CONSERVATION BIOLOGY OF COBITID FISH LEPIDOCEPHALUS GUNTEA (HAMILTON-BUCHANAN): LENGTH-WEIGHT RELATIONSHIP AS HEALTH INDICATOR

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ABSTRACT
Present study is conducted as a part of research project on the conservation biology of a less populated species Lepidocephalus guntea. Length-weight relationship and relative condition factor were used as health indicators. It was concluded that higher values of regression coefficient (2.174) and RCF (>1.0) indicated a good health of fish in Mandal river.

Key words- Conservation, Lepidocephalus, Length-weight relationship, RCF.

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