Table 3: Apparent foreign fishing by flag

| Flag | Fishing-kW hours | Fishing hours | Fishing vessels |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sri Lanka | 1,281,439 | 3,046 | 92 |
| India | 353,326 | 867 | 14 |
| China | 72,820 | 207 | 5 |
| Taiwan | 37,315 | 92 | 8 |
| Malaysia | 4,481 | 6 | 1 |
| Spain |  | 0 | 1 |
| Total | 1,753,792 | 4,218 | 121 |