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SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION PAPER

PROGRAMME: B.Sc. AN.SCI YEAR IV, BSC A.E.E. YEAR IV, BSC AG.ED  
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COURSE CODE: AS 404

TITLE OF PAPER: FISH FARMING

TIME ALLOWED: TWO (2) HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS: ANSWER ANY FOUR (4) QUESTIONS

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**QUESTION 1**

- a) Briefly discuss Rainbow trout farming in Swaziland. (10 marks)
- b) Explain the concept, of **protogynous hermaphrodite**. (7.5 marks)
- c) Explain the function of the **swim bladder** in the fish. (7.5 marks)

**QUESTION 2**

- a) Discuss pond construction process. (15 marks)
- b) Briefly discuss pond liming. (7 marks)
- c) List 3 main source of proteins in fish feed. (3 marks)

**QUESTION 3**

- a) Explain the concept of oxygen saturation in ppm for freshwater and salt water at various temperatures (and elevations for freshwater). (12.5 marks)
- b) Explain the influence of pH for *Oreochromis niloticus*. (12.5 marks)

**QUESTION 4**

- a) Describe **nutritional diseases** common in fish. (12.5 marks)
- b) Explain the procedure for **flush treatment** for fish. (12.5 marks)

**QUESTION 5**

Explain in detail the harvesting procedure of fish in ponds. (25 marks)