

BiOWiSH™ AquaFarm

Pond Preparation

BiOWiSH™ AquaFarm offers a powerful biological approach to pond preparation which can assist with ensuring optimum crop production and reduced risks of production upsets by eliminating excess organic materials prior to stocking.

- 1. Commence preparation 7 days prior to stocking.
- 2. Per Hectare: Prepare BiOWiSH™ AquaFarm by mixing 100g into 4 liters of water in a delivery container, provide a small amount of stirring, and allow 15 minutes to solubilize. Position the delivery container above the water inlet for gravity feed dosing.
- 3. Fill pond to 30cm on top of organic waste. Dose BiOWiSH™ AquaFarm through tap on tank into inlet water flow as pond is filling to 30cm of depth.
- Circulate and mix well (suggest using boat with motor) for 3 days to achieve aeration and mix BiOWiSH™ AquaFarm through organic sludge. Focus on areas of pond with high levels of organic waste.
- 5. Day 4 Apply fertilizers and pond amendments as per normal practice. Fill pond to 50%. We suggest applying current organic fertilizer and amendments as per current practice.
- 6. Day 7 Fill to 100%.
- 7. For best results ensure sufficient movement of sludge.
- 8. When initiating use of BiOWiSH™ AquaFarm in existing ponds and in ponds with high accumulations of sludge, repeat steps 2, 3, and 4 of the pre-treatment protocol weekly until stocking.

NOTE: Ponds that have not had this pond preparation phase may contain excess organic material and caution should be used in applying high dosages of BiOWiSH™ AquaFarm. In such cases a progressive dosing program is recommended.

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