

**Chattogram Veterinary and Animal Sciences University, Chattogram**  
**Faculty of Fisheries**

B.Sc. Fisheries (Hons.) Year - 2 Semester - 1 (January-June), Final Examination, 2021  
Course No: CAM201 (T), Course Title: Coastal Aquaculture & Mariculture (Theory)

Total Marks: 70; Time: 3 hours

*Answer any 5 (five) questions from each section. Figures in the right margin indicate full marks.  
Use separate answer script for each section.*

**Section-A**

1. a. Write down the regional, national and global importance of coastal aquaculture. 4  
b. Write down the present status of coastal aquaculture in Bangladesh. 3
2. a. Describe in details the general considerations for site selection. 3  
b. How to set up an aquarium for ornamental fish culture? 4
3. a. What is fertilization? 2  
b. Why a pond bottom is dried before fertilization? 2  
c. Give a procedure of applying organic fertilizer in a pond. 3
4. a. Define water filtration process in a hatchery. 2  
b. Discuss the function and uses of water filtration in shrimp hatchery. 5
5. a. Differentiate between cage and pen culture. 2  
b. Write down the construction materials of cage culture. 2  
c. Describe the production process of fish in cage culture. 3
6. a. Write down the importance and constrain of prawn culture in Bangladesh. 2  
b. Explain in details different types of prawn culture techniques in Bangladesh. 5
7. Write short notes on **any 02 (two)** of the following: 3.5x2=7  
i) Larvae culture of *Penaeus monodon*; ii) Culture of Mullet and iii) Culture technique of Yellowtail Fish.

**Section B**

8. a. Write down the habitat and distribution of mud crab. 2  
b. Explain in details the pond culture techniques of mud crab 5
9. a. Write down the feasibility and problems of oyster culture in Bangladesh. 2  
b. Describe the culture techniques of oyster. 5
10. a. Write down the advantages and disadvantages of off-bottom, raft and longline seaweed culture. 2  
b. Explain in details the production techniques of *Porphyra*. 5
11. c. "There are three species of lobsters"- give their scientific name and how do you differentiate them. 2  
d. Discuss the farming system of lobster. 5
12. a. Describe the importance of brood stock management. 2  
b. Explain in details different methods of brood stock management. 5
13. a. Write down the characteristics aspects and importance of flat fish. 2  
b. Explain in details the culture techniques of seabass culture. 5
14. Write short notes on **any 02 (two)** of the following: 3.5x2=7  
i) Risks and prospects of seaweed culture in Bangladesh; ii) Utilization of seaweed and iii) Culture techniques of Milkfish.



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**B. Sc. Fisheries (Hons.) Year-2, Semester-1, Final Examination 2021**

**Course No: SEB-201 (T), Course Title: Systematics and Evolutionary Biology (Theory)**

**Total Marks: 70 Time: 3 hours**

*Answer **any 5 (five)** questions from each section. Illustrates your answer whenever necessary. Figures in the right margin indicate full mark. Use separate answer script for each section.*

**Section-A**

1. a) Define fish systematics and taxonomy. 2  
b) Briefly describe the importance of studying systematics and evolutionary biology in fisheries study. 3  
c) Why the knowledge on systematics is important for the study of evolutionary biology? 2
2. a) Describe different taxonomic characters with proper examples. 4  
b) 'Meristic characters are more important than morphometric characters in fish population studies and species identification'-justify your answer. 3
3. a) What are the evidences of Darwinism theory? 2  
b) Describe, in brief, Darwin's theory of evolution. 5
4. a) Define phylogenetics. 1  
b) What do you know about phylogenetic tree? 2  
c) Discuss the different constituents of a phylogeny tree with examples. 4
5. a) What do you mean by isolation? 1  
b) What are the different types of isolation? 2  
c) Compare and contrast between different isolation mechanisms. 4
6. a) What do you know about zoogeography of fishes? 2  
b) Mention the zoogeographical regions of marine fishes in the world. 2  
c) Describe the characteristics of the temperate region mentioning its common fish fauna. 3
7. Write down short notes on **any two (02)** of the following: 3.5×2 =7  
a) Law of priority; b) Homonyms; c) Biological species concept and d) Genetic drift

**Section-B**

8. a) Define species, sub-species and family. 2  
b) What are the differences between sub-species and sibling-species? 2  
c) Describe the Linnaean hierarchy with example. 3
9. a) 'Systematics provides a basis for biodiversity conservation priorities'-explain. 2  
b) Enlist the key criteria for taxonomic categories. 2  
c) Differentiate between the following pairs: race and variety; sympatric species and allopatric species. 3
10. a) How to write scientific name of a fish? 2  
b) Why nomenclature may change? 3  
c) Enlist the demerits of using common name. 2
11. a) Define phylogeny and cladistics. 2  
b) How you will construct a phylogenetic tree for different groups of fishes? 3  
c) Write the basic assumptions of cladistics. 2
12. a) What do you know about chemical and organic evolution? 2  
b) State and explain the main features of the Weismann's 'Germ plasm theory'. 5
13. a) Define speciation. 1  
b) What are the forces of speciation? 2  
c) Briefly describe the patterns of speciation. 4
14. a) Differentiate taxon and category with proper examples. 2  
b) Distinguish between the following pairs of terms - i. polytypic species and monotypic species; ii. classification and identification and iii) ICBN and ICZN 5



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**Course No: LIM-201 (T), Course Title: Limnology (Theory)**

**Total Marks: 70, Time: 3 hours**

*Answer any 5 (five) questions from each section. Figures in the right margin indicate full mark. Use separate answer script for each section.*

**Section-A**

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|----|----|--|---|
| 1. | a) | Define limnology.  | 2 |
|    | b) | How you will utilize the knowledge of limnology in fisheries?  | 5 |
| 2. | a) | 'Halda river is called pure gene bank for IMCs' - justify.   | 2 |
|    | b) | Write down the significance of Halda river in the fisheries aspect of Bangladesh.                      | 2 |
|    | c) | Mention the ongoing threats of Halda river and provide possible suggestions to overcome those threats. | 3 |
| 3. | a) | Define lake.   | 1 |
|    | b) | Describe briefly the origin of lake basins.  | 6 |
| 4. | a) | What do you mean by biogeochemical cycle?  | 2 |
|    | b) | Describe briefly the nitrogen cycle in water body.   | 5 |
| 5. | a) | Define primary production and name the organisms are responsible for it.                               | 2 |
|    | b) | Differentiate between GPP and NPP.   | 2 |
|    | c) | Describe the seasonal succession of phytoplankton.   | 3 |
| 6. | a) | Write down the significant role of zooplankton in fisheries.   | 2 |
|    | b) | How do you enhance the production of zooplankton in fish ponds?  | 3 |
|    | c) | Describe the feeding mechanism of rotifer.   | 2 |
| 7. | a) | 'Benthos acts as biological indicators' - explain this statement.                                      | 2 |
|    | b) | Write down the role of benthic organism in fish production.  | 3 |
|    | c) | Compare and contrast between Chironomids and mosquitoes.   | 2 |

**Section B**

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| 8.  | a) | 'Haor is known as inland sea' - explain this statement.  | 2 |
|     | b) | Write down the significance of Tanguar haor in fisheries sector.   | 3 |
|     | c) | Mention some factors responsible for declining biodiversity in Tanguar haor.                                       | 2 |
| 9.  | a) | 'Reclamation of derelict water bodies is impossible without limnological knowledge' - justify.                     | 2 |
|     | b) | Differentiate between swamps and marshes.  | 2 |
|     | c) | Classify pond based on origin of basin.  | 3 |
| 10. | a) | What do you mean by secondary production?  | 2 |
|     | b) | Discuss the factors responsible for fluctuations of secondary production.  | 5 |
| 11. | a) | Differentiate between eutrophic and oligotrophic lakes.  | 3 |
|     | b) | Write down the control and preventive measures of eutrophication.  | 4 |
| 12. | a) | Define Cyclomorphosis.   | 2 |
|     | b) | Describe Cyclomorphosis in zooplankton with necessary figure.  | 3 |
|     | c) | Write down the biological significance of Cyclomorphosis in aquatic ecosystems.                                    | 2 |
| 13. | a) | Elaborate your understanding on the interrelation between phytoplankton and zooplankton in an aquatic environment. | 3 |
|     | b) | Illustrate the reproduction of Cladocerans.  | 4 |
| 14. | a) | 'Periphyton serves as an indicator of water quality' - explain.  | 3 |
|     | b) | Write down the importance of Chironomids larvae in aquaculture ponds.  | 4 |



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**Course No: MFC-201 (T), Course Title: Marine Food Chemistry (Theory)**  
**Total Marks: 70, Time: 3 hours**

*Answer any 5 (five) questions from each section. Figures in the right margin indicate full mark. Use separate answer script for each section.*

**Section-A**

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| 1. | a) | Prepare a list of endangered aquatic species of Bangladesh.   | 3 |
|    | b) | Write down the general uses of seaweed collected from the coastal belt of Bangladesh.                                     | 4 |
| 2. | a) | Differentiate shellfish from mollusks.  | 3 |
|    | b) | Write down the present status of commercially important mollusks available in Bangladesh.                                 | 4 |
| 3. | a) | Differentiate between fats and oils.  | 2 |
|    | b) | Briefly describe the role of lipids in fish quality and processability.   | 2 |
|    | c) | Diagrammatically show how lipids are broken down to be digested and absorbed in human body.                               | 3 |
| 4. | a) | Briefly discuss the available forms, source, functions, daily requirement and deficiency signs of vitamin A and D.        | 5 |
|    | b) | "Hypervitaminosis takes place in case of fat soluble vitamins rather than water soluble vitamins"- justify the statement. | 2 |
| 5. | a) | Discuss in brief the health implications of CLA.  | 2 |
|    | b) | Write down the safety rules for CLA supplements.  | 2 |
|    | c) | Briefly describe the beneficial effects of Omega-6 fatty acids.   | 3 |
| 6. | a) | What do you mean by bioaccumulation? Diagrammatically show how toxins and harmful chemicals enter into the food chain.    | 3 |
|    | b) | Write down the causative agents, symptoms and preventive methods of PSP, ASP and DSP.                                     | 4 |
| 7. | a) | Discuss the mechanism of muscle contraction of fish.  | 3 |
|    | b) | Briefly discuss the muscle development and growth in fish at different stages of fish.                                    | 4 |

**Section-B**

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| 8.  | a) | "Fish and shellfishes are more perishable compared to other foodstuffs"- justify your answer.                   | 2         |
|     | b) | Mention the common name and scientific name of six commercially important shrimp species of Bangladesh.         | 2         |
|     | c) | Do you think seaweed culture would be feasible in Bangladesh?   | 3         |
| 9.  | a) | Differentiate bioaccumulation from biomagnification.  | 3         |
|     | b) | Briefly describe the mechanism of TTX bioaccumulation in fish and shellfish.                                    | 4         |
| 10. | a) | Mention the names of different enzymes and their functions in fish body.  | 2         |
|     | b) | Differentiate between macro and trace elements with examples.   | 2         |
|     | c) | Write down the general characteristics of sarcoplasmic and myofibrillar protein.                                | 3         |
| 11. | a) | Differentiate between taste and flavor. Enumerate the flavor compounds of fish and seafood.                     | 4         |
|     | b) | How NPN compounds contribute to the taste and spoilage of seafood?  | 3         |
| 12. | a) | What do you mean by carotenoid? Write the name of carotenoids found in fish, crustaceans, mammals and mollusks. | 4         |
|     | b) | Write in brief the properties of white and dark muscles.  | 3         |
| 13. | a) | What is histamine poisoning? How does it take place? How can you prevent histamine poisoning?                   | 4         |
|     | b) | How can you correlate rancidity and vitamin E in seafood?   | 3         |
| 14. | a) | Caviar; b) Phospholipids; and c) Stroma protein.  | 3.5 x 2=7 |



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**Course No: MBI-201 (T), Course Title: Marine Biology (Theory)**

**Full Marks: 70; Time: 3 hours**

**Answer any 5 (five) questions from each section. Figures in the right margin indicate full mark. Use separate answer script for each section.**

**Section-A**

1. a) Write down the scopes of marine biology in Bangladesh? 2  
b) Sea creatures include all domains of life- explain. 2  
c) What is viral shunt? Write down the role of virus in marine climate change. 3
2. a) How osmoregulation in marine bony fishes is different from cartilaginous fishes? 3  
b) What is hermaphroditism in fish? 1  
c) How the term 'ovoviviparity' conflicts with parity and larval nutrition mode in fishes. 3
3. a) Differentiate saltmarsh, sea grass and seaweed. 2  
b) Write down the common and scientific name of five (05) commercially important seaweeds available in Bangladesh. 2  
c) Explain alteration of generations in seaweed. 3
4. a) When and why shark perform buccal pumping? 2  
b) How does shark maintain buoyancy? 2  
c) Enlist the common name and scientific name of three of each: sharks, rays and skates of the Bay of Bengal. 3
5. a) Write down the major groups of zooplankton with examples. 2  
b) Explain the types and causes of cyclomorphosis in marine zooplankton. 3  
c) What is DVM in marine zooplankton. 2
6. a) What is marine snow? 2  
b) How does water ventilation occur through bioturbation? 2  
c) Classify marine benthos according to type, size and location. 3
7. Write short notes on any 02 (two) of the following: 3.5 x 2 = 7  
a) Horseshoe crab; b) Viviparity in shark; c) Migration patterns in marine fish and d) Red tide

**Section-B**

8. a) Mention the major groups of marine fishes with their recognizable characters and examples. 3  
b) Write down the importance of ichthyoplankton study. 2  
c) What ecosystem services salt marsh do? 2
9. a) Draw the external morphology of a barnacle. 2  
b) Illustrate the life cycle of a mussel. 3  
c) Write down the scientific name of two of each groups: clam, oyster and mussel. 2
10. a) Classify echinoderms with two main characters and examples of each group. 2  
b) What do you know about crown-of-thorns? 2  
c) Draw and explain the evolutionary line of diverse larval form development in echinoderm. 3
11. a) Classify marine plankton with two recognizable characters and an example of each group. 4  
c) How does dinoflagellate reproduce? 3
12. a) Write down the common and scientific name of a marine crocodile found in Bangladesh. 1  
b) Enlist marine turtle species that are reported from the territorial waters of Bangladesh. 2  
c) Draw and describe the life cycle of a turtle species found in Saint Martin's Island. 4
13. a) Write down the characteristics and examples of the major groups of marine mammals. 3  
b) Enlist sea mammals available in the Bay of Bengal 2  
c) What is the status of mammal conservation in Bangladesh? 2
14. Write short notes on any 02 (two) of the following: 3 x 2 = 6  
a) HNLC; b) The Voyage of challenger; c) Bacterioplankton and d) Intertidal plants



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**Course No: STA-201 (T), Course Title: Statistics (Theory)**  
**Total Marks: 70, Time: 3 hours**

*Answer any 5 (five) questions from each section. Figures in the right margin indicate full mark. Use separate answer script for each section.*

**Section-A**

1. a) What are the important graphs for representing a frequency distribution of quantitative data? Discuss histogram and ogive curve. 3  
b) Define and distinguish the measurement of scale with an example: i) Nominal and ordinal scale ii) Ratio and interval scale. 4
2. a) You conducted a hypothesis test to compare the mean weight (in gm) of fishes among three lakes and find a non-significant result. However, the true population means of fish weight (in gm) do significantly vary between lakes. Which type of error has occurred? Explain your answer. 3  
b) A manufacture has developed a new fishing line, which he claims has a mean breaking strength of 15 kgs with a standard deviation of 0.5 kgs. However, you believe that the mean breaking strength should be less than 15 kgs. To test your belief, a random sample of 50 lines has been tested. The critical region is defined to be  $\bar{x} < 14.9$ . What would you conclude about your belief after previously a suitable test? 4
3. a) The weight (in gm) of the following fishes collected from Fishery Ghat Chattogram are as follows- 776, 580, 539, 648, 538, 891, 673, 783, 571, 627, 727, 867, 1042, 804, 832, 764. Find any two measures of central tendency and comment. 4  
b) Explain normal distribution considering the variable "Length of fishes". Illustrate the shape of that distribution. 3
4. a) How will you explain the empirical rule? What is Z-score? 4  
b) Suppose, you are given a data set on "Fish species" described as "Flat " or "Round". Which graph you would use to display this data? 3
5. a) A fish biologist goes out and samples a population of 321 tuna. A total of 109 tuna were marked and released. Identify the population, sample and experimental unit from the above study. 3  
b) Explain types of variable with an example each. 4
6. a) Defend the statement- "Coefficient of variation is the best measure of dispersion". 3  
b) Data on the age (in years) of fish retailers in Riazuddin Bazar is as follows- 35, 31, 45, 57, 48, 37, 49, 52, 46, 55. Compute any two measures of dispersion and comment. 4

**Section-B**

7. a) What is Bernoulli trial? Define Binomial distribution. State some of its important properties. 3  
b) Define normal distribution. Convert the normal variable into a standard normal variable and obtain its mean and variance. 4
8. a) Define factor, treatment and experimental unit with a suitable example in the context of the analysis of variance. 3  
b) Compare between CRD and RBD. Which one is the best design of experiment? Why? 4
9. a) A study was carried out during January to December 2009 in Bhola district by Karim et al. (2015) on age and growth of male Hilsa. The data is as follows- 3

Age(years)	0.24	0.34	0.46	0.61	0.79	1.03	1.40	2.22
Mean Body weight (gm)	18.33	43.70	85.74	148.69	236.84	354.46	505.88	695.38

  - i) Fit a regression line of age on mean body weight of male Hilsa.
  - ii) What would be the mean body weight of Hilsa when age is 2.50 years.
- b) Explain coefficient of determination when the value is 0.80. 4



10. a) Suppose you sampled the weight of Vetki fishes from Kazirdewri bazaar and found  $\gamma_1 = 0.70$  and  $\gamma_2 = 0.43$ . Draw the distribution and comment on the skewness and kurtosis of the distribution. **3**
- b) In the above data, suppose,  $Q_2 = 3.4$  kgs. Interpret the result. **4**
11. a) Explain level of significance, rejection region and non-rejection region for the test of hypothesis. **3**
- b) Mention the test statistic to test- **4**
- i) Independence of attributes
- ii) Compare the means of two independent populations when population standard deviation is unknown.
12. a) A sample of 400 fish retailers (200 from Riazuddin bazar and 200 from Karnofuli bazar) was chosen across Chattogram to determine information concerning hygienic issues. "Do you notice a sign of unhygienic environment in the bazar"- this question was asked. Of the 200 retailers from Riazuddin bazaar, 120 answered "Yes". Of the 200 retailers from Karnofuli bazaar 90 answered "Yes". Construct a contingency table and calculate the marginal and joint probabilities. **4**
- b) Given the respondent is a retailer from Riazuddin bazaar, calculate the probability that the person notices signs of unhygienic issues in the bazaar. **3**