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MNR-001

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

Term-End Examination

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**MNR-001 : INDIAN AGRICULTURAL
DEVELOPMENT**

Time : 2 Hours

Maximum Marks : 50

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

(ii) *All questions carry equal marks.*

1. Describe the modern agricultural technologies contributing towards development of Indian agriculture. 10
2. Explain the composition and importance of livestock in the Indian economy. 10
3. Discuss in detail the prevailing cooperative credit structure in the country. 10

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4. (a) Explain the major cropping patterns of India. 5
- (b) Discuss the causes of growth of agricultural labour in India. 5
5. Discuss the role of NGOs in rural development. Also explain their sources of finance. 10
6. (a) Discuss the importance of traditional knowledge in conservation of plant genetic resources. 5
- (b) Explain the constraints in diversification of agriculture. 5
7. (a) Discuss the sources of capital formation in agriculture and its impact on agricultural growth. 5
- (b) Explain the importance of Information and Communication Technology (ICT) in agriculture. 5
8. Write short notes on any *five* of the following : 5×2=10
- (a) Cooperative marketing

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- (b) Green revolution
- (c) WTO
- (d) Farming system
- (e) Crop insurance
- (f) Production Subsidy
- (g) Blue box
- (h) Support price