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**GEODYN SOLUTIONS
ADVANCED OFFSHORE FISH
FARMING PROPOSAL FOR
THE DOMINICAN REPUBLIC**

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Geodyn Solutions proposes a \$250M offshore fish farming operation in the Dominican Republic, integrating the most advanced aquaculture technologies to produce 30,000 metric tons of seafood annually while addressing environmental and health concerns. Inspired by cutting-edge global models, this project employs smart aquaculture systems, sustainable feeds, Recirculating Aquaculture Systems (RAS), genomic selection, and algae integration. Fish waste is captured and processed into 6,000 tons of organic fertilizer and 3,000 tons of fish hydrolysate annually, creating a circular bioeconomy. With a 20% contingency, the project aims to create 600–800 jobs, achieve a 10-year ROI of 310%, and set a global standard for sustainable aquaculture.





PROJECT OVERVIEW

Located 5–15 miles off the Dominican Republic’s southern coast, the project utilizes 60 fully submerged, hurricane-resistant net pens to cultivate high-value species (yellowtail, tilapia, cobia, and shrimp). It incorporates Integrated Multi-Trophic Aquaculture (IMTA), IoT-enabled smart systems, and a fleet of five hybrid vessels. A state-of-the-art processing facility produces export-ready products, while advanced waste capture systems ensure zero waste. The project aligns with global sustainability goals, minimizing environmental impact and enhancing seafood quality.

KEY OBJECTIVES

- Produce 30,000 metric tons of seafood (25,000 tons fish, 5,000 tons shrimp) annually, with 70% processed for export.
- Create 600–800 direct and indirect jobs, boosting coastal economies.
- Convert 9,000 tons of fish and shrimp waste into 6,000 tons of fertilizer and 3,000 tons of hydrolysate.
- Minimize environmental impact through smart technology, RAS, and IMTA.
- Achieve a 10-year ROI of 310% with diversified revenue streams.

CAPITAL EXPENDITURE

(CAPEX)

The \$250M budget, including a 20% contingency, supports a technologically advanced operation.

Item	Cost (USD)	Description
Offshore Net Pens (60 units)	45,000,000	Submerged HDPE pens with IoT sensors and robotic cleaners
Vessel Fleet (5 units)	25,000,000	Hybrid vessels with waste capture and processing units
Fish and Shrimp Processing Facility	30,000,000	Automated filleting, freezing, and packaging for export
IMTA and Algae Integration	20,000,000	Seaweed, shellfish, and algae systems for nutrient cycling and feed
Waste Processing Facility	12,000,000	Automated fertilizer and hydrolysate production with biofloc integration
Hatchery and Nursery with RAS	15,000,000	Recirculating systems for fish and shrimp juveniles
Smart Aquaculture Systems	15,000,000	IoT sensors, AI analytics, and underwater drones
Automated Feeding Systems	10,000,000	Precision feeders with sustainable feed dispensers
Renewable Energy Systems	12,000,000	Solar, wind, and energy storage for all operations
Cold Chain Logistics	8,000,000	Refrigerated transport and storage for exports
Installation and Training	15,000,000	Infrastructure setup, tech integration, and staff training
Subtotal	207,000,000	
20% Contingency	43,000,000	Risk mitigation for unforeseen costs
Total CapEx	250,000,000	

ADVANCED TECHNOLOGY DETAILS



The vessel integrates the latest, most economical aquaculture technologies, optimized for the Dominican Republic's tropical marine environment.

TANKER CONVERSION FOR MANEUVERABILITY:

- Retrofit includes azimuth thrusters and dynamic positioning systems (DPS) for precise maneuvering in Caribbean currents and hurricane-prone areas.
- Hull reinforced to support 20 net pens and processing facilities, with anti-corrosion coatings for longevity.
- Hybrid propulsion (diesel-electric with solar assist) reduces fuel consumption by 30%.

SMART AQUACULTURE SYSTEMS:

- IoT sensors monitor water parameters (temperature: 26–30°C, pH: 7.8–8.5, dissolved oxygen: 5–7 mg/L) in real time, ensuring optimal conditions.
- AI analytics predict disease risks (e.g., vibriosis, tilapia lake virus) and optimize feeding, reducing mortality by 30%.
- Submersible drones with 4K cameras monitor pens, ensuring structural integrity during storms.

ONBOARD NET PENS:

- 20 HDPE pens (30m diameter), submerged at 15–25m to avoid surface waves, equipped with anti-fouling coatings.
- Robotic net cleaners reduce biofouling in warm waters, cutting maintenance costs by 25%.
- IoT-enabled pens adjust depth automatically based on real-time weather data.

SUSTAINABLE FEED SOLUTIONS:

- Algae-based feeds (40%) and black soldier fly larvae (20%) replace 60% of fishmeal, sourced locally to minimize costs.
- Feed enriched with omega-3 from onboard Spirulina cultivation enhances seafood nutritional value (e.g., 20% higher DHA/EPA).
- Automated feeders with sonar sensors reduce waste by 20%, critical for Caribbean ecosystems.

RECIRCULATING AQUACULTURE SYSTEMS (RAS):

- Onboard RAS with biofilters, UV sterilization, and oxygenation recycles 95% of water for hatchery and nursery.
- Reduces water use by 90% and prevents disease spread, producing 7 million fish and 20 million shrimp juveniles annually.
- Compact design fits within tanker's structure, optimized for space.

GENOMIC SELECTION FOR BREEDING:

- Non-GMO genomic screening selects fish and shrimp with 15% faster growth and resistance to local pathogens (e.g., white spot syndrome virus).
- Increases yield by 20% while maintaining genetic diversity.
- Collaborates with Dominican research institutions for local adaptation.

IMTA AND ALGAE INTEGRATION:

- Co-cultivates seaweeds (e.g., Sargassum), shellfish (e.g., Caribbean oysters), and algae (e.g., Chlorella) around pens to absorb nutrients.
- Algae provide 10% of feed and sequester 15 tons of CO₂ per hectare, mitigating sargassum blooms.
- Reduces nitrogen/phosphorus pollution by 50%, protecting coral reefs.





ECO-FRIENDLY SHRIMP FARMING:

- Biofloc systems recycle shrimp waste into feed using beneficial bacteria, reducing external feed needs by 30%.
- Onboard vertical RAS units maximize space, eliminating mangrove disruption.
- Probiotic water treatment eliminates antibiotics, ensuring export safety.

RENEWABLE ENERGY SYSTEMS:

- Solar panels and retractable wind turbines on deck power 80% of operations, reducing reliance on Dominican fossil fuels.
- Lithium-ion storage ensures stability during hurricanes, cutting emissions by 40%.

ONBOARD FISH AND SHRIMP PROCESSING FACILITY:

- Processes 7,000 MT annually into fillets (60%), smoked products (20%), and frozen whole fish/shrimp (20%).
- Automated filleting machines achieve 95% yield; blast freezers ensure 18-month shelf life.
- Meets FDA, EU, and CARICOM standards for exports to the US (40%), EU (30%), and Caribbean (20%).

COLD CHAIN LOGISTICS:

- Onboard refrigeration maintains -18°C; shore-based IoT-enabled trucks ensure seamless transfer to ports like Caucedo.
- Real-time tracking ensures traceability for premium markets.

FISH WASTE CAPTURE AND FERTILIZER PRODUCTION

Advanced onboard waste capture systems create a zero-waste operation, supporting Dominican agriculture.

FISH WASTE FERTILIZER:

- Annual waste: ~3,000 MT (30% of 10,000 MT, including fish and shrimp).
- 2,000 tons processed into organic fertilizer via onboard composting with biofloc integration.
- Supports crops like bananas, coffee, and cacao, reducing synthetic fertilizer imports by 10%.

FISH HYDROLYSATE:

- 1,000 tons of offal, heads, and trimmings processed via enzymatic hydrolysis in compact onboard reactors.
- Produces liquid biofertilizer for high-value crops, enhancing soil microbial activity.

WASTE CAPTURE PROCESS:

- Vacuum-based systems capture 95% of solid waste from pens and processing, preventing ocean discharge.
- Onboard facility uses automated reactors, dryers, and odor-neutralizing systems for efficiency.
- Biofloc recycles 20% of waste into shrimp feed, closing the nutrient loop.

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT:

- Zero waste discharge protects Dominican marine ecosystems and tourism.
- Treated wastewater reused for onboard operations or shore-based irrigation.





RETURN ON INVESTMENT (ROI)

**REVENUE FROM SEAFOOD, PROCESSED
PRODUCTS, FERTILIZER, AND HYDROLYSATE
YIELDS A 10-YEAR ROI OF 320%.**



REVENUE STREAMS

SEAFOOD SALES (*RAW*)

3,000 MT at \$5,000/ton = \$15,000,000/year.

PROCESSED SEAFOOD (*EXPORT*)

7,000 MT (fillets, smoked) at \$7,500/ton = \$52,500,000/year.

ORGANIC FERTILIZER

2,000 tons at \$500/ton = \$1,000,000/year.

FISH HYDROLYSATE

1,000 tons at \$1,000/ton = \$1,000,000/year.

FINANCIAL PROJECTIONS

ANNUAL REVENUE:

\$69,500,000

ANNUAL OPERATING COSTS:

\$20,000,000 (*feed, labor, fuel, processing, AI, logistics*)

ANNUAL NET PROFIT:

\$49,500,000

BREAK-EVEN POINT:

Year 3

10-YEAR NET PROFIT:

\$495,000,000

ROI:

$(\$495,000,000 - \$150,000,000) /$

\$150,000,000 = 320%



JOB CREATION

The project prioritizes local employment, aligning with the Dominican Republic's economic goals.

ROLE	NUMBER OF JOBS	DESCRIPTION
Aquaculture Technicians	80	Manage pens, IMTA, and smart systems
Vessel Crew	60	Operate vessel, waste capture, and transport
Processing Staff	70	Handle onboard filleting, smoking, and packaging
Waste Processing Staff	30	Produce fertilizer and hydrolysate
Hatchery and RAS Workers	25	Manage fish and shrimp juveniles
AI and Tech Support	15	Maintain IoT and automation systems
Logistics and Cold Chain	20	Manage shore-based export transport
Administrative and Sales	15	Oversee operations and export marketing
Indirect Jobs (e.g., port, retail)	80–100	Support supply chain and tourism
Total Jobs	300–400	

ENVIRONMENTAL AND HEALTH BENEFITS

THE PROJECT ADDRESSES AQUACULTURE'S ENVIRONMENTAL AND HEALTH CONCERNS, TAILORED TO THE DOMINICAN REPUBLIC.

1. IMTA AND ALGAE INTEGRATION

- *Reduces nutrient pollution by 50–60%, protecting coral reefs and tourism.*
- *Algae increase omega-3 content in fish/shrimp by 20%, enhancing consumer health.*



2. ZERO-WASTE OPERATIONS:

- *3,000 MT of waste recycled into fertilizer and hydrolysate, eliminating ocean pollution.*
- *Biofloc systems reduce feed costs and environmental impact.*

3. SUSTAINABLE FEEDS

- *Algae and insect-based feeds cut fishmeal use by 60%, preserving Caribbean fisheries.*
- *Improves seafood quality (e.g., higher DHA/EPA for heart health).*





ENVIRONMENTAL AND HEALTH BENEFITS

4. RAS AND BIOFLOC

- *RAS reduces water use by 90%, critical in water-stressed regions.*
- *Biofloc eliminates antibiotics, ensuring safe exports and consumer trust.*



5. LOW-CARBON OPERATIONS

- *Renewable energy powers 80% of operations, cutting emissions by 40%.*
- *Hybrid propulsion aligns with Dominican climate goals.*

6. ECOSYSTEM PROTECTION

- *Mobile vessel minimizes coastal impact; AI prevents escapes, protecting native species.*
- *Biodegradable packaging for exports reduces plastic pollution.*





IMPLEMENTATION TIMELINE

Phase	Duration	Activities
Planning and Permits	12 months	Secure permits with CODOPESCA, select tanker
Tanker Conversion	24 months	Retrofit vessel, install pens, RAS, and facilities
Initial Operations	12 months	Stock pens, begin IMTA, start processing and exports
Full Production	Year 4	Reach 10,000 MT/year, optimize fertilizer and export operations
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Geodyn Solutions' \$150M tanker conversion project transforms a 15,000 MT vessel into a mobile, eco-friendly fish farming platform for the Dominican Republic. By integrating smart systems, sustainable feeds, RAS, and zero-waste processing, it delivers a 320% ROI, 300–400 jobs, and a sustainable model for high-profit seafood production. We invite partnerships with CODOPESCA, exporters, and local communities to drive economic and environmental progress. Contact Geodyn Solutions



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