

2022
(5th Semester)

ECONOMICS
(Honours)

Paper No. : ECO-503 (a)

(Agricultural Economics)

Full Marks : 70
Pass Marks : 45%

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*

UNIT—I

1. Discuss the role and importance of agriculture in economic development in India. 14

Or

What do you mean by flood control? Write the causes of flood in India. Suggest some measures to control the griming flood in India. 2+6+6=14

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UNIT—II

2. Define green revolution. Who coined the term 'green revolution'? Discuss various economic aspects of green revolution. $1+1+12=14$

Or

What is biotechnology? Explain the application of biotechnology in Indian Agriculture. $2+12=14$

UNIT—III

3. What do you mean by rural finance? Discuss the role of rural finance in India. $2+12=14$

Or

Define marketing channels. Discuss the marketing channels with the help of two charts (Figures). $2+12=14$

UNIT—IV

4. Define public distribution system. Critically examine the public distribution system in India. $2+12=14$

Or

Discuss the nature of demand and supply of agricultural products. 14

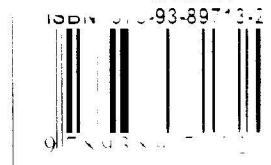
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UNIT—V

5. "Robust rural infrastructure will transform the future of India." Discuss it in the context of the current development scenario of rural infrastructure in India. 14

Or

Discuss the problems of horticulture development in India. Write the recent policies taken by the government to resolve the problems of horticulture development in India. 7+7=14

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