

Animal Husbandry, Dairying and Fisheries

Table 3.26: State-wise marine fisheries resources

States/ Union Territories	Coastal length (km)	Landing centres	Fishing villages	Fishermen families	Traditional fishermen families	BPL families	Fisher folk population
Andaman & Nicobar Islands	1912	51	169	5944	4486	1486	26521
Andhra Pradesh	974	350	533	155062	152062	150669	517435
Daman & Diu	27	12	12	3163	3094	20	15836
Goa	104	34	41	2986	2922	650	12651
Gujarat	1600	107	280	67610	64395	19123	354992
Karnataka	300	115	162	32479	30897	27312	157989
Kerala	590	204	220	121637	116598	72507	563903
Lakshadweep	132	20	10	4163	3003	1170	27934
Maharashtra	720	173	526	87717	80906	27400	364899
Odisha	480	73	739	115228	92569	48601	517623
Puducherry	45	41	39	14347	14328	12968	50270
Tamil Nadu	1076	301	575	201855	196784	183683	795708
West Bengal*	158	66	171	81067	56447	55301	368816
Total	8118	1547	3477	893258	818491	600890	3774577

Note : *: Subsequent reference to fishing villages actually means Gram Panchayat in West Bengal.

Source : *Handbook on Fisheries Statistics 2018*, Department of Fisheries, Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying, Govt. of India. (Website: <http://www.dof.gov.in>)