

Kollam visit and distribution of Square mesh cod-end

The FIP visited Azheekal Harbour, Kollam and handed over 3 square mesh cod-end fabricated at CIFT, Kochi to the trawl boat owner, Mr. Sunilraj. The representatives of MSC, WWF-India, SSNI and CIFT were present. Mr. Sunilraj will provide samples and video footages and photos of the catch for the studies related to square mesh trials including bycatch characterisation and selectivity analysis to be done by CIFT (the FIP is in the process of signing an MoU with CIFT to this effect).

