

## **Integrated prawn culture in Pokkali fields in Ernakulam district**

This project aims at popularising scientific prawn farming in Pokkali paddy fields through appropriate improvements in the traditional system. The Agency for Development of Aquaculture, Kerala(ADAK), is the implementing agency. The project will be integrated with other agriculture/livestock projects taken up by agencies like Pokkali Development Agency, Paddy Development Agency, Kerala Agricultural University etc. This is a credit linked scheme and assistance will be routed through commercial banks. The components of the project include

- Development of infrastructure
- Development of shfrimp aquaculture
- Extension services
- Training support and
- Environmental impact assessment

### **References**

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