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Third Semester

B.Sc Zoology Model II Aquaculture

VOCATIONAL COURSE - ZA3VOT06 - FISH NUTRITION

2017 Admission Onwards 9886E3E5

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 60

Part A

Answer any **ten** questions.

Each question carries **1** mark.

- 1. Distinguish between Gullet and Pylorus.
- 2. Distinguish between Simple and Conjugated Proteins with examples.
- 3. What are Monosaccharides? Give examples?
- 4. What is Retinol?
- 5. How is Ash content estimated in Proximate Analysis?
- 6. How does Water temperature influence digestibility in fishes?
- 7. What is Nitrogen Balance index?
- 8. What is Spirulina? Explain its importance as an aquaculture feed?
- 9. What are Antivitamins? Give examples?
- 10. What are Minced Feeds?
- 11. Name any two steroid hormones used as Growth Promoters.
- 12. What are the Variable costs in aquaculture Feed Preparation?

 $(10 \times 1 = 10)$

Part B

Answer any **six** questions.

Each question carries 5 marks.

13. Explain the formation of Chyme. Comment on the digestion of fats in fishes.



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- 14. Which are the major Minerals in Fish Nutrition? Comment on the functions, deficiency diseases and sources of any five of the Major Minerals.
- 15. What is meant by Balance Sheet of energy? Explain the different components in the balance sheet of energy.
- 16. Explain the different feed ingredients of Plant Origin.
- 17. Explain briefly the steps in the preparation of pelleted feeds.
- 18. Elaborate on the different factors affecting energy requirement in fishes.
- 19. What are the different factors to be considered in the process of feed formulation? Explain the different methods of feed Formulation.
- 20. Explain different systems of fish feeding or fish feeding devices in aquaculture.
- 21. Distinguish between Food Conversion Ratio and Food Efficiency Ratio. What is the application of these ratios in aquaculture?

 $(6 \times 5 = 30)$

Part C

Answer any two questions.

Each question carries 10 marks.

- 22. Describe the basic structure, classification and functions of fats and fatty acids in the body.
- 23. What are Food Additives? Explain different food additives and their functions in prepared feeds.
- 24. What is meant by Calorific value? Explain the different methods for estimating the calorific value of feedstuffs.
- 25. Describe the different equipments used in Feed manufacturing Mills and their importance.

 $(2 \times 10 = 20)$

