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|  | **a.** | **Programme description:** | | | | | | |
| **Line** | | **Agency** | **Sampling programme and target mode (if applicable)** | | | | **No. of ships** |
| Kochi - Lakshadweep | | NIO / INCOIS | Frequently Sampled | | | | 1 |
|  | Chennai – Port Blair | | NIO / INCOIS | Frequently sampled | | | | 1 |
|  | Port Blair – Kolkata | | NIO / INCOIS | Frequently sampled | | | | 1 |
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|  | **b.** | **Data management** | | | | | | |
|  | **Agency** | | | **No. of JJVV messages on the GTS in 2016** | | **Location of delayed-mode data** | | |
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|  | **c.** | **Major challenges and difficulties:** |
|  | Logistical arrangments | |
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|  | **d.** | **Research / development / testing:** |
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|  | **e.** | **Other comments:** |
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