Principles of selecting the right species for pen culture

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Abstract

Pen structures have several uses like breeding, broad stock, larvae culture and Temporary maintenance. Selecting the right species with a proper weight is very important to reach appropriate results. In select the right species need to Look at some points: Easily providing, Rapid growth rate, adaptation to pen culture condition, adaptation to artificial feeding, high feed conversion rate, Resistant to diseases and market friendly.

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