

Fifty-gallon goldfish/crappie aquarium

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The retained setup was a roughly 50-gallon aquarium with four goldfish and one crappie. Treat that as a stocking observation, not a long-term stocking endorsement.

STATUS	Recovered/Partial
CLASSIFICATION	FISH
MATERIAL	FIELD / OUTDOORS
DISPOSITION	PUBLIC / RECOVERED/PARTIAL
CATEGORY	Fishing / Outdoors
RECORD TYPE	reference

GOAL

Run the first test described in this guide and record the result for fifty-gallon goldfish/crappie aquarium.

SOURCE STATE

Reference guidance with recovered tank description

EQUIPMENT

- Rod and reel matched to the target species
- Hooks, line, sinkers, and landing tools
- Notebook or phone field log

MATERIALS

- Bait or lure identified in the next field log

METHOD / STEPS

1. Measure actual fish sizes and tank temperature, and test ammonia, nitrite, nitrate and pH with a reliable kit.
2. Keep ammonia and nitrite undetectable and establish a maintenance schedule based on water tests and waste load.
3. Observe feeding competition and any chasing or attempted predation. Provide species-appropriate food without leaving excess waste.

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- Plan larger or separate housing as growth and behavior require; obtain aquatic-veterinary help for persistent distress.
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THINGS TO WATCH FOR

Goldfish produce substantial waste and crappie are predatory. Extra air stones do not create extra space or remove nitrogen waste. Never release aquarium fish into natural water.

FIRST TEST / WHAT TO RECORD

Keep a dated water/behavior log and act on rising waste levels or incompatibility before fish are injured.

RESULT / WHERE THIS STANDS

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TROUBLESHOOTING

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SPECIFICATION

CATEGORY	Field / outdoors
TARGET	crappie aquarium
VALIDATION	Date, water, weather, depth, bait, result

DEVELOPMENT HISTORY

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Imported as an independent manifest record; public copy keeps uncertainty visible.

REFERENCE NOTES

Merck aquarium-care reference
(<https://www.merckvetmanual.com/all-other-pets/fish/providing-a-home-for-fish>).

HOW-TO SOURCES

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RELEASED MATERIAL / SOURCE LINKS

fish-018-public-summary.txt

PUBLIC SUMMARY / RECOVERED NOTES

<https://u225x.com/downloads/manifest-records/fish-018-public-summary.txt>

RETURN TO THE LIVING RECORD

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