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**Third Semester M.A. Degree Examination, February 2024**

**Economics**

**Optional**

**EC 201 : AGRICULTURAL ECONOMICS**

**(2018 Admission Onwards)**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 75

**PART – I**

Answer **all** questions. Each question carries **1** mark.

1. Collective farming.
2. Agricultural marketing.
3. Ever Green Revolution.
4. Farm Mechanization.
5. Agricultural Economics.
6. Relationship between farm size and productivity.
7. Marketed surplus.
8. Minimum Support Prices.
9. Crop Insurance.
10. Agreement on Agriculture (AOA).

**(10 × 1 = 10 Marks)**

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## PART – II

Answer any **seven** questions not exceeding **500** words, each question carries **5** marks.

11. Analyze the role of agriculture in India's Economic development.
12. Explain Farm budgeting and its types.
13. What do you mean by Cob Web Model?
14. Briefly explain the main principles of farm management.
15. Define Agricultural price Policy and its main components.
16. Write a short essay on the theory of Boserup related with agricultural development.
17. What are the main features of regulated markets?
18. Explain the concept efficiency in agricultural marketing.
19. Briefly explain the functions of Commission of Agricultural Cost and Prices.
20. Explain the main effects of rural indebtedness.

**(7 × 5 = 35 Marks)**

## PART – III

Answer any **three** questions not exceeding **1200** words, each question carries **10** marks.

21. Briefly explain the scope of Agricultural economics.
22. Write an essay on Schultz theory of agricultural development.
23. Explain the meaning and objectives of land reforms.
24. Explain the importance and working of Public Distribution System in India.
25. Explain New Economic Policy and its impact on Indian Agriculture.

**(3 × 10 = 30 Marks)**

