

Asian Fisheries and Aquaculture Forum

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The 14th Asian Fisheries and Aquaculture Forum (14AFAF) is being organized in New Delhi during February 12-14, 2025.

About Asian Fisheries and Aquaculture Forum

- It is a **triennial event** of the Asian Fisheries Society which has a strong legacy of fostering global collaboration in the sector.
- Since its inception, the forum has been successfully hosted in multiple countries across Asia.
- This prestigious event is **being hosted in India for the 2nd time** after the 8AFAF held at Kochi in 2007.
- The forum will provide a platform to **showcase India's contributions**, strengthen international partnerships, and promote innovative approaches for sustainable, resilient, and economically viable **fish production systems**.
- With a rapidly expanding blue economy, progressive government policies, and significant scientific advancements, India has emerged as a key player in sustainable fisheries and aquaculture.

- India occupies 2nd position in total fish production and also aquaculture production globally.
- **Headquarters:** Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.

Key facts about 14th AFAF

- The 14th AFAF brings together key players from the fisheries and aquaculture sectors and will host around 1,000 delegates from 24 countries, including researchers, policymakers, industry leaders, and stakeholders.
- **Theme of 14th AFAF:** “Greening the Blue Growth in Asia-Pacific”
- It is being jointly organized by the **Asian Fisheries Society** (AFS), Kuala Lumpur; **Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR), New Delhi; the Department of Fisheries** (DoF), Government of India; and the Asian Fisheries Society Indian Branch (AFSIB), Mangalore.

Asian Fisheries and Aquaculture Forum FAQs

Q1: What is the rank of India in fisheries and aquaculture?

Ans: India is the third largest fish producing country, contributing 8 percent to the global fish production and ranks second in aquaculture production.

Q2: Where is the Indian Council for Agricultural research situated?

Ans: New Delhi

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