

**POST GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN
AGRICULTURE POLICY**

Term-End Examination

December, 2015

**MNRE-015 : COOPERATIVES AND FARMERS'
ORGANIZATION**

Time : 2 hours

Maximum Marks : 50

Note : Attempt any five questions. All questions carry equal marks.

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1. What do you understand by cooperatives ? 10
Discuss the areas/aspects on which it has spread its activities.

 2. Explain the areas of innovations required in cooperative sector. 10

 3. (a) Discuss any three principles of cooperatives. 5
(b) Discuss the structure and functions of NAFED. 5

 4. (a) Discuss the objectives of National Policy on Cooperatives. 5
(b) Explain, how cooperative activities are monitored. 5

5. What do you understand by people's participation? Explain its advantages and basic principles. 10
6. Discuss the role of Non-Government Organizations in rural development. 10
7. Explain the followings : 2x5=10
- (a) Policy making bodies for cooperatives
 - (b) Process of SHG formation
8. Write short notes on **any four** : 4x2½=10
- (a) Philosophy of participatory development
 - (b) Characteristics of SHGs
 - (c) Weaknesses of NGOs
 - (d) CAPART
 - (e) PRADAN
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