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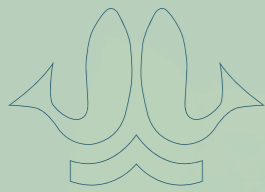


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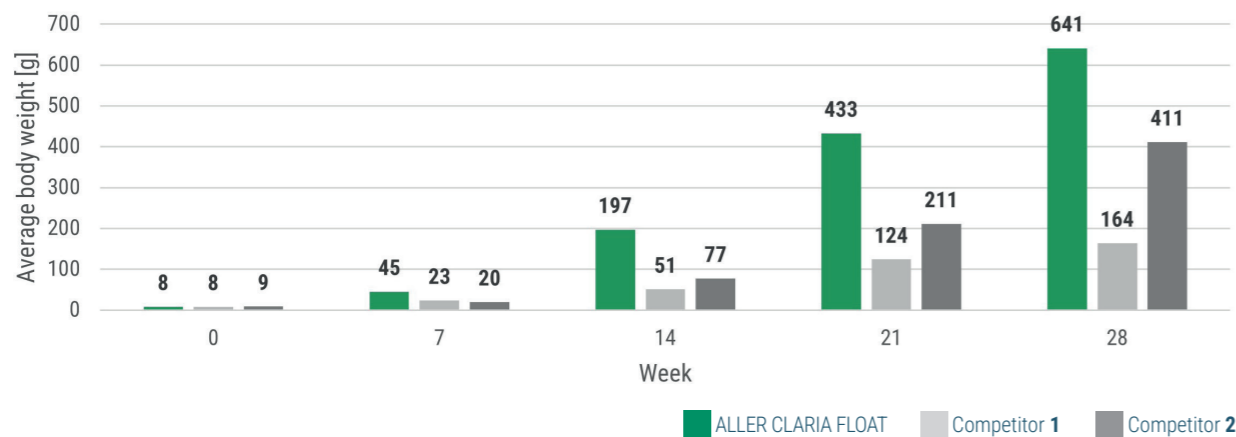
African catfish (*C. gariepinus*) is an important fish for African aquaculture. It is a carnivorous species known for its sturdiness and tasty meat. Most of its production in Africa takes place in West Africa. However, fish farmers are finding it increasingly difficult to turn a profit amidst the current economic situation in the region. That is why we have decided to conduct a benchmark trial that focuses on the economics, particularly the profitability, of catfish farming when different feeds are used.

BENCHMARKING RESULTS

We compared ALLER CLARIA FLOAT with two locally available competitor feeds. The trial was run in the greater vicinity of Douala, Cameroon, on a commercial catfish farm. Fish were fed twice daily until apparent satiation. The trial was run during rain season and the average water temperature was 25.8 °C, and fish were fed for 190 days. Feed sizes were adapted according to the recommendations of the respective feed companies.

Development of average body weights [g] - 28 weeks

African catfish fed with ALLER CLARIA FLOAT compared to 2 competitors' feeds.



HIGHLIGHTS

ALLER CLARIA FLOAT benchmarking results show higher body weight and lower mortality:

ALLER CLARIA FLOAT compared to Competitor 1

3.9 x higher Weight

69% lower Mortality

5.3 x higher Gross Profit

ALLER CLARIA FLOAT compared to Competitor 2

1.6 x higher Weight

56% lower Mortality

1.6 x higher Gross Profit

WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO YOU?

With ALLER CLARIA FLOAT the final weight of about 650g is achieved 24 days sooner and 94 days sooner than with the competitors' feed. That means you can harvest earlier. The earlier you harvest, the sooner you can generate profits and restock. Make higher profits faster using ALLER CLARIA FLOAT.

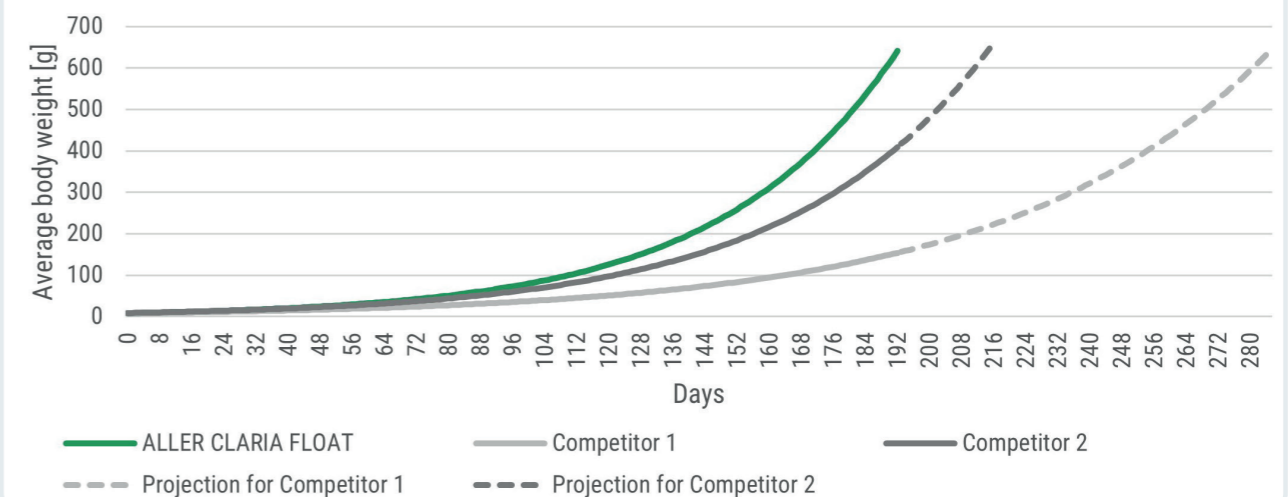
Harvest time using ALLER CLARIA FLOAT - 190 days
Earlier harvest means faster profit to you!

Harvest time Competitor 2 - 214 days

Harvest time Competitor 1 - 284 days

Growth curve and harvest time

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TRY IT FOR YOURSELF!

Make higher profits faster using ALLER CLARIA FLOAT

Contact us to benchmark our feeds on your farm. We are happy to help.

Did you know?

Aller Aqua published a **free handbook** on catfish farming. Download your guide to support successful catfish farming operations. It offers practical strategies for sustainable farming practices, efficient feed management, optimised production techniques, and effective marketing.



Find the recommended feeding levels for fast growth on our datasheets. They serve as a guideline. Please contact your local Aller Aqua representative for more information. Scan the QR code for the latest catfish feeding programme available (West Africa).



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