

Announcement: Mysids As Live Food Source

MBL Aquaculture, a division of Marince Bioassay Laboratory, is pleased to announce plans to improve our capacity for supplying bulk quantities of mysids (*Americamysis bahia*) to aquaculture facilities interested in using mysids for the grow-out of larval fish. Quantity pricing will begin at 50,000 organisms. Pricing will be tailored to the per-order quantity and order schedule. Our production increases will be based on demand. Therefore, please contact us as soon as possible so that we can ensure your needs will be accommodated.

PROVEN SOURCE

MBL Aquaculture is the in-house culturing program of Marince Bioassay Lab. Started in 1988, MBL Aquaculture has become one of the leading producers of mysids for toxicity testing, while also supplying limited quantities for aquaculture facilities, aquariums and hobbyists. Our mysids have been used as the sole diet for a Weedy seadragon program started in 2004, as well as used in feeding trials on cuttlefish, salmon, and numerous species of seahorses. Our years of experience ensure you'll consistently receive high quality, disease-free organisms.

WHY MYSIDS?

- o Outstanding nutritional value. Feeding algae-enriched rotifers to mysids prior to use can further enhance their nutritional value.
- o Natural food source for many predators, especially during the grow-out phase of development.
- o Cultured in a closed, UV-sterilized, recirculating system situated in an environmentally controlled building.
- o Available in sizes from 2mm TL x 0.5mm W as a juvenile, at <24 hours of age, to 12mm TL x 2mm W as an adult.
- o Will survive in most systems, prior to being consumed. As such, there is no significant biological load on larval rearing tanks. This also allows larvae to feed, at will, 24-hours/day, if mysid densities are kept high.

OTHER LIVE FOODS

- o Silversides (*Menidia beryllina*). Offered as larvae at 15 days to sub-adults at 3+ months.
- o Daphnids (*Ceriodaphnia dubia* & *Daphnia magna*). Sold as starter cultures.

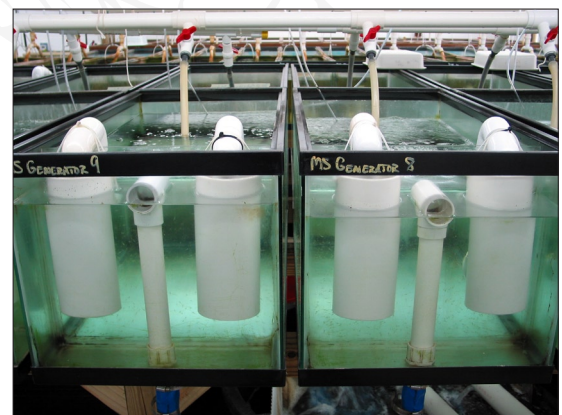


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