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**POST GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN
AGRICULTURAL POLICY (PGCAP)**

Term-End Examination

June, 2018

**MNR-001 : INDIAN AGRICULTURAL
DEVELOPMENT**

Time : 2 hours

Maximum Marks : 50

Note : (i) Attempt any five questions.

(ii) All questions carry equal marks.

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| 1. | (a) | Discuss the important factors which led to modern Indian agriculture. | 5 |
| | (b) | Explain the importance of agriculture in Indian economy. | 5 |
| 2. | (a) | Discuss the trends in area and production of pulses and oilseeds in India. | 5 |
| | (b) | How are distribution of operational land holdings classified ? What is the average size of holdings by different size classes ? | 5 |
| 3. | (a) | Discuss the causes of growth of agricultural labour in India. | 5 |
| | (b) | What are main animal products which are consumed and support health and income in the country ? | 5 |

4. (a) Discuss the reasons for social control and nationalization of banks. 5
(b) What do you understand by capital formation ? Discuss its role on agricultural growth. 5
5. Explain the developments that took place in extension system of country. 10
6. (a) What is decentralized system of procurement of food grains ? What are its advantages ? 5
(b) What is modern agriculture ? What type of agencies are required for modern agriculture ? 5
7. (a) What is diversification ? Suggest strategy to promote diversification. 5
(b) Discuss the importance of ICT to support agriculture extension. 5
8. Write short notes on any five : 5x2=10
(a) Types of rural industries
(b) Trade distortion
(c) Impact of ICT on agriculture
(d) Importance of agricultural taxation
(e) Role of KVK in technology transfer
(f) Targeted Public Distribution System
(g) Cooperative Marketing
(h) Green Revolution
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