

Investigation on non-penaeid shrimp resources

- Gujarat (58%), Maharashtra (33%), West Bengal (4%) and Andhrapradesh (3%) contributed to the fishery.
- Estimated all-India average landing of non-penaeid shrimps between 2002-04 is 1,30,391 t. The northwest region contributed 90% of the total catch; trawlnets and dolnets are the major gears. *Acetes* spp. and *Nematopalaemon tenuipes* are the major species. Non-penaeids are also landed at Kakinada, Kerala and Tamilnadu. Pandalid shrimps (non-penaeid), *H. woodmasoni*, *H.gibbosus*, *P. spinipes* and *P. martia* are major contributors of deepsea shrimp fishery