

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

Term-End Examination

December, 2023

**MNR-002 : AGRICULTURAL POLICY :
FORMULATION, COMPONENTS, PROCESS,
IMPLEMENTATION AND
COMPARATIVE ANALYSIS**

Time : 2 Hours

Maximum Marks : 50

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

(ii) *All questions carry equal marks.*

1. (a) Define the term agricultural policy. 2
- (b) Discuss briefly the instruments of agricultural policy. 8
2. (a) What is impact assessment ? 4
- (b) Explain various tools to measure impact. 6

3. (a) What are the basic objectives of price policy in India ? 5
- (b) Explain how the level of administered prices is decided by Government of India. 5
4. Discuss the recent initiatives for market improvement in India. 10
5. Discuss contribution of farm sector to non-farm sector in India. 10
6. Explain in brief the most notable theories of economic development propounded in the twentieth century. 10
7. Describe briefly the trade reforms in agriculture in India, Indonesia and China in view of global market competitiveness. 10
8. Write short notes on any **four** of the following : $4 \times 2\frac{1}{2} = 10$
- (a) Mechanisation in Indian agriculture
- (b) Consumer-driven agriculture

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- (c) Resource competitiveness
- (d) Risk management
- (e) Need for national water policy
- (f) Management of research and development
for sustainable agriculture
- (g) Uruguay Round and Agriculture