# **Agriculture**

## Answer the following

Agriculture or farming can be looked at as a system. Which one among the following is not an important input of agriculture

- (a) Profit
- (b) Fertilizers
- (c) Seeds
- (d) Labour

Answer A

Name the animal that is not reared by the nomadic herders as these animals provided milk, meat, wool etc.

- (a) Sheep
- (b) Yak
- (c) Camel
- (d) Mongoose

Answer D

Name the type of economic activities

- (a) Secondary and Tertiary
- (b) Primary and Secondary
- (c) Primary and Tertiary
- (d) Primary, Secondary and Tertiary

Answer D

The word agriculture is derived from the Latin words ager or agri and Culture meaning Cultivation. What does the word agri literally mean?

- (a) Natural resource
- (b) Seeds
- (c) Soil
- (d) Product

### Answer C

The main motive of this type of cultivation is profit. Large area of land and a huge amount of capital is used for cultivation with the latest technological advancement. Name the type of farming from the given list.

- (a) Subsistence Farming
- (b) Shifting Cultivation
- (c) Nomadic farming
- (d) Commercial Farming

## Answer D

Pick out the approximate percentage of the world's population engaged in agriculture

- (a) 10 percent
- (b) 50 percent
- (c) 30 percent
- (d) 70 percent

### Answer B

Pick out the example of secondary economic activity from the given list of options.

- (a) Agriculture
- (b) Mining
- (c) Transport
- (d) Processing of Steel

## Answer D

Which one from the following list is a Physical Input to the agriculture system.

- (a) Labour
- (b) Chemicals
- (c) Machinery
- (d) Rainfall

### Answer D

This type of farming is practiced in the arid and semi-arid regions of Sahara, Central Asia, and Rajasthan etc. Herdsmen move from place to place with their animals for fodder and water along defined routes due to climatic constraints and terrain. Which type of farming is being referred to?

- (a) Plantation agriculture
- (b) Shifting Cultivation
- (c) Commercial Farming
- (d) Nomadic Farming

Answer D

What is the cultivation of grapes called'?

- (a) Sericulture
- (b) Viticulture
- (c) Floriculture
- (d) Horticulture

Answer B