

# **CATFISH FEED**

Proper nutrition and properly sized foods are essential for the health and growth of catfish. Aquaxcel and Star Milling's Catfish diets are balanced, complete feeds, specifically matching the size and nutritional needs of each growth phase.

## **CATFISH**

Catfish are the most widely farmed aquaculture species in the U.S. They are scaleless, guick growing, and have a good food conversion ratio. Catfish are a very hardy fish and are popular in aquaponic systems.

- Preferred water temperatures for optimum growth 65°F 80°F (18°C 26°C)
- · When feeding during the grow out phase: Water temperature > 65 degrees, feed a floating feed Water temperature < 60 degrees, feed a sinking feed
- · Ideal water pH level is 7.0

## All fish have 5 basic needs: clean water, oxygen, food, light, and room to swim.



## 5014 Starter

Meal 0.3 / 0.4 mm 72990255 & 72990204

**Hatchery Phase** 

Fry measuring: <1 in.

Feed every 2 hours an amount fish will readily consume within 5 min.



#### 5014 Starter

0.6 mm

72890255 & 72890205

Hatchery Phase

Fry measuring: 1 - 1.5 in.

Feed every 2 hours an amount fish will readily consume within 5 min.



#### 5014 Starter

0.8 mm

72790255 & 72790205

Hatchery Phase

Fry measuring: 1.5 - 2 in.

Feed every 3 hours an amount fish will readily consume within 5 min.



#### 4512 Starter

1.5 mm

72590255 & 72590205

Hatchery Phase

Fingerling measuring: 2 - 3 in.

Feed every 4 hours an amount fish will readily consume within 10 min.

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## 37 % Fingerling Float 3/32 in.

amount fish will readily consume

70381250 & 70381205

Fingerling Phase Fingerling measuring: 3 - 4 in. Feed 4 to 5 times per day an

within 10 min.

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### 36 % Catfish Float

1/8 in

71481350

Fingerling Phase

Fish measuring: 4 - 6 in.

Feed 2 to 3 times per day an amount fish will readily consume within 15 min.

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## 35 % Pond Diet

4 mm

75081450 & 75081405

**Grow Out Phase** 

Fish measuring: >6 in.

Feed 1 to 3 times per day an amount fish will readily consume within 15 min.

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### 32 % Catfish Float

7/32 in.

71081550

Grow Out Phase

Fish measuring: >6 in. Feed 1 to 3 times per day an amount fish will readily consume within 15 min.

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### 32 % Catfish Sink

5/32 in.

71113450

**Grow Out Phase** 

Fish measuring: >6 in.

Feed 1 to 3 times per day an amount fish will readily consume within 15 min.

\* Fish size and feeding rates are approximate values only.

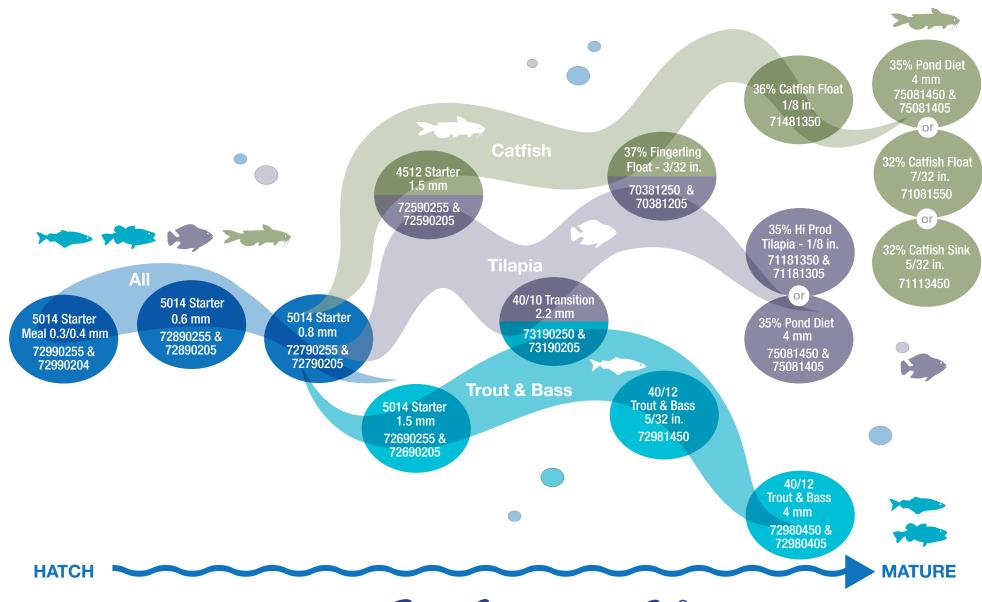








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