

## Heavy landings of *Scomberoides commersonianus*

Heavy landings to the tune of 3.8 t *Scomberoides commersonianus* by hooks & line were noticed at Chennai coast, in October 2005. Though hooks & line are operated mainly for seer fish and caranx, *S. commersonianus* dominated the catch landed by this gear. At Kovalam landing centre, heavy landings of *S. commersonianus* were recorded on 15<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> October 2005. The catch was sold at Rs. 40/- per kg. (*Madras Research Centre*)



*Scomberoides  
commersonianus*