

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

**Term-End Examination**

**December, 2017**

**MNR-001 : INDIAN AGRICULTURAL  
DEVELOPMENT**

*Time : 2 hours*

*Maximum Marks : 50*

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- Note :** (i) *Attempt any five questions.*  
(ii) *All questions carry equal marks.*
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| 1. | (a) | What is sustainable agriculture ? Discuss the practices needed for sustainable agriculture. | 5 |
|    | (b) | Discuss the status and importance of animals in traditional agriculture.                    | 5 |
| 2. | (a) | Explain the role of agriculture in Indian economy.                                          | 5 |
|    | (b) | Discuss the different types of tenancy reforms implemented in India.                        | 5 |
| 3. | (a) | How are agricultural labour different from industrial labour ?                              | 5 |
|    | (b) | Discuss the fisheries resources of India.                                                   | 5 |
| 4. | (a) | Explain the role and functions of micro - finance initiative.                               | 5 |
|    | (b) | What is the role of support price in managing agricultural production ?                     | 5 |

5. Discuss the role of farmers' organizations in managing natural resources. 10
6. (a) Discuss about the agencies involved in foodgrains storage. 5  
(b) Discuss the characteristics of agriculture that differentiate it from industry. 5
7. (a) Explain the relationship between agriculture and industry. 5  
(b) What are the WTO agreements which are applicable to agricultural trade ? 5
8. Write short notes on **any five** : 5×2=10
- (a) Scope of diversification
  - (b) Growth of ICT
  - (c) SPS measures
  - (d) Production subsidy
  - (e) Area of research in agriculture
  - (f) Public distribution system
  - (g) T & V programme
  - (h) Indian National Gene Bank
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