

A Freshwater Shrimp Becoming An Interest NC

Prawns are freshwater shrimp with long, slender pinners. Growing as long as two feet and weighing up to two pounds, the flavor of prawns has been compared to saltwater shrimp or lobster. Not surprisingly, many people in North Carolina have been requesting prawn farming information.

Randy Rouse, the farm manager of our Aquaculture Demonstration Project, was intrigued enough to travel to South Carolina to find out about prawns first-hand. Randy assisted the South Carolina Sea Grant Consortium and Department of Marine Resources in harvesting and analyzing a crop grown in a private land-owners pond near Charleston, S.C.

Several pondowners participated in the program. Post-larvae, which are baby prawns about 1/2 inch long, were given to all of the participants. Researchers



Production was pretty good when you include the fish weight gain," Rouse said. "There was a lot of size variation. Some were 21 to 25 count per pound and some were 80 count per pound. I believe there is potential for prawn culture in North Carolina, but it is limited. They will probably remain a luxury item, a delicacy. Many problems exist." Normally the prawn is a tropical animal. The water must be at least 75 degrees

heated and re-circulated to reduce expenses. Year-round growth is possible as well as constant harvesting of large, valuable prawns. The recirculating system is complicated and expensive because of pumping and heating costs. These prawns are usually sold to gourmet restaurants.

You might want to use a combination of ponds and greenhouses to grow prawns. You could get a jump on growth in your greenhouse, then move the prawns into a pond as soon as the temperature reaches 75 degrees F in the spring. For food, use broiler mash or catfish feed, and harvest in late September. Typically, about 2.5 pounds of food will be required for each pond of prawns produced.

Prawns may not be a commercially feasible venture, but they could be a fascinating hobby. Wouldn't it be fun to invite the family and friends over for a big mess of homegrown freshwater shrimp?

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Greene, an active tennis player and physical fitness advocate, has his blood type and "no known medical problems" engraved on the emblem. For information, call toll-free 800-344-3226 or in California and Alaska 209-668-3333 or write Medic Alert, Turlock, California 95381.

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Phone: 482-3217
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provided advice and harvesting assistance. In return, the growers supplied the feed and management required to grow the prawns. Growers kept the harvested prawns. Some of the prawns were sold for about \$5 per pound, but most of the growers' production was saved for family and friends. The research agency took a small percentage for analysis.

The pond Randy sampled was about one acre in size. About 26,000 post-larvae were stocked in May. At harvest, this particular pond was found to have had a good survival rate, but relatively low production. "This pond only produced about 670 pounds," Rouse said, "and most of those were small, probably 41 to 45 count per pound."

Other ponds similar in size produced up to 1600 pounds. The difference, apparently, was due to fish in the pond competing with the prawns for the feed. The other ponds did not contain

F for good growth. Prawns die below 60 degrees, and they will often eat each other if stocked more than 1 to 3 per square yard. The post-larvae cost about \$50 per thousand plus shipping costs from Florida, Hawaii or South America.

But, don't be completely discouraged. At least five prawn farms are in operation in New England, where greenhouses are used. The culture water is

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