

Funds for CMFRI

The Central Marine Fisheries Research Institute (CMFRI), Kochi, will get Rs. 9 crore for establishing the brood banks of two marine fishes, cobia, and pompano. Scientists plan to sustainably produce fertilised eggs and newly hatched larvae from bio-secure broodstocks of cobia and pompano fed with suitable diets under controlled water quality parameters. The brood bank will be set up at Mandapam and Vizhinjam centres of the Institute. Regional hatcheries will be established in all maritime States.