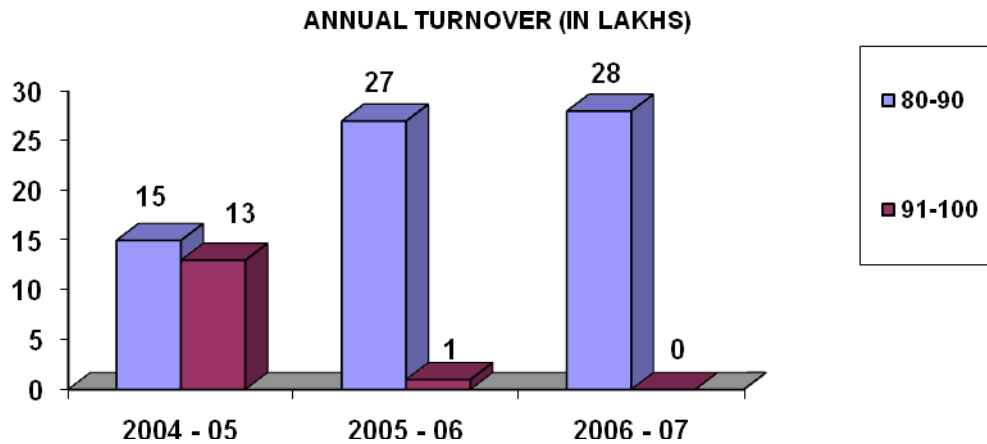


SUMMARY OF FINDINGS

- The units in this are operating for the last 10-12 yrs.
- The units operate in a single shift & the turnover of the units range between Rs. 80 – Rs. 95 lacs.
- All are mechanized units and operate at 50% -80% of their capacity, with an annual production of app 2500 –3000 tpa.
- The major equipment -Compressor of Kirloskar, Super Breeze are being used. Electric motors are in the range of 60-70 hp and largely of Kirloskar.

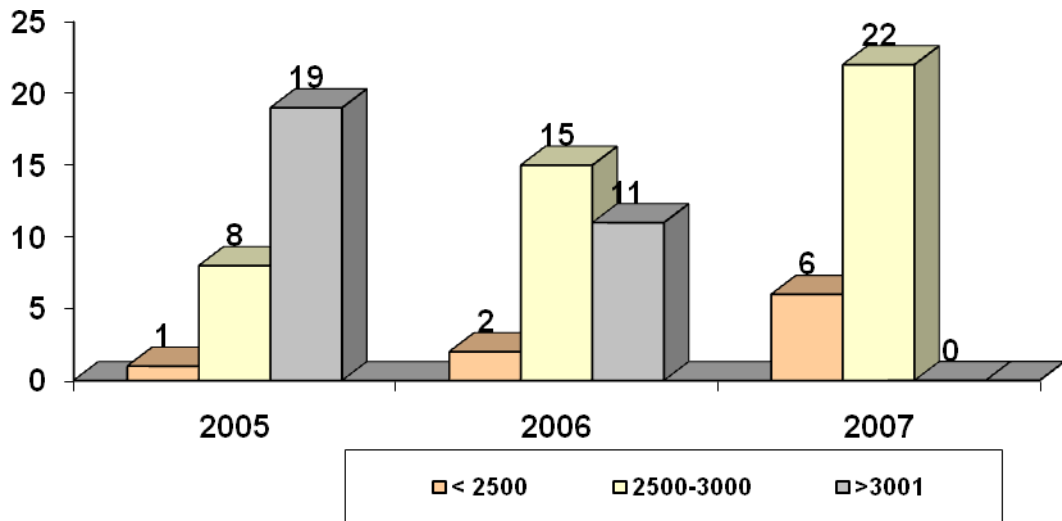
ANNUAL TURNOVER

Number of companies with turnovers in different ranges as given in index



PRODUCTION

All figures are in tonnes per annum

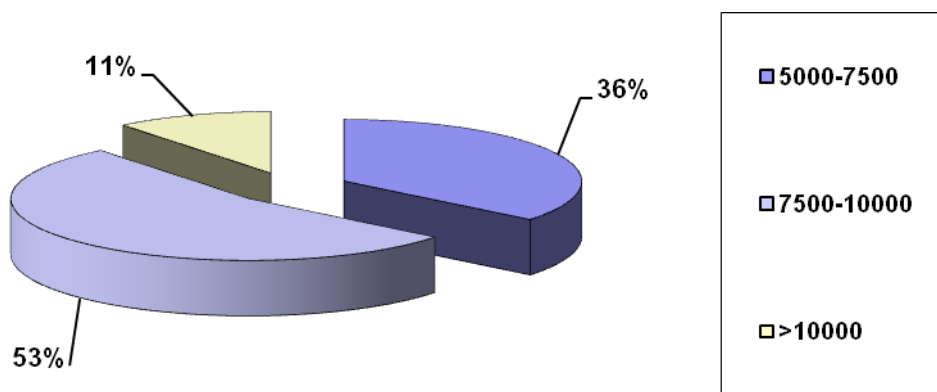


ENERGY REQUIREMENTS

	QTY	NUMBER OF UNITS USING THE FUEL
ELECTRICITY	<i>CONNECTED LOAD</i>	28

USAGE OF ELECTRICITY

(NUMBER OF UNITS PER ANNUM)



FIELD OBSERVATIONS

- ✚ The units in this cluster are spread across West Godavari as well as Veeravasam Nagar, Hundi Road
- ✚ As per the local association operating in this cluster the main customers are sea food manufacturers as well as exporters.
- ✚ There were a total of app 33 units, which were listed and are in working conditions & all are operating in single shift except for a couple of them who have direct tie up with export house which operate on 3 shifts.
- ✚ The major equipment is compressor & crusher but that is having a restricted use where the crushed ice needs to be supplied, otherwise the end product is ice slabs.
- ✚ The process is as under
 - 'AL' cans are filled with water with a certain amount of salt
 - Depending upon the capacity of the compressor, water is compressed with help of ammonia gas.
 - Ice thus formed is supplied to customers
 - For Frozen, Sea Foods crushed ice is required, wherein a crusher is used.

SERVICE PROVIDERS

- The local experts which operated in the cluster were

NAME OF THE UNIT	ADDRESS	CONTACT PERSON	Contact No
Venkat Rao	Akkividu Bhimavaram West Godavari	Venkat Ra0	9848013353
Mr.Bhagga	Akkividu Bhimavaram West Godavari	Mr.Bhagga	225640
Koteshwar Rao	Bhimavaram	Koteshwar	
Ramaraju	Bhimavaram	Ramaraju	
Murali	Bhimavaram	Murali	
Sri lakshmi Engineering Enterprises	Gun bazar GNT road		238874
Sri leela Panduranga Engineering co	GNT road Bhimavaram-2		252830
Sri rama Engineering corporation	Power pet road Bhimavaram-2		668597
Surya Engineering works	Power pet road Bhimavaram-2		253034
Veekay Engineering services	Lakshmi verupet Bhimavaram-2		223214
Vijay Krishna Engineering	Power pet road Bhimavaram-2		223115
Sathya Engineering company	K.N.Road Tadeoakkugydem		221165

- The local fabricators were

NAME OF THE UNIT	ADDRESS	CONTACT PERSON	Contact No
Preet Engineers	Secunderabad	Sunder Singh	9848050747
Lakshmi Kumari fabricators	Gudiwada Bhimavaram	Lakshmi kumari	9849042702
Ravi fabricators	Gudiwada Bhimavaram	Ravi	9849042702
Sri Nagaraja Engineering & design works	Karurr vysya bank street Bhimavaram-2		222261

- The local association is

Ice Factory Welfare Association

Next to SRK Engineering College

1st Floor, Above UTI Bank

BHIMAVARM-2

PH: 08816 –224400

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BANKERS

- All the units have some or the other bankers. The major one are
 - Andhra
 - SBI
 - Vijaya
- None of the units have taken loan for any capital equipment.
- The respondents were not aware of CGFTI

ICE PLANT





