

POST GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN AGRICULTURE POLICY

Term-End Examination

December, 2019

MNRE-015 : COOPERATIVES AND FARMERS' ORGANIZATIONS

Time : 2 hours

Maximum Marks : 50

Note : (i) Attempt any five questions.

(ii) All questions carry equal marks.

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1. How cooperatives are distinguished from other businesses ? Discuss the development of cooperatives in India. 10
 2. (a) Write a note on the following principles of cooperatives : 5
(i) Democratic member control
(ii) Cooperation among cooperatives
(b) Enlist the main components of a typical cooperative law. 5
 3. (a) Identify the main problems related to the management of cooperatives. 5
(b) Write the objectives of national policy on cooperatives. 5
 4. Discuss the impact of economic liberalization on cooperatives and suggest the economic reforms in cooperatives. 10
 5. (a) What are the basic principles of participation ? 5
(b) Discuss the conditions required for active people's participation. 5
 6. What is meant by self help groups ? Discuss the process of forming self help groups. 10
 7. Define Non-Government Organizations(NGOs). Discuss the characteristics and types of NGOs. 10
 8. Discuss about the various policy making bodies related to cooperatives and farmers organizations. 10