



KERALA AGRICULTURAL UNIVERSITY
B.Sc. (Hons.) Ag. 2017 Admission
I Semester Final Examination-February-2018

Agro.1102

Agricultural Heritage (1+0)

Marks: 50
Time: 2 hours
(10x1=10)

I Fill in the Blanks

- 1 The system of farming using high level of inputs on a piece of land aiming at high productivity is called -----agriculture.
- 2 Name of the Indian Union Minister for Agriculture during the inception of Green revolution in India
- 3 The short, early maturing Indica rice of Taiwan that led to the release of 'miracle rice'
- 4 The so called 'cruelty element' contained in the green revolution is referred to as -----ethics.
- 5 Correct the mistake (s) in the scientific name : zingibarOficinail-----
- 6 The most important tuber crop of Kerala-----
- 7 Location of ICRISAT-----
- 8 The present Director General of ICAR-----

Choose the Correct Answer

- 9 The science of growing fruit
a Olericulture b Floriculture c Pomology d Arboriculture
- 10 -----occurs when cultural beliefs and structural arrangements in society favour men or women
a Gender blind b Gender discrimination c Gender bias d Gender sensitivity

I Answer any FIVE of the following

(5x2=10)

- 1 Definition and meaning of the word 'agriculture'
- 2 Landraces
- 3 Land-Grant Colleges
- 4 National Agricultural Research System (NARS) , India
- 5 Food security

Differentiate Between (Draw columns to differentiate)

- 6 'Variety' and 'Cultivar'
- 7 'House wife' and 'Home maker'

II Answer any FIVE of the following.

(5x4=20)

- 1 Agriculture as an art, science and business
- 2 Horticulture and its branches
- 3 Agricultural seasons of India and Kerala, by citing representative crops
- 4 Write a brief account on CGIAR
- 5 Write a short account on classification of crop plants according to uses
- 6 Women Self Help Groups in Kerala
- 7 Ergonomic approach for reducing drudgery for farm women

V Write an essay on any ONE of the following

(1x10=10)

- 1 Agricultural systems in the world.
- 2 As a student of Agriculture, critically evaluate the Green Revolution in India by highlighting its necessity, positive and negative impact.
