



Notes and References



NOTES

- 1 This is an intergovernmental organization comprising seven countries (Cape Verde, Gambia, Republic of Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Mauritania, Senegal, and Sierra Leone). It was established in 1985 for the purpose of sub-regional integration in fisheries resources management. Based in Dakar, Senegal, the organization has three organs: the Council of Ministers, the Coordinating Technical Committee, and a Permanent Secretariat. The organization's Strategic Plan of Action focuses on strengthening resources management; harmonization of policies and legislations; research, data and information exchange; and cooperation in monitoring control and surveillance.
 - 2 The PRCM program is essentially aimed at the sustainable management of marine and coastal areas in West Africa. The process involves the member states of the SRFC and four international NGOs operating within the sub region (IUCN-International Union for the Conservation of Nature, FIBA- Fondation Internationale de Banc d'Arguin, World Wildlife Fund (WWF), and Wetlands International).
 - 3 Funded by the GEF, this project covers six of the SRFC members, plus Morocco. The overall objective of the project is to secure global environmental benefits by reversing (over time) the depletion of fisheries resources and conserving the nursery and reproductive habitats of the Canary Current Large Marine Ecosystem.
 - 4 This is a US\$ 65 million program funded by the World Bank/GEF and being implemented through the SRFC in its seven member countries. It will: support efforts to eliminate illegal fishing activities; curtail damage to resources and the loss of economic rents from the fishing sector; and create the conditions for the implementation of access rights and fishing capacity control.
 - 5 These vessels are usually European-owned, and they only fly Gambian flags to enable them to fish within the region. They are managed by Gambian agents, usually Gambian fishing companies who are remunerated in cash.
 - 6 This is the NAWEC tariff for the Hotels and industries including Fish factories.
 - 7 This is an intergovernmental organization comprising seven member countries: Cape Verde, Gambia, Guinea Bissau, Guinea Conakry, Mauritania, Senegal and Sierra Leone. It focuses on: strengthening the management of resources the harmonization of policies and legislation; research, data and information exchange; and co-operation in monitoring, control and surveillance.
 - 8 Recently the Ministry of Agriculture received US\$ 28 million from the Global Agriculture and Food Security Program (GAFSP) to upscale certain success stories through a new project - a component of which will look into the possible extension of the success of the current pilot fish farming project in the Sapu rice fields in CRR.
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