

Land Resources and Agriculture

Multiple Choice Questions:

Question 1.

One of the following is not a land-use category. Identify it.

- (a) Net Area Sown
- (b) Fallow land
- (c) Marginal land
- (d) Culturable Wasteland

Common Errors: Most of the times, the word NOT is overlooked. Read the questions carefully before answering.

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Answer: (c) Marginal land

Question 2.

Why has area under forests increased in the last four decades?

- (a) Extensive afforestation
- (b) Increased community forest land
- (c) Increase in notified area allocated for forest growth
- (d) Better people's participation in forest management

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Answer: (c) Increase in notified area allocated for forest growth

Question 3.

Which of these is the main type of land degradation in irrigated areas?

- (a) Siltation of land
- (b) Gully erosion
- (c) Salinisation of soils
- (d) Wind erosion

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Answer: (c) Salinisation of soils

Question 4.

Identify the crop that does not grow under dryland farming.

- (a) Sugarcane
- (b) Bajara
- (c) Jowar
- (d) Ragi

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Answer: (a) Sugarcane

Question 5.

Name the two countries where HYVs of rice and wheat were developed.

- (a) Japan and Australia
- (b) USA and Japan
- (c) Mexico and Philippines
- (d) Mexico and Singapore

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Answer: (c) Mexico and Philippines

Question 6.

Which of the following is an example of Common Property Resources?

- (a) Park
- (b) Hotel
- (c) Self-owned house
- (d) Self-owned car

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Answer: (a) Park

Question 7.

Which state grows three crops of rice called aus, aman and boro?

- (a) Uttar Pradesh
- (b) Tamil Nadu
- (c) Karnataka
- (d) West Bengal

▼ [Answer](#)

Answer: (d) West Bengal

Question 8.

Which state is the leading producer of jowar?

- (a) Rajasthan
- (b) Punjab
- (c) Maharashtra
- (d) Haryana

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Answer: (c) Maharashtra

Question 9.

How much percentage of total cropped area is occupied by the gram cultivation in India?

- (a) 2.8%
- (b) 25.2%
- (c) 4.9%
- (d) 11.7%

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Answer: (a) 2.8%

Question 10.

What rank does India hold in terms of cotton production in the world?

- (a) First
- (b) Second
- (c) Third
- (d) Fourth

▼ [Answer](#)

Answer: (b) Second

Question 11.

Which of the following is NOT a common property resource in rural areas?

- (a) Community forests
- (b) Pasture lands
- (c) Agricultural fields of a landlord
- (d) Village waterbodies

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Answer: (c) Agricultural fields of a landlord

Question 12.

The total stock of agricultural land resources or total cultivable land is a sum of

- (a) Net sown area
- (b) All fallow lands
- (c) Culturable wasteland
- (d) All of these

▼ [Answer](#)

Answer: (d) All of these

Question 13.

In between which months kharif crops are grown?

- (a) June and September
- (b) October and March

- (c) April and June
- (d) November and January

▼ [Answer](#)

Answer: (a) June and September

Question 14.

How much percentage of the cereals of the world India produces?

- (a) About 15%
- (b) About 11%
- (c) About 32%
- (d) About 28%

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Answer: (b) About 11%

Question 15.

What rank does India hold in terms of rice production in the world?

- (a) First
- (b) Second
- (c) Third
- (d) Fourth

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Answer: (b) Second

Question 16.

Jowar is also known as

- (a) Buckwheat
- (b) Finger Millet
- (c) Sorghum
- (d) Pearl Millet

▼ [Answer](#)

Answer: (c) Sorghum

Question 17.

Which of the following countries is the largest producer of pulses?

- (a) USA
- (b) China
- (c) Nigeria
- (d) India

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Answer: (d) India

Question 18.

What kind of cotton 'Narma' is?

- (a) Short staple
- (b) Medium staple
- (c) Long staple
- (d) None of these

▼ [Answer](#)

Answer: (c) Long staple

Question 19.

What variety of coffee India grows for international market?

- (a) Arabica
- (b) Robusta
- (c) Liberica
- (d) All of these

▼ [Answer](#)

Answer: (a) Arabica

Question 20.

What stands for IADP?

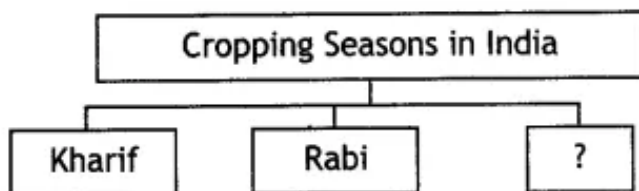
- (a) Intensive Agricultural District Programme
- (b) Internal Agricultural Development Programme
- (c) Indian Agricultural Development Plan
- (d) Intensive Agricultural Development Plan

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Answer: (a) Intensive Agricultural District Programme

Question 21.

Complete the following table by writing appropriate name in the blank.



▼ [Answer](#)

Answer: Zaid

