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8. FISHERIES**8.1 FISHERIES DEVELOPMENT 2022-23****1. AREA**

a. Total coastal line of the State – Kms	1076 kms
b. Total Inland Fishery Resources in Tamil Nadu (in Hectare)	
(a) Reservoirs	62015.06
(b) Brackish water Area	56000.00
(c) Others	267746.14
(d) Total	385761.20
c. Marine Fishing Villages – Number	608

2. FISH PRODUCTION

a. Marine	
i) Quantity (in Tonnes)	596686.95
ii) Value (Rs. in Lakhs)	2193013.61
b. Inland	
i) Quantity (in Tonnes)	231963.46
ii) Value (Rs. in lakhs)	627941.88

3. FISHING Vessels –Number

I) Registered	
a) Motorized Mechanical Boats	5824
b) Non-Motorized	4119
c) Motorized-Non Mechanical	41716
d) Total	51659

4. ESTIMATED(Projected) FISHERFOLK POPULATION (In Lakhs)

a) Marine	10.48
b) Inland	2.36

5. FISH AND FISH PRODUCTS EXPORT

a) Quantity (Tonnes)	123157.00
b) Value (Rs.Crores)	6957.67

*Source : Principal Secretary/Commissioner of Fisheries and Fishermen Welfare,
Chennai-35*

*Director of the Marine Products Export Development Authority,
Chennai-40*

8.2 ESTIMATED MARINE FISH PRODUCTION - CRAFT WISE BY DISTRICTS FOR THE YEAR 2022-23

(Quantity in Tonnes)

S. No	Districts	Motorized		Non-Moto-rized	Shore-Seine Crafts	Total	%
		Mecha-nized	Non Mecha-nized				
1	Chennai	47922.68	4189.37	72.33	0.00	52184.38	8.75
2	Thiruvallur	0.00	34210.65	345.57	0.00	34556.22	5.79
3	Chengalpattu	3677.77	34938.99	7355.58	0.00	45972.35	7.70
4	Viluppuram	2701.50	13766.33	1610.83	14.27	18092.93	3.03
5	Cuddalore	17131.37	33149.86	8445.12	0.00	58726.34	9.84
6	Mayiladuthurai	4388.91	10235.97	3321.81	0.00	17946.69	3.01
7	Nagapattinam	31199.67	14052.93	1357.03	0.00	46609.63	7.81
8	Thiruvaurur	0.00	2010.33	0.00	0.00	2010.33	0.34
9	Thanjavur	7034.64	44764.96	68.34	0.00	51867.95	8.69
10	Pudukkottai	38632.06	8264.68	1184.86	0.00	48081.60	8.06
11	Ramanathapuram	54769.85	21291.53	5279.91	5076.18	86417.47	14.48
12	Thoothukudi	35959.71	17399.52	2190.78	0.00	55550.02	9.31
13	Thirunelveli	0.00	10546.93	0.00	0.00	10546.93	1.77
14	Kanniyakumari	43494.62	17529.83	7099.66	0.00	68124.11	11.42
	Total	286912.78	266351.90	38331.82	5090.45	596686.95	100.00
	Percentage	48.08	44.64	6.42	0.85	100.00	

*Source: Principal Secretary/Commissioner of Fisheries and Fishermen Welfare,
Chennai-35*

8.3 ESTIMATED INLAND FISH PRODUCTION BY DISTRICTS FOR THE YEAR 2022-23

<i>Name of the Districts</i>		<i>Total Quantity in Tonnes</i>	<i>%</i>
(a) Chennai Region			
1.	Thiruvallur	17745.86	7.65
2.	Kancheepuram	6456.52	2.78
3.	Chengalpattu	11347.01	4.89
4.	Vellore	386.03	0.17
5.	Ranipet	1666.03	0.72
6.	Tirupathur	265.48	0.11
7.	Thiruvannamalai	3898.34	1.68
(b) Cuddalore Region			
8.	Cuddalore	20195.00	8.71
9.	Viluppuram	3144.18	1.36
10.	Kallakurichi	2383.00	1.03
(c) Bhavani Sagar Region			
11.	Salem	11839.78	5.10
12.	Namakkal	6952.34	3.00
13.	Tiruppur	695.63	0.30
14.	Coimbatore	645.83	0.28
15.	Erode	1678.19	0.72
16.	The Nilgiris	5.64	0.00
(d) Dharmapuri Region			
17.	Dharmapuri	3640.23	1.57
18.	Krishnagiri	21609.57	9.32
(e) Trichirappalli Region			
19.	Trichirappalli	873.78	0.38
20.	Karur	552.59	0.24
21.	Perambalur	477.85	0.21
22.	Ariyalur	628.28	0.27
23.	Pudukkottai	4213.81	1.82
(f) Nagapattinam Region			
24.	Thanjavur	46157.12	19.90
25.	Thiruvarur	10570.72	4.56
26.	Mayiladuthurai	12328.98	5.32
27.	Nagapattinam	3597.00	1.55
(g) Madurai Region			
28.	Madurai	1574.24	0.68
29.	Theni	2016.88	0.87
30.	Dindigul	1250.42	0.54
31.	Virudhunagar	1345.03	0.58
32.	Sivagangai	825.50	0.36
(h) Ramanathapuram Region			
33.	Ramanathapuram	4799.01	2.07
(i) Thoothukudi Region			
34.	Thirunelveli	1742.39	0.75
35.	Tenkasi	1284.22	0.55
36.	Thoothukudi	14861.98	6.41
(j) Kanniyakumari Region			
37.	Kanniyakumari	8309.00	3.58
Total		231963.46	100.00

Source: Principal Secretary/Commissioner of Fisheries and Fishermen Welfare,
Chennai-35

8.4 SOURCE-WISE INLAND FISH PRODUCTION

		(Quantity in Tonnes)
<i>Resources</i>		<i>2022-23</i>
1.	Reservoirs	5327.03
2.	Major Irrigation Tanks (I- Perennial-Long Seasonal)	47405.45
3.	Short Seasonal Tanks & Ponds	74190.89
4.	Intensive Inland Fish Culture Tanks	7536.40
5.	DFFDA Tank and Private farms	20927.76
6.	Rivers, Streams, Canals etc.,	20449.78
7.	Miscellaneous (Brackish water & farms)	56126.15
TOTAL		231963.46

Source: Principal Secretary/Commissioner of Fisheries and Fishermen Welfare, Chennai-35

8.5 EXPORT OF FISH AND FISH PRODUCTS IN TAMIL NADU

<i>Year</i>	<i>Quantity (Tonnes)</i>	<i>Value (Rs. In Lakhs)</i>
2012-13	86585	333178.00
2013-14	96429	531629.00
2014-15	93477	503817.86
2015-16	85063	418406.00
2016-17	88257	434178.00
2017-18	116664	542030.00
2018-19	128845	559149.85
2019-20	134918	621053.00
2020-21	110023	556548.00
2021-22	114810	655964.00
2022-23	123157	695767.00

Source: Director of the Marine Products Export Development Authority Chennai-40