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Cage Systems for Fish farming

Cage Culture: Dive Deep for a Sustainable Leap!

Cage Systems for Fish Culturing is a method where young fish are grown in submerged cages in large water bodies. The cages protect the fish, provide nourishment, and monitor their health. Once mature, the fish are harvested. This technique allows for natural, secure, and regulated fish farming, akin to a floating aquaculture facility.





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U This technology is <u>pre-validated</u> .	Scaling readiness: idea maturity 8/9; level of use 8/9	Fish
		Sustainable
Gender assessment	Climate impact	
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Problem

- Space and Control: Traditional fish farming requires large, expensive land and lacks control in open waters, leading to losses from predators and disease
- Water Quality: In other forms, especially in small ponds, water quality can deteriorate quickly causing problems like low oxygen levels and harmful substance buildup.
- Environmental Impact: Some methods can negatively impact the environment, such as causing pollution from waste products.
- Unpredictable Events: In open waters, upwelling events can drastically change conditions in the cage, affecting fish health.

Key points to design your project

that boosts income and aligns with sustainability goals.

assessment, understanding of market demand, and logistics planning.

Solution

Cage aquaculture systems are transforming fish farming in Africa. They offer a scalable, eco-friendly solution

Successful implementation requires farmer training, key partnerships (including cage system manufacturers,

feed suppliers, aquatic veterinarians, certification bodies, and local fishermen communities), water source

Research institutions play a crucial role in providing the latest research on cage system technologies and best

150 USD Fish cage of 8 cubic meter

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Open source / open access

practices. Each partner brings unique resources and expertise, ensuring the project's success and

- Space and Control: Cage systems efficiently use water bodies, reducing the need for large land areas and providing a controlled environment for the fish.
- Water Quality: They help manage water quality issues common in other forms of aquaculture.
- Environmental Impact: Cage systems aim to minimize the environmental impact of aquaculture.
- Upwelling Events: High-tech solutions have emerged to predict and mitigate upwelling events.

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Production, Equipment, Aquaculture Systems

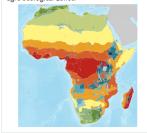
- Best used with
- All Male Tilapia Fingerlings with Greater Yield and <u>Uniformity ></u>
- Fast Growing and Hybrid African Catfish >

Tested/adopted in



Where it can be used

This technology can be used in the colored agro-ecological zones.



Target groups

Fish Farmers



sustainability.

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