

ReALCraft

(Registration And Licensing of Fishing Craft)

HANDBOOK



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Overview

The Department of Animal Husbandry Dairying & Fisheries (DADF) is one of the Departments in the Ministry of Agriculture and came into existence w.e.f. 1st February, 1991, by converting two divisions of the Department of Agriculture and Cooperation namely Animal Husbandry and Dairy Development into a separate Department. The Fisheries Division of the Department of Agriculture and Cooperation and a part of the Ministry of Food Processing Industries were later transferred to this Department w.e.f. 10th October, 1997.

The Department is responsible for matters relating to livestock production, preservation and protection from disease and improvement of stocks and dairy development, and also for matters relating to the Delhi Milk Scheme and the National Dairy Development Board. It also looks after all matters pertaining to fishing and fisheries, inland and marine.

The Department advises State Governments/Union Territories in the formulation of policies and programmes in the field of Animal Husbandry, Dairy Development and Fisheries.

Genesis

The Department of Animal Husbandry, Dairying & Fisheries (DADF), in collaboration with National Informatics Centre (NIC), has been taking various measures to promote the use of Information and Communication Technologies (ICTs) in the Department since 1995. This includes, Computerization of Sanitary Import Permit, National Project on Rinderpest Eradication, Bird Flu, and Livestock Census etc.

The Department of Animal Husbandry, Dairying and Fisheries (DADF) and National Informatics Centre (NIC) have planned to establish iFisheries Information System Network (FISHNET)î with an objective to provide a single platform to all the stakeholders for decision support and information access on and for Fisheries Development in India.

Mean while Government of Kerala and NIC - Kerala State joined hands to develop an application to register and monitor all the fishing vessels, operating along the territorial waters of Kerala. The product is built on a piece of legislation - Kerala Marine Fisheries Registration Act (KMFR) and rules framed thereunder. It was launched in 2008 and is successfully running since then.

As per the Act all fishing vessels should be registered either with the Department of Fisheries or MPEDA- a Central Agency- and license obtained. The manual system of issuance of both registration and license certificates was replaced with the digital system. The new system is christened as 'Kerala Model'.

In the wake of the 26/11 Mumbai attack, Government of India prioritised the need for establishing a Coastal Surveillance System (CSS) and took it seriously to watch the movements of all the vessels in the coastal belts of India. Government of India emphasized the need to register all the fishing vessels and other small non fishing vessels and felt the need to streamline the registration regimes adopted by various Central and State legislations such as MS Act (Merchant Shipping Act), MPEDA (Marine Products Export Development Authority), State MFRA (State Marine Fisheris Regulation Act)

A National Workshop was organized by the Department on January 21, 2009 in New Delhi to work out the modalities for developing FISHNET project. Based on the recommendations of the workshop, Govt. of India decided to tune the Kerala model according to MS Act and rollout in all the Coastal States (9) & UTs (4) at the earliest.

ReALCraft

'ReALCraft' is a web enabled work flow based online application system for issuing Vessel Registration Certificate under MS Act and Fishing License Certificate under MFR Act to all the fishing vessels operating along the Indian coast. When ReALCraft is fully operational the Security Agencies and other approved Government machineries would be able to track the status of any registered Vessel at any point of time from anywhere, through internet or SMS. It is a web-enabled solution under open source technology.

Features

- Work flow-based interface Provide user-friendly workflow based interface for the approval of applications at various levels (entry of application, verification, approval).
- Facility for comparing original documents with the scanned documents.
- Less Paper Concept Scanned application forms reduces the need of physical movement of the application form to the higher offices for its approval, making the process much either and faster.
- Keeping the history of vessel applications and vessel attributes System maintains the record of remarks of the officers at various levels during the processing of the application for different services, changed vessel parameters and details of fee submitted etc.
- Barcode for individual certificates for checking its validity.
- SMS Service:
 - Vessel Owners can get status of their application just by sending application reference number through SMS
 - Security Agencies can get Vessel information by sending vessel identification number or registration number or license or permit number or communication equipment number.(EPIRB, SART, DAT) through SMS



- Provision for flash news to officers on impounding details and other important activities.
- Online technical support for software users.
- Role Based Dynamic Menu mapping for the individual user.
- Security features provided at Menu level, Function level, Application Level and Application status level.
- System generates automatic registration number, license number, vessel identification number etc.
- Automated fee calculation, based on type of service and vessel attributes.
- Automatic generation of Engine Numbers for assembled engines which have no engine number.
- Online Help Facility
- Defining office wise administrator for managing users, defining roles
- Maintaining master data and Setting alerts.
- Online support for queries.
- Defining fee details, final approving authority and supporting documents for various services.

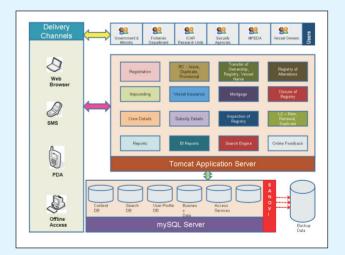
Application Architecture

ReALCraft is developed in LAPP (Linux, Apache, PostgreSQL, PHP) architecture. It has three layers with e-services at the top, Govt. intranet in the middle and functional applications at the bottom.

E-Services layer is the front-end layer, which interacts with citizens and offers services to the citizens. There are several methods, such as touch screen kiosks, Internet, SMS and front end counters by which the citizens can interact with system.

Intranet layer is the Intranet Services layer, which offers lot of collaboration services and tools such as E-Mail, Messaging, bulletin boards etc..

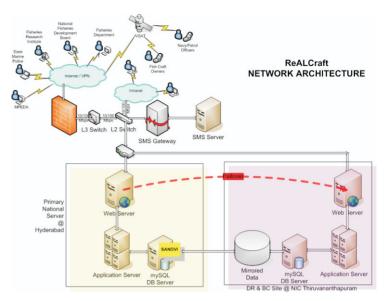
Back Office layer is the key functional area comprising of all the functional modules with which the Government staff will work and carry out the backend operations.



Application Architecture-Fig-1

Network Architecture

- System can be accessed either by Intranet or Internet
- All the servers (Web / Appl. Server, DB Server, Replication Server) are installed at the National Data Centre with maximum security.
- Audited version of the application has been hosted.
- Application servers can be grown horizontally for better response without disturbing the architecture.
- All the facilities available in the Data Centre (such as Firewall, Load balancer etc) are used to the maximum, for security and speed. National
- Backup Servers are placed at the National Data Centre and in NIC for data securityData Centre of Coastal State/ Uts
- In order to minimize the load of the DB Server and also the threat from Internet, all the Queries / Reports are directed to the replication server.
- SMS gueries are directed to the SMS Server



Addional Facilities

- Facility for citizens to get information and down load forms from the site
- Facility for citizens to view MS Act and other relevant information
- Application level security at all levels inducted against unauthorized usage
- User ID, Password and Capcha restricts unauthorized login
- Role driven menu for each User.
- Automated Unique Vessel Registration Number
- Automated Unique Engine Number for assembled engines
- System restricts duplicate Engine Numbers
- Registration with photos and Fishing License Certificates
- Provisional Certificates and Temporary Permit for fishing
- Off line applications for security agencies
- Data backup and restore modules for Security Agencies
- Barcode generated and printed in Certificates
- Work flow based application movement for speedy action
- Status of the application is updated to the applicant using SMS facility
- Security agencies get all the relevant information on their finger tips
- Fuel subsidy can be regulated and controlled
- Analytical reports for drilling down information
- MIS reports for monitoring purpose
- Various types of queries to retrieve information
- Documents are scanned and stored.
- Photos of the Vessel Owner and Boat are scanned and stored

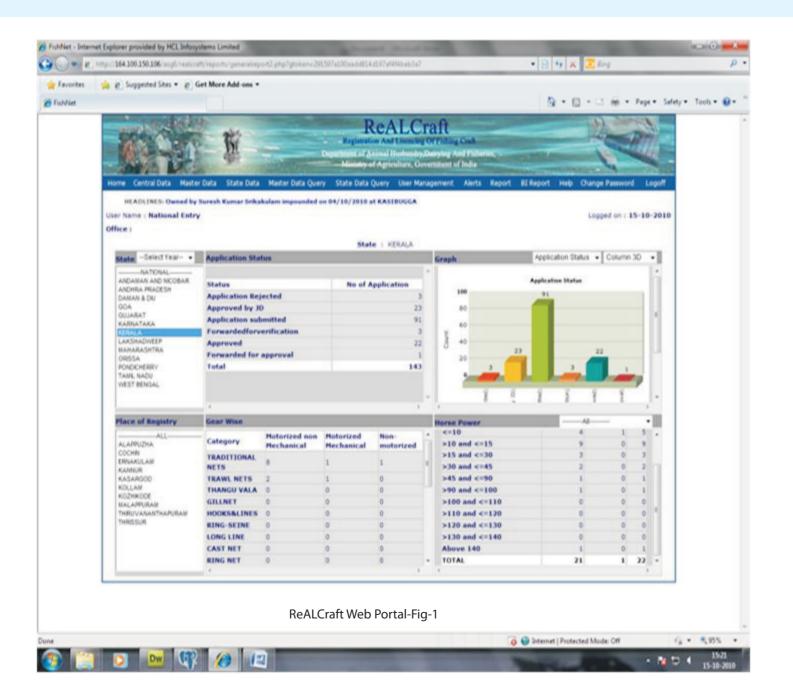
Functionalities

Analytical reports

- More than 40 reports can be generated
- Facility to generate, view and print different types of graphs
- Reports from National level to Places of Registry can be generated
- Monitoring Officers can view different types of reports in a single click

Features

- Work flow based system
- G2C/ G2G/ G2E/ G2B
- Internet Query
- Enquiry option for Citizen
- Services through Internet, Kiosks, Counters and Touch Screen
- SMS Services / Email facility
- Interface for generating engine number for assembled Engine
- Automated Process for RC,LC & Permit
- Bilingual Language support
- Security Features
- 24*7 Availability with disaster recovery





Vessel Search

File Number: 0K

Status of Applications Submitted So far

Serial No	Service	Date of Application	Application Status
1	Vessel Registration	15/07/2007	Approved by JD
2	Registry of alterations materially affects dimensions	15/07/2007	Approved by JD
3	Change Vessel Basic Details	11/08/2010	Application submitted

Basic Vessel Details

Name of the craft: KETTUWANCHI File Number: KLF-312 Ernakulam District: Base of Operation: KOCHI

Registration Number and Date: KLF-04(OM)-192 & 15/07/2007

Vessel Identification Number: KLF-04-B(OM)-185 Traditional canoe-mo Vessel type: Area of Operation: Territorial Waters

Length/Width/Draft: 4.440/1.500/0.246(in feet)

Hull Material: Wood Present Craft Value(in Rs.): 9000

Water Storage Capacity(in Litre): Tonnage Capacity(in Tonne):

Storage Capacity(in Kg):

When Secured:

Where Secured: MUNAMBAM How Acquired: Bought by self

Certificate Status

Registration Certificate Status: Issued Vessel Owner

Name of Owner: K.S. LEVEN

Permanent Address: KADAVIL HOUSE ELAMKUNNAPPUZHA P.O.

Engine Details

Make HP Year of Make Engine Number Suzuki 527810 2.2

Gear Details Gear Name:

Crew Details

Crew Address of Crew Crew Name Insured

KADAVIL HOUSE ELAMKUNNAPPUZHA PIN-682

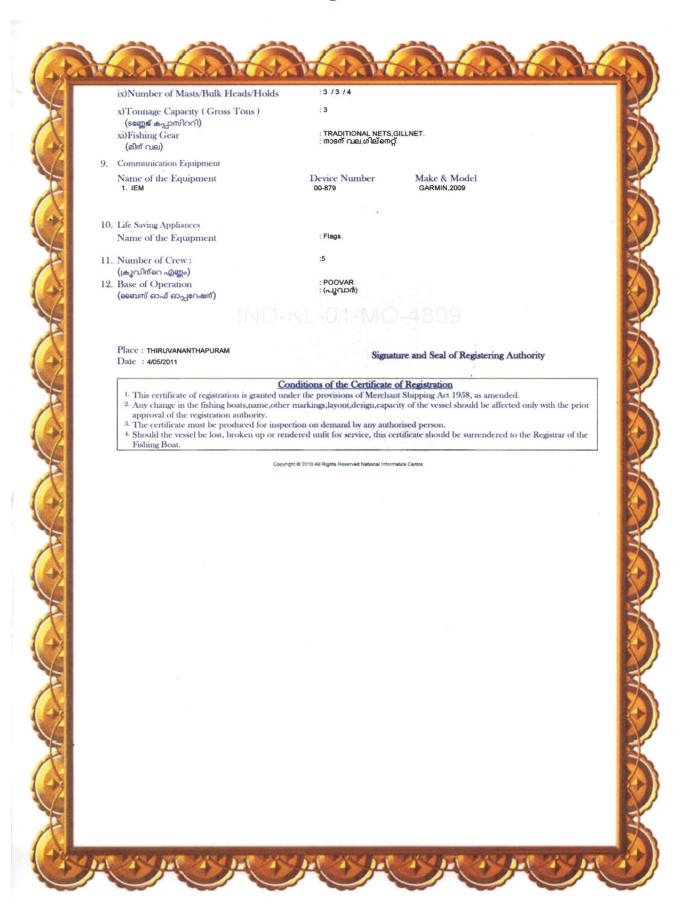
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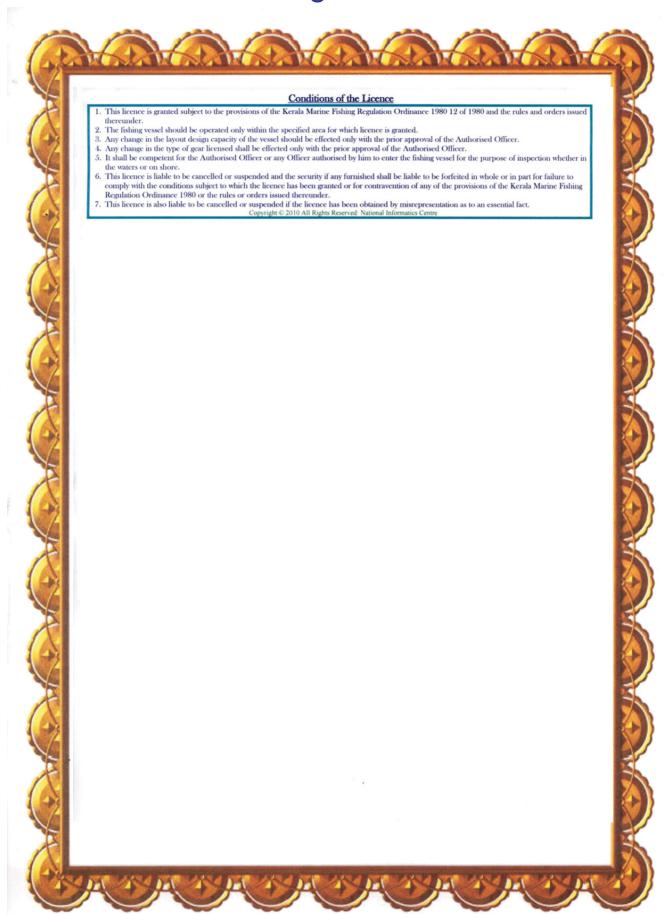
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Fishing Licence Certificate



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Provisional Certificate



GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE

DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY, DAIRYING AND FISHERIES

PROVISIONAL CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRY

[See rule 17(1)]

This is to certify that Fishing Boat PRASADAM Official Number IND-KL-04-MM-863 of Tons belonging to JAYACHANDRAN P N .PAZHAMBILLISSERY, KOTTUVALLIKKAD PO. ALAPPUZHA. is hereby permitted to ply pending issue of Certificate of Registry.

This Provisional Certificate shall remain in force for a period of three months with effect from 28/11/2010 or until the Fishing Boat is granted a Certificate of Registry whichever is earlier.

Port of ERNAKULAM

Date: 28/11/2010

Signature and Seal of Registrar of Fishing Boat

National Informatics Centre(NIC)

We live in the age of the Information Technology (IT) revolution. The universal acceptance of the power of IT to transform and accelerate the development process, especially in developing economies is indisputable. The rapid advance of Communication technologies, especially the Internet, has enabled governments all over the world to reach out to their most remote constituencies to improve the lives of their most underprivileged citizens.

NIC, under the Department of Information Technology of the Government of India, is a premier Science and Technology organization, at the forefront of the active promotion and implementation of Information and Communication Technology (ICT) solutions in the government. NIC has spearheaded the e-Governance drive in the country for the last three decades building a strong foundation for better and more transparent governance and assisting the governments endeavor to reach the unreached.

NIC has leveraged ICT to provide a robust communication backbone and effective support for e-Governance to the Central Government, State Governments, UT Administrations, Districts and other Government bodies. It offers a wide range of ICT services. This includes NICNET, a Nationwide Communication Network with gateway nodes at about 53 departments of the Government of India, 35 State/UT Secretariats and 603 District collectorates to service ICT applications. NICNET has played a pivotal role in decentralized planning, improvement in Government services, wider transparency of national and local Governments and improving their accountability to the people. NIC assists in implementing ICT projects, in close collaboration with Central and State Governments and endeavors to ensure that state-of the-art technology is available to its users in all areas of ICT.

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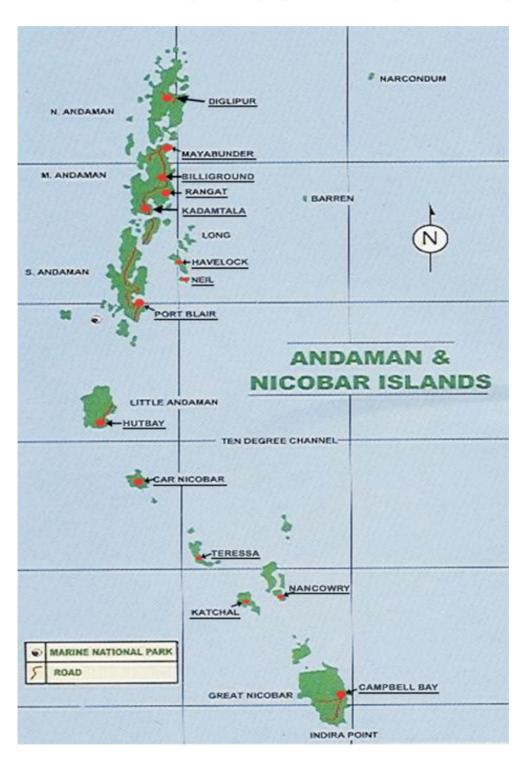
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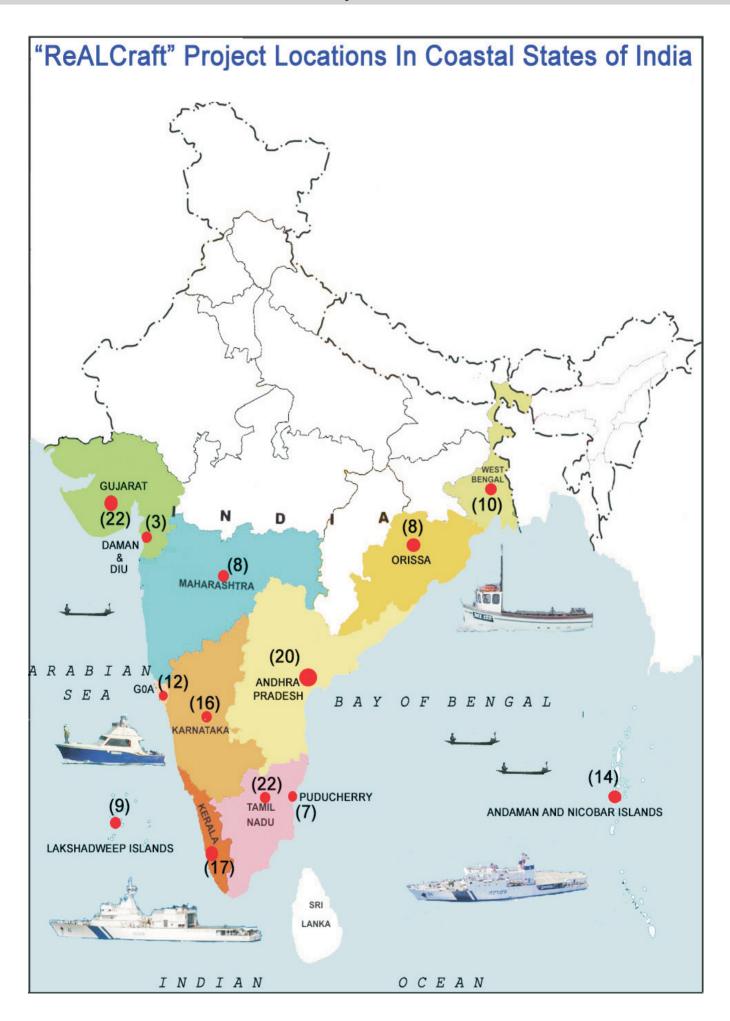
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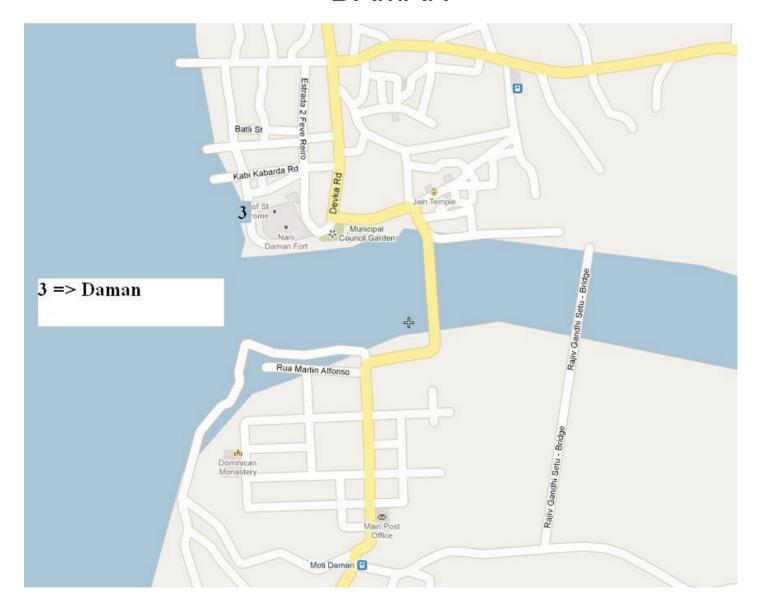
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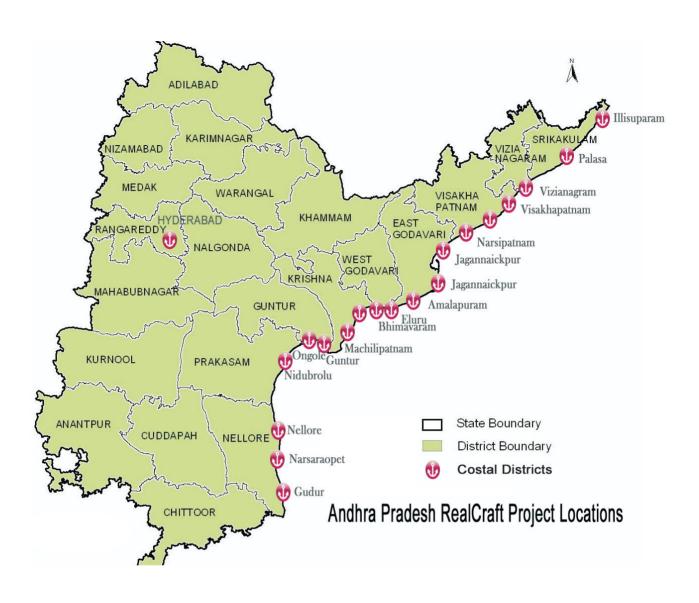
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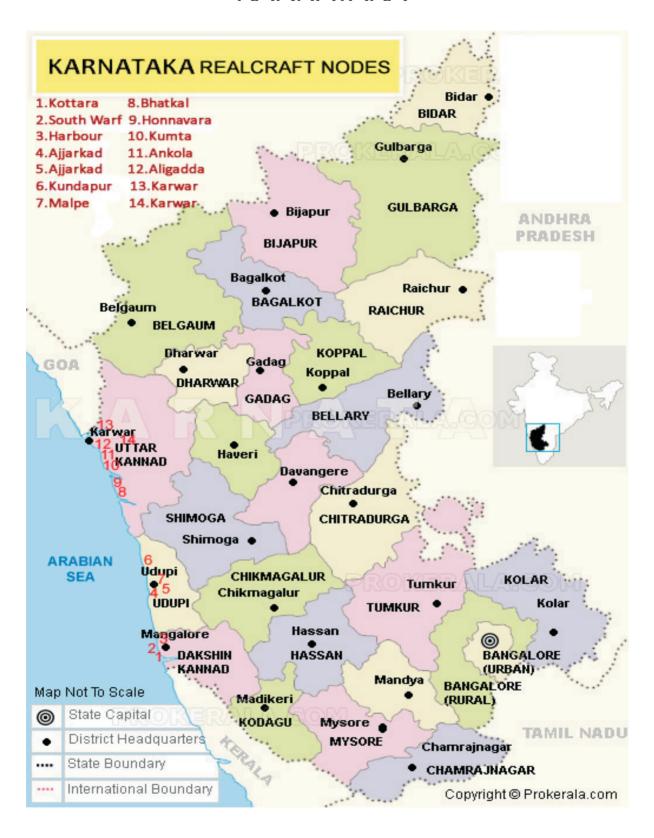
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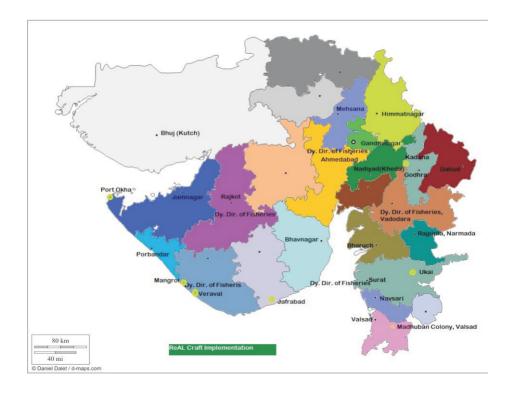
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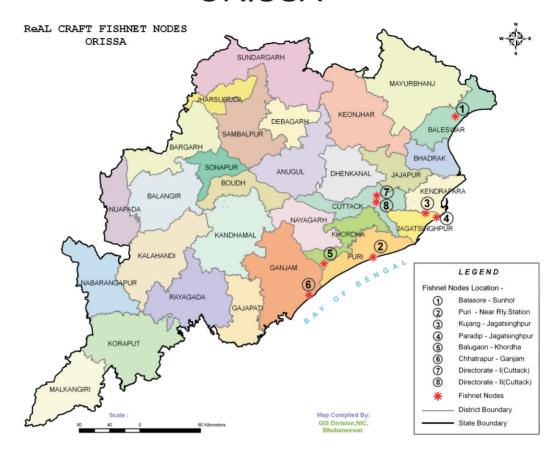
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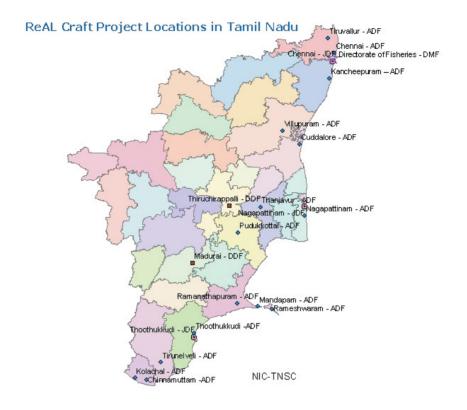
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