

Thesis Title	The Impact of Socio - Economic Change on Small Scale: A Case Study of Klong Dan
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ABSTRACT

The impacts of Socio-economic change of small scale fishing.
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The study shows that modern changes had affected the profession of shallow waters offshore fishermen, as in Klong Dan. This research had been done of technique of human studies and interview of the local population. In this case, we have assume that the most important factor to influence the growth of this community shall depend on the very mean of contact and transaction with other similar communities.

The indigenous population of Klong Dan had the professing of fishermen. They fish in shallow water along the shoreline. The result of our case study shows that in the past, this community was well developed and became centre of trade in the area. This caused the progress and growth for the fishing professing in Klong Dan.

However, the geographic nature and pollution had hindered the further growth of this community. The changes in quality of sea waters in the Gulf of Thailand had slowly caused the degradation of the small scale fishing. Finally, the deterioration of our natural resources could result in the extinction of small scale fishing communities.