



Gender Integration in Fisheries



Why Integrated Gender in Fisheries?

**The Fisheries sector is often
seen as male dominant**





While women are mainly considered in post harvest and market



Therefore, **Gender integration are needed in support of equal opportunities** integration of gender aspects **should be promoted to ensure better recognition and enhancement of the roles of women at regional, national, and local levels** including governments, communities and private sector in the process.

Recommendation to **Integrate Gender** in Fisheries

- **Gender Analysis** to identify role, responsibilities, problems, needs, capacities, interest and level of participation of men and women in fisheries for planning process
- **Implement**
 - **Practical needs** (Immediate needs – or the need in short term)
Ex. Provide skill- building.
 - **Strategic Interest** (long term change) – lead to changing roles, status and position. Ex. More women as leaders in fishery sector
- **Gender sensitivity indicator** for project monitor and evaluation
Ex. No. or % of male or female participating in the project, Social status of women and men