POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN AGRIBUSINESS (PGDAB)

Term-End Examination December, 2023

MAM-051: FUNDAMENTALS OF AGRICULTURE

Time: 2 Hours Maximum Marks: 50

Note: (i) Attempt any **five** questions.

- (ii) All questions carry equal marks.
- What is meant by soil and water conservation?
 Discuss the important measures for soil and water conservation.
- 2. Describe the essential plant nutrients and their classification.
- 3. What do you understand by IPM? Explain the major components of IPM.

- 4. Differentiate between conventional barns and loose housing system for rearing dairy cattle. 10
- 5. Give the harvesting, threshing and yield of groundnut, mustard and sunflower crops. 10
- 6. Explain the integrated insect-pest and disease management practices followed in pulses crops.

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- 7. What are the different planting systems which may be followed for establishing a fruit orchard?
- 8. Explain the important considerations for starting-up a beekeeping enterprise. 10