

Participation in “Tamilnadu Fish Festival 2013”

Fishery Survey of India Chennai Base had participated in the “ Tamilnadu Fish Festival 2013” held at Chennai from 9th May to 12th May 2013 organised by the Department of Fisheries, Govt. of Tamilnadu. Chennai Base had participated and displayed charts, models of various fishing gears, survey vessels and also displayed oceanic fishes such as Yellow fin Tuna, Skipjack tuna, Blue marlin, Sail fish and Sward Fish as well as Octopus, Pomfrets, Crabs, shells, squids etc. which were very attractive to the visitors and media this was telecasted in doordarshan and Local TV channels.

Among the 110 stalls in the Tamilnadu Fish Festival 2013 chennai Base of FSI was awarded “ Best popularized stall” and received the memento along with the merit certificate from Smt. P. Valarmathi, Hon’ble Minister for social welfare Govt. of Tamilnadu in the presence of Shri K. A. Jaypal, Hon’ble Minister of fisheries , Govt. of Tamilnadu. The FSI activities was briefed during the exhibition and necessity to explore the oceanic fishes displayed in the stall which fetches higher price and for the better income of fishermen, simultaneously to reduce the fishing pressure in the coastal waters was explained to the media and it was telecasted in local news channels. There are about one lakh public including fishermen students visited this stall during exhibition.

