scallops
—	—	—	—	

*Other Regions in 1978 consists of Kattegat and Skagerrak.
 †All methods comprises Two Boat Pelagic Trawl.

TABLE 27

Foreign vessels: Quantity and total value of each species landed from each fishing region

	Total				ALL REGIONS							
	1978		1977		Trawl		Lines		Purse Seine		Other Methods	
	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£
DEMERSAL FISH												
Brill	0-0	5	0-0	1	0-0	5	0-0	—	—	—	—	—
Catfish	5-8	1,949	6-5	1,767	5-8	1,949	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cod	667-8	362,975	282-6	143,636	466-1	242,318	191-6	112,739	—	—	10-1	7,918
Dabs	0-1	16	0-3	87	0-1	16	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dogfish	171-3	34,869	46-3	8,697	99-8	20,269	71-5	14,600	—	—	—	—
Gurnards	—	—	0-2	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Haddock	455-6	210,333	164-9	71,339	288-5	110,092	167-1	100,241	—	—	—	—
Hake	2-6	1,012	1-9	949	2-6	1,012	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hailbut	11-9	17,256	1-8	3,084	3-0	5,626	8-9	11,630	—	—	—	—
Lemon sole	15-3	12,133	7-3	4,204	15-3	12,133	—	—	—	—	—	—
Ling	77-7	29,279	24-9	7,727	49-3	18,063	24-4	9,569	—	—	—	1,647
Lythe	1-3	644	0-8	364	1-2	572	—	—	—	—	—	—
Megrims	3-4	871	3-9	1,157	3-4	871	—	—	—	—	—	—
Monks	67-7	45,664	48-8	31,665	65-5	43,947	2-1	1,640	—	—	—	—
Norway pout	646-3	16,702	699-1	26,899	646-3	16,702	—	—	—	—	—	—
Plaice	6-6	3,741	5-8	2,630	6-6	3,741	—	—	—	—	—	—
Redfish	2-5	360	4-1	2,080	2-5	360	—	—	—	—	—	—
Saithe	211-3	59,897	84-8	26,768	208-6	58,787	0-6	179	—	—	—	—
Sandeels	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Skate	16-0	5,425	4-8	1,252	6-6	1,421	8-8	3,494	—	—	—	—
Torsk	13-4	4,727	4-9	1,758	1-8	433	11-5	4,220	—	—	—	—
Turbot	0-8	1,238	0-1	234	0-6	1,238	—	—	—	—	—	—
Whiting	92-6	29,358	37-4	11,431	92-2	29,154	0-4	204	—	—	—	—
Whitches	7-2	1,232	8-4	1,436	7-2	1,232	—	—	—	—	—	—
Roes	1-0	486	0-1	32	1-0	486	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other	2-1	943	0-1	34	1-9	883	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	2,480-1	841,115	—	—	1,975-9	570,940	486-9	258,516	—	—	17-3	11,289
			1,439-8	349,338	1,399-6	336,846	34-1	8,960	—	—	6-1	3,532
PELAGIC FISH												
Herring	524-3	447,800	—	—	450-8	412,840	—	—	73-5	34,960	—	—
Mackerel	493-2	25,966	155-3	11,361	1-7	510	—	—	491-5	25,456	—	—
Blue whiting	1,134-6	37,437	1,418-1	55,168	1,134-6	37,437	—	—	403-2	18,883	—	—
Sprats	403-2	18,883	101-6	5,500	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	2,555-3	530,086	—	—	1,587-1	450,787	—	—	968-2	79,299	—	—
			1,675-0	72,029	1,501-2	59,936	—	—	173-8	12,093	—	—
WET FISH	5,035-4	1,371,201	—	—	3,563-0	1,022,097	486-9	258,516	968-2	79,299	17-3	11,289
			3,114-8	421,367	2,900-8	396,782	34-1	8,960	173-8	12,093	6-1	3,532
Norway lobsters	0-2	167	0-2	174	0-2	167	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shrimps	604-1	447,799	221-8	113,451	604-1	447,799	—	—	—	—	—	—
Squids	—	—	0-4	258	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lobsters	—	—	0-3	2,169	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total of ALL FISH	5,639-7	1,819,167	—	—	4,167-3	1,470,063	486-9	258,516	968-2	79,299	17-3	11,289
			3,337-5	537,419	3,123-2	510,665	34-1	8,960	173-8	12,093	6-4	5,701

TABLE 27—continued

	North Sea (ICES Area IV)				West of Scotland (ICES AREA VIa)				Rockall (ICES Area Vib)		Other Regions*	
	Trawl	Purse Seine	Lines	Other Methods	Trawl	Purse Seine	Lines		Trawl	Lines	Trawl	Lines
DEMERSAL FISH	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.	m.t.
Brill	0.0	—	—	—	0.4	—	—	—	0.0	—	—	—
Catfish	5.4	—	—	—	96.5	—	181.7	—	0.6	—	—	—
Cod	301.9	—	0.5	10.1	—	—	—	—	—	29.4	67.1	—
Dabs	0.1	—	—	—	0.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dogfish	99.8	—	30.5	—	0.0	—	41.0	—	—	—	—	—
Haddock	227.7	—	0.1	—	29.2	—	159.0	—	16.6	—	15.0	—
Hake	2.6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Halibut	0.5	—	—	—	2.5	—	1.8	—	0.0	—	—	7.0
Lemon sole	12.3	—	—	—	3.0	—	21.1	—	0.6	—	—	—
Ling	42.4	—	—	4.0	5.2	—	—	—	—	3.3	—	—
Lynce	0.7	—	—	0.1	0.5	—	—	—	—	—	1.1	—
Magrims	2.7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Monks	61.7	—	—	0.1	3.2	—	2.1	—	0.6	—	—	—
Norway pout	646.2	—	—	—	0.1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Plaice	4.6	—	—	—	2.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Redfish	—	—	—	—	2.5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Saithe	135.9	—	0.3	2.1	60.3	—	0.3	—	2.3	—	10.1	—
Skate	5.9	—	—	0.6	0.3	—	8.0	—	0.4	—	—	0.5
Torsk	—	—	—	—	1.5	—	9.0	—	—	—	—	—
Turbot	0.6	—	—	0.1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Whiting	91.9	—	—	—	0.3	—	0.4	—	—	—	—	—
Witches	7.2	—	—	—	0.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Roes	1.0	—	—	—	0.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other	0.1	—	—	0.2	—	—	—	—	—	—	1.8	—
Total	1,651.5	—	31.4	17.3	207.6	—	404.4	—	21.8	43.6	95.1	7.5
	1,140.5	—	5.6	6.1	26.4	—	0.9	—	—	—	188.0	72.3
PELAGIC FISH												
Herring	—	—	—	—	450.8	73.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mackerel	—	—	—	—	1.7	491.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Blue whiting	0.1	—	—	—	1,134.5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sprats	—	329.2	—	—	—	74.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	0.1	329.2	—	—	1,587.0	639.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
	63.9	136.5	—	—	1,377.3	37.3	—	—	—	—	60.0	—
WET FISH												
Norway lobsters	0.1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shrimps	531.4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Squids	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lobsters	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	—	—	—	—	72.7	—
Total of	2,183.1	329.2	31.4	17.3	1,794.5	639.0	404.4	—	21.8	43.6	167.8	7.5
ALL FISH	1,426.2	136.5	5.6	6.1	1,404.6	37.3	0.9	—	—	—	248.0	72.3

*Other Regions in 1978 comprise Iceland (ICES Area Va)

Foreign vessels: Quantity and value of fresh fish landed by each nationality in the year 1978

TABLE 28

Nationality	Port of Landing	Method of Capture	Arrivals	Hours Fishing	Days Absent	All Regions		North Sea		West of Scotland		Rockall		Iceland	
						m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£
DENMARK	Aberdeen	Trawl—Demersal	86	2,496	523	460.8	169,655	460.8	169,655	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Peterhead	Other Nets	1	24	5	7.390	7,390	10.2	7,390	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Peterhead	Trawl—Demersal	4	154	25	6.433	6,433	22.6	6,433	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Peterhead	Shrimp Trawl	103	5,267	489	609.9	392,789	609.9	392,789	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Fraserburgh	Other Nets	3	15	12	7.1	3,899	7.1	3,899	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Fraserburgh	Trawl—Demersal	1	40	6	3.6	1,315	3.6	1,315	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Fraserburgh	Shrimp Trawl	3	90	10	9.9	6,382	9.9	6,382	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Lerwick	Trawl—Demersal	14	700	74	489.1	20,096	489.1	20,096	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Stornoway	Purse Seine	1	9	3	75.6	4,423	—	—	75.6	4,423	—	—	—	—
	Total			216	8,795	1,147	1,688.8	612,442	1,613.2	608,019	75.6	4,423	—	—	—
EIRE	Peterhead	Trawl—Demersal	41	2,305	301	340.3	154,326	340.3	154,326	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Fraserburgh	Trawl—Demersal	5	135	16	19.2	9,703	19.2	9,703	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Ullapool	Trawl—Demersal	1	126	10	21.8	4,509	—	—	—	21.8	4,509	—	—	—
	Ayr	Trawl—Demersal	1	12	1	1.4	474	—	—	1.4	474	—	—	—	—
Total			48	2,578	328	382.7	169,012	359.5	164,029	1.4	474	21.8	4,509	—	—
FAROE	Aberdeen	Trawl—Demersal	4	178	42	143.8	96,833	—	—	143.8	96,833	—	—	—	—
	Aberdeen	Great Line	17	1,760	200	341.1	220,700	—	—	333.6	212,686	—	—	7.5	8,014
	Fraserburgh	Great Line	1	190	12	28.1	7,360	—	—	28.1	7,360	—	—	—	—
	Lerwick	Trawl—Demersal	4	521	36	241.2	51,439	92.8	1,134	62.4	17,823	—	—	86.0	32,482
	Stornoway	Purse Seine	5	108	30	616.6	29,538	245.9	10,697	370.7	18,841	—	—	—	—
	Stornoway	Great Line	1	20	7	43.6	14,819	—	—	—	—	43.6	14,819	—	—
Total			32	2,777	327	1,414.4	420,689	338.7	11,831	938.6	353,543	43.6	14,819	93.5	40,496
HOLLAND	Ullapool	Trawl—Pelagic	12	1,000	90	452.5	413,350	—	—	452.5	413,350	—	—	—	—
	Mallaig	Shrimp Trawl	1	800	44	81.8	90,014	—	—	—	—	—	—	81.8	90,014
NORWAY	Leith	Great Line	1	48	8	5.9	923	5.9	923	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Peterhead	Trawl—Demersal	2	50	8	23.3	8,482	23.3	8,482	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Peterhead	Great Line	2	92	10	24.6	4,485	24.6	4,485	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Fraserburgh	Trawl—Demersal	1	12	4	3.4	1,081	3.4	1,081	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Fraserburgh	Purse Seine	1	4	6	73.5	34,960	—	—	73.5	34,960	—	—	—	—
	Wick	Great Line	3	186	14	37.7	8,757	37	3,735	37.7	8,757	—	—	—	—
	Lerwick	Trawl—Demersal	5	80	10	102.6	3,735	102.6	3,735	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Lerwick	Great Line	1	110	7	0.9	280	0.9	280	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Stornoway	Great Line	2	95	11	5.0	1,192	—	—	5.0	1,192	—	—	—	—
	Stornoway	Purse Seine	3	60	10	119.2	6,632	—	—	119.2	6,632	—	—	—	—
Total			26	853	103	1,530.6	107,983	160.7	18,986	1,369.9	88,977	—	—	—	—
SWEDEN	Fraserburgh	Purse Seine	1	3	5	83.3	3,746	83.3	3,746	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Lerwick	Trawl—White Fish	1	120	10	5.6	1,951	5.6	1,951	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total			2	123	15	88.9	5,697	88.9	5,697	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total all countries			337	16,926	2,054	5,639.7	1,819,167	2,561.0	808,562	2,838.0	860,767	65.4	19,328	175.3	130,510

TABLE 29

Fish processed: Quantity and value of fish processed according to method of process*

	Total		Dried		Smoked		Pickled		Canned		Marinated			
	1978		1977		m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£		
	m.t.	£	m.t.	£										
All Species	33,907.3	31,758,163	36,870.6	28,668,294	0.5	670	28,430.0	28,457,485	530.8	266,526	2,953.8	2,122,921	1,992.2	910,561
	1977	—	—	—	0.6	493	28,135.4	23,967,328	1,720.6	870,797	4,283.1	3,014,822	2,730.9	314,854
Herring	19,238.8	17,009,852	22,959.4	17,083,664	—	—	16,317.9	15,350,821	354.1	206,385	1,017.7	666,153	1,549.1	786,493
Mackerel	2,626.8	1,399,522	1,796.3	958,521	—	—	2,260.3	1,186,032	61.7	21,490	304.8	192,000	—	—
Sprats	2,081.8	1,357,763	3,049.0	2,071,423	—	—	—	—	91.0	15,015	1,547.7	1,218,680	443.1	124,068
Cod	881.5	1,205,671	779.5	863,896	0.2	220	865.7	1,189,848	15.6	15,603	—	—	—	—
Haddock	5,204.8	7,174,581	5,006.2	5,055,022	—	—	5,204.6	7,174,341	0.2	240	—	—	—	—
Ling	505.1	480,159	417.7	325,594	0.3	450	500.5	475,512	4.3	4,197	—	—	—	—
Saithe	507.2	1,245,642	1,620.2	1,097,021	—	—	1,507.2	1,245,642	3.9	3,596	—	—	—	—
Torsk	53.6	49,562	74.2	54,020	—	—	49.7	45,966	—	—	—	—	—	—
Whiting	1,681.7	1,741,165	1,164.1	1,151,368	—	—	1,681.7	1,741,165	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other Species	126.0	94,246	4.0	2,765	—	—	42.4	48,158	—	—	83.6	46,088	—	—

*The quantities and values shown in this table are after processing.

TABLE 30
Disposal of Scottish Herring Catch **Thousand metric tons**

Year	Total Landings	Freshing and Kippering	Curing	Redding and Marinating	Quick Freezing	Klondyking	Canning	Pet. Food	Oil and Meal
1974	129.4	79.7	1.8	0.8	11.1	23.2	0.7	2.0	10.1
1975	98.5	75.3	0.5	0.2	1.4	11.4	1.1	4.5	4.1
1976	73.1	60.7	0.8	0.3	1.1	7.7	—	1.2	1.3
1977	38.3	30.7	0.3	0.7	1.1	5.2	0.1	0.1	0.1
1978	13.8	13.0	0.1	—	0.2	0.4	—	0.1	—

TABLE 31
Disposal of Scottish Mackerel Catch **Thousand metric tons**

Year	Total Landings	Freshing	Canning	Freezing	Klondyking	Pet Food	Oil and Meal
1974	9	4	0	1	0	0	4
1975	17	4	0	1	0	2	10
1976	30	5	0	5	1	1	18
1977	54	9	0	11	11	1	22
1978	107	20	0	0	65	0	22

TABLE 32
Disposal of Scottish Sprat Catch **Thousand metric tons**

Year	Total Landings	Freshing	Canning	Freezing	Klondyking	Pet Food	Oil and Meal
1974	56	0	2	5	5	4	40
1975	22	1	2	3	1	4	11
1976	37	0	1	3	2	2	29
1977	42	1	2	1	0	6	32
1978	45	8	0	0	3	5	29

TABLE 33

Fishing vessels 1974 to 1978

Number at 31st December in each year

Year	Total all Vessels	140 ft. and Over	110 ft.-139.9 ft.	80 ft.-109.9 ft.	60 ft.-79.9 ft.	40 ft.-59.9 ft.	Under 40 ft.
1974	2,754	4	57	54	420	660	1,559
1975	2,678	4	48	54	448	619	1,505
1976	2,616	3	43	47	446	587	1,490
1977	2,580	3	36	45	452	564	1,480
1978*	2,616	1	35	55	462	553	1,510

*Of the 91 vessels 80 feet and over in 1978: 59 were trawlers, 4 were liners, 4 were seiners, 22 were purse seiners and 2 scallop dredgers.

TABLE 34

Fishing vessels in each district*

Number at 31st December 1978

	Total	140 ft. and Over	110 ft.-139.9 ft.	80 ft.-109.9 ft.	60 ft.-79.9 ft.	40 ft.-59.9 ft.	30 ft.-39.9 ft.	Under 30 ft.
ALL DISTRICTS	2,616	1	35	55	462	553	343	1,167
East Coast:								
Total	1,323	1	35	45	367	324	107	444
Eyemouth	61	—	—	—	4	22	13	22
Leith	97	—	—	1	8	46	19	23
Pittenweem	112	—	—	3	12	39	13	45
Arbroath	92	—	—	—	3	27	11	51
Aberdeen	127	1	30	25	36	9	6	20
Peterhead	141	—	1	9	72	14	10	35
Fraserburgh	145	—	4	2	62	26	8	43
Macduff	122	—	—	5	46	50	4	17
Buckie	120	—	—	—	65	41	2	12
Lossiemouth	99	—	—	—	52	29	2	16
Wick	207	—	—	—	7	21	19	160
Lerwick	412	—	—	4	41	39	43	285
West Coast:								
Total	881	—	—	6	54	190	193	438
Stornoway	326	—	—	2	15	48	55	206
Ullapool	108	—	—	—	8	16	36	48
Mallaig	102	—	—	—	5	24	25	48
Oban	89	—	—	—	1	11	17	60
Campbeltown	135	—	—	—	3	47	41	44
Ayr	121	—	—	4	22	44	19	32

*Vessels are recorded by base district, but may not necessarily fish from that district.

TABLE 35

Number of vessels categorised by method of fishing mainly engaged in during 1974, 1975, 1976, 1977 and 1978

ALL VESSELS—Main Methods of Fishing	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978
TOTAL	2,754	2,678	2,616	2,580	2,616
Demersal Fishing—Total	1,238	1,170	1,086	1,043	1,054
Trawl—80 ft. and over	107	95	78	67	57
Under 80 ft.*	283	306	280	310	331
Lines	377	359	319	315	322
Seine	431	407	365	342	336
Other Methods	40	5	44	9	8
Pelagic Fishing—Total	129	143	142	127	119
Drift	4	4	3	4	4
Ring	16	10	8	7	1
Purse Seine	21	23	26	26	32
Pelagic Trawl	88	106	105	90	82
Shellfish Fishing	1,084	1,102	1,110	1,139	1,161
Nephrops Trawl	300	259	272	263	274
Shrimp Trawl	3	4	6	8	8

*Includes light trawl and industrial trawl.

TABLE 36

Fishermen employed 1974 to 1978

Number at 31st December in each year

	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978
REGULARLY AND PARTIALLY EMPLOYED					
All vessels	9,571	8,848	8,866	8,985	9,241
Trawlers	4,454	..	..	..	..
Other vessels	5,117	..	..	..	..
REGULARLY EMPLOYED					
All vessels	8,172	7,507	7,560	7,625	7,863
PARTIALLY EMPLOYED*					
All vessels	1,399	1,341	1,306	1,360	1,378

*Includes crofter fishermen numbering 248 in 1974, 244 in 1975, 234 in 1976, 223 in 1977 and 206 in 1978.

TABLE 37

Number of vessels and fishermen and quantity and value of fish landed

CREEK	VESSELS*				Fishermen	FISH LANDED BY BRITISH VESSELS†							
	Total	80 ft. and over	40 ft.-79.9 ft.	Under 40 ft.		Herring		Other Pelagic		Demersal		Shell Fish	
ALL DISTRICTS	2,616	91	1,510	1,015	9,241	13,841.0	5,432,849	154,279.2	12,105,279	231,320.2	85,499,585	26,711.8	19,174,203
Eyemouth District						m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£
1 Burnmouth	19	—	3	16	48	—	—	—	—	0.9	207	127.3	135,052
2 Eyemouth	24	—	21	3	140	—	—	0.1	10	6,412.7	2,597,862	676.4	347,482
3 St. Abbs	18	—	2	16	39	—	—	—	—	44.0	17,241	151.9	104,691
Total	61	—	26	35	227	—	—	0.1	10	6,457.6	2,615,310	955.6	587,225
Leith District													
1 Cove	3	—	—	3	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	43.8	31,186
2 Dunbar	24	—	11	13	73	—	—	128.2	8,201	476.4	135,767	518.3	431,290
3 North Berwick	9	—	1	8	15	—	—	0.1	15	2.3	585	4.7	6,273
4 Port Seton	34	1	28	5	169	—	—	—	—	206.8	67,280	316.3	356,333
5 Fisherrow	11	—	10	1	61	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
6 Leith	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
7 Newhaven	12	—	2	10	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.4	288
8 Granton	1	—	1	—	110	37.2	15,991	8,845.4	554,141	1,914.2	770,408	11.6	6,635
9 Alloa	1	—	1	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10 Kincardine	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	198.2	3,788	—	—
11 Burntisland	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	438.0	27,587	—	—
12 Kirkcaldy	1	—	—	1	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.6	2,763
13 Dysart	—	—	—	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	97	1	54	42	459	37.2	15,991	9,609.9	593,732	2,599.7	974,040	895.7	834,768
Pittenweem District													
1 Methil and Leven	8	—	—	8	11	—	—	—	—	1.3	359	31.3	23,531
2 St. Monens	13	—	8	5	47	—	—	—	—	3.0	1,547	31.0	13,588
3 Pittenweem	33	—	26	7	148	—	—	1.4	261	4,171.0	1,989,622	549.7	520,467
4 Anstruther	36	3	16	17	158	—	—	—	—	5.0	2,005	153.1	79,899
5 Crail	9	—	—	9	18	—	—	—	—	—	—	122.9	95,544
6 St. Andrews	10	—	—	10	13	—	—	—	—	0.9	408	94.4	67,479
7 Tayport	2	—	—	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
8 Newburgh	1	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	112	3	51	58	397	—	—	1.4	261	4,181.2	1,993,941	982.4	800,508
Arbroath District													
1 Dundee	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2 Arbroath	57	—	23	34	174	—	—	17.3	1,508	3,892.9	1,281,187	105.7	121,919
3 Montrose	12	—	2	10	17	—	—	55.2	2,209	505.3	245,658	165.1	28,457
4 Johnshaven	7	—	1	6	14	—	—	—	—	—	—	11.1	9,889
5 Gourdon	16	—	4	12	35	—	—	—	—	555.4	249,241	40.7	19,406
Total	92	—	30	62	240	—	—	72.5	3,717	4,953.6	1,776,086	322.6	179,671
Aberdeen District													
1 Catterline	1	—	—	1	2	—	—	—	—	17.1	6,323	15.2	6,499
2 Stonehaven	19	—	3	16	33	—	—	0.0	6	472.9	231,392	31.5	12,194
3 Cove	6	—	—	6	6	—	—	—	—	0.3	193	—	—
4 Aberdeen	101	56	42	3	990	—	—	686.2	49,961	60,876.6	25,847,108	117.8	63,362
Total	127	56	45	26	1,031	—	—	686.2	49,967	61,366.9	26,085,016	164.5	82,055

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 †Landings of fish relate to Creek.

TABLE 37—continued

CREEK	VESSELS*				Fishermen	FISH LANDED BY BRITISH VESSELS†							
	Total	80 ft. and over	40 ft. 79-9 ft.	Under 40 ft.		Herring		Other Pelagic		Demersal		Shell Fish	
						m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£
Peterhead District													
1 Collieston	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2 Whinnyfold	2	—	—	2	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.8	3,024
3 Port Errol	2	—	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.5	2,016
4 Boddam	10	—	—	10	23	—	—	—	—	2.8	1,560	63.7	17,885
5 Peterhead	127	10	86	31	746	0.0	16	419.8	34,980	60,225.2	28,723,222	879.5	628,522
Total	141	10	86	45	774	0.0	16	419.8	34,980	60,225.2	28,724,782	944.5	651,447
Fraserburgh District													
1 St. Combs and Charleston	7	—	2	5	36	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2 Inverellochy	8	—	3	5	42	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3 Cairnbulg	15	—	8	7	89	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4 Fraserburgh	99	6	74	19	440	330.3	174,464	12,893.5	632,226	11,191.0	4,983,176	1,579.44	1,156,553
5 Sandhaven and Pitullie	4	—	1	3	24	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.2	60
6 Rosehearty	5	—	—	5	38	—	—	3.8	379	0.2	150	0.2	846
7 Pennan	7	—	—	7	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.0	280
Total	145	6	88	51	677	330.3	174,464	12,897.3	632,605	11,191.2	4,983,328	1,579.8	1,157,739
Macduff District													
1 Gardenstown	54	5	40	9	329	—	—	—	—	—	—	24.3	11,839
2 Macduff	37	—	32	5	198	—	—	4,120.2	170,669	3,507.7	1,595,777	177.7	128,555
3 Whitehills	21	—	16	5	91	—	—	0.1	22	1,887.5	873,209	69.2	21,074
4 Portsoy	10	—	8	2	58	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	122	5	96	21	676	—	—	4,120.3	170,691	5,395.2	2,468,986	271.2	159,468
Buckie District													
1 Portknockie	24	—	19	5	138	—	—	—	—	1.7	1,014	0.7	3,532
2 Findochty	19	—	14	5	98	—	—	—	—	1.9	1,026	0.9	4,444
3 Buckie	77	—	73	4	444	—	—	483.3	21,404	2,319.6	982,305	1,029.8	865,500
Total	120	—	106	14	680	—	—	483.3	21,404	2,323.2	984,345	1,031.4	873,476
Lossiemouth District													
1 Lossiemouth	44	—	40	4	251	—	—	—	—	1,663.9	671,661	200.6	165,679
2 Hopeman	24	—	21	3	143	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.7	3,403
3 Burghead	7	—	6	1	36	—	—	2,420.4	98,937	44.2	15,117	360.5	306,413
4 Nairn	5	—	1	4	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5 Inverness	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	4,369.0	177,530	—	—	—	—
6 Avoch	12	—	12	—	73	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
7 Ciomarty	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
8 Portmahomack	6	—	—	6	14	—	—	—	—	—	—	821.5	42,906
Total	99	—	81	18	528	—	—	6,789.4	276,467	1,708.1	686,778	1383.3	518,401

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TABLE 37—continued

CREEK	VESSELS*				Fishermen	FISH LANDED BY BRITISH VESSELS†							
	Total	80 ft. and over	40 ft.-79.9 ft.	Under 40 ft.		Herring		Other Pelagic		Demersal		Shell Fish	
						m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£
Wick District													
1 Golspie	3	—	—	3	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.2	804
2 Brora	8	—	—	8	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.5	2,242
3 Helmsdale	12	—	4	8	38	—	—	—	—	284.3	85,943	19.2	54,131
4 Dunbeath	5	—	—	5	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.8	3,850
5 Latheronwheel	7	—	—	7	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	6.0	6,202
6 Lybster	11	—	1	10	22	—	—	0.1	17	274.7	104,213	28.0	37,760
7 Whaligoe	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
8 Wick	49	—	21	28	159	—	—	12.8	1,012	1,942.0	765,672	48.8	32,060
9 Staxigoe	1	—	—	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	600
10 Kaiss	5	—	—	5	18	—	—	—	—	—	—	106.2	50,734
11 Auchengill	4	—	—	4	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	7.7	4,739
12 Stroma	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
13 John o' Groats	11	—	—	11	27	—	—	—	—	—	—	60.3	47,163
14 Scarfskerry	4	—	—	4	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.5	2,222
15 Brough	8	—	—	8	19	—	—	—	—	—	—	12.0	4,739
16 Castlehill	5	—	—	5	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	4.1	3,309
17 Thurso	13	—	—	13	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	9.9	10,175
18 Scrabster	32	—	2	30	61	—	—	—	—	812.2	331,879	131.6	105,090
19 Crosskirk	6	—	—	6	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.2	1,054
20 Portskerra	9	—	—	9	16	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.3	1,308
21 Kirtomy	1	—	—	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.3	1,562
22 Skerry	3	—	—	3	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.4	1,884
23 Talmine	3	—	—	3	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.3	1,308
24 Eriboll	6	—	—	6	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	1.8	9,298
Total	207	—	28	179	1,470	—	—	12.9	1,029	3,313.2	1,287,707	439.2	382,234
Lerwick District													
1 Sanday	20	—	1	19	37	—	—	—	—	—	—	7.7	36,647
2 Westray	33	—	8	25	65	—	—	—	—	38.1	12,832	255.4	109,088
3 Eday	7	—	—	7	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	1.2	5,832
4 Stronsay	14	—	2	12	21	—	—	—	—	36.3	8,106	69.7	63,459
5 Rousay to Shapinsay	16	—	2	14	29	—	—	—	—	—	—	223.7	51,011
6 Birsay	9	—	—	9	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	1.0	4,476
7 Kirkwall	22	—	4	18	46	—	—	—	—	3.8	1,168	183.2	151,574
8 Deerness	6	—	—	5	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	1.0	4,843
9 Holm	6	—	—	6	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.3	1,177
10 Burray	4	—	—	4	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.4	1,872
11 Stromness	26	—	4	22	48	—	—	—	—	4.5	1,658	227.9	115,515
12 Hoy	5	—	—	5	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.6	2,109
13 Walls (Orkney)	15	—	—	15	17	—	—	—	—	—	—	3.7	17,029
14 South Ronaldsay	19	—	—	19	38	—	—	—	—	—	—	5.8	25,996
15 Dunrossness and Fair Isle	8	—	1	7	21	—	—	—	—	—	—	4.7	5,477
16 Levenwick	7	—	—	7	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	4.7	6,321
17 Lerwick and Bressay	17	1	8	8	66	59.4	21,509	1,832.5	114,939	37,525.7	2,264,824	7.0	5,040
18 Whalsay and Skerries	48	3	21	24	213	—	—	—	—	1,949.7	591,383	154.0	72,613
19 Yell and Fetlar	15	—	4	11	38	—	—	—	—	453.8	124,054	194.0	57,752
20 Uyeasound end Baltasound	10	—	1	9	21	—	—	—	—	—	—	23.5	5,039
21 North Roe to Hillswick	14	—	2	12	39	—	—	—	—	21.3	6,211	113.8	31,122
22 Walls (Shetland)	33	—	1	32	51	—	—	80.7	18,323	16.5	5,757	87.0	18,722
23 Scalloway and Isles	59	—	21	38	200	18.7	6,926	136.2	11,734	3,640.0	972,642	55.7	23,995
Total	412	4	80	328	1,026	78.1	28,435	2,049.4	144,996	43,688.7	3,988,635	1,626.0	815,709

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‡Including 31 crofter fishermen.
§Including 73 crofter fishermen.

TABLE 37—continued

CREEK	VESSELS*				Fishermen	FISH LANDED BY BRITISH VESSELS†							
	Total	80 ft. and over	40 ft.—79.9 ft.	Under 40 ft.		Herring		Other Pelagic		Demersal		Shell Fish	
						m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£
Stornoway District													
1 South Lochs	11	—	1	10	11	—	—	—	—	0.3	36	1.5	7,915
2 North Lochs	6	—	—	6	4	—	—	—	—	0.5	168	2.3	1,303
3 Stornoway	44	2	32	10	154	305.0	103,699	14,824.8	857,930	1,735.7	440,042	1,251.3	1,041,249
4 Garrabost	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	0.3	114	0.5	483
5 Portnaguran	2	—	—	2	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.8	3,447
6 Back	4	—	—	4	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	2.8	7,934
7 Ness	7	—	—	7	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
8 Bernera (Lewis)	17	—	3	14	36	—	—	—	—	99.2	43,024	77.7	151,413
9 North Harris	10	—	—	10	8	—	—	0.0	6	15.5	5,769	21.7	35,556
10 Scalpay	32	—	10	22	64	—	—	—	—	—	—	4.1	13,099
11 South Harris	17	—	3	14	39	—	—	—	—	—	—	16.3	81,928
12 Berneray (N. Uist)	12	—	2	10	25	—	—	—	—	—	—	39.9	96,717
13 Houghgarry and Loch Eport	29	—	2	27	32	—	—	—	—	—	—	24.3	97,454
14 Grimsay	48	—	—	48	48	—	—	—	—	—	—	36.7	174,518
15 Loch Carnan	18	—	—	18	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	9.0	33,510
16 Lochboisdale	35	—	6	29	65	—	—	—	—	—	—	29.5	164,346
17 Castlebay	34	—	4	30	51	64.7	18,396	—	—	151.9	37,552	119.9	115,205
Total	326	2	63	261	1567	369.7	122,095	14,824.8	857,936	2,003.4	526,705	1,638.3	2,026,077
Ullapool District													
1 Cape Wrath to Laxford (Kinlochbervie)	12	—	4	8	30	0.2	88	161.9	14,789	3,574.1	1,260,273	162.7	77,924
2 Foindlamore to Loch Glendhu	3	—	—	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.5	2,093
3 Loch Glencoul to Culkein	8	—	—	8	19	—	—	—	—	—	—	46.9	64,510
4 Rhu Stoer to Enard (Loch Inver)	22	—	14	8	77	0.8	324	7.8	1,371	4,451.6	1,729,001	676.4	651,820
5 Rhu Coigach to Badiuchrach (Ullapool)	33	—	3	30	71	3,401.6	1,042,171	80,899.4	7,593,165	1.0	120	208.3	279,509
6 Gruinard to Aultbea	6	—	—	6	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	23.2	15,922
7 Poolwee to Cove	4	—	—	4	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.3	1,500
8 Rudh Ra to Red Point (Gairloch)	20	—	3	17	40	—	—	0.2	13	647.1	234,686	667.8	480,762
Total	108	—	24	84	262	3,402.6	1,042,583	81,069.3	7,609,338	8,673.8	3,224,080	1,786.1	1,574,040
Mallaig District													
1 Torridon	4	—	1	3	9	—	—	0.3	19	0.9	216	—	—
2 Applecross	3	—	2	1	8	—	—	0.3	25	0.5	97	—	—
3 Carron	4	—	1	3	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4 Kyle	15	—	1	14	37	31.0	6,567	1,706.5	87,444	23.8	6,724	237.3	257,059
5 Sleat	1	—	—	1	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	62.9	39,366
6 Broadford	5	—	—	5	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	13.2	7,705
7 Portree	13	—	1	12	34	—	—	—	—	74.2	22,963	210.2	192,423
8 Snizort	6	—	2	4	11	443.0	107,552	6.9	462	33.9	12,384	175.2	147,046
9 Dunvegan	7	—	—	7	4	—	—	—	—	0.1	47	113.9	35,503
10 Bracadale	12	—	1	11	18	—	—	3.0	180	17.5	3,592	101.0	25,917
11 Strathaird	4	—	—	4	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	5.4	10,202
12 Mallaig	28	—	20	8	116	5,000.7	1,849,926	16,602.3	1,296,613	3,267.6	1,247,128	2,523.0	2,415,793
Total	102	—	29	73	269	5,474.7	1,964,045	18,319.3	1,384,743	3,418.5	1,293,151	3,442.1	3,131,014

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§Including 5 crofter fishermen.

¶Including 34 crofter fishermen.

TABLE 37—continued

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	Total	80 ft. and over	40 ft.—79.9 ft.	Under 40 ft.		Herring		Other Pelagic		Demersal		Shell Fish	
						m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£	m.t.	£
Oban District													
1 Arisaig	1	—	—	1	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	60.7	15,020
2 Ardnamurchan	5	—	1	4	6	—	—	—	—	6.3	2,627	105.4	28,467
3 Fort William	3	—	—	3	12	—	—	—	—	0.7	214	3.7	4,988
4 Oban	29	—	9	20	45	256.2	105,240	858.2	62,476	1,617.0	693,063	947.1	927,629
5 Luìng	9	—	—	9	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	9.1	19,314
6 Tobermory (Isle of Mull)	7	—	1	6	18	—	—	—	—	0.2	108	152.9	135,633
7 Loch Scridain (Isle of Mull)	11	—	—	11	21	—	—	164.0	11,808	—	—	78.5	117,184
8 Loch Buie (Isle of Mull)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	23.0	28,218
9 Canna (Outer Isles)	1	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10 Coll	8	—	—	8	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	22.5	9,584
11 Tiree	15	—	1	14	22	—	—	—	—	—	—	18.2	28,649
Total	89	—	12	77	151	256.2	105,420	1,022.2	74,284	1,624.2	696,012	1,421.1	1,314,686
Campbeltown District													
1 West Loch Tarbert	2	—	—	2	2	0.0	3	0.2	18	47.3	14,159	1,334.5	1,040,190
2 Gigha	2	—	—	2	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	20.7	16,894
3 Port Effen	14	—	3	11	33	—	—	—	—	8.6	2,011	334.2	230,328
4 Port Askaig	4	—	—	4	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	13.4	33,283
5 Bruichladdich	6	—	—	6	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	9.0	60,760
6 Bowmore	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
7 Jura	3	—	—	3	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	5.3	9,444
8 Colonsay	3	—	—	3	3	—	—	—	—	1.7	328	4.2	6,238
9 Muasdale	2	—	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10 Southend	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
11 Campbeltown	29	—	15	14	90	398.3	231,775	85.4	8,988	1,128.0	421,546	652.7	438,853
12 Carradale	19	—	14	5	74	125.2	58,131	4.5	417	19.4	5,102	179.3	84,935
13 Tarbert	30	—	15	15	104	1,202.0	561,864	318.8	35,593	325.0	120,291	710.2	334,804
14 Ardrishaig	4	—	—	4	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	2.7	2,090
15 Kyles of Bute	3	—	1	2	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
16 Dunoon	1	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	4.9	1,121
17 Loch Long	2	—	—	2	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
18 Bute	7	—	2	5	19	—	—	—	—	—	—	39.2	18,376
19 North Arran	2	—	—	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	2.7	530
20 South Arran	2	—	—	2	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	59.3	17,044
Total	135	—	50	85	376	1,726.5	851,773	408.9	45,016	1,530.0	563,437	3,372.3	2,294,890
Ayr District													
1 Gareloch	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2 Helensburgh	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3 Glasgow	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	49.5	2,976	—	—	—	—
4 Greenock	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.4	190	0.1	57
5 Gourock	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
6 Wemyss Bay	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
7 Largs	5	—	1	4	7	1.9	1,106	7.6	1,101	445.2	189,095	283.1	127,290
8 Cumbraes	2	—	—	2	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	16.5	2,584
9 Saltcoats	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	24.7	4,071
10 Troon	3	—	—	3	4	1.6	1,035	5.8	899	1,660.9	615,018	65.4	74,686
11 Ayr	18	—	16	2	66	2,140.9	1,118,334	1,599.5	195,202	3,491.6	1,408,738	890.7	654,126
12 Dunure	28	—	24	4	136	—	—	—	—	—	—	29.4	5,648
13 Maidens	9	2	5	2	53	—	—	—	—	—	—	32.4	6,842
14 Girvan	15	—	10	5	57	6.7	3,914	17.5	2,104	628.0	233,493	348.3	254,786
15 Ballyntræ	2	—	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	97.0	20,480
16 Stranraer	2	—	2	—	10	—	—	—	—	2.0	535	43.3	8,954
17 Portpatrick	2	—	—	2	3	13.9	3,279	—	—	1.0	558	14.0	3,052
18 Drummore	3	—	—	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	46.4	13,179
19 Port William	11	—	—	11	21	—	—	—	—	—	—	59.0	18,079
20 Isle of Whithorn	4	—	1	3	2	0.3	144	—	—	62.7	23,137	36.6	18,307
21 Garlieston	3	—	—	3	11	0.0	15	0.5	61	99.1	37,784	46.0	8,359
22 Kirkcudbright	6	—	2	4	19	1.4	380	11.8	1,760	271.8	118,547	2,404.6	548,111
23 Kippford	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
24 Carsethorn	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
25 Annan	8	2	5	1	34	—	—	—	—	1.0	153	20.3	22,184
Total	121	4	66	51	431	2,166.7	1,128,207	1,692.2	204,103	6,663.7	2,627,248	4,455.7	1,790,795

*Vessels are recorded by Base Creek but may not necessarily fish from that Creek.

†Landings of fish relate to Creek.

‡Including 8 crofter fishermen.

TABLE 38

Average prices of landings in Scotland by British vessels by month

	1977 Average Price (£ per m.t.)						1978 Average Price (£ per m.t.)					
	Cod	Haddock	Saithe	Whiting	Herring	Mackerel	Cod	Haddock	Saithe	Whiting	Herring	Mackerel
January	520.91	325.95	303.80	223.63	189.25	275.75	570.39	454.22	340.32	258.86	313.69	585.00
February	489.96	348.48	267.77	282.74	183.61	216.00	536.71	425.92	272.66	280.39	333.99	167.00
March	487.31	352.50	229.80	314.67	180.71	107.85	527.53	417.04	256.58	324.78	332.13	229.52
April	575.92	384.12	262.92	341.41	315.58	315.63	531.55	435.98	298.42	330.36	495.63	368.26
May	507.78	352.06	215.37	280.24	407.81	138.83	542.68	444.40	245.95	319.77	421.02	196.79
June	517.98	391.51	239.65	313.02	497.93	151.43	514.57	501.78	259.72	351.81	474.37	182.32
July	562.70	361.56	282.02	289.99	398.50	105.23	518.37	440.50	282.53	277.55	615.31	97.40
August	570.41	360.82	250.89	260.91	385.86	78.99	502.41	433.13	224.98	254.06	607.69	85.93
September	620.64	406.03	292.94	266.21	455.12	80.51	634.08	513.69	237.51	280.95	417.13	92.94
October	584.26	413.13	313.77	278.71	382.57	73.32	646.79	570.78	289.09	299.40	377.48	87.93
November	645.55	488.17	368.09	314.53	367.75	82.33	692.86	614.77	417.34	324.41	406.98	132.56
December	529.60	431.90	345.50	274.70	381.90	83.20	638.88	579.68	386.06	320.12	356.88	187.39

TABLE 39

Gross earnings per month by fishing method (British vessels)

	1977						1978					
	Demersal Trawl 80+ ⁺ £	Demersal Trawl -80' £	Seine Net £	Pelagic Pair Trawl £	All Methods £	Demersal Trawl 80+ ⁺ £	Demersal Trawl -80' £	Seine Net £	Pelagic Pair Trawl £	All Methods £		
January	847,144	1,508,601	2,941,165	1,177,650	7,745,214	664,541	2,187,579	3,061,774	1,165,207	8,111,673		
February	1,519,828	1,897,924	2,827,335	950,771	9,212,766	1,220,395	2,148,414	2,830,443	1,108,463	8,689,188		
March	2,041,467	2,464,346	2,874,876	470,385	9,462,180	1,577,600	3,049,597	2,916,741	778,997	9,956,370		
April	1,384,480	1,938,074	3,189,406	240,617	8,496,020	1,512,994	2,451,675	2,795,979	253,377	9,627,391		
May	1,713,070	2,488,772	3,447,452	289,874	10,040,653	1,468,399	2,756,885	3,523,463	397,572	10,309,190		
June	1,602,632	1,637,207	3,406,032	362,253	10,573,946	1,341,484	2,445,506	3,925,453	611,224	11,081,030		
July	1,644,526	1,899,920	3,225,092	463,274	9,732,006	1,295,979	2,021,721	3,324,981	353,310	9,326,946		
August	1,671,663	2,286,168	3,012,555	1,361,767	12,299,781	1,317,210	2,476,627	3,893,043	607,690	13,397,817		
September	1,244,395	2,397,915	2,879,991	1,199,672	11,430,939	1,227,503	2,552,695	3,767,280	1,010,554	14,542,043		
October	1,138,217	2,346,448	2,961,827	1,116,911	9,883,182	1,028,390	2,350,950	3,274,036	1,117,310	11,491,221		
November	1,176,610	2,499,891	2,995,261	1,180,599	9,442,849	933,123	2,291,333	3,215,772	841,389	9,285,498		
December	1,469,936	1,871,649	2,484,398	1,509,922	8,808,566	912,739	1,789,002	2,140,094	443,289	6,393,549		
Total	17,453,968	25,236,915	36,245,390	10,313,695	117,128,102	14,500,357	28,521,984	38,669,059	8,688,382	122,211,916		

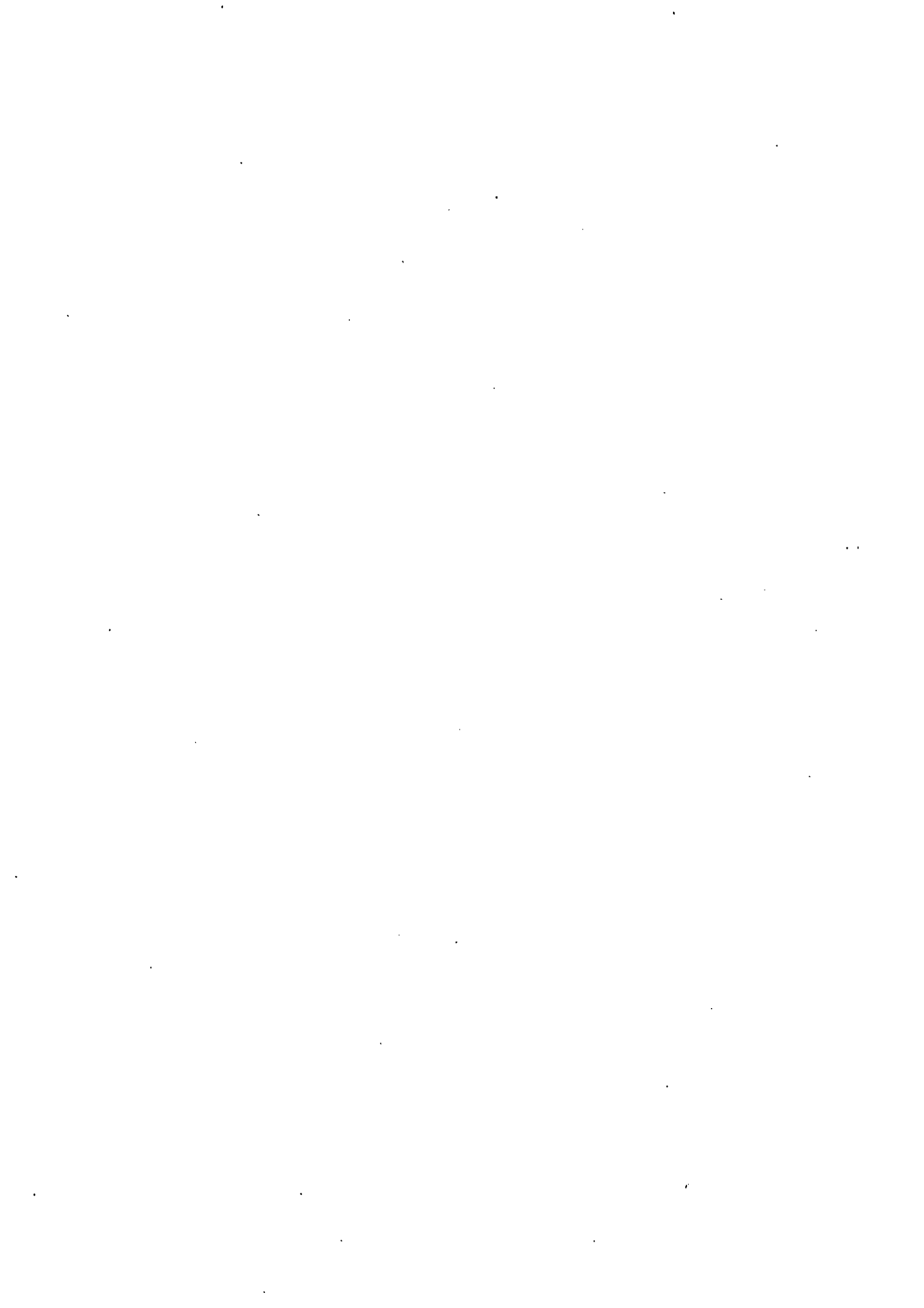
TABLE 40**British vessels: Contribution to total demersal catch by vessel length group**

Year	Under 40'		40'-59.9'		60'-79.9'		80'-109.9'		110'-139.9'		140' and Over	
	.00 m.t.	£000	.00 m.t.	£000	.00 m.t.	£000	.00 m.t.	£000	.00 m.t.	£000	.00 m.t.	£000
1974	..	..	..	..	..	..	245	5,030	391	8,046	59	1,172
1975	..	..	..	..	..	..	210	4,477	302	6,454	44	934
1976	75	1,925	686	13,041	1,399	30,362	234	6,149	302	8,604	28	841
1977	71	2,132	656	18,955	1,286	45,046	199	7,610	252	10,035	19	803
1978	67	2,253	622	19,981	1,234	47,500	168	7,034	*222	*8,732	—	—

*Includes one vessel over 140 feet.

TABLE 41**Contribution to Total Demersal Catch made by Each Fishing Method**

Method	1977				1978			
	Quantity ,00 m.t.	Per Cent	Value £000	Per Cent	Quantity ,00 m.t.	Per Cent	Value £000	Per Cent
Trawl (80ft. and over)	447.0	18.0	17,194.6	20.3	365.8	15.8	14,406.7	16.8
Trawl (under 80ft.)	1,065.9	42.8	29,013.4	34.3	1,069.5	46.2	30,747.6	36.0
Seine Net	947.6	38.1	36,870.3	43.6	847.6	36.7	38,615.6	45.2
Great Line	21.2	0.8	1,168.1	1.4	22.9	1.0	1,366.3	1.6
Small and Hand Line	5.5	0.2	255.9	0.3	5.2	0.2	242.0	0.3
Other Methods	2.1	0.1	67.0	0.1	2.2	0.1	121.4	0.1



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