

Cruise No. 36 : Mormugao, 4.11.1987 to Mormugao, 19.11.1987

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Area of operation : Arabian Sea

Objectives & work done : This cruise was under the Indo-FRG bilateral project on "Quaternary upwelling and climate in the Arabian Sea related to monsoon events". The objective was to recover the traps deployed in the previous cruise and to redeploy them at the same locations for a period of one year. Biofouling experimental panels were attached to each of the traps. Water sampling was done at all stations for nutrients.