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First Semester

B.Sc Zoology Model II Aquaculture

Vocational Course - ZA1VOT02 - HATCHERY AND CULTURE TECHNIQUES

2017 Admission Onwards 60C05AD1

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 60

Part A

Answer any **ten** questions.

Each question carries **1** mark.

- 1. What is Nauplius? Briefly describe a nauplius.
- 2. How is manual sexing of Tilapia done?
- 3. Explain seed collection of Milkfishes.
- 4. What is the peculiarities of incubators used in trout culture?
- 5. What is extensive prawn culture?
- 6. What is a prawn filtration pond?
- 7. Explain advantages of Off Bottom culture as compared to On Bottom culture.
- 8. Explain site selection for clam culture.
- 9. Write any four uses of seaweeds.
- 10. What is Beche-de-mer?
- 11. What is the habit and habitat of Artemia?
- 12. What are Rotifers? Comment on their importance in aquaculture.

 $(10 \times 1 = 10)$

Part B

Answer any six questions.

Each question carries 5 marks.

- 13. Explain Broodstock selection, management and Thermal stimulation in edible oyster hatcheries?
- 14. Explain the different steps involved in the culture of Indian major carps.



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- 15. Explain culture practice of Tilapia.
- 16. Give an account on mud crab grow out systems in aquaculture.
- 17. Explain crab fattening in detail and give examples for different cultivable species of crabs.
- 18. What is spatfall? How is spatfall predicted? Explain the different spat collection methods for bivalves.
- 19. Explain different methods for the filtration of Aquarium water.
- 20. Explain spawning and egg collection methods in the breeding of Goldfishes and Fighter fish.
- 21. What is the importance of Microalgae in Fish Nutrition? Explain the different phases in microalgal culture?

 $(6 \times 5 = 30)$

Part C

Answer any two questions.

Each question carries 10 marks.

- 22. Describe different techniques for Broodstock spawning, egg incubation and larval rearing in hatcheries of Indian Major Carps?
- 23. Explain the culture of air breathing fishes and Milk fishes? Comment on lablab and its preparation in milkfish ponds.
- 24. Explain the clam resources, seed collection, site selection and on bottom culture of clams in detail.
- 25. What are the different types of aquaria? Explain in detail the setting up and maintenance of freshwater aquaria.

 $(2 \times 10 = 20)$

