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Second Semester

B.Sc Zoology Model II Aquaculture

Vocational Course - ZA2VOT03 - CAPTURE FISHERY

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Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 80

Part A

Answer any **ten** questions.

Each question carries **2** marks.

- 1. Write down any four identification characters of Bombay duck.
- 2. Differentiate Scylla serrata from Portunus pelagicus.
- 3. Write down the family of Pearl oyster and Mussel.
- 4. Briefly explain artificial fishing gear materials with suitable examples.
- 5. What is otter board? Comment on its functions.
- 6. Which are the major river systems in India?
- 7. What is cold water fishery? Give two examples for cold water fishes.
- 8. Mention the major species, gears, seasons of abundance and regions of abundance in oil sardine fishery.
- 9. Mention the regions of abundance and major gears in the prawn fishery of India.
- 10. Mention the major species, gear and seasons and regions of abundance in the lobster fishery of India.
- 11. Define population and Yield.
- 12. What is MSY? What is the importance of MSY in Fishery management?

 $(10 \times 2 = 20)$

Part B

Answer any six questions.

Each question carries 5 marks.



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- 13. Explain the Taxonomy and identification characters of commercially important prawn species and families of India.
- 14. Give an account on the identification characters of commercially important species of cephalopods.
- 15. Give a description on the different types of Fishing craft in India.
- 16. What are Fishing gear accessories? Explain the major Fishing gear accessories and their functions.
- 17. Comment on potential of lacustrine fisheries in India.
- 18. Give an account on the Fishery of Silver bellies in India.
- 19. Give an account on fishery of Mussels in India.
- 20. Define and explain the terms Fishery Management, Population, Population dynamics, Yield and Recruitment.
- 21. Explain the different Input and output control measures in Fishery Management.

 $(6 \times 5 = 30)$

Part C

Answer any two questions.

Each question carries 15 marks.

- 22. Comment on important orders, families, genera and species of Molluscs of the Indian region and their identification.
- 23. Elaborate the structure and operation of different Static gears.
- 24. Give an account on the Crustacean fishery resources of India.
- 25. Elaborate on the different factors affecting fish stocks. Explain the concept of Recruitment. Elaborate on overfishing and the different types of overfishing.

 $(2 \times 15 = 30)$

