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Introduction

During 1987 and 1988 the FAO/UNDP Regional Fishery Support Programme completed fisheries bibliographies for the Solomon Islands, Western Samoa, Vanuatu, Tonga, Palau, Tokelau, and Tuvalu. In December 1988 a request was received from the Cook Islands for assistance in compiling a similar list of references.

For this project a total of 22 offices and collections in the Cook Islands, Fiji, and New Caledonia were examined for both published and unpublished material appropriate for the bibliography. In addition, 4 expatriate workers who had previously worked in a fisheries related field in Cook Islands were contacted. Two bibliographic computer searches were carried out and requests for relevant material were sent to five major university libraries.

The above work resulted in a list of 481 references which are arranged in this document by author and by subject. As the objective of this project was to produce a document as useful as possible to fisheries workers in the Cook Islands, a "user-friendly" bibliographic style was adopted. The information was entered into a Microsoft Word computer file and a total of 250 copies of the bibliography have been printed.

It is strongly recommended that personnel of the Cook Islands Ministry of Marine Resources update this document periodically.

Valuable assistance for this project was received from Julian Dashwood and the staff of the Ministry of Marine Resources. In addition, Ron Powell was especially helpful.
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