

# PATWARI 2020 AGRICULTURE

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1. **Who is the father of Agricultural Engineering in India**

- 1.M. S. Swaminathan
- 2.Mason Vaugh
- 3.Dr. Norman Borlaug
- 4.Dr. Sam Higginbottom
- 5.None of these

Answer – **2.Mason Vaugh**

**Explanation :**

Mason Vaugh is the father of Agricultural Engineering in India. He was an agricultural engineer at Allahabad Agricultural University. He is the first person to start research in the field of agricultural engineering and became the father of Agricultural Engineering in early forties.

2. **Dr. Norman Borlaug is related with which revolution ?**

- 1.Yellow Revolution
- 2.Green Revolution
- 3.Grey Revolution
- 4.White Revolution
- 5.None of these

Answer – **2.Green Revolution**

**Explanation :**

Dr. Norman Borlaug is often called “the father of the Green Revolution” and is credited with saving over a billion people worldwide from starvation

3. **Reserve Bank Of India College of Agricultural Banking located in which state ?**

1. West Bengal
2. Odisha
3. Haryana
4. Maharashtra
5. None of these

Answer – **4. Maharashtra**

**Explanation :**

The Reserve Bank of India's College of Agricultural Banking (CAB) is located in Pune, Maharashtra.

4. **The study of agriculture is known as**

1. Agronomy
2. Pedology
3. Acarology
4. Agricultural Science
5. None of these

Answer – **4. Agricultural Science**

**Explanation :**

The study of agriculture is known as agricultural science.

5. **Which country play an important role in world's food supply system ?**

- 1.India
- 2.China
- 3.Australia
- 4.Nepal
- 5.None of these

Answer – **3.Australia**

**Explanation :**

Australia's agricultural industry is a key part of the world's food supply system.

6. **In India, agricultural census is conducted every .....**

- 1.2 years
- 2.5 years
- 3.3 years
- 4.1 year
- 5.None of these

Answer –**2.5 years**

**Explanation :**

Every five years, an agricultural census is conducted in India. First

such census was done in 1970s and the reference year for the first Agriculture Census was 1970-71.

7. **Maximum number of operational land holdings in India is which type of holding ?**
- 1.Small Holdings
  - 2.Large Holdings
  - 3.Medium Holdings
  - 4.Marginal Holdings.
  - 5.None of these

Answer – **4.Marginal Holdings.**

**Explanation :**

Maximum number of operational land holdings in India is marginal holdings. According to Census 2011, 67 per cent of holdings were classified as marginal (less than one hectare) and 18 per cent were classified as small (one-two hectare). Large holdings were estimated to be only 0.7%.

8. **The first Agriculture Census was conducted in the year**
- 1.1970-71
  - 2.1969-70
  - 3.1972-73
  - 4.1980-81
  - 5.None of these

Answer – **1. 1970-71**

**Explanation :**

Every five years, an agricultural census is conducted in India. First

such census was done in 1970s and the reference year for the first Agriculture Census was 1970-71.

9. **The Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR) is located in**

- 1.Pune
- 2.Chennai
- 3.Mumbai
- 4.New Delhi
- 5.None of these

Answer – **4.New Delhi**

**Explanation :**

The Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR) is an autonomous body responsible for co-ordinating agricultural education and research in India.

10. **Who is also known as “Indian Father of Green Revolution” ?**

- 1.Swaminathan
- 2.R.D.Misra
- 3.Mahatma Gandhi
- 4.Radha Krishnan
- 5.None of these

Answer – **1.Swaminathan**

**Explanation :**

Swaminathan is known as “Indian Father of Green Revolution” for his leadership and success in introducing and further developing high-yielding varieties of wheat in India

**11.GCF fullform is**

- 1.General Capital Formation
- 2.Gross Commerce Facility
- 3.General Capital Formation
- 4.Gross Compound Fraction
- 5.None of these

Answer – **3.General Capital Formation**

**Explanation :**

Gross Capital Formation is Investment. When people save, they tend to invest. The percentage of the investment made each year out of the total GDP is called Gross Capital Formation.

**12.The share of agriculture in total GDP in 1950-51 was approximately**

- 1.60%
- 2.55%
- 3.42%
- 4.35%
- 5.27%

Answer – **2.55%**

**Explanation :**



The share of agriculture in total GDP in 1950-51 was around 55% which has come down to 12.3% in 2010-11

**13. India's economy and GDP is classified as three sectors. It includes**

1. Agriculture, Services and Industry
2. Business, Agriculture and Fishery
3. Agriculture, Industry and Medical
4. Industry, Export and Agriculture
5. Agriculture, Medical and Science & Technology

Answer – **1. Agriculture, Services and Industry**

**Explanation :**

Historically, India has classified and tracked its economy and GDP as three sectors — agriculture, industry and services. Agriculture includes crops, horticulture, milk and animal husbandry, aquaculture, fishing, sericulture, aviculture, forestry and related activities.

**14. Which of the following is not related with Agriculture ?**

1. Digital Green
2. NDDB
3. NABARD
4. Deccan Development Society
5. ICSE

Answer – **5. ICSE**

**Explanation :**



Deccan Development Society is an Indian agri-based NGO in Medak district in the state of Telangana, India.

Digital Green is an independent non-governmental organization that focuses on training farmers to make and show short videos

**15. Agricultural export contributes how much % of India's total export ?**

- 1.10%
- 2.12%
- 3.15%
- 4.20%
- 5.17%

Answer – **1.10%**

**Explanation :**

Agricultural export constitutes 10 per cent of the country's exports and is the fourth-largest exported principal commodity

**16. The procurement target for the 2015–16 marketing season is**

- 1.35 million tonnes
- 2.10 million tonnes
- 3.25 million tones
- 4.30 million tonnes
- 5. None of these

Answer – **4.30 million tonnes**

**Explanation :**

The procurement target for the 2015-16 marketing season has been finalised 30 million tonnes. . India is estimated to have produced over 102 million tonnes of rice in 2014-15 crop year (July-June).

**17.In APEDA, E denotes**

- 1.Export
- 2.Economy
- 3.Education
- 4.Essential
- 5.None of these

Answer – **1.Export**

**Explanation :**

Agricultural and Processed Food Products Export Development Authority (APEDA)-Under the Ministry of Commerce, Government of India.

**18.The share of Agriculture in the Gross Domestic Product (GDP) was .....in 2014-15.**

- 1.18%
- 2.16%
- 3.15%
- 4.17%
- 5.None of these

Answer – **4.17%**

**Explanation :**

Indian agriculture sector accounts for 17 per cent of India's gross domestic product (GDP) and engages almost 50 per cent of the country's workforce.

**19. How much amount allocated to agriculture and farmers welfare in 2016-17 budget ?**

1. Rs.35,984 Cr
2. Rs.39,584 Cr
3. Rs.38,545Cr
4. Rs.35,894 Cr
5. Rs.35,984 Cr

Answer & Explanation

Answer – **1.Rs.35,984 Cr**

**Explanation :**

In 2016-17 budget allocation on agriculture and farmers welfare is Rs 35,984 crore. The agriculture sector saw a 94% increase in allocation.

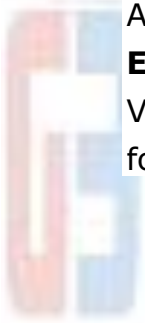
**20. Who is the father of White Revolution in India ?**

1. Molly Kurien
2. Nitya S Ghotge
3. M.S. Swaminathan
4. Verghese Kurien
5. All of these

Answer – **4.Vergheese Kurien**

**Explanation :**

Vergheese Kurien, the father of White Revolution in India and the founder of Amul



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