

Chapter 8

CHALLENGES IN IMPROVING AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION

Fish Production: (Pisciculture)

Fish is a good source of protein and forms a diet of people living in the coastal area.

Two ways of obtaining fish are

1. Capture fishery- obtained from natural resources
2. Culture fishery - fish farming

Marine fisheries:

- Fishes are caught by using many fishnets from fishing boats in marine water.
- They have high economical value.



Fig. Marine fisheries

Examples:

Mullets, bhetki, pearl spots, shell fish such as prawn.

Inland fisheries:

- Fishes grown in lakes, ponds and rivers are included here.
- They are present in fresh and brackish water.

Examples: Silver carp, Catla, Rohu, Grass Carp common carp etc.



Fig. Inland fisheries

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