

Table 9. Recommended daily ration for North African catfish *Clarias gariepinus*. Ration expressed as percent of body weight per day

Temp	Fish size (g)					
	1–10	10–25	25–50	50–100	100–300	300–800
16	1	0.6	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.2
18	3	1.6	1	0.8	0.6	0.5
20	5	3	2	1.5	1.2	1
22	6.8	4.5	3	2.4	2	1.7
24	8.1	6	4	3	2.5	2.2
26	9.5	6.6	5.1	3.6	3.2	2.8
28	10	7	5.5	4	3.5	3.1
30	9.8	6.8	5.3	3.7	3.2	2.9
32	9.5	6.5	5	3.5	3	2.8

Source: Hogendoorn *et al.* (1983); Hecht, Uys and Britz (1988)