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M.SC Semester- II Examination, 2023 FISHERIES SCIENCE

PAPER: FSC 201

(AQUATIC ECOLOGY AND ECOSYSTEM MANAGEMENT AND FISH PROCESSING TECHNOLOGY AND QUALITY ASSURANCE)

Full Marks: 40

Time: 2 Hours

TRALL

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate full marks.

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

Write the answer for each unit in separate sheet

UNIT: FSC 201.1 AQUATIC ECOLOGY AND ECOSYSTEM MANAGEMENT

GROUP-A

1. Answer any **TWO** from the following questions:

 $2\times2=4$

- a) Define coastal zone.
- b) Differentiate between gross primary productivity and net primary productivity.
- c) What is the importance of producers in any ecosystem?
- d) What is stenohaline fish?

GROUP-B

2. Answer any **TWO** from the following questions:

 $2\times4=8$

- a) Discuss the fisheries potentialities of wetland ecosystems.
- b) Add a note on the different zones of a lake depending on light penetration with diagram.
- c) Compare among detritus food chain and grazing food chain.
- d) Write a note on significance of mangrove ecosystem.

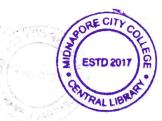
GROUP-C

3. Answer any **ONE** from the following questions:

 $1 \times 8 = 8$

- a) Describe structural adaptation of deep sea animals with example. Distinguish between lotic and lentic ecosystem. 6+2
- b) State the significance of benthos. Briefly describe the abiotic factors of pond ecosystem. Add a note on coral reef ecosystem. 2+4+2

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UNIT: FSC 201.2 FISH PROCESSING TECHNOLOGY AND QUALITY ASSURANCE

GROUP-A

1. Answer any \underline{TWO} from the following questions:

 $2 \times 2 = 4$

- a) What is fast freezing?
- b) Define Chilled Sea Water (CSW).
- c) What is Super Chilling?
- d) Mention two antioxidant used in Fish processing.

GROUP-B

2. Answer any **TWO** from the following questions:

 $2\times4=8$

- a) Briefly describe the microbial changes in fish tissues.
- b) What do you mean by air blast freezer and plate freezer?
- c) Write a short note on quality changes in fish during freezing.
- d) Write down the difference between flake ice and plate ice.

GROUP-C

3. Answer any **ONE** from the following questions:

 $1 \times 8 = 8$

- a) Briefly describe the principles of HACCP. Write down Botulisms impact on Children health. 4+4
- b) What is thawing? Give an account on the different types of thawing methods employed in processing plant. Add a note on Environmental impact of packaging materials.

 1+4+3
