### Objective/Outcome

Participants enhance their capacity to plan and implement policy/technical measures for fisheries value chain development, which also assist sustainable management of fisheries resources.

**Outcome:**
1. Participants acquire skills and knowledge on various analytical tools including sector analysis and VC analysis.
2. Participants have better understanding on roles and functions of key stakeholders of VC development and resource management (administration/research/producer organizations) as well as effective coordination/cooperation mechanisms among stakeholders.
3. Participants are introduced of good practices of VC development and resource management such as innovative quality control methods, collective marketing, local product development, marine ecolabelling and information sharing, and discuss their practical application in their own countries.
4. Participants improve their technical capability of project management (application of Project Cycle Management method).

### Target Organization / Group
- National/local fisheries line agency
- Fisheries research institute
- Fisheries development authority/corporation
- Producer organizations

### Target Group
Those who are engaged in related work (i.e. VC development and/or resource management) at the above mentioned organizations and have at least five (5) years of working experiences in the field of fisheries development.

### Contents

1. Compilation of an inception report that summarizes (1) current status and issues of fisheries sector and VC development in the country, (2) measures taken by the governments to address said issues.
2. Lectures and practices on the use of analytical tools.
3. Study tours to fisheries administration, research activities, fishers cooperative association and others, and lectures on their organization/activities.
4. Case studies of various initiatives on VC development and resource management.
5. Group discussion on adaptive application of VC development initiatives in developing countries.
6. Formulation of an action plan.

### Course Period
2017/08/20～2017/10/01

### Department in Charge
Rural Development Department

### JICA Center
JICA Hokkaido (Sapporo)

### Cooperation Period
2015～2017

**Implementing Partner:**
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