

# Shri Sharadchandraji Pawar Senior College, Narangwadi

Tal. Omerga Dist. Osmanabad

Date : 31.03.2023

Total Mark : 50

Time : 2 Hour

## Certificate Course on Farm - Nonfarm Linkages (GGCC3)

Instructions :

- Answer all the questions.
- All questions carry equal marks.
- For subjective questions, answer in about 150-200 words each.



### Part – A

1. What is the concept of farm-nonfarm linkages?
  - a) The interdependence between agricultural and non-agricultural sectors
  - b) The separation of agricultural and non-agricultural sectors
  - c) The dominance of non-agricultural sectors over agricultural sectors
  - d) The isolation of agricultural sectors from non-agricultural sectors
2. Which of the following is an example of a nonfarm activity linked to agriculture?
  - a) Textile manufacturing
  - b) IT services
  - c) Dairy farming
  - d) Banking services
3. What role does transportation play in farm-nonfarm linkages?
  - a) It doesn't have any impact
  - b) It facilitates the movement of agricultural products to non-agricultural markets
  - c) It only serves urban areas
  - d) It increases agricultural production
4. Which of the following is not a factor influencing farm-nonfarm linkages?
  - a) Market demand
  - b) Infrastructure
  - c) Climate change
  - d) Government policies
5. What is the primary objective of promoting farm-nonfarm linkages?
  - a) To reduce agricultural productivity
  - b) To increase rural unemployment
  - c) To diversify rural economies
  - d) To discourage agricultural innovation
6. Which of the following is not a form of nonfarm activity?
  - a) Agro-processing
  - b) Retailing
  - c) Crop cultivation
  - d) Handicraft production
7. How do farm-nonfarm linkages contribute to rural development?
  - a) By increasing rural-urban migration
  - b) By decreasing income levels
  - c) By creating employment opportunities
  - d) By worsening agricultural productivity

8. What is the significance of value addition in farm-nonfarm linkages?
- It decreases the market value of agricultural products
  - It increases the market value of agricultural products
  - It has no impact on the market value of agricultural products
  - It only benefits urban areas
9. Which of the following is a challenge in promoting farm-nonfarm linkages?
- Lack of infrastructure
  - Overemphasis on agriculture
  - Low agricultural production
  - Limited market demand
10. What is the importance of entrepreneurship in farm-nonfarm linkages?
- It doesn't play any role
  - It encourages dependency on government support
  - It fosters innovation and economic growth
  - It leads to rural stagnation

**PART - B**

30 Marks

- Discuss the importance of value addition in enhancing farm-nonfarm linkages.
- Explain the role of government policies in promoting farm-nonfarm linkages.
- Analyze the challenges faced in integrating farm and nonfarm activities in rural economies.

**Project Section**

50 Marks

1. You are required to undertake a project that demonstrates the practical implications and benefits of farm-nonfarm linkages in a selected rural area. Your project should include the following:

- Identification of farm and nonfarm activities in the chosen area.
- Analysis of the existing linkages between farm and nonfarm sectors.
- Evaluation of the impact of these linkages on rural livelihoods and economic development.
- Recommendations for further enhancing and strengthening these linkages for sustainable rural development.

Ensure that your project includes relevant data, case studies, and practical examples to support your analysis and recommendations.

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