

12. FISHERIES

12.1 FISHERIES DEVELOPMENT

Year: 2005-2006

1. Area:			
a. Total Coastal Line of the District	:		19 K.M.
b. i. Total Inland Fresh Waterspread Area	:		240 Hec.
ii. Estuarines and Brackish Water Area	:		40 Hec.
c. Marine Fishing Villages			44
2. Fish Production:			
	Item	Quantity	Value
	(1)	(Tonne)	(Rs.in lakhs)
	(1)	(2)	(3)
3. Inland			
Fisheries Development	Marine	14031	7576.74
	Inland		
a Freezing Plants	1.5 Tonnes Capacity run by T.N.F.D.C.		
b Iceplants, Cold storages	5.0 Tonnes Capacity Ice Plants run by T.N.F.D.C.		
And walk in coolers	:		-Nil-
c Sea food manufacturing	:		-Nil-
Units in private sector	:		-Nil-
d Fisheries Training centre:			
i. Marine	:		-Nil-
ii. Inland	:		-Nil-
e Fishing Vessels Mechanised	:		1229
f Active Marine Fishermen	:		16299
g Active Marine Fishermen	:		4279
4. Export			
Fish and Fish Products:			
Export:			
a. Quantity (Tonne)	:		42246 MTS
b. Value (Rs.in crores)	:		1382. 55 Crores

Source: Fisheries Department

12.2 ESTIMATED MARINE FISH PRODUCTION / INLAND FISH PRODUCTION

Year.No: 2005-2006

Sl.No. (1)	Block/Municipalities (2)	Quantity (Tonne) (3)	Value (Rs. In lakhs) (4)
1.	Marine	17660.39	11479.25
2.	Inland	36.63	10.62

Source: Fisheries Department

12.3 NO. OF FAMILIES ENGAGED IN FISHING

Year: 2005-2006

Sl.No. (1)	Name of the Block (2)	No. of Families engaged (3)
	Chennai	16414

Source: Fisheries Department