

Table 1 Proximate composition of fresh fish samples

Types of fish	Moisture %	Protein %	Fat %	Crude fibre %	Ash %	Carbohydrate %
Silver catfish	74.68 _a	15.70 _a	8.38 _{defg}	0.20 _a	0.13 _a	0.91 _a
Spotted tilapia	74.81 _a	17.85 _b	5.79 _{ab}	0.19 _a	0.15 _a	1.21 _{ijk}
Bonga shad	75.65 _a	15.18 _a	7.81 _{cdefg}	0.29 _{abc}	0.15 _a	1.33 _h
Nig. tongue sole	73.48 _a	17.96 _b	6.89 _{bc}	0.23 _{bc}	0.11 _a	1.07 _{cdef}
G. barracuda	75.94 _a	17.89 _b	4.62 _a	0.16 _a	0.13 _a	1.16 _{de}

Note: Data are means of 3 replicates; Data with the same subscript are not significantly different at (p<0.05)