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SEPTEMBER EXAMINATION

AAAQ2014 FEED AND NUTRITION

TUESDAY, 10 SEPTEMBER 2019

TIME: 9.00 AM - 11.00 AM (2 HOURS)

DIPLOMA IN AQUACULTURE

Instructions to Candidates:

Answer **ALL** questions. All questions carry equal marks. Write your answers in the booklet provided.

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Question 1

a) Give TWO (2) points on the functions of digestive tract in fish.

(4 marks)

b) Based on Figure 1.0, describe the FOUR (4) different digestive systems in fish. Give ONE (1) example of fish to support each of your answers. (12 marks)

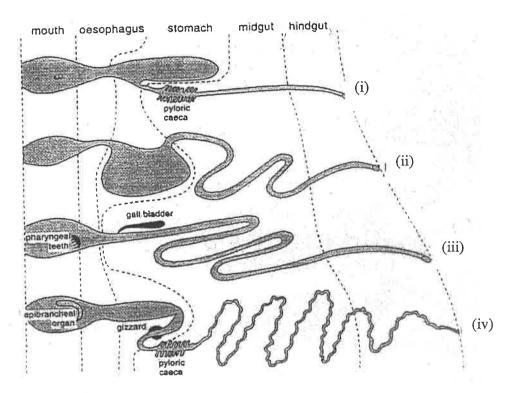


Figure 1.0 Diagram of fish stomach vs gut length.

c) Draw a diagram showing SIX (6) organs involved in the whole digestion processes in fish.

(9 marks)

[Total: 25 marks]

Question 2

a) If you are culturing tilapia, what would be the major nutrient requirements at each of the following stage: early juvenile fish, sub-adult fish and adult fish? (6 marks)

b) Give FOUR (4) criteria on how to select feeds for prawn.

(10 marks)

c) List TWO (2) impacts of wasted feed on the cultured fish.

(3 marks)

d) Provide THREE (3) factors that lead to the development of nutritional diseases in fish.

(6 marks)

[Total: 25 marks]

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Question 3

- a) Define the following terms:
 - (i) Trash fish

(3 marks)

(ii) Fish meal

(3 marks)

- b) In your opinion, briefly describe THREE (3) possible usages in utilizing trash fish to get higher gain. (6 marks)
- c) (i) Name FOUR (4) major processes involved in fish meal production.

(4 marks)

(ii) Provide SIX (6) explanation for the activities involved in Question 3 c) (i). (9 marks)

[Total: 25 marks]

Question 4

a) Define the term "vitamins" in aquaculture.

(3 marks)

b) State TWO (2) reasons why vitamins are essential in aquaculture.

(4 marks)

c) Give THREE (3) general functions of minerals for fish.

(6 marks)

- d) Both vitamins and minerals can be further classified into two groups. Name the TWO (2) groups for each vitamins and minerals. (8 marks)
- e) Provide ONE (1) example for vitamins and ONE (1) for minerals with their major biological function in aquaculture. (4 marks)

[Total: 25 marks]