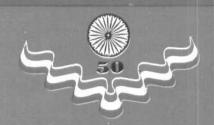


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Fig. 1. Dead dolphin stranded at Janjira-Murud on 15.11.97.

A dead dolphin measuring about 2.5 m in total length was stranded ashore on 15-11-'97 at Janjira-Murud, Raigad District, Maharashtra (Fig. 1). Due to its-decomposed condition, clear identity could not be ascertained but indicated close affinity to the common dolphin, *Delphinus delphis*.

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