## OLD

#### 2015

## Part-I 3-Tier

# AQUACULTURE MANAGEMENT

#### PAPER-I

(Honours)

Full Marks: 100

Time: 4 Hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

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

Illustrate the answers wherever necessary.

- 1. Answer any ten questions from the following:  $2 \times 10$ 
  - (a) What do you mean by gastric and agastric fish?
  - (b) Define venous heart.
  - (c) Distinguish between the gill-rakers of herbivorous and carnivorous fishes.
  - (d) Define osmoregulation.

- (e) Define nursery pond.
- (f) What is Gonado-Somatic Index?
- (g) Define fishing gears.
- (h) What is neuromastorgan? Mention its function.
- (i) State absolute and relative growth.
- (j) Define  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  taxonomy.
- (k) What is significance of tagging of fishes?
- (l) What do you mean by feed conversion ratio?
- (m) Write the scientific name of invasive fish species.
- (n) Define Plankton. Give one example.
- (o) Define positive and negative estuaries.

## Group-A

- 2. Answer any two questions from the following:  $10\times2$ 
  - (a) Classify class crustacea upto order with characters and example. 6+2+2
  - (b) Give a detail account to Tunna fishery in India and mention its present status. 8+2
  - (c) Define maturity and fecundity. Give an account of maturity stages of fishes according to International scale. 2+8

- (d) Mention distinctive characters with example of the following order of fish
  - (a) Cypriniformes;
  - (b) Siluriformes;
  - (c) Anguiliformes:
  - (d) Perciformes.

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 $2\frac{1}{2} \times 4$ 

- 3. Answer any one question of the following:  $15 \times 1$ 
  - (a) (i) Discuss on the modification of mouth of fishes due to their feeding habit.
    - (ii) How you will determine the growth of fish through the study of scale.
    - (iii) How would you calculate the length-weight relationship of fish? 5+5+5
  - (b) (i) Describe the male reproductive system of any Teleost fish with proper diagram.
    - (ii) How would you calculate the fecundity of a fish?
    - (iii) Enlist the different factors affecting the fecundity of fish.

      6+5+4

### Group-B

- **4.** Answer any two questions from the following:  $10\times2$ 
  - (a) Define culture and capture fishery. State potentiality and problems of inland capture fishery resources of India.

    2+4+4
  - (b) (i) Enlist the major marine fish species with commercial importance.
    - (ii) Add a note on the conservation of marine fishery resources of India. 5+5
  - (c) Define inshore and offshore fishery. Discuss in details the marine zonation. Add a note on PFZ. 3+5+2
- 5. Answer any one question from the following:  $15 \times 1$ 
  - (a) Write notes on:
    - (i) EEZ and CRZ
    - (ii) Remote sensing and its application in fisheries.

$$7\frac{1}{2} + 7\frac{1}{2}$$

- (b) Write short notes on:
  - (i) Fishing gears used in West Bengal.
  - (ii) Thermal stratification of lake.  $7\frac{1}{2}+7\frac{1}{2}$