

B.Tech. Civil (Water Resources Engineering)

Term-End Examination

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June, 2014

**ET-537(B) : AGRICULTURAL LEGISLATION AND
MANAGEMENT**

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 70

Note : Answer any **seven** questions. All questions carry equal marks. Be focussed while answering.

1. What are different rural credit agencies ? What is their relative importance ? Briefly describe government support policies in this regard. $5+3+2=10$
2. Write a comprehensive note on modern rural banking. 10
3. Describe market, supply and flow of agricultural labour in India. What are the recent changes introduced by the government in this regard ? $7+3=10$
4. What are four major functions of marketing system ? Describe steps to change the form of product and their importance in helping marketing prospects. Substantiate your answer with relevant examples. $3+7=10$
5. Write a comprehensive note on Regulated Market in India : Problems and Prospects. Explain the role of AGMARK. $6+4=10$

6. Explain the poultry industry in India. How does it help the Indian rural economy? *7+3=10*
 7. Discuss the structural and non-structural measures undertaken by the government to tackle the problems of floods. How do flood forecasting and early warning measures help in this regard? *6+4=10*
 8. Briefly discuss the role and contribution of women in conservation of natural resources and agricultural development in India. What do you suggest to improve the efficacy of farm women labour? *7+3=10*
 9. Explain the process of fixing minimum support price of agricultural commodities. What is parity formula? Discuss its shortcomings. *6+2+2=10*
 10. Explain the impact of Green Revolution. What is the relevance of the much discussed Evergreen Revolution? *6+4=10*
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