

UNIT-I

1. Introduction of aquaculture

- The aquaculture is a ancient art of collecting aquatic organisms.
- About aquaculture no records will be available before printing.
- Aquaculture started near about 4000 Years ago.
- ~~China~~, China was beginning of aquaculture utilizing mainly the common carp.
- In 500 B.C. The Fan Lai wrote a book about aquaculture it is "The classic of fish culture".
- In this book describe the structure of ponds, the method of propagation of the common carp and the growth of fry.
- The period 500 B.C. to 500 A.C. This is a golden age of developing aquaculture.
- In this period common carp culture had continued to develop in China.
- In this period Chinese people was migrated with knowledge to foreign regions.
- At about this time i.e. 300 to 200 B.C. in India also recorded the use of reservoirs to hold fish.

French → In French the aquaculture is developed through migrated Chinese. They develop art case culture.

Pond → The practice of building water reservoirs and water source was not used for cultivation of fish. Indian were initially used to hold fish and later on to culture.

Indonesia :- Indonesia developed a type of brackish water aquaculture at about 15th century. And the initiative to neighbouring areas including Philippines, Malaysia, Thailand and ~~southern parts of~~ Taiwan.

Europe :- Aquaculture in Europe started during early period. Places of early rulers as well as temples were provide the water area, ~~later~~ ~~as~~ these were used for temporary holding of fish and later on they were cultivate the fish, of common carp and trout.

- In human nutrition there are six nutrients water, carbohydrate, lipid; protein, minerals and vitamins.
- Humans derive energy from three of these nutrients, lipid, protein and carbohydrate.
- ~~Sea~~ <sup>aquatic organism</sup> foods generally nutrient dense foods and low in calories.
- ~~Sea~~ foods are high protein with vitamins and minerals.
- rich in polyunsaturates and ~~sea~~ fatty acids; but low for sodium and total fats.
- ~~Sea~~ <sup>Aquatic animal</sup> foods are used in various field as well as poultry, feed, human food, medicine, as ornaments.
- so, day by day the aquaculture is developed with new ~~new~~ research.

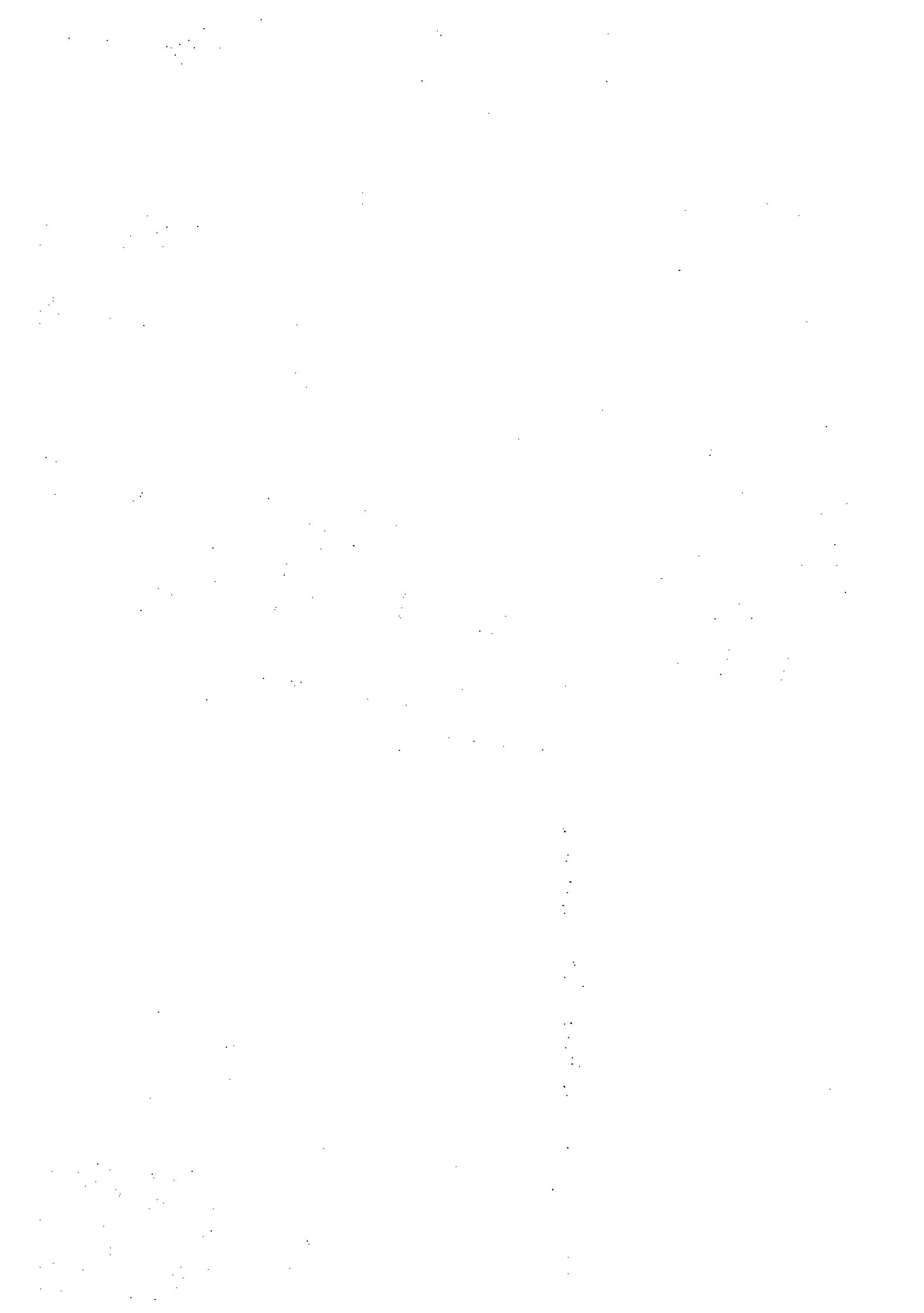
\* i) Definition of Aquaculture

- 1) "Rearing aquatic animals or cultivating aquatic plant for food?"
- 2) "The managed production of aquatic plants and animals in an enclosed outdoor environment was too restrictive for the majority of the aquaculture!"
- 3) "Aquaculture is the production of aquatic organisms for food, aquarium, or scientific purpose, generally as a commercial value"
- 4) "Aquaculture: also known as aquafarming is the farming of aquatic organisms such as fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic plants."
- 5) "Aquaculture or aquafarming as also referred to as is the farming of aquatic organisms such as the fish, crustaceans, mollusks as well as plants"
- 6) "Aquaculture is the farming of aquatic organisms such as fish, shellfish and even plants."
- 7) "The term aquaculture refers to the cultivation of both aquatic plant and aquatic animal!"
- 8) "Aquaculture is commonly defined as the active cultivation (maintenance or production) of marine and freshwater aquatic organisms (plants and animals) under water!"
- 9) "The cultivation of aquatic animals and plants specially fish, shellfish and seaweed, in natural or controlled marine or freshwater environments, it is underwater agriculture!"

- i) "Aqua culture is the cultivation of aquatic organisms"
- ii) "Cultivation and harvesting of plants & animals in water called also aquaculture"

## Importance of Aquaculture

- Aquaculture is the fastest growing protein production sector, and the resulting direct and indirect jobs created also continue to grow in a bigger way than in agriculture, providing around 55 million jobs worldwide, and being the main way of living for 12% of the world's population.
- As the human population continues to grow, finding means to feed those people is one of the most important challenges faced—around ~~be~~ the healthy diet.
- High protein is necessary to ensure that growing population.
- Fish and other aquatic organisms fit the model for healthy sources of protein.



## ii) Concept of Extensive and Intensive

### Extensive aquaculture :-

- 1) In this method ponds are large size, but no managed with scientific methods for increasing the yield.
- 2) Fish production depends on the natural food which is available in the pond.
- 3) The artificial food and fertilizers are not used  
→ Hence the total yield is low.

### Intensive aquaculture :-

- 1) In this method the ponds may be of small size, but the production of fishes is very high.
- 2) Natural food is increased by using fertilizers
- 3) Fish are fed on artificial food.
- 4) The farm is managed scientifically.
- 5) In this method arrange separate nursery pond for rearing of spawn, fry, and fingerlings.
- 6) Due to nursery pond spawn, fry and fingerling are protected from predatory animal.
- 7) So, the mortality of spawn, fry & fingerlings are reduced.
- 8) Inject a hormone to male for increase a breeding, by hypophysisation.
- 9) And the suitable combination of fish species ~~are used~~ is used to obtain maximum yield.  
→ Hence the <sup>yield</sup> total is high.

Types of aquaculture :- In the study of aquaculture there are two types of aquaculture i.e. i) monoculture and ii) polyculture.

- i) Monoculture :- In this type only one species of fish is cultured in a pond. This method is easily and twice a seasonal pond.
- ii) This type is non critical.
- iii) In this type single species is ~~targeted~~ so, there ~~habits~~ consume a limited, food and water area.
- iv) So, here yield is low.
- v) When the Indian major carps alone were cultured, the average yield ~~was~~ is 2088 kg/ha/year.
- vi) When exotic carps alone were cultured the average yield was 2900 kg/ha/year.

Advantage :- Mortality rate is low because the predatory species is not in no critical condition for eating.

- ② Disadvantage :- i) Total energy of pond is not utilize.
- ii) Total yield is low.

## Poly culture :-

- To obtain maximum yield of fish from reservoir or lake, essential to culture fast growing compatible species of different feeding habits.
- fish production from traditional ~~sp~~ method gives a low yield. but if several species are stocked together in proper proportion in the same pond, so that available ecological sources are exploited the production increased several times. This is known as <sup>culture</sup> polyculture or composite fish farming or mixed farming.
- Polyculture fish farming depends on the manuring and fertilization of pond.
- As well as feeding the fish with supplementary food consisting of oil cake and rice or wheat bran.
- In India polyculture is an old practice with species like Catla caria (surface feeder) Labeo rohita (column feeder) and Cirrhinus mrigala or Labeo calbasu (bottom feeder) are stocked together in the same pond.
- Alkunhi (1957) recommended stock ratio of catla, ~~rohi~~, rohi and mrigal is 3:3:4 for giving good yield.
- The Hoss and Pillai (1962) have recommended the following stocking proportion.

Catla	80	80
Rohu	60	50
Mrigal	10	10
Calbasu	x	10

- In the above ratios Catla is the surface feeder and feeds mainly on the zooplankton and detritus.
- The Labeo rohita is a column feeder and its food is decayed vegetable matter, epiphytes in the mid layer of water.

→ The C. mississippi and L. calbasu ~~can eat~~ are utilized as food of deereed vegetation, benthic animals, plants and epiphytic plankton from the bottom side of pond.

→ Each having different feeding habits from others so, that all the food available in the different zones of the pond is used profitably..

→ From exotic carp the Hypophthalmichthys molitrix (silver carp), Ctenopharyngodon idella (grass carp) and the Cyprinus carpio (common carp) have selected for culture with three Indian major carp.

→ ~~Although~~ Though silver carp is surface feeding, it feeds on only phytoplankton which is unlike catla feeds only Zoo plankton.

→ The common carp is an omnivorous bottom feeder utilize food which is C. mississippi is not able to consume.

→ The grass carp utilize poisonous and excessive macrovegetation, and other unutilized material from other fishes.

→ Fecal matter of grass carp serves as a food for the common carp, and also accelerate the plankton.

→ During the recent years the result got from Polyculture from Ananda fish farm West Bengal; average production of 4000 kg/ha/year.

→ From Gujarat fish farm Janpur U.P. average yield of about 3000 kg/ha/year.

→ The division of pond culture CIFRI at Cuttack, a record yield of more than 9000 kg/ha/year was obtained. from the ratio mentioned of following six species.

Grass carp	25
Silver carp	15
Catla	15
Rohu	30
Scale carp	20
Mirror carp	10

→ Prawn culture in combination with major carps has also been successful.

→ In this culture no competition for food or space.

→ The faecal matter of the fish might serve as an additional source of food for prawns.

→ In polyculture the artificial food is used i.e. Rice bran, broken rice, ground-nut oil cake, fish meal, worms and meat, ~~are used~~

→ Thus this method of fish farming and using suitable combinations of fish species, are achieved production in country.

Advantage:- 1) Production will be got more  
2) Total energy source of pond is utilized

Disadvantage:- 1) Mortality rate is high because predatory fishes eat to other.  
2) It is critical procedure.



### iii) Integrated fish farming

#### a) Paddy cum fish culture:

→ In some areas of ~~and~~ fish cultured in paddy fields for a period of 3-8 months in year.

→ It is source of additional supply to the farmer.

→ This is practised in Italy, Japan, Malaysia, some African country and several part of India like. Kerala & West Bengal.

→ Fish culture practices in paddy fields are of three categories.

→ i) Natural method:- The simplest method is to retain the wild stock that enter the fields during floods, by erecting barriers across the drains and channels. In this method no regular stocking of fish in the fields; The fish that enter the field along with water are not allowed to escape.

#### → ii) Paddy fields use as temporary pond:-

→ After harvesting the paddy fields are used as temporary ponds, fish and paddy are not cultivated together, but the fields used for paddy, and later used for fish culture, fish seed of suitable species are stocked, and this served as an off season occupation for the farmer.

#### → iii) fish and paddy cultivation:-

→ The fish are stocked in flooded fields, and there is a simultaneous culture of paddy and fish in the same water.

→ Various techniques are practiced for fish culture in paddy fields depending upon the climate, local conditions, species of fish available and the variety of paddy cultivated,

The cultivation of paddy is the primary purpose of the farmer, hence fish culture is to be adapted to the schedule of paddy cultivation.

→ Species that are suitable for culture in paddy fields must be able to thrive in shallow water.  
→ fishes should be able to tolerate relatively higher temperature and turbidity.

→ Such carps are murels and tilapia is ~~not~~ suitable for culture in paddy fields.

→ The natural food of fish, fry and fingerlings in paddy ~~field~~ fields consists of minute crustaceans and insects. The quantity of manure applied to the paddy is increased by 50 - 100%.

→ Use of night soil, compost, stable manure, increases fish food and brings about rapid growth.

→ Fish culture is beneficial to the paddy also to some extent.

→ Fish perform tillage, destroy weed and insects that cause damage to the paddy plants thus increasing paddy production.

→ In India experiments conducted on fish culture in paddy fields have shown the survival rate of Labeo, catla and rohu, ranges from 34 - 40%, and the species show more rapid growth in paddy fields than in ponds.

→ Experiments conducted on fish culture in ~~paddy field~~ Channa striatus have shown 7-13% increase in the yield of paddy and average production of 112 kg/ha of fish.

→ Experiments conducted with Tilapia and Cyprinus carpio have also provided encouraging results.

Advantages :- No additional cost for fish production.

→ The rice production is increased by 5-15% due to this because the fish feeds on weeds causes debris activity and performs fertilization of soil.

- Disadvantages :- Lack of deep water, Pesticides, weedicides
- Limitation of use herbicides and insecticides as they are harmful to fish.

### b) fish-cum pig farming :-

- ~~Pigs need to exist~~
- This is integrated system of fish culture. In this method the pigs are cultured with fishes; It is developed in China, Malaysia, Hungary and Germany.
- In this method the application of pig dung in the ponds provides a nutrient base for dense bloom of phytoplankton and zooplankton. The pond is then stocked with fishes.
- The wastes of the pig sites are channelled into the pond which brings pig dungs, pig urine & remains of pig feed into the pond. Alternatively the pig dung collected to the pond every morning after sunrise.
- Each fully grown pig produced 600 - 600 kg dung in a year, 30 - 40 pig are sufficient to fertilize on hectare water area. The pig dung containing 60 - 70 % moisture, 1.36 - 2 %. Nitrogen, 0.20 - 0.39 %. Phosphate when the pigs are fed with pig mash having 16 - 17 % protein.
- Lime is applied at 250 - 350 kg / ha depending upon the soil and water conditions for pH - 7.

### Advantages of fish cum pig farming:

- 1) The fish utilize the food prepared by pigs and their excretor which is rich in nutrients to water.
- 2) The pig dung is acts as a substitute for pond fertilizers and supplementary fish food, so the cost of fish production decreases.

- No additional land is required for piggery operations.
- The fish pond provides the water for washing the pig site and pigs.
- It gives high profit and less investments.
- The mud which is set deposited at the pond bottom can be used as a manure for agriculture and cattle fodder crops.

→ Culture of carps Catla, Rohu, Mrigal, silver carp, Grass carp, along with pig, provides a very high yield of 1600-2000 kg/ha/yr fish and 4000-4500 kg/ha Pig meat.

#### d) Fish-cum duck farming :-

- In this method the ducks are used for eating along with the fishes. This is effective because the ducks feeds on small organisms like, insects, tadpole, molluscs etc.
- Ducks are "living manuring machines" as their droppings are used as food by fishes and also act as good fertilizer of the pond.
- This is a regular practice of integrated farming in the states of W.B., Assam, Tamilnadu, A.P., Bihar, Karnataka, Orissa.

#### Construction of Duck House :-

- The ducks normally do not need separate houses because most of the time they remain in ponds, but for night a low cost bamboo made shelter is necessary near the pond.
- A floating duck house can also be constructed on the water surface using empty barrels as floats. For a duck a space of 0.3 to 0.5 m<sup>2</sup> is required.

### → Selection of Ducks:-

- 1) select one improved variety <sup>from</sup> Indian duck at 200-300 duck for one hectare.
- provide one artificial food every day like poultry feed and rice bran in the ratio of 1:2

### → Egg laying:-

- egg
- The ducks are start laying from 6 months age and continue upto 2 years.
- They do not lay egg in water, so their houses should be provided with comfortable for egg laying.

### → Harvesting:-

- and yield
- Harvesting from one year old to 3000-4000 kg fish, and 18000 eggs and 500 kg of duck meat.
- The ducks are sold after three years they give less egg.

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### c) Cattle cum fish Farming:-

- fish are cultured along with cattle.
- Cow sheds are constructed near the pond.
- Urine and dung is used in biosag plant, and the liquid manure from the tank is added to the pond.
- This enhances fish production considerably.

## 1) Scope in aquaculture

Types of job in aquaculture.

- 1) Aquaculture technician —
- 2) Net manufacturer
- 3) Fish biologist —
- 4) Boat manufacturer
- 5) Fish farm manager —
- 6) Fish food manufacturer
- 7) Hatchery supervisor —
- 8) Pharmaceutical firm
- 9) Fish harvesting crew —
- 10) Frozen
- 11) Fish processing —
- 12) Sea food processing —
- 13) Research lab —
- 14) Scientist job —
- 15) Manager job —
- 16) Aquaculture program officer —
- 17) Fish sale —
- 18) Agricultural veterinarian —
- 19) Sea food Inspector —
- 20) Accountant job —
- 21) Fisheries law & security —
- 22) Volunteer & seasonal

Aquaculture scientist research :- The aquaculture field is constantly changing and growing with consumer demand, therefore the need for aquaculture scientists is extremely important.

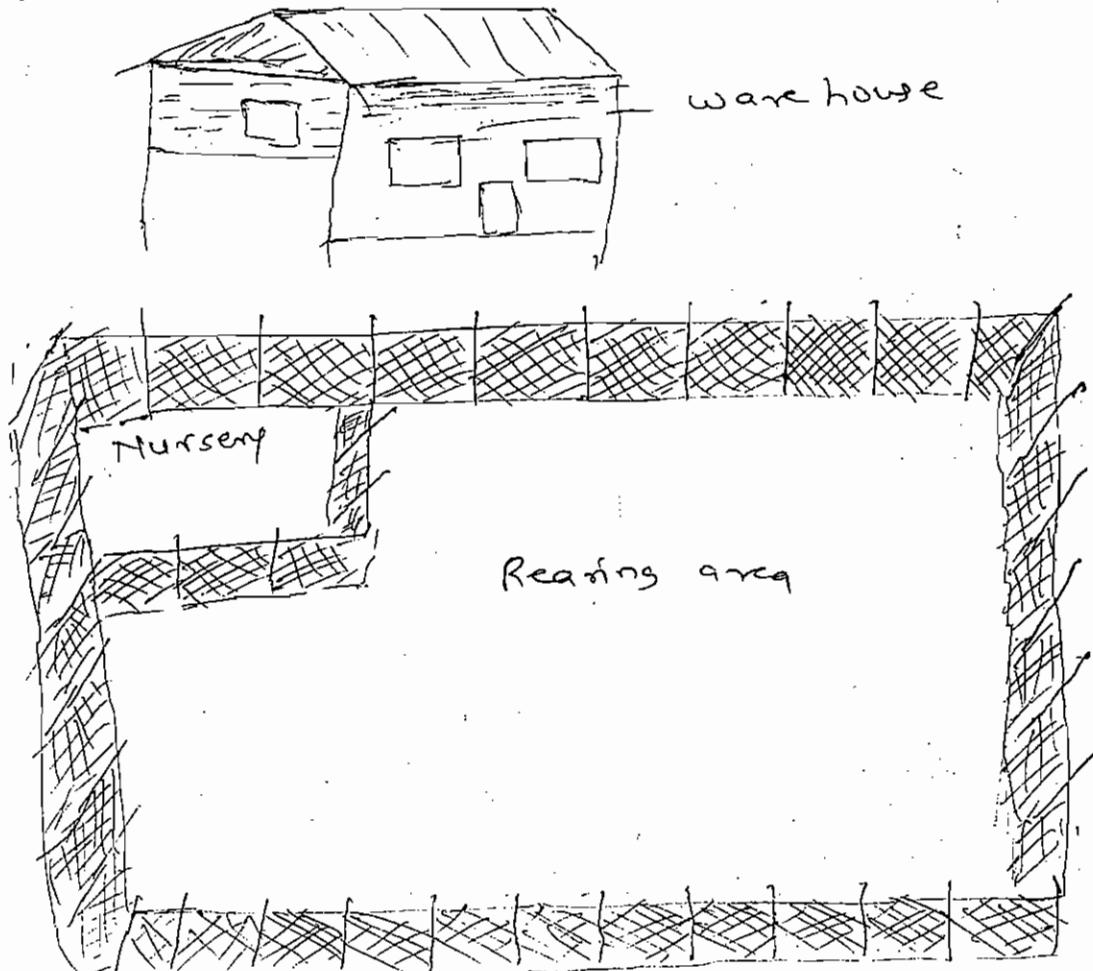
The aquaculture scientist position has several different titles, based on the company and location. Aquaculture nutritionist, research scientist, water scientist, fish scientist, and marine scientist, are just sample of this range.

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### 3. Culture method

#### i) Pen culture:— (निःसी)

- The word 'Pen' here is also used synonymous with 'enclosure' as it is used in enclosure culture.
- Pens are used for culture of ~~fishes~~ aquatic organism like fishes.
- Pen is an artificial enclosure generally constructed within shallow <sup>water</sup> beds for holding and raising ~~fishes~~ aquatic organism.
- The removable part of Pen is made of Bamboo mat, Plastic screen, small meshed net or gunny bags.
- Partition acts like the screen which allows only exchange of water throughout but not the fishes.
- Before stocking the predatory fishes are removed from the pens ~~→~~ artificial food is ~~required~~.
- Due to separation from main reservoir, consumption of artificial food is more.



## Pisciculture Practice in different countries

- Culture of fishes in pens is old practice in Philippines.
- Pens were first introduced in 1965 by the Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources.
- They culture fishes like common carp, Tawap and Gobifup in the lake ~~at~~ shores of <sup>Foothills</sup> Cardona and Rizal.
- In Japan, pen culture is a developed industry in Seto, Nakai, Yoshim and Shikoku inland sea. The octopus and ~~fish~~ yellow tail <sup>fish</sup> is cultured in the pen.
- In Thailand catfishes are cultured in basins.
- In Indonesia common carp is cultured in pens.
- In Scotland Salmon are cultured in pens.
- In Washington and Alaska floating pens are used for culture of Coho and Chinook salmon.
- In India pens are used for stocking of fish seed before releasing in reservoirs.
- In Cambodia pens are used for culture of Pangasius.

## Design of the Pens :-

- Design depends upon two factors.
  - 1) Strength of the pens.
  - 2) Rigidity or stiffness of the pens.
- The following factors are also having their effect on the pens these are.
  - 1) Wind force → Wave action → Water hyacinth ~~and~~ drift or other aquatic plant drift.
  - 2) Design of supporting structures.

## Size of Pen :-

- There are three size of pen, i.e.
  - i) Small size - 1m x 2m x 1m deep used for rearing of fry
  - ii) Medium size - 2m x 5m x 1.5m deep
  - iii) Large size - 2.5m x 4.5m x 7 ~~m~~ to 10m x 15 to 20m

Stocking rate :-

→ Stocking rate of fry, fingerlings in the pens is 1000 to 2000 respectively for medium size and 1500 to 3000 for large size.

Food and Feeding :- Artificial food is trash fish, banana,

rice bran, corn and tender aquatic plants.

→ It is given after 30 days of stocking

### Production:-

→ In Cambodia culture of Pangasius in ~~open~~ pens is quite profitable.

→ 20 tons of Pangasius are produced from three ~~open~~ pens, in 8 to 10 months.

### Site for Pens :-

→ Site should have natural protection from strong wind.

→ Depth should not be more than 2 meter if it is more than 4 meter then floating pens are to be used.

→ Pens should not be put in turbid or polluted water.

→ Muddy clay or clay loams are best soils for bottom. Such soil bottoms are desirable for easy staking of the poles.

### Advantages of Pen culture:

→ Due to use of pen culture space is intensively utilized so, production is increased 4 to 10 times higher than the natural production.

→ In pen culture fishes are safe from predators.

→ Suitability for culturing many varied species with artificial feeds.

→ It needs little maintenance.

→ Growth rate of fish is faster than in pond culture.

→ Harvesting is easier than in the natural waters.

### Disadvantages of Pen culture:-

→ Cost of construction is more.

→ They reduce natural productivity of water body in which they grow.

→ Life of pen is less than that of a pond.

→ Fishes are stocked in high density so, they consume oxygen very fast. So, supply of oxygen will artificially.

→ Artificial feed is necessary due to high density of fishes.

→ Pollution of CO<sub>2</sub>, ammonia and other excreted material due to high density.

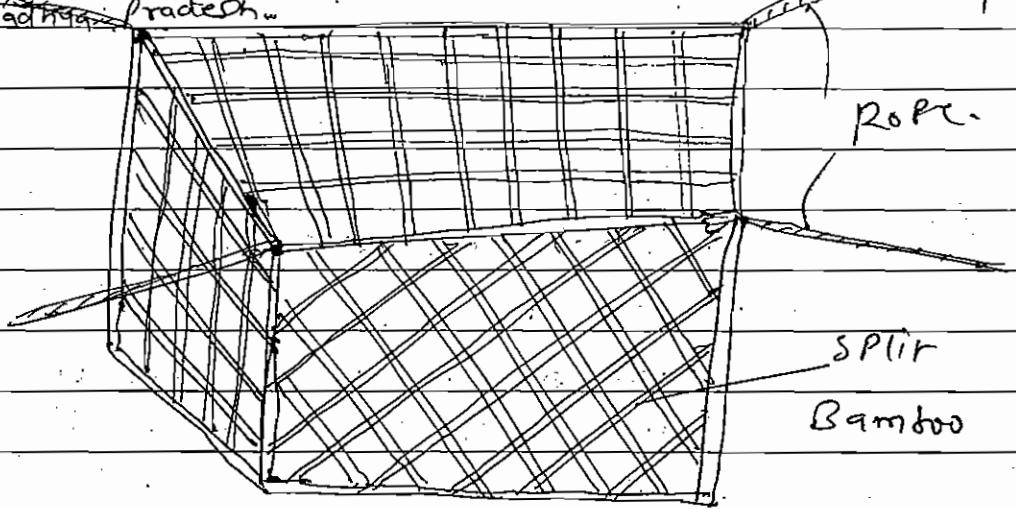
→ Disease will be spread rapidly and mortality

may be increase.

→ fishes are kept in enclosed area so, may  
be risk of theft.

### vi) Cage Culture

→ Cage culture is now practised in Japan, U.S.A, Indonesia, Cambodia, Thailand and India.  
In India it is practised in Bihar, Assam and ~~Madhya Pradesh~~.



- A cage has a completely rigid frame on all sides.
- Cage culture is very effective method of utilizing in pond, rivers, estuarial, open ocean, as well as <sup>400-500 m</sup> swampy and weedy water.
- In this culture required a little investment.
- The cages ~~are~~ manufactured by wood and bamboo from 18<sup>th</sup> century in south asia.
- But from 1950 modern cage are developed by using synthetic material.
- There is no particular design for the construction of a cage, and it differs in different regions of the world.
- In USA, cages are made of galvanised welded wires and nylon meshes.

- In India, split bamboo is used
- In Japan cages are made of synthetic nets spread over bamboo poles in the form of a square.
- The nets are made of polyester, polyethylene, polyvinyl.
- Cages of different sizes are used at various places.
- A cage may be stationary fixed or free floating in pond or reservoir.
- Steel drums are usually attached as a float.
- The upper surface of the cage is also covered with mesh to prevent the fish from jumping out.
- Generally fish fries are cultured in small meshed cages called "nursery cage", where they grow to the size of fingerlings.
- After this they are transferred to 'stocking cage'.
- Quantity of cultured fishes are depend on the area of the cage as well as the species being cultured.
- Natural food available in cage is very limited, so, regular supply of artificial food is necessary.
- In artificial food used as banana, rice bran and aquatic plant.

→ Its feeding is required 5-6 times a day.

→ The amount of food varies according to the species of fish and their number.

→ The collection of fish or harvesting is easy and simple. The cage is lifted out of water and all the fish come out with it.

→ The Experiment of Cage Culture Conducted in Assam.

→ In this experiment the cage is constructed from split bamboo and kept in weed infested water.

→ The species are used like Clarias and Anabas or Clarias, Heteropneustes and Anabas.

→ The yield has been 25000 - 45000 kg/ha in 200 days.

→ Advantages of Cage Culture :-

→ Fish culture in cages has several advantages,

→ It is economical as compared to other methods.

→ It requires less investment and installation is easy.

→ Only a small part of the pond is used, and the ~~rest~~<sup>remaining part</sup> is available for other uses.

→ Inspection of fish for disease and their feeding is easy.

- fish inside the cages are well protected from predators.
- Several cages can be installed in a pond simultaneously, and the production is very high.

### ~~→~~ Disadvantages of Cage Culture :-

- The caged fish are unable to get natural food of their choice.
- A part of the food given is lost, as it passes out of the mesh.
- During summer months, there is oxygen deficiency in water and the caged fish die due to suffocation as they can not come to the surface to breathe in oxygenated surface water.
- ~~Water~~ Diseases are a common problem in cage culture. The wild fish around the cage can transmit diseases to the caged fishes.



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### 4. Sewage fed fish culture

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Intro:- Sewage is the liquid waste discharged from domestic and industrial sources. It consists ~~of~~ liquid waste from kitchen and bathroom.

→ It is good fertilizer for ponds having nitrogen and phosphorus as its main constituents.

→ Sewage contains bacteria and protozoa also.

b) Composition of sewage:- sewage is a liquid waste, it is a mixture of carbon, nitrogen, zinc, copper, chromium, manganese, nickel, phosphorus, micro-organism along with some quantity of detergents, faecal matter and urine.

→ According to 'Saha et al (1958)' sewage of Kolkata has the following composition.

Dissolved oxygen — Nil

Dissolved Carbon dioxide — 20.96 ppm

H<sub>2</sub>S — 2.4 - 4.48 ppm

Alkalinity — 170 - 490 ppm

free ammonia — 12.0 - 63.6 ppm

Nitrite — 0.08 ppm

Phosphate — 0.01 - 0.33 ppm

Suspended matter — 160 - 620 ppm

pH — 6.9 - 7.3

→ If sewage used to fertilize Pond without previous treatment it is harmful to fish and other organism due to low oxygen content, high CO<sub>2</sub>, ammonia, and H<sub>2</sub>S, However, sewage if properly treated is of considerable value in raising the fertility of pond water.

### ii) Sewage use in culture:-

Without treated sewage can not use for culture of fishes, so, Before use must a treat to sewage at filtering, process.

→ There are three ~~types~~ of methods for the ~~treat~~ treatment of sewage, i.e.

- Mechanical,
- Chemical
- Biological

#### a) Mechanical Process:-

→ The mechanical process consists of Screening, and filtration, so, of to remove coarse suspended matter.

→ Floating solids including fats and oils, as well as fine suspended material are removed by skimming and sedimentation.

→ Sedimentation is done by send the sewage into a tank at a high velocity.

→ When the sewage enters a large tank from a sewage channel,

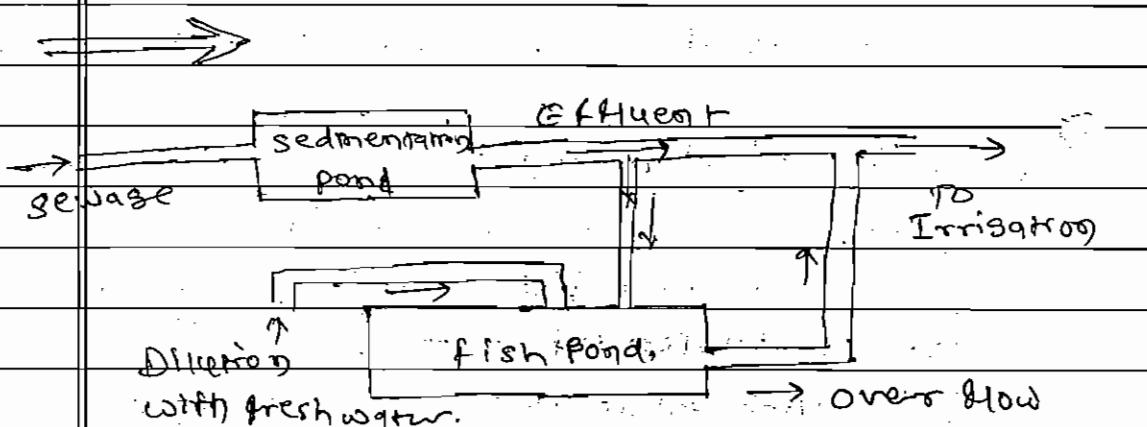
- The flow sudden stop of velocity.
- After some period the suspended matter will deposit at bottom side resulting in sedimentation.

### 3) Chemical Process! —

- The chemical method includes coagulation, precipitation, deodorization using chlorine, ferric chloride etc. and disinfection by using chlorine and copper sulphates.

### (c) Biological process! —

- The biological treatment of sewage consists of oxidation of organic matter into  $\text{CO}_2$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ , sulphate etc. by using bacteria.



Before sewage is added to a pond, it is diluted with fresh water so as to maintain the ~~decrease~~ dissolved oxygen content, and reduce  $\text{CO}_2$ ,  $\text{NH}_3$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$ , etc. below the danger level.

- After sedimentation and dilution, the sewage is stored in tanks so as to allow bacterial action for oxidising organic matter.
- City sewage is extensively used for fish culture in Kolkatta.
- The sewage is diverted through a system of drains, to sedimentation tanks.
- After sedimentation and dilution at 1:4 with fresh water, it is added to fishery ponds at monthly intervals, fingerlings of rohu, catla and mrigal are stocked in the ratio of 1:2:1 giving an average yield of 1850 kg/ha of fish.
- For effective use of sewage and industrial waste, it is necessary to construct waste stabilisation ponds which are used to retain sewage for 10-12 days, till it is made stable and fit for discharge into fishery pond.

### iii) fish species suitable for Sewage fed fisheries

- sewage is not only a highly valuable organic fertilizer but the most economical
- Its utilization in fisheries has also solved one of the great problems of municipalities.
- The problem of sewage disposition in many big cities of the world.
- The use of seaweed fed water for paraeclerc carp culture in all over world.
- Use of sewage in fish raising is exceptionally efficient and ecologically sound.
- The Cyprinus carpio stocking in rapidly flowing streams polluted with raw sewage is traditional method in Java by cage culture, and yield is fantastically high 5,00,000 kg/hectare/year.
- The Cyprinus carpio was stocked in oxidation pond at Bhopal in Indra Ganga Sagar / ha approximately.
- Fish were netted periodically after three months. There was increase in body weight every month and fish reached 1197 gms within one year. The total average production was 11,938 kg/ha/yr.
- Analysis of the muscle of the fish showed 22% protein, 3.2% fat and 10.4% glycogen.
- Thus these fish had more nutritive

Value than those reared in other ponds.

→ Tilapia is one very great fish for sewage fed fish. Tilapia tolerate a high turbidity and breed continuously within 16 to 28 days gap.

→ The Catla, Rohu or mrigal are raised in NidhVadhami sewage spill in Calcutta (Kolkata). The sewage is thus partially treated before use. The annual yield is 1200 kg/hectare.

→ In Tamilnadu the major carps are stocked in fort moats with sewage fed water. The yield is obtained 1000-1500 kg/ha.

→ The Clarias, Heteropneustes, Channa and arba, are air breathing fishes. These fishes raised in primary ponds of sewage with low dissolved oxygen content..

→ Hence, use of sewage in fish culture is highly profitable as the production cost is low, because use of fertilizers and supplementary food is not required, and the fish grows at a higher rate.



## Unit - II

### 5. Man Made Hazards and Aquaculture

- man made several hazards on earth under development.
- man made a hazards for his survival requirements.  
e.g. forest cutting, mining,
- After using water major ~~a water~~ waste, the <sup>those draining</sup> waste is remove from using area.
- That waste water is <sup>mixed</sup> of sewage
- It is classified into three types. i.e.
  - i) Domestic sewage
  - ii) Agricultural sewage
  - & iii) Industrial Effluents.

#### i) Domestic sewage:-

- Domestic waste water is generated from domestic sources such as Kitchen, Bathrooms, toilet, Laundry.
- Domestic water is mainly composed of water is greater than 99%, solid waste; some in organic matter and heavy metals, grit, sand and floatable debris.
- Domestic water containing fecal matter and urine, so, bacteria and protozoa is ~~present~~ developed.
- These waste water flow is running ~~down~~ in the city through drainage.
- The drainage is covered or may be open.
- During heavy precipitation, the street gutters collect more water, so, system can hold.
- Pollution caused by sewage water is one of the major problems in cities.
- More cities sewage water is drained off into rivers without treatment.
- In ~~present~~ Maharashtra 70 Percent of the water pollution due to domestic sewage.

- Domestic sewage is the primary source of pathogens and spoiled organic substances.
  - The pathogens are excreted in faeces, etc.
  - Sewage from cities and towns is likely to contain pathogens.
  - These pathogens threat direct to public health.
  - Spoiled organic matter produces a different odour.
  - ~~of~~ <sup>or</sup> warm Domestic sewage causes, jungle, cholera, diarrhoea, etc.
  - Prevents the pollution from domestic sewage
  - Drainage should close where sewage is flow.
  - Control the waste water through septic tank at domestic level.
  - Waster water may be used in home garden.
  - Before drain flow enter in rivers it will treat through treatment plant.
  - Sewage water can be stored in <sup>sewage</sup> well.
- In many European countries citizens are connected their home to sanitation.
- There's national sewerage system.
- for example the Netherlands have 99% of the population connected to the sewerage system.
- And they have an individual sewage disposal system; i.e. septic tank.
- In Germany 96% homes connect to national sewerage system.
- In Belgium 88% homes are connect to national sewerage system.

### Treatment of sewage

- The sewage is treated by three methods.
  - (a) mechanical
  - (b) chemical
  - (c) biological

## ii) Agricultural sewage:

- Agriculture pollutes the soil and water through pesticides, fertilizers
- From more than century air pollution has affected agriculture. Burning coal and petroleum produces poisonous sulphur oxides.
- Fluorides result from mining, smelting and glass and ceramic manufacture.
- Rising level of Ammonia, chlorine, ethylene, mercaptans, carbon monoxide, and nitrogen oxides are poisoning the air we breathe and systematically contaminate the global soil and water.
- Due to increasing demand of food because increasing population. ~~protection~~ for more production, producers are use large amount of pesticides, insecticides, fungicides, herbicides and chemical fertilizers
- That are now negative returns while systematic pollution, like virus & bacteria
- Infectious agent carried by water and soil, it create a disease of crop.
- Animal diseases like Leptospirosis, salmonellosis, hog cholera, mastitis, are ~~pollute~~ to water and soil.
- organic chemicals like ~~detergent~~ nematocides, rodenticides, growth regulators, and defoliants are adversely affect soil & water.
- Unmanaged and unlimited use of fertilizers, pesticides, insecticides as cause of soil & water pollution.
- When over flow from land by excess rainwater or unmanaged irrigation the oil content of toxic material will be flow with water and accumulate in reservoir.
- This contaminated water is toxic to wildlife, livestock and humans.

- The Nitrogen & Phosphorus applied to agricultural land via fertilizers, composts, manures, biosolids, etc.
- When excess N & P. can lead to contaminating water.
- Nitrate-contaminated drinking water can cause blue baby syndrome.
- The Phosphorus-contaminated water stock is called dead zone.

### Prevent Contamination from Agricultural sewage

- Managed use of pesticides, insecticides, weedicides, fungicides, fertilizers, is must.
- Arrange the bund from alluvium land for prevention of soil & water flow.
- Use Biopesticides which is derived from natural materials like animals, plants, microorganisms, certain minerals.
- The use of biological pest controllers, like predators, parasites, and pathogens to control agricultural pests.
- The use of genetically modified organism (Gmos) in agri. It is reduce use of heavy pesticides.
- These crop can be genetically engineered to increase pest resistance.
- The premier example of this use of Gmos would be Bt corn (maize), and other crops into which genetic material from *Bacillus thuringiensis* (Bt) has been inserted so that the plants produce toxins effective against arthropod pests.
- The manure can be distribute through pump.
- APPLY managed irrigation like sprinkler, drip.

### iii) Industrial Effluents :-

- All industrial plants produce some organic and inorganic chemical wastes.
- Those non-useful chemicals are dumped in water.  
(as a means of getting rid of them.)
- The industrial wastes include heavy metals like Hg, Cu, lead, zinc, as well as detergents, manides, arsenic, chlorine, petroleum, acids, alkalies, phenols, carbonates, alcohol.
- Some industry waste material mix in ~~water~~ sewage water i.e. fluorides from mining, smelting, ~~and~~ glass and ceramic manufacture,
- Inorganic salts and minerals including boron is mix in sewage water. The boron is highly toxic.
- Food processing industry dump their waste material in sewage water i.e. food for microorganisms so, more microorganisms developed.
- The Pulp and Paper Industry dump their waste Pulp and paper material in sewage water.
- Manufacturers of organic chemicals are leave their waste organic compound in drainage that ~~contain~~ material is detergents, insecticides, herbicides, fungicides, nematocides, rodenticide,
- The textile industry left the micro material of cotton and remaining dye. in ~~sewage~~ drains.
- The sugar Industry left the same molasses material.

### Prevent Contamination from Industrial Effluents

- The flow of waste water from industrial area is very hazardous. So, prevention is must.

before left those waste.

- Organic chemical manufacture do not dump their waste in common drainage
- They should collect their waste water in a well.
- After collection be treat this water.
- Govt. not allow to those chemical industry near Public residency.
- Public avoid chemical compound and use Biotech material.
- Some industrial waste can be refilter and use again in manufacture e.g. sugar factory.