M.Sc. 2nd Semester Examination, 2013

AQUACULTURE MANAGEMENT AND TECHNOLOGY

(Fish Nutrition, Informatics and ornamental fish)

PAPER-AMT-202

Full Marks: 40

Time: 2 hours

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable

Illustrate the answers wherever necessary

- 1. Answer any four of the following: 2×4
 - (a) Define prebiotics and probiotics.
 - (b) What do you mean by ornament objects used in home aquarium? Enlist them.
 - (c) Mention the favourable water condition for hatching of Artemia cysts.

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- (d) What do you mean by feed additives?
- (e) Enlist Scientific name and common name of two marine ornamental fishes.
- (f) Mention the criteria for a suitable artificial fish feed.
- (g) Enlist the different types of fish feed.
- (h) Mention the preferred live feed of catla catla and ctenopharyngodon idella.
- 2. Answer any four of the following: 4×4
 - (a) Design an ornamental fish farm guided by the MPEDA.
 - (b) Discuss about the aquarium management through aquascaping.
 - (c) Describe the non-conventional fish feed resources.
 - (d) Give an idea of ornamental fish marketing with special emphasis on kolkata market.

- (e) Discuss about the life cycle of Artemia sp.
- (f) Enumerate the process of fish feed storage.
- (g) Discuss the process of crude protein estimation through Kjeldahl method.
- (h) Importance of *Tubifex* for feeding of ornamental fishes.
- 3. Answer two of the following:

 8×2

- (a) (i) Define NPU.
 - (ii) What do you mean by Gross energy and Digestible energy?
 - (iii) Describe the Laboratory procedure for crude fibre estimation from feed ingredients. $1\frac{1}{2} + 3 + 3\frac{1}{2}$
 - (b) (i) How would you calculate FCR and PER?
 - (ii) Discuss about the feeding management of the *Penacus monodon* farming pond.

- (iii) Add a note on antinutritional factors in = fish feeds. 2+4+2
- (c) (i) Mention the scientific name of four indigenous ornamental fishes.
 - (ii) What do you mean by Oviparous and viviparous ornamental fishes? Cite examples of each.
 - (iii) Briefly explain the hybridization of ornamental fishes. 2+3+3
- (d) (i) Discuss about the role of live feed for larval development of fin fishes.
 - (ii) Enumerate the laboratory culture process of Spirulina sp.
 - (iii) Add a note on the use of Spirulina.

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