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Foreword

The Freshwater Fish Marketing Corporation (FFMC) and the Department of Fisheries and Oceans, Central and Arctic Region (DFO) have, for more than thirty years, co-operated in the development and maintenance of a commercial fisheries database. The harvest data are developed from the FFMC's purchase ticket, which records the catch and payment for every sales transaction between individual harvesters and the FFMC. The database provides comprehensive information on the commercial fishery (e.g. fish harvesters, lakes, delivery points, species, weeks, months, seasons of fishing, etc.). This data has been used by the FFMC, DFO, and the fisheries management agencies of the participating provinces and territory in the FFMC's area of operation. Data is also provided on request to other federal, provincial or territorial agencies, universities, and others interested in fisheries. The participating jurisdictions include Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta, the Northwest Territories, and select parts of the northwest region of Ontario.

This report focuses on commercial freshwater fish harvesting activity in FFMC participating jurisdictions from May 1, 2004 to April 30, 2005. The period covers two distinct fishing seasons, the open water, summer fishery from May through October and the on ice, winter fishery from November through April. Marketing and historical trend information is included.

Section 1 provides harvesting data. Section 2 provides comparative analyses of each FFMC participating jurisdiction. Sections 3 through 6 provide similar analyses for each FFMC participating jurisdiction. Northwestern Ontario has been excluded from this section in consideration of the low percentage share of the province in freshwater fisheries. However, Northwestern Ontario has been included in Section 1 providing data by jurisdiction.

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Highlights 2004-2005

The following is a brief summary of key trends on commercial freshwater fish harvesting activity in FFMC participating jurisdictions for the fiscal year 2004-05. This section is intended to provide highlights on landings, landed and market values, and the number of self-employed harvesters. Please see sections 1 through 6, for detailed data tables and trend analyses.

Section 1: Western Canadian Freshwater Fisheries Summary

- 17,780 metric tonnes (t) of fish were harvested. Landings are down by 13.5% from 2003-04.
- The landed and market values of the harvest are \$29.8 million and \$55.5 million, respectively.
- Of the total landings of 17,780t, whitefish accounts for 33.1%, up slightly from 32.6% in 2003-04, pickerel accounts for 31.6%, up from 27.3% in 2003-04, mullet accounts for 14.4% down from 18.2% in 2003-04, and northern pike accounts for 10.5% slightly down from 10.9% in 2003-04.
- Landings for most species are down, except for pickerel which is slightly up by 0.1%. Although the average landing price is slightly higher in 2004-05 compared to 2003-04, the total landed value is down by 10.5% due to the drop in landings.
- Of the total landings of 17,780t, Lake Winnipeg (6,364t) accounted for the largest volume distantly followed by Lake Manitoba (967t), Lake Winnipegosis (945t) and Great Slave (907t).
- The FFMC purchased catch from 2,630 self-employed harvesters in 2004-05 compared to 2,919 in 2003-04, a fall of 9.9%. The number of self-employed harvesters falling in the landings range \$0 \$10,000 accounted for most of the decrease.

Section 2: Analysis by Jurisdiction

• Manitoba harvesters caught 67.5% of the total harvest and received 79.6% of the landed value which can be attributed to the high value of pickerel. Saskatchewan harvesters caught 17.8% of the harvest and received 10.7% of the landed value.

Alberta caught 9.5% and received 6.8%. Northwest Territories caught 5.2% and received 2.9%.

• Of the total 2,629 harvesters, Manitoba has 1,822 (69.3%), Saskatchewan has 590 (22.4%), Northwest Territories has 112 (4.3%), and Alberta has 105 (4.0%).

Section 3 - 6: Provincial Overview - (Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba, Northwest Territories)

Alberta:

- 1,681t of fish were harvested. Landings are down by 13.8% from 2003-04.
- Except pickerel, landings for all species are down from the previous year. Whitefish landings, which accounts for 91.2% of provincial landings, are down by 14.3%.
- The landed and market values of the harvest are \$2.0 million and \$3.7 million, respectively. Total landed value is down by 17.0% from 2003-04.
- Lesser Slave Lake accounted for the largest volume (43.5%) followed by Utikuma Lake (23.6%).
- There are 105 self-employed harvesters in 2004-05 down from 122 (13.9%) in 2003-04. The decrease is mainly caused by the fall in winter season harvesters.
- The number of self-employed summer season harvesters is up by 13.9% in 2004-05 while the number of self-employed winter season harvesters is down by 35.7%. The number of self-employed harvesters is down by 15.9% in both seasons.

Saskatchewan:

- 3,162t of fish were harvested. Landings are down by 9.8% from 2003-04.
- Except for northern pike and mullet, landings for all other species are down in 2004-05. Whitefish accounts for 30.6% of the total harvests, down from 33.6% in 2003-04, followed by mullet at 24.8%, up from 19.3% in 2003-04.
- The landed and market values of the harvest are \$3.2 million and \$6.2 million, respectively. The total landed value is down by 17.7% in 2004-05.
- Reindeer Lake accounted for the largest volume (12.4% of 3,162t) followed by Ile-a-la Crosse lake (11.8% of 3,162t).

• The number of self-employed harvesters are down from 719 in 2003-04 to 590 in 2004-05 across all categories. The number of self-employed winter season harvesters fell by 25.6% in 2004-05 and that of summer season is up slightly by 0.4%. The number of self-employed harvesters who worked both summer and winter fell by 43.2%.

Manitoba:

- 12,004t of fish were harvested. Landings are down by 14.1% from 2003-04.
- Expect for pickerel, which accounts 41.8% of the total harvests, landings fell for all other major species from 2003-04. Pickerel landings are up by 2.2% in 2004-05, and whitefish, which accounts for 22.2%, are down by 8.4% in 2004-05.
- The landed and market values of the harvest are \$23.7 million and \$43.7 million, respectively. Total landed value is down by 8.0% from the previous year.
- Lake Winnipeg accounts for most of the catch (53.0% of 12,004t) followed by the Lake Manitoba (8.1% of 12,004t).
- The number of self-employed harvesters is 1,822, down by 5.6% from the previous year. The number of self-employed summer season harvesters is up by 28.8% in 2004-05 and is down by 26.6% for winter season and 41.4% for both seasons' harvesters.

Northwest Territories:

- 930t of fish were harvested. Landings are down by 2.5% from 2003-04.
- Except for pickerel and lake trout, landings of all other species are down by 15.5% in 2004-05. Whitefish landings accounts for 77.8% of the total harvests 930t and are down by 11.3% in 2004-05. In contrast, pickerel and lake trout which account for 3.6% and 6.6% of 930t, respectively, are up by approximately 7% in 2004-05.
- The landed and market values of the harvest are \$0.9 million and \$2.0 million, respectively. The total landed value is down by 28.1% from 2003-04.
- Great Slave Lake accounts for most for the landings (97.5% of 930t) followed by Kakisa Lake (2.4% of 930t).
- The number of self-employed harvesters is down from 146 in 2003-04 to 112 in 2004-05. The numbers of both self-employed winter season and both seasons harvesters are down by 54.5% and 31.4%, respectively, while the number of self-employed summer season harvesters remains the same.

Annual Summary of Harvesting Activities: At a Glance

			Jurisdiction	n	
	Alberta	Saskatchewan	Manitoba	NWT	Total*
Landings (t)	1,682	3,160	12,004	930	17,780
% Change from 2003-04	-13.8%	-9.9%	-14.1%	-14.7%	-13.4%
Landed Value (\$000)	2,028	3,198	23,736	863	29,830
% Change from 2003-04	-17.1%	-17.7%	-8.0%	-28.3%	-10.5%
Self-Employed Harvesters	105	590	1,822	112	2,630
% Change from 2003-04	-13.9%	-17.9%	-5.6%	-23.7%	-9.9%
Major Harvested Species	Whitefish,	Whitefish,	Whitefish,	Whitefish,	Whitefish, Pickerel,
inager ran reside species	Pickerel,	mullet, Pickerel,	Pickerel, sauger,	Pickerel, lake	sauger, northern pike,
	northern	northern pike,	northern pike,	trout, northern	mullet, lake trout
	pike	lake trout	perch, mullet	pike, inconnu	

Note: * includes Northwestern Ontario; ** To protect the identities of harvesters where the number of harvesters is three or less, the "rule of three" <4 (less than four) is used.

Glossary of Terms:

<u>Delivery Point</u>: A delivery point is a fish facility where fish harvesters sell their catches directly to the FFMC or indirectly through agents of the FFMC.

<u>Fiscal Year</u>: A fiscal year refers to the period from May 1 through to April 30 of the subsequent year. There are two fishing seasons in a fiscal year. Thus, 2004-2005 refers to the period May 1, 2004 to April 30, 2005. The summer season, which is the open water fishery, begins May 1 and ends October 30. The winter season is an ice fishery that begins when the lakes freeze, around November 1, and continues until spring thaw, usually about April 30.

Landed Quantity: The landed quantity is an estimate reflecting the weight of fish marketed to the FFMC by commercial harvesters. (Federal and provincial law requires harvesters to sell their catches, excluding sales made directly to final consumers, to the FFMC.) This estimate expresses the catch as if it were all harvested in one form, the live weight equivalent. Due to fish harvester's selling fish in a variety of forms (round, gutted, and gutted with head off), conversion factors are used to determine the live weight equivalent.

Landed Value: The landed value represents the payments received by fish harvester for fish sales to the FFMC. The payments are generally recorded *f.o.b. lakeside* although in some cases, especially in the north, payments are *f.o.b. a central delivery point* which may be some distance from the lake where fish are harvested. Harvesters receive both initial and final payments for their catches, the final payment is dependent on the FFMC's net earnings for the period. The landed values reported reflect the respective year's Canadian dollar value and include both the initial and final payments.

<u>Marketed Value</u>: The marketed value estimates the value of the year's catch as the product of the landed quantity of each species and the average market selling price for the year. Because the estimates do not carryover inventory from year to year, market value differs from the FFMC statement of annual fish sales.

<u>Nominal Dollars</u>: Nominal dollars are the current dollar amounts paid or received at the time of harvest or sale. Nominal dollars are not adjusted for inflation.

<u>Product Weights</u>: Product weights are the actual weights of the final product sold. Fish are sold in a variety of products forms (round, dressed fillets, deboned blocks, etc.) and product weights should not be confused with live equivalent weights.

<u>Self-Employed Harvester</u>: A self-employed fish harvester is generally the owner/operator of the fishing business. All self-employed harvesters must be licensed for commercial fishing. Note that in the tables reporting the distribution of landed values, the "rule of three" is used to protect the identities of fish harvesters who fall within an income interval that contains three or less harvesters. In such cases, the symbol <4 is used.

<u>Full Time Equivalent Employment:</u> Full time equivalent employment is calculated based on information for harvesting activities only and not associated with processing activities. It is calculated by dividing the number of weeks worked by the number of weeks (52) in a given year.

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Section 1:

Western Canadian Freshwater Fisheries Summary

Figure 1.1 Landings by Species 2004/05 Total: 17,780 tonnes

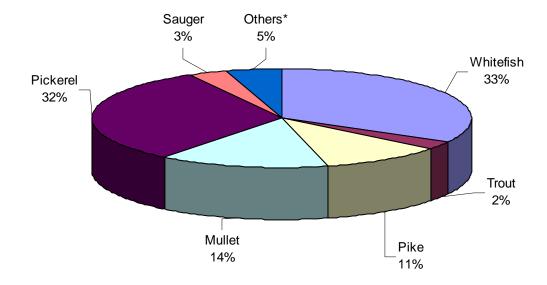
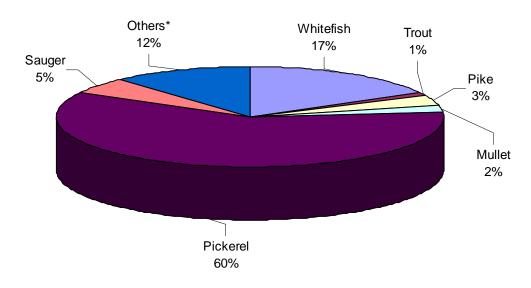


Figure 1.2 Landed Value by Species 2004/05 Total: \$29.8 Million



Note: * Includes burbot, carp, drum, goldeye, inconnu, perch, tullibee, white bass, and whitefish roe.

Table 1.1 Landings, Landed and Marketed Values by Species Western Canadian Freshwater Fisheries, 2004/05

Species	Landings (t)	Landed Value (\$000)	Market Value (\$000)
Whitefish	5,884	5,513	10,406
Whitefish Roe	73	405	802
Pickerel	5,625	19,185	35,812
Sauger	590	1,710	1,699
Lake Trout	442	288	588
Northern Pike	1,868	1,131	2,389
Tullibee	79	44	155
Perch	181	589	673
Mullet	2,553	706	2,497
Carp	415	186	343
Inconnu	47	50	78
Goldeye	9	17	35
White Bass	12	5	10
Burbot	2	<1	<1
Total	17,780	29,829	55,487

Figure 1.3 Landings by Major Lakes 2004/05 Total: 10,678 tonnes

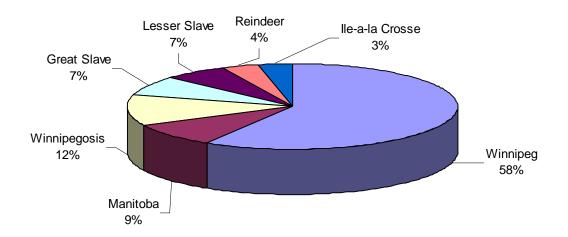


Figure 1.4
Landed Value by Major Lakes
2004/05
Total: \$20.0 Million

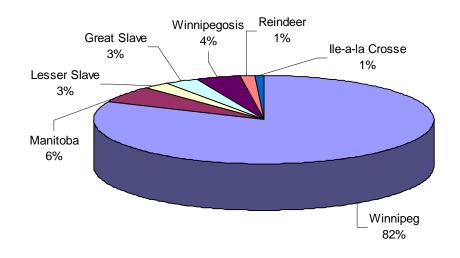


Table 1.2
Landings and Landed Value by Species and Major Western Canadian Lakes
Western Canadian Freshwater Fisheries, 2004/05

	Major Lakes													
	Winni	peg	Manit	oba	Winnipe	egosis	Great	Slave	Lesser	Slave	Reino	leer	lle-a-la (Crosse
Species	Landings (t)	Landed Value (\$000)												
Whitefish	1,662	1,637	5	4	58	48	722	634	695	393	156	101	25	21
Pickerel	3,702	12,393	151	481	130	472	12	41	3	10	5	19	13	46
Sauger	577	1,670	5	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	<1	1
Lake Trout	0	0	0	0	0	0	61	30	0	0	210	151	0	0
Northern Pike	119	71	40	26	105	68	63	31	13	8	14	8	103	55
Perch	64	221	111	353	4	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mullet	140	38	344	97	617	188	<1	<1	0	0	7	2	230	62
Carp	46	28	310	130	30	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Others	54 ⁴	237	2 ²	1	0	0	49 ³	51	20 ⁴	111	0	0	1 ⁵	<1
Total	6,364	16,295	967	1,105	945	798	907	787	731	522	392	281	372	186

Note: ⁴ Includes drum, goldeye, tullibee, white bass, and whitefish roe; ² Includes Tullibee; ³ Includes burbot, goldeye, inconnu; ⁴ Includes whitefish roe; ⁵ Includes Tullibee.

Figure 1.5
Self-Employed Harvesters by Season 2004/05
Total: 2,630 Harvesters

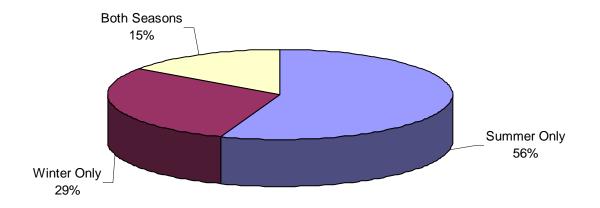


Table 1.3 Number of Self-Employed Harvesters by Season Fished Western Canadian Freshwater Fisheries, 2004/05

Season	Self-employed
Summer Only	1463
Winter Only	767
Both	400
Total	2,630

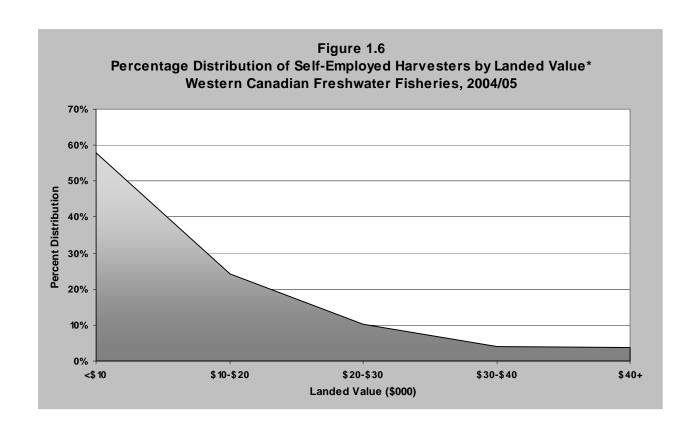


Figure 1.7

Average Payment, Weight, and the Number of Self-Employed

Harvesters by Landed Values

Western Canadian Freshwater Fisheries, 2004/05

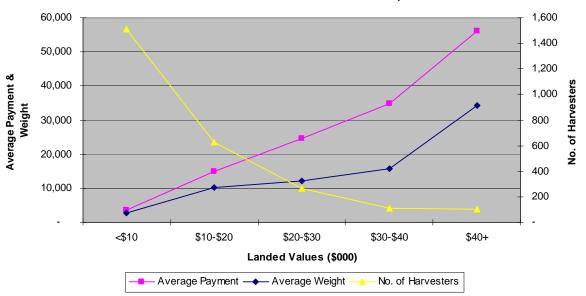


Figure 1.8

Number of Full-Time Equivalent Employment by Landed Value

Western Canadian Freshwater Fisheries, 2004/05

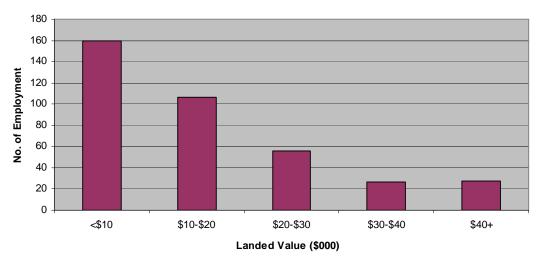


Table 1.4
Landings, Landed Value, Full-Time Equivalent Employment and Fishing Effort by
Landed Value
Western Canadian Freshwater Fisheries, 2004/05

Landed Value	No. of	Full-Time	Averages Per Harvesters							
	Harvesters	Employment	Deliveries	Weeks	Weights (lb.)	Payments (\$)				
\$0 - \$10,000	1,510	160	14	5	2,872	3,428				
\$10001 - \$20,000	630	106	31	9	7,982	13,874				
\$20,001 - \$30,000	264	56	43	11	12,144	24,488				
\$30,001 - \$40,000	107	27	50	13	15,876	34,865				
\$40,001+	101	27	54	14	34,392	56,167				

Note: (i) Weeks refer to a week in which fishing activities occurred; (ii) Payments refer to value paid to harvesters upon delivery.

Figure 1.9
Landings Trend by Major Species
Western Canadian Freshwater Fisheries, 1996 - 2004

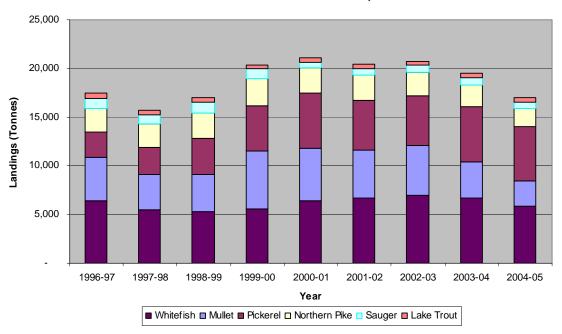


Figure 1.10
Landed Value Trend by Major Species
Western Canadian Freshwater Fisheries, 1996 - 2004

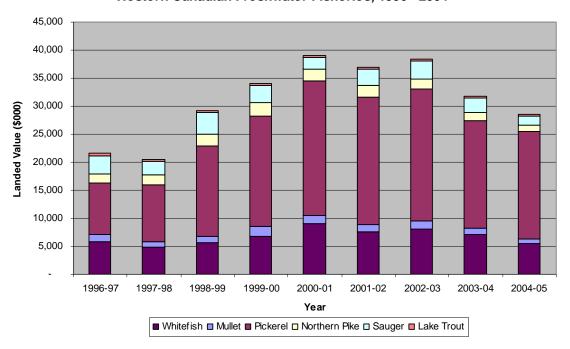


Table 1.5
Landings and Landed Value Trend by Species
Western Canadian Freshwater Fisheries, 1996 - 2004

Species	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05
Landings (t)	_	-			-	-			
Whitefish	6,378	5,484	5,300	5,596	6,459	6,694	6,925	6,690	5,884
% Change		-14.0%	-3.4%	5.6%	15.4%	3.6%	3.5%	-3.4%	-12.0%
% of Total Landings	33.8%	32.8%	29.1%	25.9%	29.2%	30.6%	30.7%	32.6%	33.1%
Mullet	4,532	3,633	3,822	5,936	5,298	4,947	5,131	3,734	2,553
% Change		-19.8%	5.2%	55.3%	-10.7%	-6.6%	3.7%	-27.2%	-31.6%
% of Total Landings	24.0%	21.7%	21.0%	27.5%	23.9%	22.6%	22.7%	18.2%	14.4%
Pickerel	2,593	2,770	3,688	4,627	5,708	5,120	5,142	5,618	5,625
% Change		6.8%	33.1%	25.5%	23.4%	-10.3%	0.4%	9.3%	0.1%
% of Total Landings	13.8%	16.6%	20.3%	21.4%	25.8%	23.4%	22.8%	27.3%	31.6%
Northern Pike	2,350	2,407	2,624	2,818	2,621	2,524	2,398	2,249	1,868
% Change		2.4%	9.0%	7.4%	-7.0%	-3.7%	-5.0%	-6.2%	-16.9%
% of Total Landings	12.5%	14.4%	14.4%	13.1%	11.8%	11.5%	10.6%	10.9%	10.5%
Sauger	969	1,128	1,013	585	687	782	772	590	314
% Change		16.4%	-10.2%	-42.3%	17.4%	13.8%	-1.3%	-23.6%	-46.8%
% of Total Landings	5.8%	5.8%	6.2%	4.7%	2.6%	3.1%	3.5%	3.8%	3.3%
Lake Trout	474	425	368	406	497	376	442	442	416
% Change		-10.3%	-13.4%	10.3%	22.4%	-24.3%	17.6%	0.0%	-5.9%
% of Total Landings	2.8%	2.8%	2.3%	1.7%	1.8%	2.3%	1.7%	2.2%	2.5%
Others*	1,375	986	1,198	1,230	1,080	1,416	1,814	1,044	818
% Change		-28.3%	21.5%	2.7%	-12.2%	31.1%	28.1%	-42.4%	-21.6%
% of Total Landings	7.3%	5.9%	6.6%	5.7%	4.9%	6.5%	8.0%	5.1%	4.6%
Total	18,857	16,723	18,185	21,588	22,157	21,885	22,568	20,549	17,780
% Change		-11.3%	8.7%	18.7%	2.6%	-1.2%	3.1%	-8.9%	-13.5%
Landed Value (\$000)									
Whitefish	5,882	4,869	5,627	6,808	9,005	7,533	8,065	7,150	5,513
% Change		-17.2%	15.6%	21.0%	32.3%	-16.3%	7.1%	-11.3%	-22.9%
Mullet	1,290	952	1,111	1,707	1,539	1,380	1,396	1,006	706
% Change		-26.2%	16.7%	53.6%	-9.8%	-10.3%	1.2%	-27.9%	-29.8%
Pickerel	9,196	10,190	16,169	19,775	23,925	22,759	23,671	19,306	19,185
% Change		10.8%	58.7%	22.3%	21.0%	-4.9%	4.0%	-18.4%	-0.6%
Northern Pike	1,591	1,653	2,140	2,335	2,223	1,975	1,738	1,477	1,131
% Change		3.9%	29.5%	9.1%	-4.8%	-11.2%	-12.0%	-15.0%	-23.4%
Sauger	3,184	2,508	3,816	3,156	1,993	2,952	3,150	2,485	1,710
% Change		-21.2%	52.2%	-17.3%	-36.9%	48.1%	6.7%	-21.1%	-31.2%
Lake Trout	456	366	320	286	313	380	295	350	288
% Change		-19.7%	-12.6%	-10.6%	9.4%	21.4%	-22.4%	18.6%	-17.7%
Others*	1,766	1,444	1,853	1,840	1,647	3,606	2,737	1,571	1,296
% Change		-18.2%	28.3%	-0.7%	-10.5%	118.9%	-24.1%	-42.6%	-17.5%
Total	23,365	21,982	31,036	35,907	40,645	40,585	41,052	33,345	29,829
% Change		-5.9%	41.2%	15.7%	13.2%	-0.1%	1.2%	-18.8%	-10.5%

Note: * Includes burbot, goldeye, carp, drum, inconnu, perch, tullibee, white bass, and whitefish roe.

Figure 1.11 Landings by Major Western Canadian Lakes Western Canadian Freshwater Fisheries, 1996 - 2004

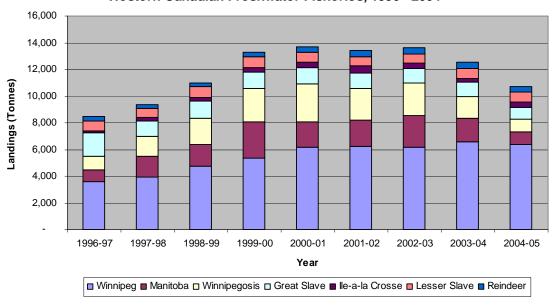


Figure 1.12
Landed Value by Major Western Canadian Lakes
Western Canadian Freshwater Fisheries, 1996 - 2004

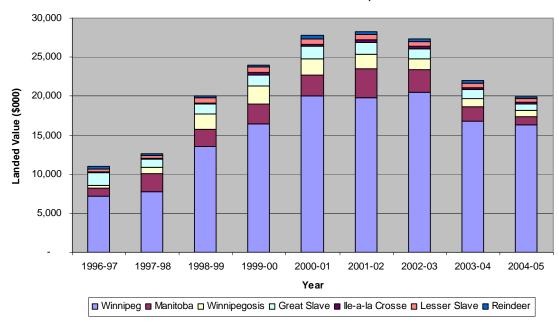


Table 1.6 Landings and Landed Value Trend by Major Western Canadian Lakes Western Canadian Freshwater Fisheries, 1996 - 2004

Major Lakes	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05
Landings (t)				_		_		_	
Winnipeg	3,611	3,907	4,761	5,334	6,174	6,213	6,200	6,601	6,364
% Change		8.2%	21.9%	12.0%	15.7%	0.6%	-0.2%	6.5%	-3.6%
Manitoba	873	1,602	1,594	2,715	1,916	2,004	2,363	1,739	967
% Change		83.5%	-0.5%	70.3%	-29.4%	4.6%	17.9%	-26.4%	-44.4%
Winnipegosis	1,025	1,458	1,991	2,557	2,847	2,366	2,444	1,627	945
% Change		42.2%	36.6%	28.4%	11.3%	-16.9%	3.3%	-33.4%	-41.9%
Great Slave	1,712	1,201	1,257	1,212	1,169	1,149	1,065	1,068	907
% Change		-29.8%	4.7%	-3.6%	-3.5%	-1.7%	-7.3%	0.3%	-15.1%
Lesser Slave	728	686	800	820	754	725	705	749	731
% Change		-5.8%	16.6%	2.5%	-8.0%	-3.8%	-2.8%	6.2%	-2.4%
Reindeer	316	265	287	321	404	433	474	453	392
% Change		-16.1%	8.3%	11.8%	25.9%	7.2%	9.5%	-4.4%	-13.5%
Ile-a-la Crosse	183	261	281	333	412	508	382	289	372
% Change		42.6%	7.7%	18.5%	23.7%	23.3%	-24.8%	-24.3%	28.7%
Total	8,448	9,380	10,971	13,292	13,676	13,398	13,633	12,526	10,678
% Change		11.0%	17.0%	21.2%	2.9%	-2.0%	1.8%	-8.1%	-14.8%
% of Total Landings*	44.8%	56.1%	60.3%	61.6%	61.7%	61.2%	60.4%	61.0%	60.1%
Total Landings	18,857	16,723	18,185	21,588	22,157	21,885	22,568	20,549	17,780
Landed Value (\$000)	_			_		_			
Winnipeg	7,202	7,784	13,510	16,487	19,982	19,805	20,479	16,738	16,295
% Change		-7.4%	73.6%	22.0%	21.2%	-0.9%	3.4%	-18.3%	-2.6%
Manitoba	977	2,237	2,273	2,559	2,719	3,749	2,913	1,964	1,104
% Change		19.3%	1.6%	12.6%	6.3%	37.9%	-22.3%	-32.6%	-43.8%
Winnipegosis	435	832	1,899	2,250	2,077	1,837	1,431	1,002	798
% Change		91.3%	128.2%	18.5%	-7.7%	-11.6%	-22.1%	-30.0%	-20.4%
Great Slave	1,577	1,071	1,270	1,422	1,576	1,454	1,239	1,122	788
% Change		-32.1%	18.6%	12.0%	10.8%	-7.7%	-14.8%	-9.4%	-29.8%
Lesser Slave	394	384	594	686	707	647	564	583	522
% Change		-2.5%	54.7%	15.5%	3.1%	-8.5%	-12.8%	3.4%	-10.5%
Reindeer	282	203	246	298	393	390	378	371	281
% Change		-28.0%	21.2%	21.1%	31.9%	-0.8%	-3.1%	-1.9%	-24.3%
Ile-a-la Crosse	90	126	207	300	293	366	345	219	186
% Change		40.0%	64.3%	44.9%	-2.3%	24.9%	-5.7%	-36.5%	-15.1%
Total	10,957	12,637	19,999	24,002	27,747	28,248	27,349	21,999	19,974
% Change		15.3%	58.3%	20.0%	15.6%	1.8%	-3.2%	-19.6%	-9.2%
% of Total Landed Value**	46.9%	57.5%	64.4%	66.8%	68.3%	69.6%	66.6%	66.0%	67.0%
Total Landed Value	23,365	21,982	31,036	35,907	40,645	40,585	41,052	33,345	29,829

Notes: * Total landings in all Western Canadian lakes; ** Total landed values of landings in all Western Canadian lakes.

Figure 1.13
Estimated Number of Self-Employed Harvesters
Western Canadian Freshwater Fisheries, 1996 - 2004

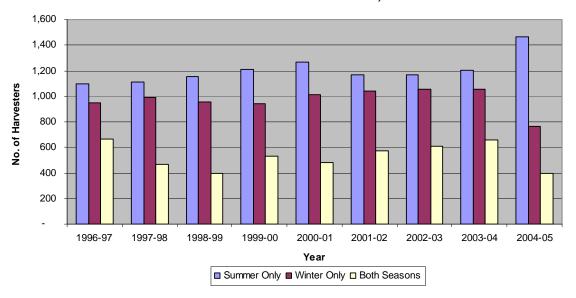


Table 1.7 Number of Self-Employed Harvesters Trend by Season Fished Western Canadian Freshwater Fisheries, 1996 - 2004

Season	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05
Summer Only	1,099	1,113	1,157	1,208	1,268	1,169	1,171	1,207	1,463
% Change		1.3%	4.0%	4.4%	5.0%	-7.8%	0.2%	3.1%	21.2%
Winter Only	949	990	955	941	1,015	1,043	1,056	1,057	767
% Change		4.3%	-3.5%	-1.5%	7.9%	2.8%	1.2%	0.1%	-27.4%
Both	664	466	398	530	483	573	606	655	400
% Change		-29.8%	-14.6%	33.2%	-8.9%	18.6%	5.8%	8.1%	-38.9%
Total	2,712	2,569	2,510	2,679	2,766	2,785	2,833	2,919	2,630
% Change		-5.3%	-2.3%	6.7%	3.3%	0.7%	1.7%	3.0%	-9.9%

Figure 1.14

Number of Self-Employed Harvesters by Landed Value
Western Canadian Freshwater Fisheries, 1996 - 2004

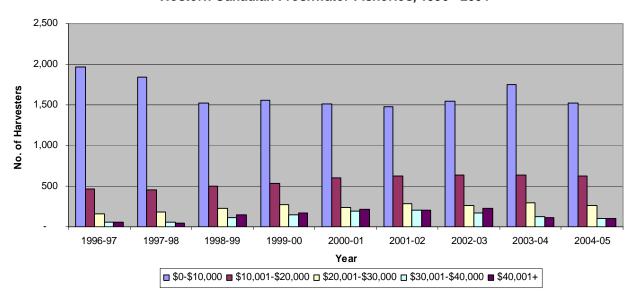


Table 1.8

Average Payment, Weight and Total Number of Self-Employed Harvesters Trend by Landed Value

Western Canadian Freshwater Fisheries, 1996 - 2004

Landed Value	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05
Average Payment (\$	S)								
\$0 - \$10,000	3,519	3,575	3,695	3,892	3,780	3,685	3,769	3,670	3,428
\$10001 - \$20,000	13,876	13,875	14,006	14,298	14,559	14,471	14,489	13,965	13,874
\$20,001 - \$30,000	24,044	23,746	24,922	24,624	25,180	24,743	24,500	24,781	24,488
\$30,001 - \$40,000	34,980	33,996	33,950	34,314	34,012	34,404	34,583	35,283	34,865
\$40,001+	69,215	64,931	59,934	60,843	61,672	60,396	61,791	57,375	56,167
Average Weight (t)									
\$0 - \$10,000	2,485	3,002	2,563	2,960	2,889	2,751	2,911	2,872	2,872
\$10001 - \$20,000	8,272	10,168	8,936	8,622	8,229	8,499	7,809	8,685	7,982
\$20,001 - \$30,000	14,300	14,973	12,806	13,665	13,585	12,240	13,240	13,330	12,144
\$30,001 - \$40,000	19,763	24,618	15,809	16,876	14,014	15,069	15,303	17,400	15,876
\$40,001+	46,939	55,338	34,466	35,934	31,243	29,929	31,656	35,288	34,392
Number of Self-Emp	- oloyed Harve	esters		-		-	_		
\$0 - \$10,000	1,970	1,838	1,522	1,555	1,512	1,477	1,547	1,754	1,528
\$10001 - \$20,000	470	450	501	531	601	621	636	634	630
\$20,001 - \$30,000	159	179	222	276	241	279	259	297	264
\$30,001 - \$40,000	59	55	116	146	191	207	165	123	107
\$40,001+	54	47	149	172	221	201	226	111	101
Total	2,712	2,569	2,510	2,680	2,766	2,785	2,833	2,919	2,630
% Change		-5.3%	-2.3%	6.8%	3.2%	0.7%	1.7%	3.0%	-9.9%

Figure 1.15

Number of Full-Time Equivalent Employment Trend by Landed Value

Western Canadian Freshwater Fisheries, 1996 - 2004

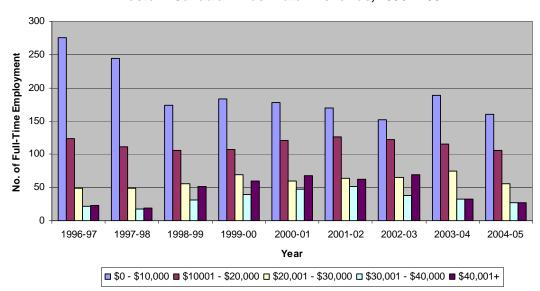


Table 1.9

Number of Full-Time Equivalent Employment Trend by Landed Value

Western Canadian Freshwater Fisheries, 1996 - 2004

Landed Value	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05
\$0 - \$10,000	276	244	174	184	178	170	152	188	160
\$10001 - \$20,000	123	111	105	107	121	126	122	115	106
\$20,001 - \$30,000	50	48	56	69	60	64	65	74	56
\$30,001 - \$40,000	22	18	31	39	48	52	38	33	27
\$40,001+	24	19	52	60	68	62	70	32	27
Total	495	440	418	459	475	474	447	443	376
% Change		-11.0%	-5.2%	9.9%	3.5%	-0.2%	-5.7%	-0.9%	-15.1%

Section 2:

Analysis by Jurisdiction:
Alberta (AB)
Saskatchewan (SK)
Manitoba (MB)
Northwest Territories (NWT)

Figure 2.1 Landings By Jurisdiction 2004/05 Total: 17,780 tonnes

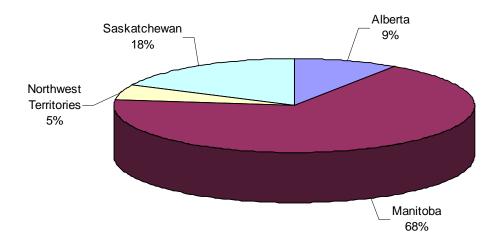


Figure 2.2
Landed Value by Jurisdiction
2004/05
Total: \$29.8 Million

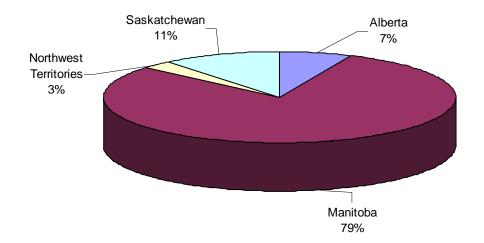


Table 2.1 Landings, Landed and Market Values Western Canadian Freshwater Fisheries, 2004/05

Jurisdiction	Landings (t)	Landed Value (\$000)	Market Value (\$000)
Alberta	1,682	2,028	3,659
Saskatchewan	3,160	3,198	6,190
Manitoba	12,004	23,736	43,722
NWT	930	863	1,911
Total	17,776	29,825	55,482

Table 2.2 Number of Self-Employed Harvesters by Season Fished Western Canadian Freshwater Fisheries, 2004/05

Season	Alberta	Saskatchewan	Manitoba	NWT	Total
Summer only	41	242	1,118	62	1,463
Winter only	27	323	402	15	767
Both seasons	37	25	302	35	400
Total	105	590	1,822	112	2,629

Figure 2.3
Self-Employed harvesters by Jurisdiction 2004/05
Total: 2,629 Harvesters

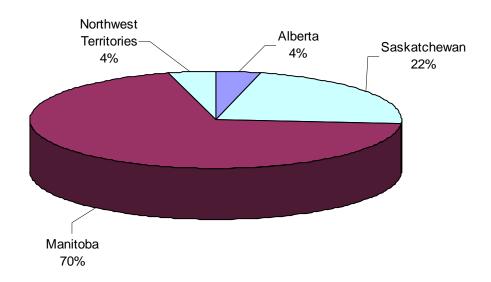


Figure 2.4
Harvesters by Season and Jurisdiction 2004/05

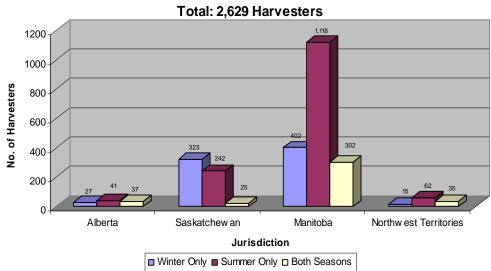


Figure 2.5
Percentage Distribution of Self-Employed Harvesters by Landed Value
Western Canadian Freshwater Fisheries, 2004/05

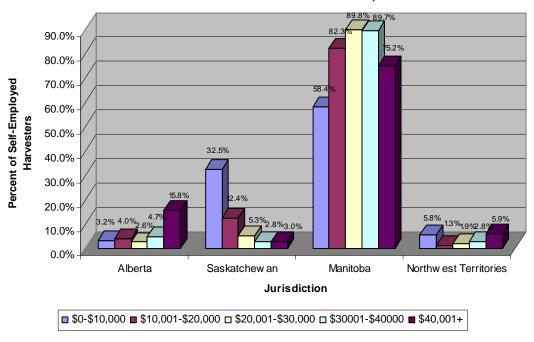


Table 2.3
Distribution of Self-Employed Harvesters by Landed Value
Western Canadian Freshwater Fisheries, 2004/05

Landed Value	Alberta	Saskatchewan	Manitoba	NWT	Region
\$0 - \$10,000	49	493	892	88	1,522
\$10001 - \$20,000	25	77	520	8	630
\$20,001 - \$30,000	7	14	238	5	264
\$30,001 - \$40,000	5	<4	96	<4	101
\$40,001+	16	<4	76	6	98
Total	102	584	1,822	107	2,615

Note: Total does not include the number for less than 4.

Figure 2.6
Full-Time Equivalent Employment by Landed Value and Jurisdiction
Western Canadian Freshwater Fisheries, 2004/05

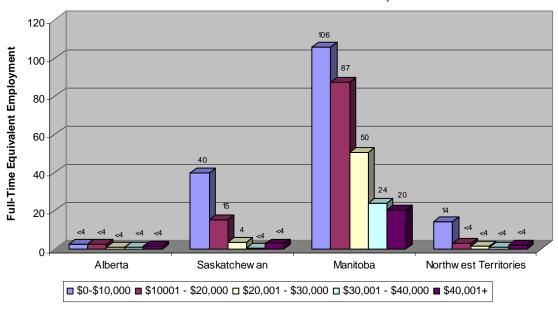


Table 2.4
Distribution of Full-Time Equivalent Employment by Landed Value
Western Canadian Freshwater Fisheries, 2004/05

Landed Value	Alberta	Saskatchewan	Manitoba	NWT	Region
\$0 - \$10,000	4	40	106	15	165
\$10001 - \$20,000	< 4	15	87	<4	103
\$20,001 - \$30,000	< 4	4	50	<4	54
\$30,001 - \$40,000	< 4	<4	24	<4	24
\$40,001+	< 4	<4	20	<4	20
Total		59	288	14	366

Note: Total does not include the number for less than 4.

Figure 2.7
Landings Trend by Jurisdiction
Western Canadian Freshwater Fisheries, 1996 - 2004

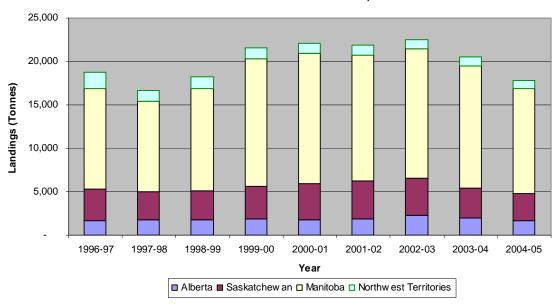


Figure 2.8
Percent of Total Landings by Jurisdiction
Western Canadian Freshwater Fisheries, 1996 - 2004

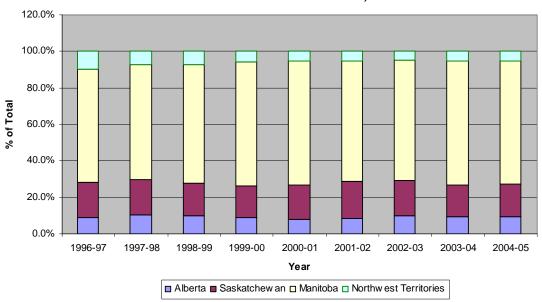


Figure 2.9
Landed Value Trend by Jurisdiction
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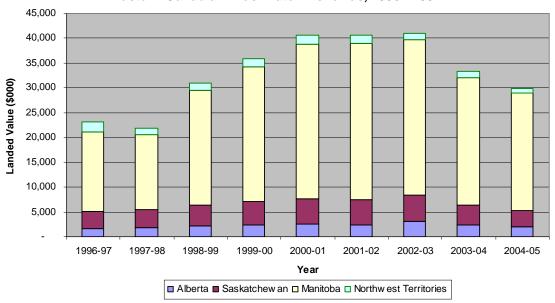


Table 2.5
Landings and Landed Value Trend
Western Canadian Freshwater Fisheries, 1996 - 2004

Jurisdiction	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05
Landings (t.)						_			
Alberta	1,716	1,764	1,758	1,903	1,739	1,854	2,274	1,956	1,682
% Change		2.8%	-0.3%	8.2%	-8.6%	6.6%	22.7%	-14.0%	-14.0%
% of Total Landings	9.1%	10.6%	9.7%	8.8%	7.9%	8.5%	10.1%	9.5%	9.5%
Saskatchewan	3,615	3,215	3,310	3,761	4,159	4,425	4,284	3,507	3,160
% Change		-11.1%	3.0%	13.6%	10.6%	6.4%	-3.2%	-18.1%	-9.9%
% of Total Landings	19.2%	19.3%	18.2%	17.5%	18.8%	20.2%	19.0%	17.1%	17.8%
Manitoba	11,593	10,439	11,811	14,633	15,016	14,414	14,903	13,981	12,004
% Change		-10.0%	13.1%	23.9%	2.6%	-4.0%	3.4%	-6.2%	-14.1%
% of Total Landings	61.7%	62.6%	65.0%	67.9%	67.9%	65.9%	66.1%	68.1%	67.5%
Northwest Territories	1,867	1,253	1,302	1,245	1,200	1,167	1,085	1,090	930
% Change		-32.9%	3.9%	-4.4%	-3.6%	-2.8%	-7.0%	0.5%	-14.7%
% of Total Landings	9.9%	7.5%	7.2%	5.8%	5.4%	5.3%	4.8%	5.3%	5.2%
Total	18,791	16,671	18,181	21,542	22,114	21,860	22,546	20,534	17,776
% Change	-	-11.3%	9.1%	18.5%	2.7%	-1.2%	3.1%	-8.9%	-13.4%
Landed Value (\$000)		-				-	_	-	
Alberta	1,642	1,870	2,096	2,455	2,624	2,387	3,162	2,446	2,028
% Change		13.9%	12.1%	17.1%	6.9%	-9.0%	32.5%	-22.6%	-17.1%
Saskatchewan	3,546	3,663	4,324	4,659	4,958	5,102	5,140	3,884	3,198
% Change		3.3%	18.0%	7.7%	6.4%	2.9%	0.7%	-24.4%	-17.7%
Manitoba	15,966	15,043	23,160	27,161	31,299	31,548	31,397	25,800	23,736
% Change		-5.8%	54.0%	17.3%	15.2%	0.8%	-0.5%	-17.8%	-8.0%
Northwest Territories	2,011	1,241	1,447	1,525	1,676	1,519	1,324	1,203	863
% Change		-38.3%	16.6%	5.4%	9.9%	-9.4%	-12.8%	-9.1%	-28.3%
Total	23,165	21,817	31,027	35,800	40,557	40,556	41,023	33,333	29,825
% Change		-5.8%	42.2%	15.4%	13.3%	0.0%	1.2%	-18.8%	-10.5%

Figure 2.10

Number of Self-Employed Harvesters by Season Fished (Summer Only)

Western Canadian Freshwater Fisheries, 1996 - 2004

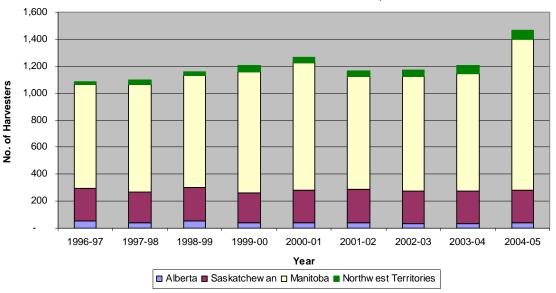


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Number of Self-Employed Harvesters by Season Fished (Winter Only)

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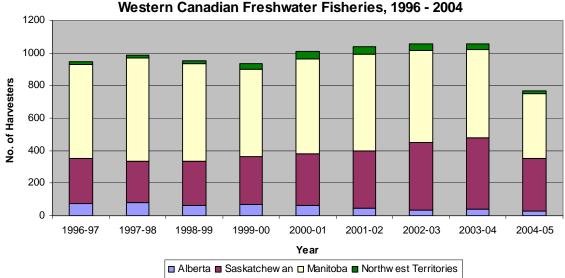


Figure 2.12

Number of Self-Employed Harvesters by Season Fished (Both Seasons)

Western Canadian Freshwater Fisheries, 1996 - 2004

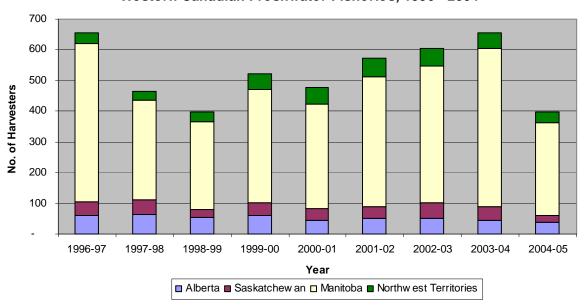


Table 2.6 Number of Self-Employed Harvesters Trend by Season Fished Western Canadian Freshwater Fisheries, 1996 - 2004

Jurisdiction	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05
Alberta	191	183	172	166	147	139	124	122	105
Summer only	54	41	55	40	41	43	35	36	41
Winter only	77	79	64	67	63	46	37	42	27
Both Seasons	60	63	53	59	43	50	52	44	37
Saskatchewan	558	528	540	561	598	635	703	719	590
Summer only	238	228	243	219	237	243	239	241	242
Winter only	274	253	271	299	320	353	413	434	323
Both Seasons	46	47	26	43	41	39	51	44	25
Manitoba	1,862	1,762	1,723	1,805	1,869	1,855	1,858	1,931	1,822
Summer only	770	798	834	900	948	838	848	868	1,118
Winter only	577	638	601	536	582	593	567	548	402
Both Seasons	515	326	288	369	339	424	443	515	302
Northwest Territories	76	77	73	131	136	151	146	146	112
Summer only	24	28	25	47	40	44	49	62	62
Winter only	18	19	18	33	43	48	39	33	15
Both Seasons	34	30	30	51	53	59	58	51	35
Total	2,687	2,550	2,508	2,663	2,750	2,780	2,831	2,918	2,629
% Change		-5.1%	-1.7%	6.2%	3.3%	1.1%	1.8%	3.1%	-9.9%
Summer only	1,086	1,095	1,157	1,206	1,266	1,168	1,171	1,207	1,463
Winter only	946	989	954	935	1,008	1,040	1,056	1,057	767
Both Seasons	655	466	397	522	476	572	604	654	399

Figure 2.13

Number of Full-Time Equivalent Employment Trend
Western Canadian Freshwater Fisheries, 1996 - 2004

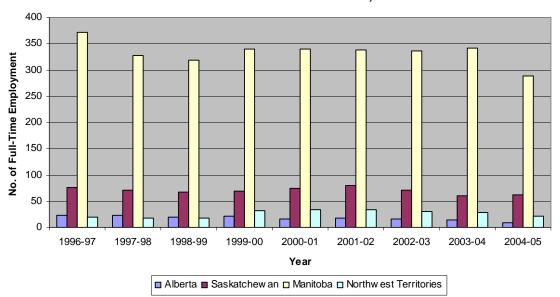


Table 2.7 Number of Full-Time Equivalent Employment Trend Western Canadian Freshwater Fisheries, 1996 - 2004

Jurisdiction	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05
Alberta	23	31	19	21	17	17	16	14	8
Saskatchewan	76	70	67	69	74	80	70	59	62
Manitoba	372	327	319	339	340	338	337	341	289
Northwest Territories	19	20	18	33	33	33	29	29	22
Total	490	448	423	462	464	468	453	443	380
% Change		-8.5%	-3.5%	9.1%	0.4%	0.9%	-3.3%	-2.1%	-14.1%

Section 3:

Alberta

Figure 3.1 Landings by Species Alberta, 2004/05 Total: 1,681 tonees

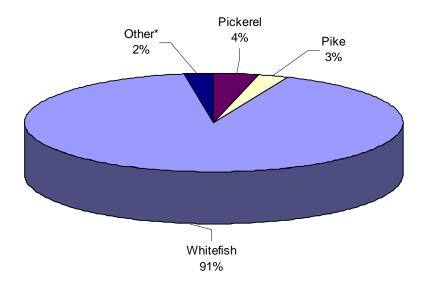
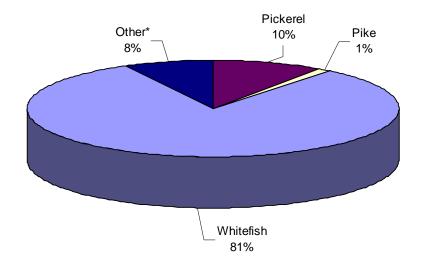


Figure 3.2 Landed Value by Species Alberta, 2004/05 Total: \$2.0 Million



Note: * Includes whitefish roe, tullibee, and goldeye.

Table 3.1 Landings, Landed and Market Values by Species Alberta, 2004/05

Species	Landings (t.)	Landed Value (\$000)	Market Value (\$000)
Whitefish	1,532	1,650	2,824
Whitefish Roe	27	147	378
Pickerel	66	196	375
Northern Pike	43	25	64
Tullibee	10	8	12
Goldeye	3	4	6
Total	1,681	2,028	3,659

Figure 3.3 Landings by Major Lakes Alberta, 2004/05 Total: 1,238 tonnes

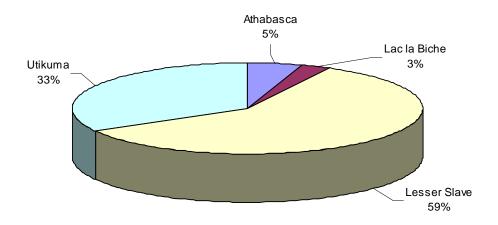


Figure 3.4
Landed Value by Major Lakes
Alberta, 2004/05
Total: \$1.3 Million

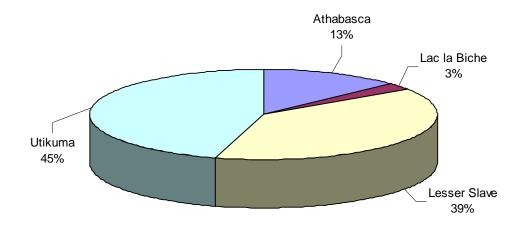


Table 3.2 Landings and Landed Value by Species and Major Lakes Alberta, 2004/05

		Major Lakes										
	Athal	oasca	Lac la Biche		Lesse	r Slave	Utik	uma	Alberta			
Species	Landings (t)	Landed Value (\$000)										
Whitefish	0	0	32	36	695	393	367	593	1,532	1,650		
Pickerel	59	170	0	0	3	10	1	3	66	196		
Northern Pike	0	0	1	0	13	8	20	12	43	25		
Others*	3	4	1	0	20	111	9	4	40	159		
Total	61	174	34	37	731	522	397	612	1,681	2,028		

Note: * Includes whitefish roe, tullibee, and goldeye.

Figure 3.5
Self-Employed Harvesters by Season
Alberta, 2004/05
Total: 105 Harvesters

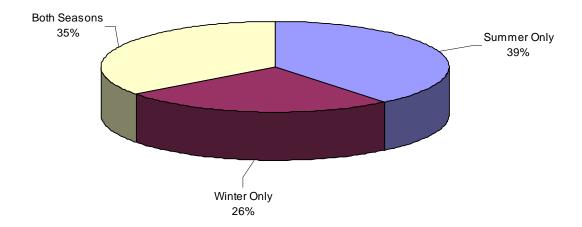
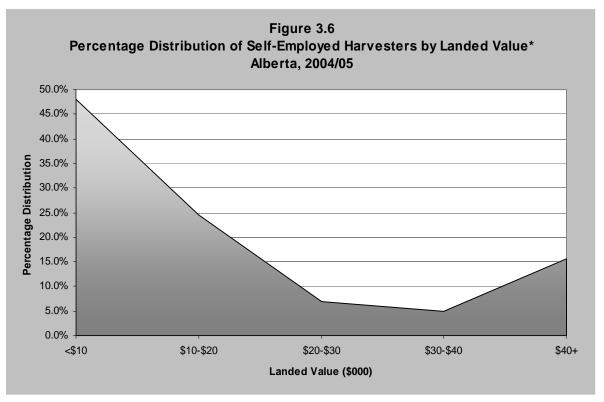


Table 3.3 Number of Self-Employed Harvesters by Season Fished Alberta, 2004/05

Season	Self-Employed
Summer Only	41
Winter Only	27
Both Seasons	37
Total	105



Note: * The shaded area under the line curve is 100%.

Figure 3.7 Average Payment, Weight, and the Number of Self-Employed Harvesters By Landed Value Alberta, 2004/05 80,000 60 70,000 50 60,000 Average Payment No. of Harvesters 50,000 & Weight 40,000 30 30,000 20 20,000 10 10,000 <\$10 \$10-\$20 \$20-\$30 \$30-\$40 \$40+ Landed Value (\$000) Average Payment — Average Weight No. of Harvesters

Figure 3.8

Number of Full-Time Equivalent Employment by Landed Value
Alberta, 2004/05

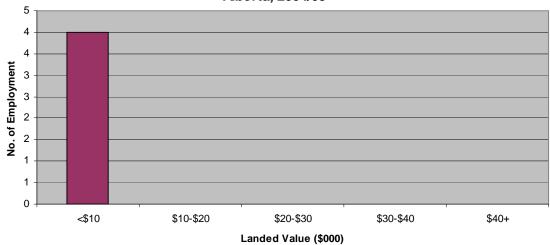


Table 3.4
Landings, Landed Value, Full-Time Equivalent Employment and Fishing Effort by Landed Value
Alberta, 2004/05

Landed Value	No. of	Full-Time		Averaç	je Per Harveste	r
	Harvesters	Employment	Deliveries	Weeks	Weights (lb.)	Payments (\$)
\$0 - \$10,000	52	4	8	3	2,884	3,898
\$10,001 - \$20,000	25	<4	18	5	9,412	14,524
\$20,001 - \$30,000	7	<4	21	6	17,003	23,619
\$30,001 - \$40,000	5	<4	36	9	29,804	34,256
\$40,001+	16	<4	13	4	64,806	71,109

Note: (i) Weeks refer to a week in which fishing activities occurred; (ii) Payments refer to value paid to harvesters upon delivery.

Figure 3.9 Landings Trend by Major Species Alberta, 1996 – 2004

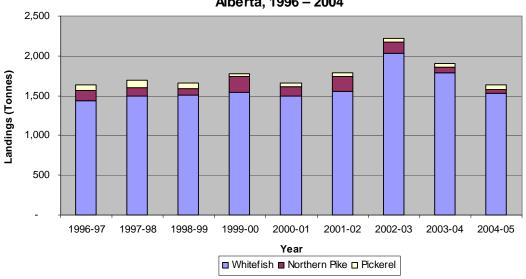


Figure 3.10 Landed Value Trend by Major Species Alberta, 1996 – 2004

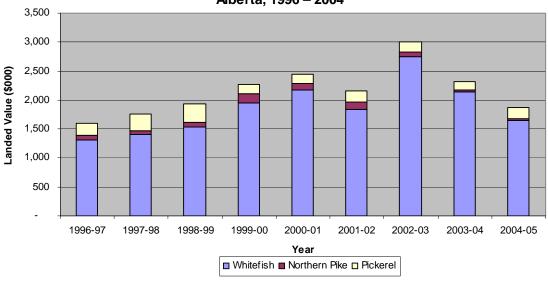


Table 3.5 Landings and Landed Value Trend by Species Alberta, 1996 - 2004

Species	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05
Landings (t)									
Whitefish	1,433	1,495	1,504	1,537	1,498	1,554	2,034	1,788	1,532
% Change		4.3%	0.6%	2.2%	-2.5%	3.7%	30.9%	-12.1%	-14.3%
% of Total Landings	83.5%	84.8%	85.6%	80.8%	86.1%	83.9%	89.4%	91.7%	91.2%
Northern Pike	136	108	81	199	117	181	136	68	43
% Change		-20.6%	-25.0%	145.7%	-41.2%	54.7%	-24.9%	-50.0%	-38.2%
% of Total Landings	7.9%	6.1%	4.6%	10.5%	6.7%	9.8%	6.0%	3.5%	2.5%
Pickerel	65	86	77	41	46	49	44	43	66
% Change		32.3%	-10.5%	-46.8%	12.2%	6.5%	-10.2%	-2.3%	53.5%
% of Total Landings	3.8%	4.9%	4.4%	2.2%	2.6%	2.6%	1.9%	2.2%	3.9%
Others*	82	74	96	126	78	68	60	51	40
% Change		-9.8%	29.7%	31.3%	-38.1%	-12.8%	-11.8%	-15.0%	-21.6%
% of Total Landings	4.8%	4.2%	5.5%	6.6%	4.5%	3.7%	2.6%	2.6%	2.4%
Total	1,716	1,763	1,758	1,903	1,739	1,852	2,274	1,950	1,681
% Change		2.7%	-0.3%	8.3%	-8.6%	6.5%	22.8%	-14.3%	-13.8%
Landed Value (\$000)									
Whitefish	1,303	1,407	1,542	1,953	2,181	1,833	2,742	2,138	1,650
% Change		8.0%	9.6%	26.7%	11.7%	-16.0%	49.6%	-22.0%	-22.8%
Northern Pike	87	69	68	162	99	135	92	43	25
% Change		-20.7%	-1.4%	138.2%	-38.9%	36.4%	-31.9%	-53.3%	-41.9%
Pickerel	204	285	322	158	166	185	178	136	196
% Change		39.7%	13.0%	-50.9%	5.1%	11.4%	-3.8%	-23.6%	44.1%
Others*	47	108	165	183	177	233	149	128	159
% Change		129.8%	52.8%	10.9%	-3.3%	31.6%	-36.1%	-14.1%	24.2%
Total	1,641	1,869	2,097	2,456	2,623	2,386	3,161	2,445	2,030
% Change		13.9%	12.2%	17.1%	6.8%	-9.0%	32.5%	-22.7%	-17.0%

Note: * Includes whitefish roe, mullet, tullibee, perch, and goldeye.

Figure 3.11 Landings by Major Lakes Alberta, 1996 - 2004

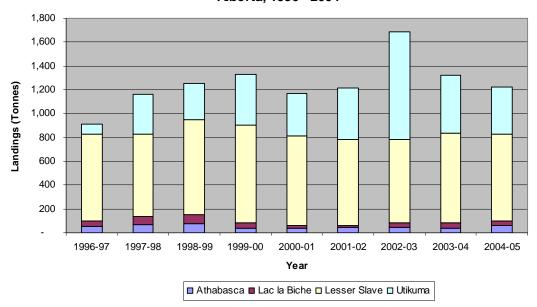


Figure 3.12 Landed Value by Major Lakes Alberta, 1996 - 2004

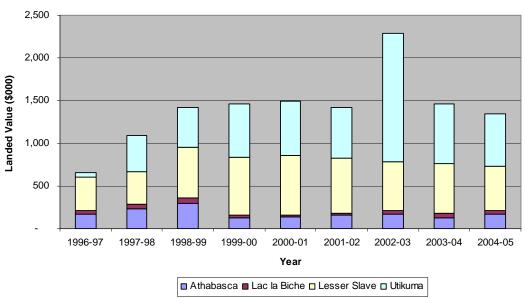


Table 3.6 Landings and Landed Value Trend by Major Lakes Alberta, 1996 - 2004

Major Lakes	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05
Landings (t)	-			•		-	_	-	
Athabasca	54	70	74	36	41	43	43	41	61
% Change		29.6%	5.7%	-51.4%	13.9%	4.9%	0.0%	-4.7%	48.8%
Lac la Biche	47	69	75	51	16	18	38	46	34
% Change		46.8%	8.7%	-32.0%	-68.6%	12.5%	111.1%	21.1%	-26.1%
Lesser Slave	728	686	800	820	754	725	705	749	731
% Change		-5.8%	16.6%	2.5%	-8.0%	-3.8%	-2.8%	6.2%	-2.4%
Utikuma*	82	338	307	419	358	432	897	483	397
% Change		312.2%	-9.2%	36.5%	-14.6%	20.7%	107.6%	-46.2%	-17.8%
Total	911	1,163	1,256	1,326	1,169	1,218	1,683	1,319	1,223
% Change		27.7%	8.0%	5.6%	-11.8%	4.2%	38.2%	-21.6%	-7.3%
% of Total Landings	53.1%	66.0%	71.4%	69.6%	67.2%	65.7%	74.0%	67.5%	72.7%
Total Landings**	1,716	1,763	1,758	1,904	1,739	1,854	2,275	1,955	1,682
Landed Value (\$000)	_					_			
Athabasca	170	229	295	127	143	156	169	128	174
% Change		34.7%	28.8%	-56.9%	12.6%	9.1%	8.3%	-24.3%	35.9%
Lac la Biche	37	54	68	29	13	20	48	56	37
% Change		45.9%	25.9%	-57.4%	-55.2%	53.8%	140.0%	16.7%	-33.9%
Lesser Slave	394	384	594	686	707	647	564	583	522
% Change		-2.5%	54.7%	15.5%	3.1%	-8.5%	-12.8%	3.4%	-10.5%
Utikuma*	55	420	462	616	628	593	1,505	699	612
% Change		663.6%	10.0%	33.3%	1.9%	-5.6%	153.8%	-53.6%	-12.4%
Total	656	1,087	1,419	1,458	1,491	1,416	2,286	1,466	1,345
% Change		65.7%	30.5%	2.8%	2.3%	-5.0%	61.4%	-35.9%	-8.3%
% of Total Landed Value	39.9%	58.1%	67.7%	59.4%	56.9%	59.4%	72.3%	60.0%	66.3%
Total Landed Value***	1,642	1,870	2,097	2,456	2,622	2,385	3,162	2,445	2,029

Notes: * The spikes at Lake Utikuma in 2002/03 and 2006-07 reflect irregularities in commercial deliveries cause by low oxygen level. Harvesters are permitted to exceed quotas in a winter with very low oxygen levels which may be followed by several years of reduced quotas while the whitefish stock recovers; ** Total landings in all lakes in Alberta; *** Total landed values of landings in all lakes in Alberta.

Figure 3.13 Number of Self-Employed Harvesters Trend by Season Alberta, 1996 - 2004

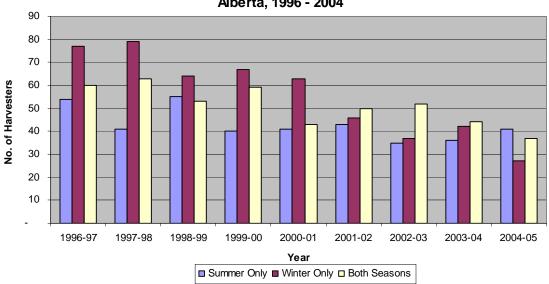


Table 3.7 Number of Self-Employed Harvesters Trend by Season Fished Alberta, 1996 - 2004

Year	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05
Summer Only	54	41	55	40	41	43	35	36	41
% Change		-24.1%	34.1%	-27.3%	2.5%	4.9%	-18.6%	2.9%	13.9%
Winter Only	77	79	64	67	63	46	37	42	27
% Change		2.6%	-19.0%	4.7%	-6.0%	-27.0%	-19.6%	13.5%	-35.7%
Both Seasons	60	63	53	59	43	50	52	44	37
% Change		5.0%	-15.9%	11.3%	-27.1%	16.3%	4.0%	-15.4%	-15.9%
Total	191	183	172	166	147	139	124	122	105
% Change		-4.2%	-6.0%	-3.5%	-11.5%	-5.4%	-10.8%	-1.6%	-13.9%

Figure 3.14
Estimated Number of Self-Employed Harvesters by Landed Value
Alberta, 1996 - 2004

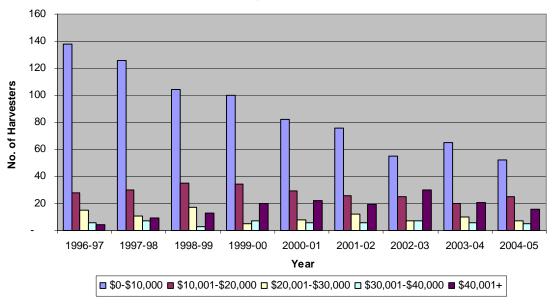


Table 3.8
Average Payment, Weight and Number of Self-Employed Harvesters Trend by Landed Value Alberta, 1996 - 2004

Landed Value	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05
Average Payment (\$	S)								
\$0 - \$10,000	3,139	3,553	2,880	3,511	3,628	3,564	2,673	3,215	3,898
\$10001 - \$20,000	14,162	14,260	13,926	14,382	14,178	13,047	14,424	15,719	14,524
\$20,001 - \$30,000	24,006	24,632	26,006	22,223	24,722	24,849	23,872	25,309	23,619
\$30,001 - \$40,000	35,296	35,592	37,396	34,071	35,549	37,980	34,371	35,922	34,256
\$40,001+	59,523	52,667	58,112	63,329	69,795	65,824	74,880	69,304	71,109
Average Weight (t)									
\$0 - \$10,000	2,287	2,905	2,182	2,182	1,831	2,354	1,781	2,361	2,884
\$10001 - \$20,000	9,526	11,566	9,796	9,807	8,378	8,889	8,660	9,039	9,412
\$20,001 - \$30,000	18,416	19,994	18,550	15,424	13,798	17,616	16,403	19,764	17,003
\$30,001 - \$40,000	36,588	41,563	33,626	25,542	22,018	26,187	26,527	27,533	29,804
\$40,001+	63,107	59,979	59,451	54,827	50,212	56,614	55,287	59,999	64,806
Number of Self-Emp	oloyed Harve	esters							
\$0 - \$10,000	138	126	104	100	82	76	55	65	52
\$10001 - \$20,000	28	30	35	34	29	26	25	20	25
\$20,001 - \$30,000	15	11	17	5	8	12	7	10	7
\$30,001 - \$40,000	6	7	3	7	6	6	7	6	5
\$40,001+	4	9	13	20	22	19	30	21	16
Total	191	183	172	166	147	139	124	122	105
% Change		-4.2%	-6.0%	-3.5%	-11.5%	-5.4%	-10.8%	-1.6%	-13.9%

Note: Total does not include the number for less than 4.

Figure 3.15

Number of Full-Time Equivalent Employment Trend by Landed Value

Alberta, 1996 - 2004

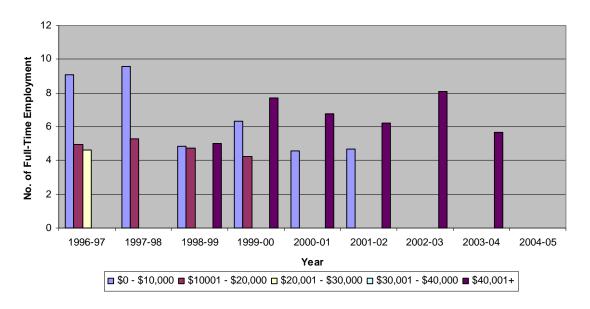


Table 3.9 Number of Full-Time Equivalent Employment Trend by Landed Value Alberta, 1996 - 2004

Landed Value	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05
\$0 - \$10,000	9	10	5	6	5	5	<4	<4	4
\$10001 - \$20,000	5	5	5	4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4
\$20,001 - \$30,000	5	5	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4
\$30,001 - \$40,000	<4	5	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4
\$40,001+	<4	6	5	8	7	6	8	6	<4
Total	19	31	15	18	12	11	8	6	4
% Change		-27.3%	-11.8%	20.0%	-33.3%	-8.3%	-27.3%	-25.0%	-29.3%

Note: Total does not include the number for less than 4.

Section 4:

Saskatchewan

Figure 4.1 Landings by Species Sasckatchewan 2004/05 Total: 3,162 Tonnes

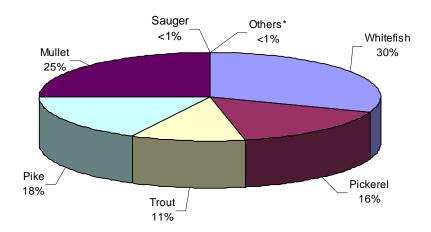


Figure 4.2 Landed Value by Species Saskatchewan 2004/05 Total: \$3.2 Million

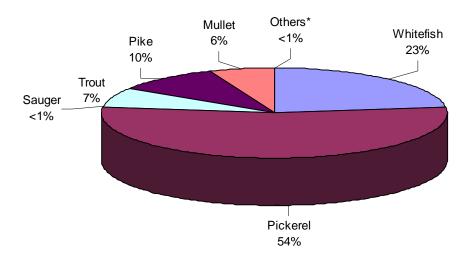


Table 4.1 Landings, Landed and Market Values by Species Saskatchewan, 2004/05

Species	Landings (t)	Landed Value (\$000)	Market Value (\$000)
Whitefish	966	732	1,605
Pickerel	507	1,734	2,728
Lake Trout	341	227	452
Northern Pike	560	310	743
Mullet	784	190	650
Others*	4	4	12
Total	3,162	3,198	6,190

Note: * Includes burbot, goldeye, perch, sauger, and tullibee.

Figure 4.3 Landings by Major Lakes Saskatchewan 04/05 Total: 1,184 Tonnes

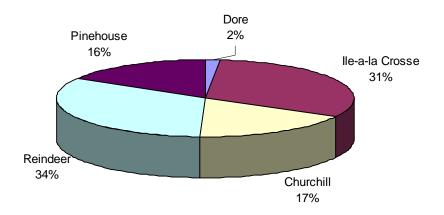


Figure 4.4
Landed Value by Major Lakes
Saskatchewan 04/05
Total: \$0.9 Million

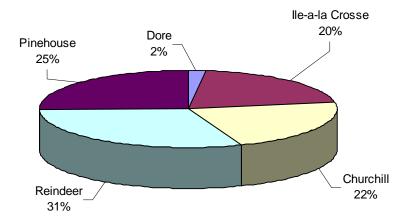


Table 4.2 Landings and Landed Value by Species and Major Lakes Saskatchewan, 2004/05

	Do	re	lle-a-la	Crosse	Churchill		Reino	deer	Pinehouse		Saskatchewan	
		Landed		Landed		Landed		Landed		Landed		Landed
	Landings	Value	Landings	Value	Landings	Value	Landings	Value	Landings	Value	Landings	Value
Species	(t)	(\$000)	(t)	(\$000)	(t)	(\$000)	(t)	(\$000)	(t)	(\$000)	(t)	(\$000)
Whitefish	8	7	25	21	6	7	156	101	62	33	966	732
Pickerel	2	8	13	46	42	136	5	19	47	165	507	1,734
Lake Trout	0	0	0	0	0	0	210	151	0	0	341	227
Northern Pike	3	2	103	55	66	36	14	8	40	22	560	310
Mullet	6	2	230	62	92	25	7	2	43	12	784	190
Others*	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	4	4
Total	20	18	372	186	207	204	392	281	193	232	3,162	3,198

Note: * Includes burbot, goldeye, perch, sauger, and tullibee.

Figure 4.5
Self-Employed Harvesters by Season
Saskatchewan, 2004/05
Total: 590 Harvesters

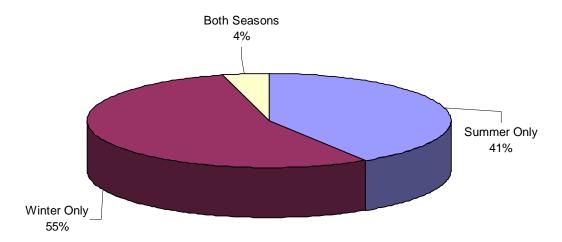
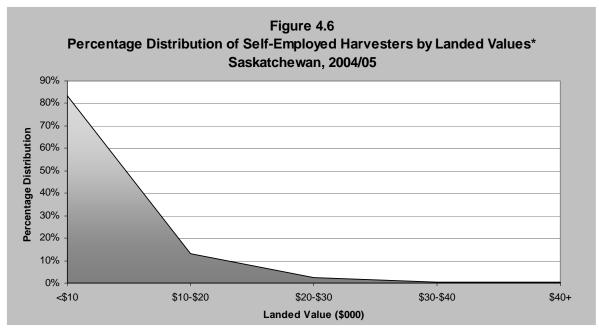


Table 4.3 Number of Self-Employed Harvesters by Season Fished Saskatchewan, 2004/05

Season	Self-Employed
Summer Only	242
Winter Only	323
Both Seasons	25
Total	590



Note: * The shaded area under the line curve is 100%.

Figure 4.7
Average Payment, Weight, and the Number of Self-Employed
Harvesters by Landed Value
Saskatchewan, 2004/05

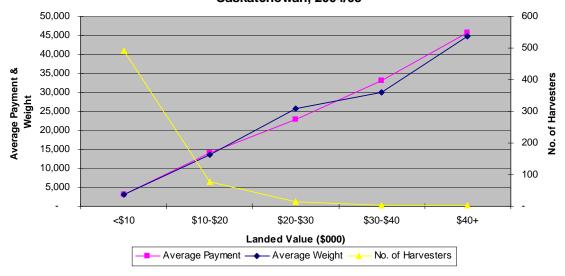


Figure 4.8

Number of Full-Time Equivalent Employment by Landed Value
Saskatchewan, 2004/05

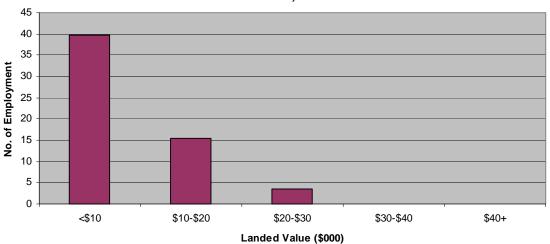


Table 4.4
Landings, Landed Value, Number of Full-Time Employment and Fishing Effort by Landed Value
Saskatchewan, 2004/05

Landed Value	No. of	Full-Time	Averages Per Harvesters							
	Harvesters	Employment	Deliveries	Weeks	Weights (lb.)	Payments (\$)				
\$0 - \$10,000	491	40	13	4	3,110	3,178				
\$10001 - \$20,000	77	15	37	10	13,638	14,045				
\$20,001 - \$30,000	14	4	46	13	25,616	22,849				
\$30,001 - \$40,000	< 4	< 4	36	10	29,963	33,018				
\$40,001+	< 4	< 4	76	47	44,841	45,762				

Note: (i) Weeks refer to a week in which fishing activities occurred; (ii) Payments refer to value paid to the harvesters upon delivery.

Figure 4.9 Landings Trend by Major Species Saskatchewan, 1996 - 2004

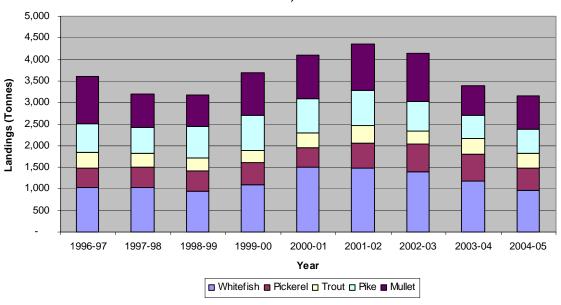


Figure 4.10 Landed Value Trend by Major Species Saskatchewan, 1996 - 2004

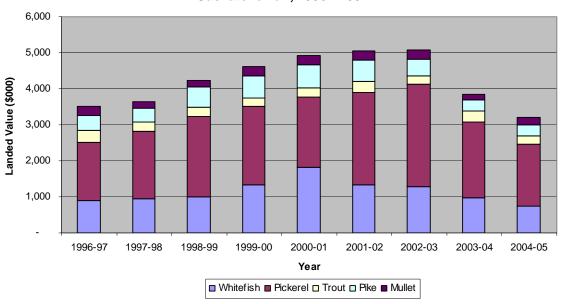


Table 4.5 Landings and Landed Value Trend by Species Saskatchewan, 1996 - 2004

Species	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05
Landings (t)									
Whitefish	1,030	1,036	943	1,100	1,494	1,476	1,405	1,177	966
% Change		0.6%	-9.0%	16.6%	35.8%	-1.2%	-4.8%	-16.2%	-17.9%
% of Total Landings	28.5%	32.2%	28.5%	29.2%	35.9%	33.3%	32.8%	33.6%	30.6%
Pickerel	452	467	482	505	464	590	630	636	507
% Change		3.3%	3.2%	4.8%	-8.1%	27.2%	6.8%	1.0%	-20.3%
% of Total Landings	12.5%	14.5%	14.6%	13.4%	11.2%	13.3%	14.7%	18.1%	16.0%
Lake Trout	363	321	296	289	341	393	304	352	341
% Change		-11.6%	-7.8%	-2.4%	18.0%	15.2%	-22.6%	15.8%	-3.1%
% of Total Landings	10.0%	10.0%	8.9%	7.7%	8.2%	8.9%	7.1%	10.0%	10.8%
Northern Pike	658	596	731	800	781	815	680	545	560
% Change		-9.4%	22.7%	9.4%	-2.4%	4.4%	-16.6%	-19.9%	2.8%
% of Total Landings	18.2%	18.5%	22.1%	21.3%	18.8%	18.4%	15.9%	15.5%	17.7%
Mullet	1,095	781	715	991	1,027	1,080	1,130	677	784
% Change		-28.7%	-8.5%	38.6%	3.6%	5.2%	4.6%	-40.1%	15.8%
% of Total Landings	30.3%	24.3%	21.6%	26.3%	24.7%	24.4%	26.4%	19.3%	24.8%
Others*	17	13	143	76	52	72	134	119	4
% Change		-23.5%	1000.0%	-46.9%	-31.6%	38.5%	86.1%	-11.2%	-96.6%
% of Total Landings	0.5%	0.4%	4.3%	2.0%	1.3%	1.6%	3.1%	3.4%	0.1%
Total		3,214	3,310	3,761	4,159	4,426	4,283	3,506	3,162
% Change		-11.1%	3.0%	13.6%	10.6%	6.4%	-3.2%	-18.1%	-9.8%
Landed Value (\$000)	-	-	-	-		-	-		
Whitefish	908	943	1,009	1,325	1,831	1,338	1,280	968	732
% Change		3.9%	7.0%	31.3%	38.2%	-26.9%	-4.3%	-24.4%	-24.4%
Pickerel	1,611	1,878	2,232	2,184	1,941	2,554	2,845	2,120	1,734
% Change		16.6%	18.8%	-2.2%	-11.1%	31.6%	11.4%	-25.5%	-18.2%
Lake Trout	322	254	234	226	266	308	244	286	227
% Change		-21.1%	-7.9%	-3.4%	17.7%	15.8%	-20.8%	17.2%	-20.6%
Northern Pike	416	398	578	632	623	599	461	315	310
% Change		-4.3%	45.2%	9.3%	-1.4%	-3.9%	-23.0%	-31.7%	-1.6%
Mullet	267	167	177	242	250	262	254	150	190
% Change		-37.5%	6.0%	36.7%	3.3%	4.8%	-3.1%	-40.9%	26.7%
Others*	21	26	94	49	47	40	56	46	4
% Change		23.8%	261.5%	-47.9%	-4.1%	-14.9%	40.0%	-17.9%	-91.3%
Total	3,545	3,666	4,324	4,658	4,958	5,101	5,140	3,885	3,197
% Change		3.4%	18.0%	7.7%	6.4%	2.9%	0.8%	-24.4%	-17.7%

Note: * Includes goldeye, perch, tullibee, whitefish roe, and sauger.

Figure 4.11 Landings Trend by Major Lakes Saskatchewan, 1996 - 2004

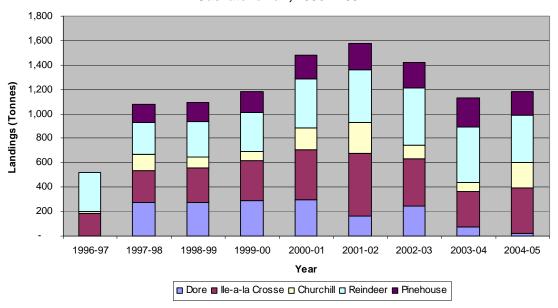


Figure 4.12 Landed Value Trend by Major Lakes Saskatchewan, 1996 - 2004

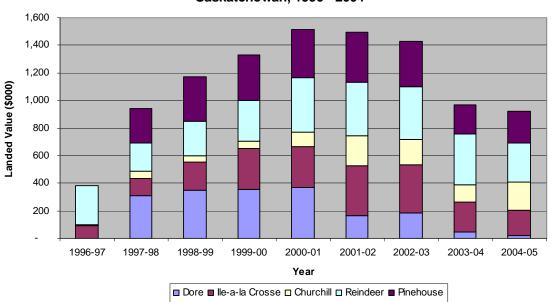


Table 4.6 Landings and Landed Value Trend by Major Lakes Saskatchewan, 1996 - 2004

Major Lakes	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05
Landings (t)		•							
Dore	-	272	276	287	296	166	247	77	20
% Change			1.5%	4.0%	3.1%	-43.9%	48.8%	-68.8%	-74.0%
lle-a-la Crosse	183	261	281	333	412	508	382	289	372
% Change		42.6%	7.7%	18.5%	23.7%	23.3%	-24.8%	-24.3%	28.7%
Churchill	19	133	91	73	178	255	113	72	207
% Change		600.0%	-31.6%	-19.8%	143.8%	43.3%	-55.7%	-36.3%	187.5%
Reindeer	316	265	287	321	404	433	474	453	392
% Change		-16.1%	8.3%	11.8%	25.9%	7.2%	9.5%	-4.4%	-13.5%
Pinehouse	-	148	161	170	193	216	205	240	193
% Change			8.8%	5.6%	13.5%	11.9%	-5.1%	17.1%	-19.6%
Total	518	1,079	1,096	1,184	1,483	1,578	1,421	1,131	1,184
% Change		108.3%	1.6%	8.0%	25.3%	6.4%	-9.9%	-20.4%	4.7%
% of Total Landings	14.3%	33.6%	33.1%	31.5%	35.7%	35.6%	33.2%	32.2%	37.4%
Total Landings*	3,615	3,215	3,310	3,760	4,158	4,427	4,284	3,507	3,162
Landed Value (\$000)	-			-		-	-		_
Dore	-	307	347	355	372	164	186	44	18
% Change			13.0%	2.3%	4.8%	-55.9%	13.4%	-76.3%	-59.1%
Ile-a-la Crosse	90	126	207	300	293	366	345	219	186
% Change		40.0%	64.3%	44.9%	-2.3%	24.9%	-5.7%	-36.5%	-15.1%
Churchill	8	56	47	49	108	215	188	123	204
% Change		600.0%	-16.1%	4.3%	120.4%	99.1%	-12.6%	-34.6%	65.9%
Reindeer	282	203	246	298	393	390	378	371	281
% Change		-28.0%	21.2%	21.1%	31.9%	-0.8%	-3.1%	-1.9%	-24.3%
Pinehouse	-	247	327	325	347	358	330	210	232
% Change			32.4%	-0.6%	6.8%	3.2%	-7.8%	-36.4%	10.5%
Total	380	939	1,174	1,327	1,513	1,493	1,427	967	921
% Change		147.1%	25.0%	13.0%	14.0%	-1.3%	-4.4%	-32.2%	-4.8%
% of Total Landed Value	10.7%	25.6%	27.2%	28.5%	30.5%	29.3%	27.8%	24.9%	28.8%
Total Landed Value**	3,546	3,664	4,323	4,658	4,960	5,101	5,140	3,884	3,197

Notes: * Total landings in all lakes in Saskatchewan; ** Total landed values of landings in all lakes in Saskatchewan.

Figure 4.13
Estimated Number of Self-Employed Harvesters
Saskatchewan, 1996 - 2004

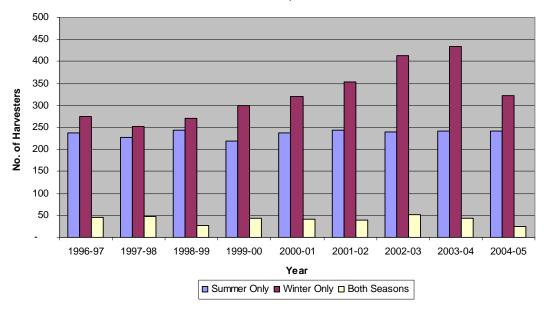


Table 4.7 Number of Self-Employed Harvesters Trend by Season Fished Saskatchewan, 1996 - 2004

Season	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05
Summer Only	238	228	243	219	237	243	239	241	242
% Change		-4.2%	6.6%	-9.9%	8.2%	2.5%	-1.6%	0.8%	0.4%
Winter Only	274	253	271	299	320	353	413	434	323
% Change		-7.7%	7.1%	10.3%	7.0%	10.3%	17.0%	5.1%	-25.6%
Both	46	47	26	43	41	39	51	44	25
% Change		2.2%	-44.7%	65.4%	-4.7%	-4.9%	30.8%	-13.7%	-43.2%
Total	558	528	540	561	598	635	703	719	590
% Change		-5.4%	2.3%	3.9%	6.6%	6.2%	10.7%	2.3%	-17.9%

Figure 4.14
Number of Self-Employed Harvesters by Landed Value
Saskatchewan, 1996 - 2004

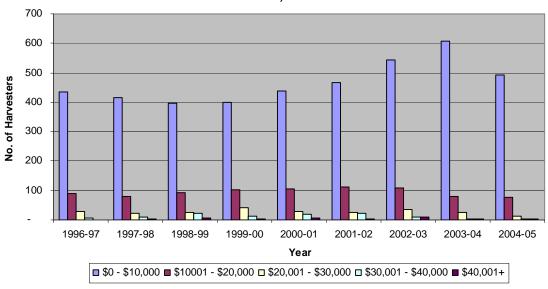


Table 4.8
Average Payment, Weight and Number of Self-Employed Harvesters Trend by Landed Value Saskatchewan, 1996 - 2004

Landed Value	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05
Average Payment (\$)				_		_			
\$0-\$10,000	3,326	3,810	3,674	4,155	4,182	4,181	3,902	3,294	3,178
\$10,001-\$20,000	13,225	13,457	13,832	13,237	13,470	13,540	13,295	13,196	14,045
\$20,001-\$30,000	25,330	25,131	24,573	24,815	24,722	24,736	24,086	23,478	22,849
\$30,001-\$40,000*	35,074	32,906	33,962	33,628	34,277	33,988	35,961	32,758	33,018
\$40,001+		51,260	49,083	47,708	58,392	49,730	51,015	50,144	45,762
Average Weight (t)									
\$0-\$10,000	2,638	3,384	2,731	2,800	3,350	3,388	4,318	2,867	3,110
\$10,001-\$20,000	9,445	11,759	11,935	10,069	11,378	13,011	10,544	11,286	13,638
\$20,001-\$30,000	22,303	21,748	17,428	22,150	24,114	20,403	19,329	22,376	25,616
\$30,001-\$40,000*	23,773	29,241	23,399	27,438	25,823	28,143	27,300	28,187	29,963
\$40,001+		42,109	37,362	49,740	51,026	49,734	40,926	90,247	44,841
No. of Self-Employed H	arvesters								
\$0-\$10,000	435	414	396	401	439	468	543	607	491
\$10,001-\$20,000	89	80	92	102	105	113	108	79	77
\$20,001-\$30,000	28	21	26	41	30	27	34	26	14
\$30,001-\$40,000*	6	10	21	13	18	22	10	4	<4
\$40,001+		<4	5	4	6	4	8	<4	<4
Total**	558	525	540	561	598	634	703	716	582
% Change		-5.9%	2.9%	3.9%	6.6%	6.0%	10.9%	1.9%	-18.7%

Note: * Indicates 30001+ for the period 1996-97; ** Total does not include the number for less than 4.

Figure 4.15

Number of Full-Time Equivalent Employment Trend by Landed Value
Saskatchewan, 1996 - 2004

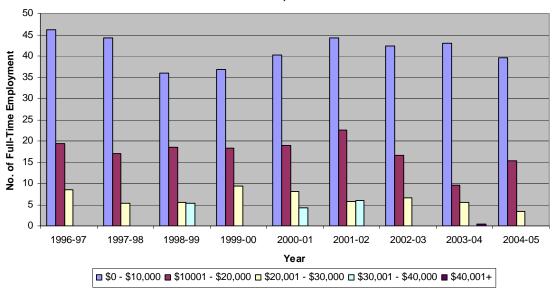


Table 4.9 Number of Full-Time Equivalent Employment Trend by Landed Value Saskatchewan, 1996 - 2004

Landed Value	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05
\$0-\$10,000	46	44	36	37	40	44	42	43	40
\$10,001-\$20,000	19	17	18	18	19	23	17	10	15
\$20,001-\$30,000	9	5	6	9	8	6	7	6	4
\$30,001-\$40,000	<4	<4	5	<4	4	6	<4	<4	<4
\$40,001+	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4
Total	74	66	65	64	71	79	66	59	59
% Change		-10.8%	-1.5%	-1.5%	10.9%	11.3%	-16.5%	-10.6%	0.0%

Note: Total does not include the number for less than 4.

Section 5:

Manitoba

Figure 5.1 Landings by Species Manitoba, 04/05 Total: 12,004 Tonnes

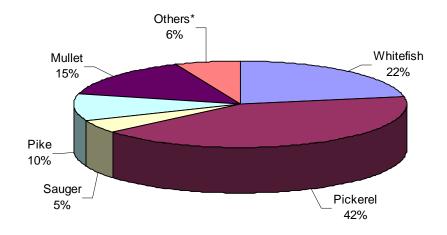
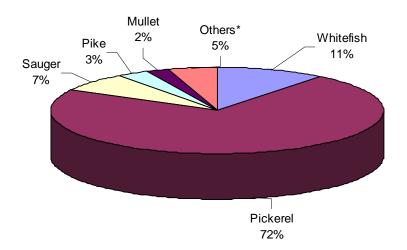


Figure 5.2 Landed Value by Species Manitoba, 2004/05 Total: \$43.7 Million



Note: * Includes drum, goldeye, white bass, and whitefish roe.

Table 5.1 Landings, Landed and Market Values by Species Manitoba, 2004/05

Species	Landings (t)	Landed Value (\$000)	Market Value (\$000)
Whitefish	2,664	2,497	4,470
Pickerel	5,018	17,140	32,552
Sauger	590	1,708	1,696
Lake Trout	41	30	67
Northern Pike	1,197	761	1,478
Tullibee	67	35	140
Perch	181	589	672
Mullet	1,769	516	1,848
Carp	415	186	343
Others*	63	275	456
Total	12,004	23,736	43,722

Note: * Includes drum, goldeye, white bass, and whitefish roe.

Figure 5.3 Landings by Major Lakes Manitoba 2004/05 Total: 12,004 Tonnes

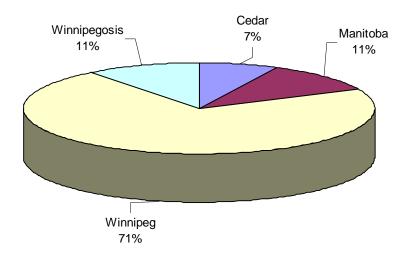


Figure 5.4
Landed Value by Major Lakes
Manitoba 2004/05
Total: \$23.7 Million

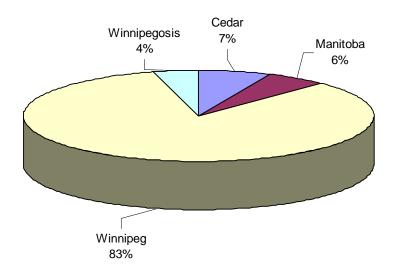


Table 5.2 Landings and Landed Value by Species and Major Lakes Manitoba, 2004/05

				Major	Lakes					
	Ced	dar	Lake Ma	anitoba	Lake Wi	nnipeg	Lal Winnipe		Manitoba	
		Landed		Landed		Landed		Landed		Landed
	Landings	Value	Landings	Value	Landings	Value	Landings	Value	Landings	Value
Species	(t)	(\$000)	(t)	(\$000)	(t)	(\$000)	(t)	(\$000)	(t)	(\$000)
Whitefish	15	11	5	4	1,662	1,637	58	48	2,664	2,497
Pickerel	298	1,129	151	481	3,702	12,393	130	472	5,018	17,140
Sauger	0	1	5	13	577	1,670	0	0	590	1,708
Lake Trout	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	30
Northern Pike	181	118	40	26	119	71	105	68	1,197	761
Tullibee	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	67	35
Perch	0	0	111	353	64	221	4	7	181	589
Mullet	162	46	344	97	140	38	617	188	1,769	516
Carp	0	0	310	130	47	28	30	15	415	186
Others*	0	0	1	0	54	236	0	0	100	272
Total	656	1,304	967	1,104	6,365	16,295	945	798	12,004	23,733

Notes: * Includes drum, goldeye, white bass, and whitefish roe.

Figure 5.5
Self-Employed Harvesters by Season
Manitoba, 2004/05
Total: 1,822 Harvesters

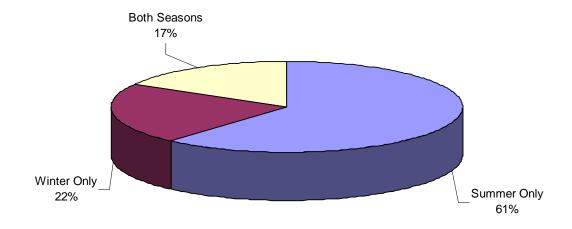


Table 5.3 Number of Self-Employed Harvesters by Season Fished Manitoba, 2004/05

Season	Self-Employed
Summer Only	1,118
Winter Only	402
Both Seasons	302
Total	1,822

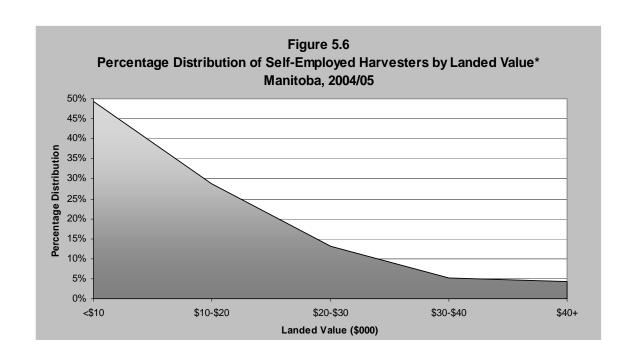


Figure 5.7
Average Payment, Weight, and the Number of Self-Employed
Harvesters by Landed Value
Manitoba, 2004/05

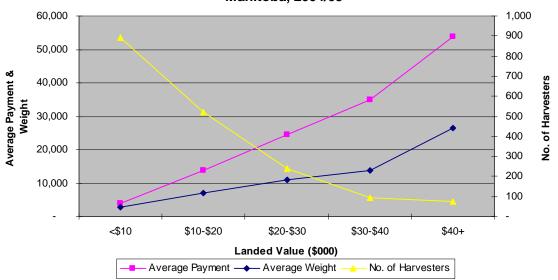


Figure 5.8

Number of Full-Time Equivalent Employment by Landed Value

Manitoba, 2004/05

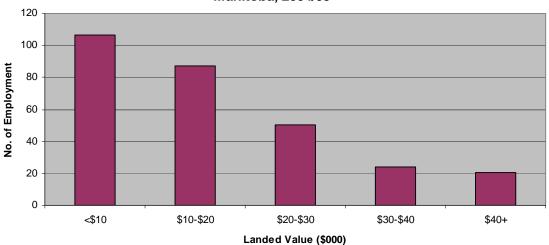


Table 5.4 Landings, Landed Value, Number of Full-Time Equivalent Employment and Fishing Effort by Landed Value Manitoba, 2004/05

Landed Value	No. of	Averages Fer harvesters				
	Harvesters	Employment	Deliveries	Weeks	Weights (lb.)	Payments (\$)
\$0 - \$10,000	892	106	15	6	2,755	3,636
\$10,001 - \$20,000	520	87	30	9	6,962	13,828
\$20,001 - \$30,000	238	50	43	11	10,909	24,624
\$30,001 - \$40,000	96	24	51	13	13,867	34,963
\$40,001+	76	20	51	14	26,429	53,888

Note: (i) Weeks refer to a week in which fishing activities occurred; (ii) Payments refer to value paid to harvesters upon delivery.

Figure 5.9 Landings Trend by Major Species Manitoba, 1996 - 2004

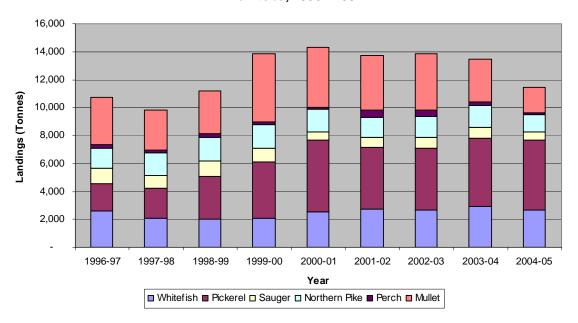


Figure 5.10 Landed Value Trend by Major Species Manitoba, 1996 – 2004

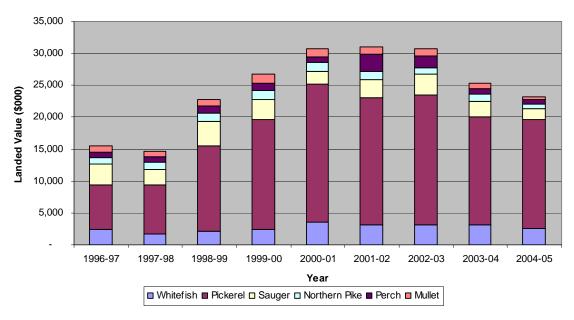


Table 5.5 Landings and Landed Value Trend by Species Manitoba, 1996 - 2004

Species	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05
Landings (t)									
Whitefish	2,615	2,079	1,993	2,066	2,526	2,713	2,692	2,907	2,664
% Change		-20.5%	-4.1%	3.7%	22.3%	7.4%	-0.8%	8.0%	-8.4%
% of Total Landings	22.6%	19.9%	16.9%	14.1%	16.8%	18.8%	18.1%	20.8%	22.2%
Pickerel	1,963	2,119	3,080	4,021	5,156	4,444	4,422	4,908	5,018
% Change		7.9%	45.4%	30.6%	28.2%	-13.8%	-0.5%	11.0%	2.2%
% of Total Landings	16.9%	20.3%	26.1%	27.5%	34.3%	30.8%	29.7%	35.1%	41.8%
Sauger	1,098	968	1,126	1,011	584	687	781	771	590
% Change		-11.8%	16.3%	-10.2%	-42.2%	17.6%	13.7%	-1.3%	-23.5%
% of Total Landings	9.5%	9.3%	9.5%	6.9%	3.9%	4.8%	5.2%	5.5%	4.9%
Northern Pike	1,414	1,568	1,677	1,670	1,613	1,446	1,478	1,559	1,197
% Change		10.9%	7.0%	-0.4%	-3.4%	-10.4%	2.2%	5.5%	-23.2%
% of Total Landings	12.2%	15.0%	14.2%	11.4%	10.7%	10.0%	9.9%	11.2%	10.0%
Perch	277	229	246	225	160	562	478	277	181
% Change		-17.3%	7.4%	-8.5%	-28.9%	251.3%	-14.9%	-42.1%	-34.7%
% of Total Landings	2.4%	2.2%	2.1%	1.5%	1.1%	3.9%	3.2%	2.0%	1.5%
Mullet	3,397	2,828	3,079	4,881	4,245	3,857	3,992	3,046	1,769
% Change		-16.8%	8.9%	58.5%	-13.0%	-9.1%	3.5%	-23.7%	-41.9%
% of Total Landings	29.3%	27.1%	26.1%	33.4%	28.3%	26.8%	26.8%	21.8%	14.7%
Others*	831	648	609	758	732	705	1,059	512	586
% Change		-22.0%	-6.0%	24.5%	-3.4%	-3.7%	50.2%	-51.7%	14.5%
% of Total Landings	7.2%	6.2%	5.2%	5.2%	4.9%	4.9%	7.1%	3.7%	4.9%
Total	11,595	10,439	11,810	14,632	15,016	14,414	14,902	13,980	12,004
% Change		-10.0%	13.1%	23.9%	2.6%	-4.0%	3.4%	-6.2%	-14.1%
Landed Value (\$000)	_	-		_		_	_		
Whitefish	2,439	1,714	2,108	2,396	3,585	3,135	3,103	3,085	2,497
% Change		-29.7%	23.0%	13.7%	49.6%	-12.6%	-1.0%	-0.6%	-19.1%
Pickerel	6,977	7,656	13,375	17,182	21,641	19,859	20,438	16,941	17,140
% Change		9.7%	74.7%	28.5%	26.0%	-8.2%	2.9%	-17.1%	1.2%
Sauger	3,179	2,504	3,807	3,152	1,990	2,949	3,146	2,482	1,708
% Change		-21.2%	52.0%	-17.2%	-36.9%	48.2%	6.7%	-21.1%	-31.2%
Northern Pike	1,007	1,104	1,393	1,427	1,414	1,180	1,117	1,075	761
% Change		9.6%	26.2%	2.4%	-0.9%	-16.5%	-5.3%	-3.8%	-29.2%
Perch	895	877	1,142	1,119	886	2,761	1,820	937	589
% Change		-2.0%	30.2%	-2.0%	-20.8%	211.6%	-34.1%	-48.5%	-37.1%
Mullet	1,015	780	929	1,451	1,284	1,115	1,140	855	516
% Change		-23.2%	19.1%	56.2%	-11.5%	-13.2%	2.2%	-25.0%	-39.6%
Others*	453	409	406	435	499	548	632	426	527
% Change		-9.7%	-0.7%	7.1%	14.7%	9.8%	15.3%	-32.6%	23.7%
Total	15,965	15,043	23,162	27,164	31,299	31,550	31,396	25,799	23,736
% Change		-5.8%	54.0%	17.3%	15.2%	0.8%	-0.5%	-17.8%	-8.0%

Note: * Includes drum, carp, goldeye, white bass, whitefish roe, lake trout, and tullibee.

Figure 5.11 Landings by Major Lakes Manitoba, 1996 - 2004

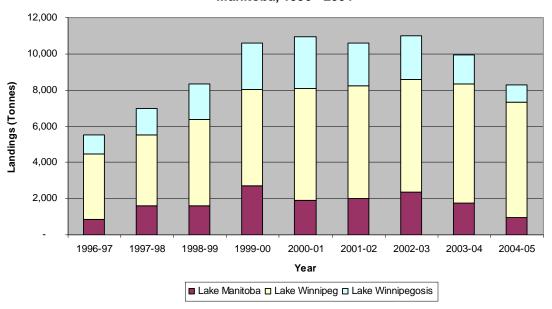


Figure 5.12 Landed Value by Major Lakes Manitoba, 1996 - 2004

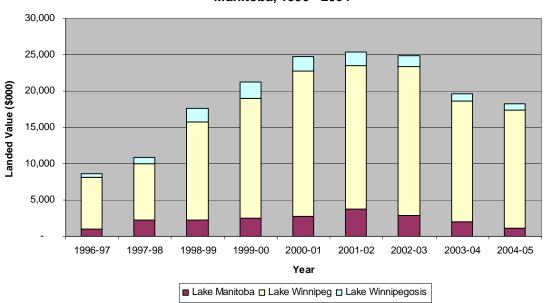


Table 5.6 Landings and Landed Value by Major Lakes Manitoba, 1996 - 2004

Major Lakes	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05
Landings (t)									
Lake Manitoba	873	1,602	1,594	2,715	1,916	2,004	2,363	1,738	967
% Change		83.5%	-0.5%	70.3%	-29.4%	4.6%	17.9%	-26.4%	-44.4%
Lake Winnipeg	3,611	3,907	4,761	5,334	6,174	6,213	6,200	6,599	6,365
% Change		8.2%	21.9%	12.0%	15.7%	0.6%	-0.2%	6.4%	-3.5%
Lake Winnipegosis	1,025	1,458	1,991	2,558	2,847	2,366	2,444	1,626	945
% Change		42.2%	36.6%	28.5%	11.3%	-16.9%	3.3%	-33.5%	-41.9%
Total	5,509	6,967	8,346	10,607	10,937	10,583	11,007	9,963	8,277
% Change		26.5%	42.6%	27.1%	3.1%	-3.2%	4.0%	-9.5%	-16.9%
% of Total Landings	47.5%	66.7%	70.7%	72.5%	72.8%	73.4%	73.9%	71.3%	69.0%
Total Landings*	11,594	10,439	11,811	14,635	15,016	14,413	14,903	13,980	12,004
Landed Value (\$000)									
Lake Manitoba	977	2,237	2,273	2,559	2,719	3,749	2,913	1,964	1,104
% Change		129.0%	1.6%	12.6%	6.3%	37.9%	-22.3%	-32.6%	-43.8%
Lake Winnipeg	7,202	7,784	13,510	16,487	19,982	19,805	20,479	16,712	16,295
% Change		8.1%	73.6%	22.0%	21.2%	-0.9%	3.4%	-18.4%	-2.5%
Lake Winnipegosis	435	832	1,899	2,250	2,077	1,837	1,431	1,003	798
% Change		91.3%	128.2%	18.5%	-7.7%	-11.6%	-22.1%	-29.9%	-20.4%
Total	8,614	10,853	17,682	21,296	24,778	25,391	24,823	19,679	18,197
% Change		26.0%	62.9%	20.4%	16.4%	2.5%	-2.2%	-20.7%	-7.5%
% of Total Landed Value	54.0%	72.1%	76.3%	78.4%	79.2%	80.5%	79.1%	76.3%	76.7%
Total Landed Value**	15,966	15,045	23,160	27,161	31,298	31,547	31,397	25,800	23,734

Notes: * Total landings in all lakes in Manitoba; ** Total landed values of landings in all lakes in Manitoba.

Figure 5.13
Estimated Number of Self-Employed Harvesters
Manitoba, 1996 - 2004

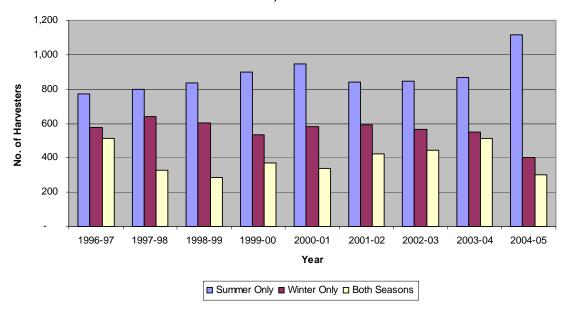


Table 5.7 Number of Self-Employed Harvesters Trend by Season Fished Manitoba, 1996 - 2004

Season	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05
Summer Only	770	798	834	900	948	838	848	868	1,118
% Change		3.6%	4.5%	7.9%	5.3%	-11.6%	1.2%	2.4%	28.8%
Winter Only	577	638	601	536	582	593	567	548	402
% Change		10.6%	-5.8%	-10.8%	8.6%	1.9%	-4.4%	-3.4%	-26.6%
Both Seasons	515	326	288	369	339	424	443	515	302
% Change		-36.7%	-11.7%	28.1%	-8.1%	25.1%	4.5%	16.3%	-41.4%
Total	1,862	1,762	1,723	1,805	1,869	1,855	1,858	1,931	1,822
% Change		-5.4%	-2.2%	4.8%	3.6%	-0.8%	0.2%	3.9%	-5.6%

Figure 5.14 Number of Self-Employed Harvesters by Landed Value Manitoba, 1996 - 2004

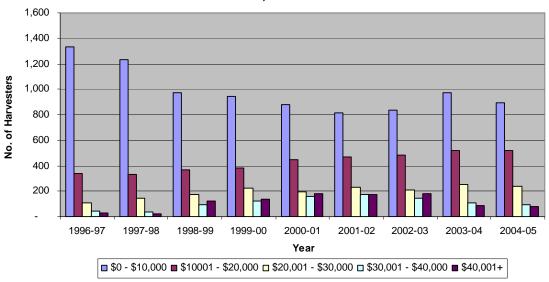


Table 5.8
Average Payment, Weight and Total Number of Self-Employed Harvesters Trend by Landed Value
Manitoba, 1996 - 2004

Landed Value	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05
Average Payment (\$)									
\$0 - \$10,000	3,668	3,546	3,827	3,926	2,870	3,532	3,860	4,056	3,636
\$10,001 - \$20,000	14,027	13,939	14,058	14,598	7,428	14,753	14,761	14,018	13,747
\$20,001 - \$30,000	23,647	23,445	24,803	24,603	11,857	24,733	24,619	24,949	24,624
\$30,001 - \$40,000	34,997	34,090	33,818	34,399	11,906	34,298	34,533	35,268	34,963
\$40,001+	66,328	66,595	57,876	60,519	27,151	59,344	60,206	54,601	53,888
Average Weight (t)	_					-			
\$0 - \$10,000	2,493	2,912	3,059	3,043	3,684	2,523	2,687	2,985	2,755
\$10,001 - \$20,000	7,826	9,654	8,038	8,119	14,856	7,308	7,045	8,146	6,962
\$20,001 - \$30,000	11,742	13,473	11,261	11,661	25,283	10,791	11,984	11,727	10,909
\$30,001 - \$40,000	16,391	18,830	13,084	15,142	33,870	12,675	13,569	15,404	13,867
\$40,001+	36,911	46,574	27,304	31,136	60,611	24,980	26,431	27,188	26,429
No. of Self-Employed H	arvesters								
\$0 - \$10,000	1,336	1,232	974	945	882	811	836	970	892
\$10,001 - \$20,000	339	331	366	380	448	468	486	521	520
\$20,001 - \$30,000	109	141	172	220	197	233	212	249	238
\$30,001 - \$40,000	46	34	91	124	161	173	145	107	96
\$40,001+	32	21	120	136	181	170	179	84	76
Total	1,862	1,759	1,723	1,805	1,869	1,855	1,858	1,931	1,822
% Change		-5.5%	-2.1%	4.8%	3.6%	-0.8%	0.2%	3.9%	-5.6%

Figure 5.15

Number of Full-Time Equivalent Employment Trend by Landed Value

Manitoba, 1996 - 2004

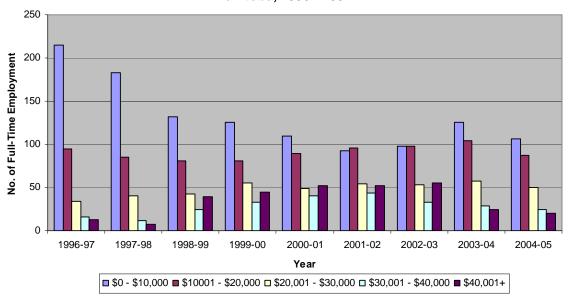


Table 5.9 Number of Full-Time Equivalent Employment Trend by Landed Value Manitoba, 1996 - 2004

Landed Value	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05
\$0-\$10,000	215	183	132	126	109	93	98	126	106
\$10,001-\$20,000	95	85	81	80	89	95	97	105	87
\$20,001-\$30,000	34	41	43	55	49	54	53	57	50
\$30,001-\$40,000	16	12	25	33	40	43	33	29	24
\$40,001+	12	7	39	44	52	52	55	24	20
Total	372	327	319	339	340	338	337	341	289
% Change		-11.9%	-2.5%	6.2%	0.3%	-0.8%	-0.2%	1.2%	-15.3%

Section 6:

Northwest Territories

Figure 6.1
Landings by Species
Northwest Territories, 2004/05
Total: 930 Tonnes

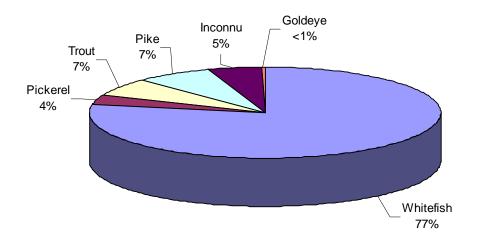


Figure 6.2
Landed Value by Species
Northwest Territories, 2004/05
Total: \$0.9 Million

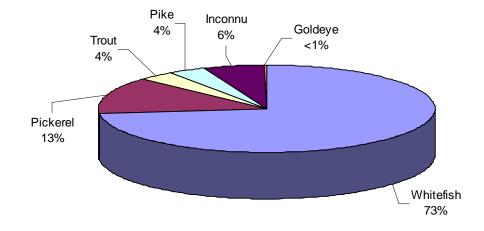


Table 6.1 Landings, Landed and Market Values by Species Northwest Territories, 2004/05

Species	Landings (t)	Landed Value (\$000)	Market Value (\$000)
Whitefish	722	634	1,506
Pickerel	33	116	158
Lake Trout	61	30	68
Northern Pike	63	32	98
Inconnu	47	50	78
Goldeye	2	2	3
Total	930	863	1,911

Figure 6.3 Landings by Major Lakes Northwest Territories, 2004/05 Total: 930 Tonnes

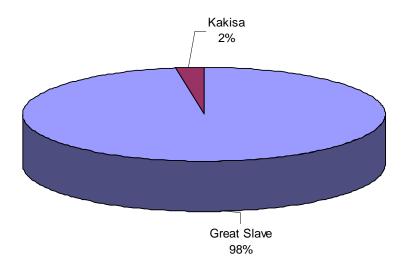


Figure 6.4
Landed Value by Major Lakes
Northwest Territories 2004/05
Total: \$0.9 Million

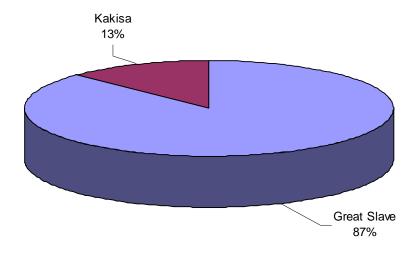


Table 6.2 Landings and Landed Value by Species and Major Lakes Northwest Territories, 2004/05

		Major					
	Great	Slave	Kak	isa	NWT		
Species	Landings (t)	Landed Value (\$000)	Landings (t)	Landed Value (\$000)	Landings (t)	Landed Value (\$000)	
Whitefish	722	634	0	0	722	634	
Pickerel	12	41	22	75	33	157	
Lake Trout	61	30	0	0	61	30	
Northern Pike	63	31	<1	<1	63	32	
Inconnu	47	50	0	0	47	50	
Goldeye	2	2	0	0	2	2	
Total	907	788	22	75	930	863	

Figure 6.5
Self-Employed Harvesters by Season
Northwest Territories, 2004/05
Total: 112 Harvesters

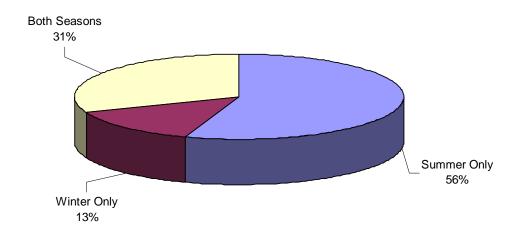


Table 6.3 Number of Self-Employed Harvesters by Season Fished Northwest Territories, 2004/05

Season	Self-Employed
Summer Only	62
Winter Only	15
Both Seasons	35
Total	112

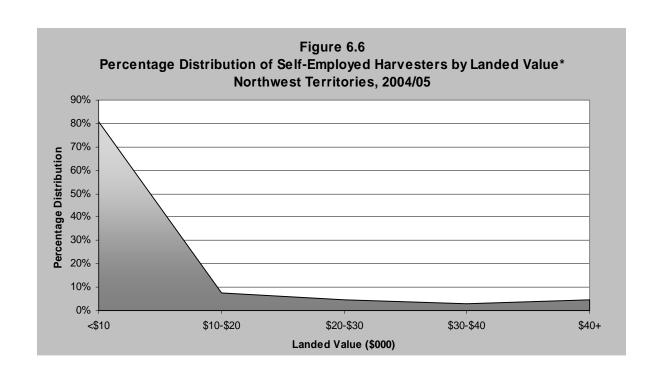


Figure 6.7

Average Payment, Weight, and the Number of Self-Employed

Harvesters by Landed Value

Northwest Territories, 2004/05

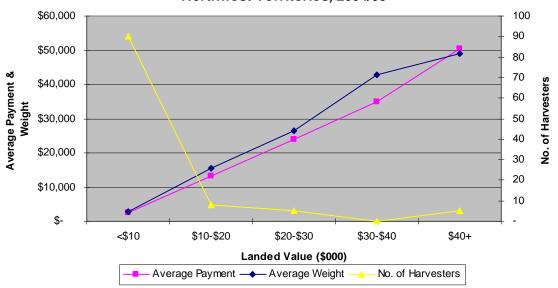


Figure 6.8

Number of Full-Time Equivalent Employment by Landed Value

Northwest Territories, 2004/05

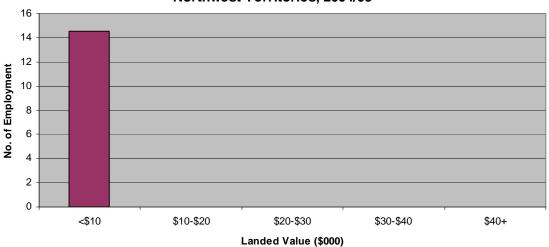


Table 6.4
Landings, Landed Value, Full-Time Equivalent Employment and Fishing Effort by Landed Value
Northwest Territories, 2004/05

Landed Value	No. of	Full-Time		Averages	Per Harvesters	·
	Harvesters	Employment	Deliveries	Weeks	Weights (lb.)	Payments (\$)
\$0 - \$10,000	90	15	24	8	2,828	2,609
\$10,001 - \$20,000	8	< 4	59	18	15,392	13,149
\$20,001 - \$30,000	5	< 4	45	14	26,382	23,814
\$30,001 - \$40,000	< 4	< 4	80	18	42,876	34,953
\$40,001+	5	<4	68	21	48,922	50,398

Note: (i) Weeks refer to a week in which fishing activities occurred; (ii) Payments refer to value paid to harvesters upon delivery.

Figure 6.9 Landings Trend by Major Species Northwest Territories, 1996 - 2004

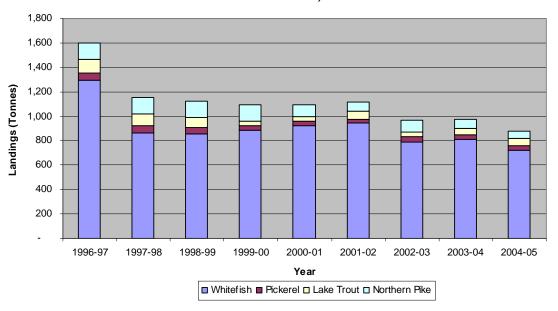


Figure 6.10
Landed Value Trend by Major Species
Northwest Territories, 1996 - 2004

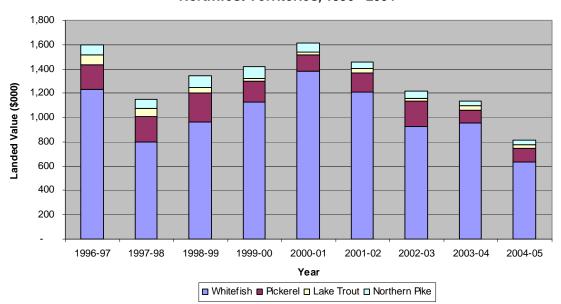


Table 6.5
Landings and Landed Value Trend by Species
Northwest Territories, 1996 - 2004

Species	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05
Landings (t)	_	<u>-</u>		-		-	_	_	
Whitefish	1,297	865	856	888	924	941	787	814	722
% Change		-33.3%	-1.0%	3.7%	4.1%	1.8%	-16.4%	3.4%	-11.3%
% of Total Landings	69.5%	69.0%	65.7%	71.3%	76.9%	81.0%	72.5%	74.7%	77.8%
Pickerel	57	57	49	38	32	36	46	31	33
% Change		0.0%	-14.0%	-22.4%	-15.8%	12.5%	27.8%	-32.6%	6.5%
% of Total Landings	3.1%	4.5%	3.8%	3.0%	2.7%	3.1%	4.2%	2.8%	3.6%
Lake Trout	112	99	85	37	39	64	40	57	61
% Change		-11.6%	-14.1%	-56.5%	5.4%	64.1%	-37.5%	42.5%	7.0%
% of Total Landings	6.0%	7.9%	6.5%	3.0%	3.2%	5.5%	3.7%	5.2%	6.6%
Northern Pike	136	132	135	133	98	71	92	70	63
% Change		-2.9%	2.3%	-1.5%	-26.3%	-27.6%	29.6%	-23.9%	-10.0%
% of Total Landings	7.3%	10.5%	10.4%	10.7%	8.2%	6.1%	8.5%	6.4%	6.8%
Inconnu	65	43	27	40	29	43	77	49	47
% Change		-33.8%	-37.2%	48.1%	-27.5%	48.3%	79.1%	-36.4%	-4.1%
% of Total Landings	3.5%	3.4%	2.1%	3.2%	2.4%	3.7%	7.1%	4.5%	5.1%
Goldeye	199	58	150	110	79	7	44	69	2
% Change		-70.9%	158.6%	-26.7%	-28.2%	-91.1%	528.6%	56.8%	-97.1%
% of Total Landings	10.7%	4.6%	11.5%	8.8%	6.6%	0.6%	4.1%	6.3%	0.2%
Total	1,866	1,254	1,302	1,246	1,201	1,162	1,086	1,090	930
% Change		-32.8%	3.8%	-4.3%	-3.6%	-3.3%	-6.5%	0.4%	-14.9%
Landed Value (\$000)		-		-	_	_	_	-	
Whitefish	1,230	796	963	1,127	1,379	1,209	925	953	634
% Change		-35.3%	21.0%	17.0%	22.4%	-12.3%	-23.5%	3.0%	-33.5%
Pickerel	207	211	236	170	134	159	210	110	116
% Change		1.9%	11.8%	-28.0%	-21.2%	18.7%	32.1%	-47.6%	5.5%
Lake Trout	79	65	48	24	24	39	24	34	30
% Change		-17.7%	-26.2%	-50.0%	0.0%	62.5%	-38.5%	41.7%	-11.8%
Pike	79	81	101	97	73	49	56	38	32
% Change		2.5%	24.7%	-4.0%	-24.7%	-32.9%	14.3%	-32.1%	-15.8%
Inconnu	112	73	34	56	44	61	101	54	50
% Change		-34.8%	-53.4%	64.7%	-21.4%	38.6%	65.6%	-46.5%	-7.4%
Goldeye	304	17	66	51	22	1	9	13	2
% Change		-94.4%	288.2%	-22.7%	-56.9%	-95.5%	800.0%	44.4%	-84.6%
Total	2,011	1,243	1,448	1,525	1,676	1,518	1,325	1,202	863
% Change		-38.2%	16.5%	5.3%	9.9%	-9.4%	-12.7%	-9.3%	-28.1%

Figure 6.11 Landings Trend by Major Lakes Northwest Territories, 1996 - 2004

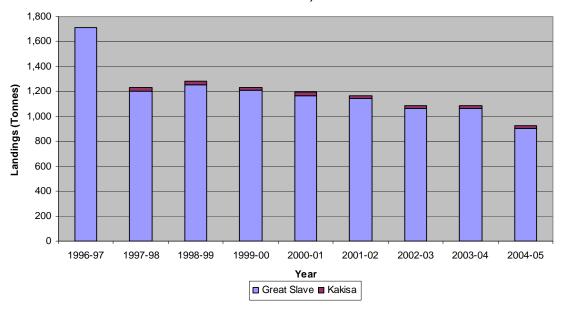


Figure 6.12
Landed Value Trend by Major Lakes
Northwest Territories, 1996 - 2004

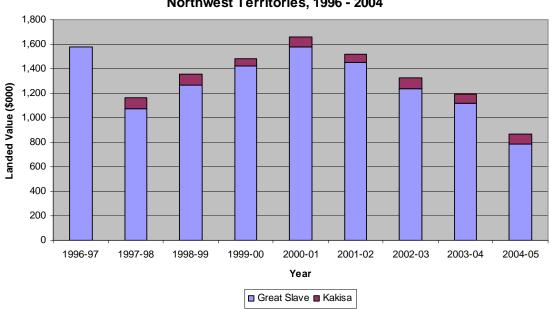


Table 6.6 Landings and Landed Value by Major Lakes Northwest Territories, 1996 - 2004

Major Lakes	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05
Landings (t)						_			
Great Slave	1,712	1,201	1,257	1,212	1,169	1,146	1,065	1,066	907
% Change		-29.8%	4.7%	-3.6%	-3.5%	-2.0%	-7.1%	0.1%	-14.9%
Kakisa		29	25	22	25	17	20	20	22
% Change			-13.8%	-12.0%	13.6%	-32.0%	17.6%	1.8%	8.1%
Total	1,712	1,230	1,282	1,234	1,194	1,163	1,085	1,086	929
% Change		-28.2%	4.2%	-3.7%	-3.2%	-2.6%	-6.7%	0.1%	-14.5%
% of Total Landings	91.7%	98.1%	98.5%	99.1%	99.6%	100.0%	100.0%	99.6%	100.0%
Total Landings*	1,867	1,254	1,302	1,245	1,199	1,163	1,085	1,090	929
Landed Value (\$000)									
Great Slave	1,577	1,071	1,270	1,422	1,576	1,453	1,239	1,121	788
% Change		-32.1%	18.6%	12.0%	10.8%	-7.8%	-14.7%	-9.5%	-29.7%
Kakisa		89	82	63	83	65	85	71	75
% Change			-7.9%	-23.2%	31.7%	-21.7%	30.8%	-16.5%	5.6%
Total	1,577	1,160	1,352	1,485	1,659	1,518	1,324	1,192	863
% Change		-26.4%	16.6%	9.8%	11.7%	-8.5%	-12.8%	-10.0%	-27.6%
% of Total Landed Value	78.4%	93.5%	93.4%	97.4%	99.0%	100.0%	100.0%	99.2%	100.0%
Total Landed Value**	2,011	1,241	1,447	1,525	1,675	1,518	1,324	1,202	863

Notes: * Total landings in all lakes in Northwest Territories; ** Total landed values of landings in all lakes in Northwest Territories.

Figure 6.13 Number of Self-Employed Harvesters Trend by Season Northwest Territories, 1996 - 2004

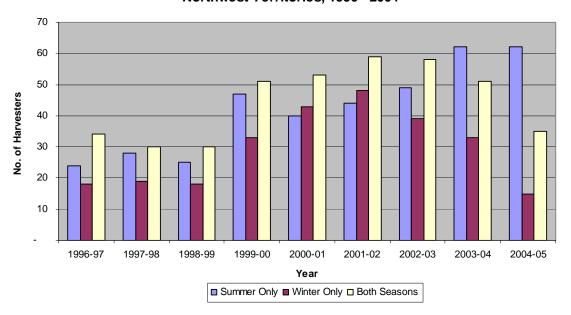


Table 6.7 Number of Self-Employed Harvesters Trend by Season Fished Northwest Territories, 1996 - 2004

Season	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05
Summer Only	24	28	25	47	40	44	49	62	62
% Change		16.7%	-10.7%	88.0%	-14.9%	10.0%	11.4%	26.5%	0.0%
Winter Only	18	19	18	33	43	48	39	33	15
% Change		5.6%	-5.3%	83.3%	30.3%	11.6%	-18.8%	-15.4%	-54.5%
Both Seasons	34	30	30	51	53	59	58	51	35
% Change		-11.8%	0.0%	70.0%	3.9%	11.3%	-1.7%	-12.1%	-31.4%
Total	76	77	73	133	136	151	146	146	112
% Change		1.6%	-5.7%	82.2%	2.6%	11.1%	-3.5%	0.1%	-23.7%

Figure 6.14

Number of Self-Employed Harvesters Trend by Landed Value

Northwest Territories, 1996 - 2004

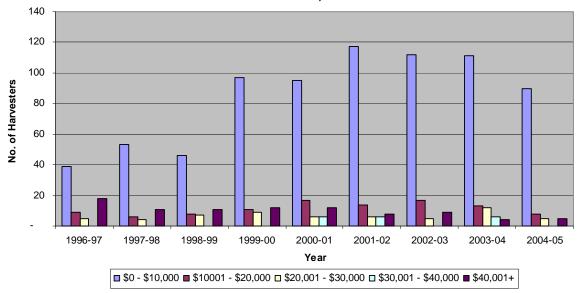


Table 6.8
Average Payment, Weight and Total Number of Self-Employed Harvesters Trend by Landed Value Range
Northwest Territories, 1996 - 2004

Landed Value	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05
Average Payment (\$)									
\$0-\$10,000	3,101	2,614	2,847	3,034	3,183	2,950	2,948	2,647	2,609
\$10,001-\$20,000	13,520	13,286	13,960	13,934	14,131	15,201	14,397	13,772	13,149
\$20,001-\$30,000	25,894	25,030	26,505	25,695	24,711	24,709	23,762	23,680	23,814
\$30,001-\$40,000	37,853	32,473	35,308	34,416	35,492	35,413	32,891	36,581	34,953
\$40,001+	83,011	75,062	89,477	64,755	64,412	75,194	59,277	56,612	50,398
Average Weight (t)									
\$0-\$10,000	1,574	2,733	2,641	2,339	2,059	2,124	2,364	2,237	2,828
\$10,001-\$20,000	12,260	13,172	11,769	10,666	9,278	11,151	11,025	13,522	15,392
\$20,001-\$30,000	16,324	22,830	19,640	22,184	17,411	19,770	19,620	21,620	26,382
\$30,001-\$40,000	29,446	40,432	50,901	25,415	27,132	25,054	32,974	35,674	42,876
\$40,001+	70,173	74,267	81,752	54,216	48,298	61,809	48,555	48,166	48,922
No. of Self-Employed H	arvesters								
\$0-\$10,000	39	53	46	97	95	117	112	111	90
\$10,001-\$20,000	9	6	8	11	17	14	17	13	8
\$20,001-\$30,000	5	4	7	9	6	6	5	12	5
\$30,001-\$40,000	<4	<4	<4	<4	6	6	<4	6	<4
\$40,001+	18	11	11	12	12	8	9	4	5
Total	71	74	72	129	136	151	143	146	108
% Change		4.2%	-2.7%	79.2%	5.4%	11.0%	-5.3%	2.1%	-26.0%

Note: Total does not include the number for less than 4.

Figure 6.15

Number of Full-Time Equivalent Employment Trend by Landed Value

Northwest Territories, 1996 - 2004

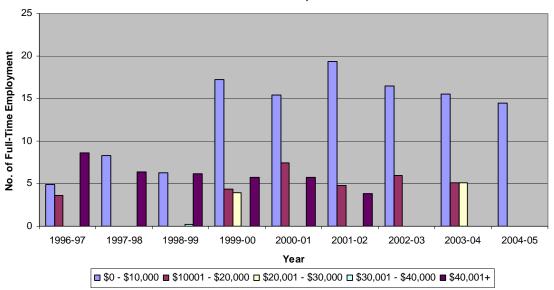


Table 6.9 Number of Full-Time Equivalent Employment Trend by Landed Value Northwest Territories, 1996 - 2004

Landed Value	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05
\$0-\$10,000	5	8	6	17	15	19	17	16	15
\$10,001-\$20,000	4	< 4	< 4	4	8	5	6	5	<4
\$20,001-\$30,000	<4	< 4	< 4	4	< 4	< 4	< 4	5	<4
\$30,001-\$40,000		< 4	< 4	< 4	< 4	< 4	< 4	< 4	<4
\$40,001+	9	7	6	6	6	4	< 4	< 4	<4
Total	17	15	12	31	29	28	23	26	15
% Change		-11.7%	-25.0%	158.3%	-9.4%	-3.5%	-17.9%	13.0%	-43.5%

Note: Total does not include the number for less than 4.

Annex: Western Canadian Freshwater Fisheries - List of Species

Common Name	Genus Name
Whitefish	Coregonus clupeaformis
Pickerel	Sander vitreus
Sauger	Sander canadensis
Lake Trout	Salvelinus namaycush
Northern Pike	Esox lucius
Tullibee	Coregonus artedii
Perch	Perca flavescens
Mullet	Catostomus commersonii
Carp	Cyprinus carpio
Inconnu	Stenodus leucichthys
Goldeye	Hiodon alosoides
White Bass	Morone chrysops
Burbot	Lota lota
Drum	Aplodinotus grunniens