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Fisheries at a Glance 2017-18

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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	1006174
7	Registered Fishing Craft (in Nos)	
	a) Mechanised Boats	5893
	b) Non-Motorized	5900
	c) Motorised	32879
	Total	44672
8	Fisheries Co-operatives	
	a) Primary:	
	i) Men FCS	558
	ii) Women FCS	461
	b) District Federation	12
	c) State (APEX) TAFCOFED	1
9	Membership	
	a) Men-FCS	3,56,992
	b) Women-FCS	2,60,732
	Total	6,17,724
	c) District Federation	998
	d) State Federation (TAFCOFED)	814
10	Marine Fish Production (in tonnes)	4.97 Lakh tonnes
11	Marine Products Export (2017-18)	Tamil Nadu
	a) Quantity (in tonnes)	114337
	b) Value (Rs. in Crore)	540769.08
12	Fishermen Group Accident Insurance:	
	a) Members Enrolled (2017-18)	6,66,380
	b) Families benefited (2017-18)	136
	c) Relief Amount paid (2017-18)(Rs. in Crore)	2.5
13	Fishermen Savings-cum Relief Scheme	
	a) No. of Beneficiaries (2017-18)	
	i) Men	1,80,706

	ii)Women	1,98,833
	b) Relief Amount paid (Rs. in Crore)	113.86
14	Fishing Ban Period Relief to Marine Fishermen Families	
	a) No. of Beneficiaries (2017-18)	1,59,506
	b) Relief Amount disbursed (Rs. in Crore)	79.75
15	Special Allowance for Marine Fishermen Families During Lean Period	
	a) No. of Beneficiaries (2017-18)	1,39,045
	b) Relief Amount disbursed (Rs. in Crore)	69.52
16	Tamil Nadu Fishermen Welfare Board :	
	a) No. of Members enrolled	4,50,422
	b) No. of Beneficiaries	54,365
	c) Relief assistance disbursed(in Rs. in Crore)	25.5

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	10	1	11
5	Fish Seed Rearing Centres	37	5	42
6	Fisher-folk Population (Projected)for 2017-18	229868		
7	Fisheries Co-operative :	No. of societies		
	a)Primary:			
	i) Men-FCS	300		
	ii) Women-FCS	72		
	iii)Other types	27		
8	Membership :			
	a)Primary:			
	i) Men-FCS	82,986		
	ii) Women-FCS	7,883		
	iii)Other types	6,791		
9	Fish seed production (in Lakhs)	Target	Achievement	
	a) By Induced Breeding(Early Fry)	5206	3685.75	
10	Fish seed rearing(in lakhs)	Target	Achievement	
	Fingerlings	1141.5	576.115	
12	Fish Production for (2017-18) (in Lakh tonnes)	2.15		