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# SECOND SEMESTER (CBCSS—UG) DEGREE EXAMINATION APRIL 2021

## Aquaculture

AQC 2B 03—FRESH WATER AQUACULTURE

Time: Two Hours

Maximum: 60 Marks

#### Section A

Answer at least eight questions.

Each question carries 3 marks.

All questions can be attended.

Overall Ceiling 24.

- 1. Importance of grass carp in aquaculture.
- 2. What is periphyton?
- 3. Classification of Phytoplankton.
- 4. Factors determining stocking density in ponds.
- 5. Use of duckweeds in fish farming.
- 6. Pearl sac theory and freshwater pearl production.
- 7. Describe the migration patterns of Freshwater prawns.
- 8. Importance of larvivorous fishes.
- 9. Which are the suitable species for sewage fed fish culture.
- 10. Organic certification in aquaculture.
- 11. What is SEAFDEC?
- 12. Use of hybrids in aquaculture.

 $(8 \times 3 = 24 \text{ marks})$ 

#### Section B

Answer at least **five** questions. Each question carries 5 marks. All questions can be attended. Overall Ceiling 25.

- 13. Differentiate scampi and crayfish.
- 14. Describe various aquaponic systems.
- 15. Importance of alkalinity and hardness in pond aquaculture.
- 16. Monosex culture and its importance.
- 17. Coldwater fish culture in India.
- 18. Raceway culture of fishes.
- 19. Methods adopted to develop planktons in fish pond.

 $(5 \times 5 = 25 \text{ marks})$ 

### Section C

Answer any one question.

The question carries 11 marks.

- 20. Soil and water quality management in fish farm.
- 21. Freshwater prawn farming and its major constrains in further development.

 $(1 \times 11 = 11 \text{ marks})$