

Abalone industry enhancement in eastern Indonesia



Key details

Location

Indonesia

Duration

Start Jan 2008

End May 2008

Budget

AUD 40,000

Commissioned organisation

Southeast Asian Fisheries Development Centre,
Aquaculture Department, Philippines

Partners

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Program

Agribusiness

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Overview

This project aimed to provide an assessment and recommendations on R&D investment opportunities which could enhance production and profitability of the abalone industry of Eastern Indonesia.

Project outcomes

- Assessed the current status and structure of abalone industry in Eastern Indonesia.
- Reviewed the capacity of existing abalone R&D in Eastern Indonesia, including infrastructure, hatchery technology and skilled personnel.
- Identified strategies to increase abalone production.
- Assessed and recommended R&D investment opportunities which could enhance production and profitability of the abalone industry of Eastern Indonesia.
- Determined the feasibility of enhancing the current production of abalone in South East Sulawesi using hatchery-produced abalone as a result of the adoption of seed production technology for tropical abalone.

