# VNIRO Informcenter participation in IAMSLIC

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## ABSTRACT

VNIRO is the oldest scientific research institution in the field of marine fisheries and oceanography. It is the leading institute dealing with the raw material resources of sea and ocean in scientific and practical aspects. Basic fisheries institutes attached to all USSR seas and oceans belong to VNIRO and Informcenter. For more than half a century of VNIRO activity, its Informcenter and information depository -- VNIRO scientific library -- has accumulated much of the diversified knowledge on fisheries. The specific position of the Russian language, the language of these issues, makes them rather closed, not easily accessible to the world scientific community. Therefore, in order to overcome this difficulty, we have worked out a series of projects for establishing VNIRO communications with the members of IAMSLIC, including a short magazine on fisheries problems, exchange of ideas, personnel training, etc. We hope these efforts will promote future contacts between VNIRO and IAMSLIC.

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