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Fisheries at a Glance 2015-16

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The following tables shows the various statistics of Fisheries Department across the state of Tamil Nadu.

Marine Statistics

S.No	Items	Value
1	Coastal Length	1076 Kms. (India - 8118 Km)
2	Continental Shelf	41412 sq.kms.
3	No. of Coastal Districts	13
4	Marine Fishing Villages	608
5	Infrastructure facilities	
	a) Marine Fishing Harbours	11
	b) Marine Fish Landing Centres	36
	c) Marine Fish Landing points	254
6	Fisher-folk Population (as per census 2010)	787474
	Fisher –folk Population (projected 2016)	
	(a)Women	471936
	(b)Men	492835
	Total	964771
7	Registered Fishing Craft (in Nos)	
	a) Mechanised Boats	5887
	b) Non-Motorized	5249
	c) Motorised	28675
	Total	39811
8	Fisheries Co-operatives	
	(a) Primary:	
	(i) Men FCS	530
	(ii) Women FCS	438
	b) District Federation	8
	c) State (APEX) TAFCOFED	1
9	Membership	
	a) Men-FCS	3,55,451
	b) Women-FCS	2,43,359
	Total	5,98,810
	c) District Federation	859
	d) State Federation (TAFCOFED)	785
10	Marine Fish Production (in tonnes)	466604.032
11	Marine Products Export (2015-16)	
	a) Quantity (in tonnes)	85,063
	b) Value (Rs. in Crore)	4184.06
12	Fishermen Group Accident Insurance:	
	a) Members Enrolled (2015-16)	7,16,284
	b) Families benefited (2015-16)	133

	c) Relief Amount paid (2015-16)(Rs. in lakhs)	117.50
13	Fishermen Savings-cum Relief Scheme	
	a) No. of Beneficiaries (2015-16)	
	i) Men	2,04,814
	ii) Women	1,92,020
	b) Relief Amount paid (Rs. in Crore)	71.43
14	Tamil Nadu Fishermen Welfare Board :	
	a) No. of Members enrolled	4,38,070
	b) No. of Beneficiaries	44,629
	c) Relief assistance disbursed(in Rs. in Crore)	19.79

Inland Statistics

S. No	Items	Value		
1	Inland Fishery Resources:- (in Hectares)			
	a) Reservoirs	62015.06		
	b) Brackish water Area	56000		
	c) Others	265819		
	d) Total	383834.06		
2	No of District Fish Farmers' Development. Agencies	31		
		Dept.	TNFDC	Total
3	No of Reservoirs	53	8	61
4	Induced Carp Spawning Centres	8	-	8
5	Fish Seed Rearing Centres	34	-	34
6	Fisher-folk Population (Projected)for 2015 -16	228040		
7	Fisheries Co-operative :	No. of societies		
	a)Primary:			
	i) Men-FCS	297		
	ii) Women-FCS	68		
	b) District Federation	3		
8	Membership :			
	a)Primary			
	i) Men-FCS	87207		
	ii) Women-FCS	7758		
	(b) District Federation	133		
	(c) State Federation (TAFCOFED)			
9	Fish seed production (in Lakhs)	Target	Achievement	
	a) By Induced Breeding(Early Fry)	4810	4131.30	
10	Fish seed rearing(in lakhs)	Target	Achievement	
	Late Fry	452	329.77	
	Fingerlings	1141.5	576.115	
	Advanced Fingerlings			
12	Fish Production for (2015-16) (in Lakh tonnes)			
	Achievement	2.42		