



# Finfish Bass

Meeting your nutritional needs for **successful aquaculture!**



The Zeigler **Finfish Bass** program is designed with the pond producer in mind. Zeigler Technology has developed a line of highly digestible diets that yield high performance while helping maintain the strict water quality standards required to keep Bass species healthy.

**Bass Hi-Performance** is formulated specifically for Hybrid Striped Bass raised in intensive systems. The highly digestible, nutrient dense formula allows the farmer to maintain growth and health by adjusting feeding rate based on varying culture conditions such as elevated water temperature.

**Finfish Silver** is an economical option that will deliver high animal performance in less intensive culture systems.

**Largemouth Bass 48/18 FLT w/Vpak** supports Largemouth Bass production. The diet is formulated with high-quality marine proteins and oils to provide highly digestible nutrition for Largemouth Bass.

Zeigler **Starter & Fingerling** feeds have been the industry standard for many years. Today, all our Starter feeds contain Vpak, an all-natural immunostimulant that supports juvenile development and promotes higher survivals in stressful culture conditions.

- Inclusion in starter feeds reported to improve survivals and yields in grow-out.
- Proactive mechanism for fighting viruses and pathogens.
- All-natural alternative to antibiotics; Safe, biodegradable and residue-free.



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# Finfish Bass Diets



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STAGE		BASS DIETS		Crude Protein (Min %)		Crude Fat (Min %)		Crude Fiber (Max %)		Moisture (Max %)		Ash (Max %)		Phosphorus (Min %)		Feeding		SIZES (MM)		PRODUCT SUMMARY	
				Crude Protein (Min %)		Crude Fat (Min %)		Crude Fiber (Max %)		Moisture (Max %)		Ash (Max %)		Phosphorus (Min %)		Floating		Slow-Sinking		Sinking	
Starter	Finfish Pro-Start Vpak 55-15	55	15	1.5	12	12	1.3										●		Meal, #1 & #2 Crumbles	•	Optimized formulation containing Vpak to provide a strong start to fry at first feeding. Suitable for cold-water, warm-water and tropical fish.
Fingerling	Finfish Pro-Start Vpak 50-15	50	15	1.5	12	12	1.3										●		1.5, 2	•	An enhanced, high energy feed containing Vpak designed to transition fingerlings from fry feed.
	Finfish Hi-Performance	45	14	1.3	12	10	1.4										●		2.5	•	A higher energy diet designed to help fingerlings transition to grow out feeds.
Grow Out	Finfish Hi-Performance	45	16	1.3	12	9	1.3										●		3, 5, 6.5	•	Ideal formulation for omnivorous and piscivorous species that exhibit high protein requirements but do not beneficially utilize fat to spare protein.
	Finfish Silver	40	10	2.4	12	6	1										●		3, 5, 6.5	•	A versatile diet, this cost-efficient fishmeal-based diet is formulated to feed a variety of omnivorous and piscivorous aquatic animals with moderate protein requirements.
	Largemouth Bass Vpak 48-18	48	18	3	12	6	31.1										●		3, 5, 6.5, 9.5	•	Diet recommended for Largemouth Bass. A high energy fishmeal-based diet formulated to feed a variety of omnivorous and piscivorous aquatic animals that have been shown to have low carbohydrate tolerance.
Broodstock	Bass Broodstock	45	15	1.3	12	6	1										●	●	13	•	Specifically formulated with high levels of fatty acids & micronutrients for fecundity.

## PACKAGING

Bags, Super sacks and Bulk

Contact a Zeigler representative for specific pellet sizes and packaging information.

## FEATURES & BENEFITS

- Formulated to maximize growth and reduce visceral fat deposition in species that do not utilize fat to spare protein.
- Low carbohydrate level.
- Ingredient selection based on true finfish digestibility testing.
- Balanced amino acid profile.
- Phosphorus levels below 1.2%.
- Meets FDA requirements regarding restrictions on mammalian protein sources.
- Contains Vpak (Vitality Pak) – a highly purified nutritional additive that has been shown to improve survivability.

## SUSTAINABLE & TRACEABLE

- Use of renewable plant proteins and oils
- Incorporation of fish by-products from human food processing
- Fish meal and fish oil substitutes
- Utilization of natural, bioactive compounds to improve animal health and further reduce the need for farms to use chemicals and antibiotics
- Maximizing the use of locally supplied ingredients

## INGREDIENTS

A stringent purchasing program holds our suppliers to a higher standard with pre-established specifications, site visits, and ingredient testing. This careful oversight, record keeping, and quality control continues through the supply chain. Zeigler products meet an array of standards, and are manufactured in a facility utilizing a quality management system that is ISO 9001:2015 registered. In addition, Zeigler meets requirements set by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA), the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA), the Pennsylvania Department of Health.

### Feed Size

Meal (<0.6 mm)

#1 Crumble (0.6-0.85 mm)

#2 Crumble (0.85-1.2 mm)

1.5 mm

2.0 mm

2.5 mm (3/32")

3.0 mm (1/8")

5.0 mm (3/16")

6.5 mm (1/4")

9.5 mm (3/8")

### Fish Size (g/fish)

0.1 - 0.5

0.5 - 1

1 - 2

2-5

5 - 10

10 - 20

20-60

60 - 250

250 - 500

> 1,000

## PRODUCT STORAGE INSTRUCTIONS



- Store in a cool, dry place away from sunlight
- Check packaging for manufactured dates
- Rotate stock to use oldest product first ("first in, first out" principle)
- If receiving skids of feed, remove plastic wrap to prolong life of product

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