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## **Chapter 5 : Agriculture**

## Level-I

l.	Which of the following does not come under the category of food crop?					
	(A) Rice	(B) Sugarcane	(C) Wheat	(D) Milets		
2.	India ranks in the production of rice in the World.					
	(A) First	(B) Second	(C) Third	(D) Fourth		
3.	Which of the following states is the major producer of Jute?					
	(A) West Bengal	(B)	Jammu & Kashmir			
	(C) Tamil Nadu	(D)	Assam			
4.	Which of the following is known as "queen of aromatic speices"?					
	(A) Pepper	(B) Cardamom	(C) Chilies	(D) Ginger		
5.	Tea leaves are rich in					
	(A) Caffeine	(B)	Tannin			
	(C) Both (a) and (b	(D)	None of these			
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6.	Which of the following crop is called as "Narma" in the North-western part of					
	India?					
	(A) Wheat	(B) Sugarcane	(C) Jute	(D) Cotton		
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7. Match the following states with their leading crop production:				on:		
	States:					
	(A) West Bengal	(B)	Uttar Pradesh			
	(C) Assam	(D)	Karnataka			
	Crops:					
	1. Jute	2. Coffee	3. Tea	4. Sugarcane		

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### Codes:

A	В	C	D

- (a) 4 3 2 1
- (b) 1 2 3 4
- (c) 1 4 3 2
- (d) 4 2 3 1
- 8. Which of the following is not a temperate fruit?
  - (A) Pear
- (B) Apple
- (C) Apricot
- (D) Grape

- 9. Consider the following about Mango.
  - (i) It can be grown in almost all soils of India.
  - (ii) India has over 1,000 varieties of Mangoes.

Which of the above statements is correct?

(A) (i) only

- (B) (ii) only
- (C) Both (i) and (ii)
- (D) Neither (i) nor (ii)
- 10. Match the following terms with the associated crop.

#### **Terms:**

(A) Roubusta

- (B) King of spices
- (C) Queen of Aromatic spices
- (D) Hevea brasiliensis

#### Crops:

- 1. Black pepper
- 2. Rubber
- 3. Cofee
- 4. Cardamom

#### Codes:

A	В	C	D
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- (a) 1 4 3 2
- (b) 4 1 2 3
- (c) 3 4 1 2
- (d) 3 1 4 2

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### Level-III

11.	Consider the following regarding Kharif season.				
	(i) It starts at the beginning of winter and continues till the end of winter or				
	beginning of summer.				
	(ii) Major crops are rice, maize, jowar, bajra, cotton, etc.				
	Which of the above are correct?				
	(A) (i) only	(B) (ii) only			
	(C) Both (i) and (ii)	(D) Neither (i) nor (ii)			
12.	Consider the following about Wheat:				
	(i) It is primarily a temperate crop.				
	(ii) About 85 percent of total area under wheat cultivation is in the north and				
	central region of India.				
	Which of the above is incorrect?				
	(A) (i) only	(B) (ii) only			
	(C) Both (i) and (ii)	(D) Neither (i) nor (ii)			
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13.	Consider the following statements:				
	(i) India grows both short staple and long staple cotton.				
	(ii) Tea is produced of three varieties : Arabica, Robusta and Liberia.				
	Which of the above is correct?				
	(A) (i) only	(B) (ii) only			
	(C) Both (i) and (ii)	(D) Neither (i) nor (ii)			
14.	Which of the following is not true about Ginger?				

(A) It is grown in tropical and sub-tropical climates

(C) It is used for medicinal purposes also.

(B) India is the largest producer of Ginger in the world

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- (D) None of the above
- 15. Which of the following is not considered to be a problem with Indian agriculture?
  - (A) Dependence on erratic monsoon
  - (B) Predominance of food crop
  - (C) Lack of proper land reforms
  - (D) Degradation of cultivable land

#### **ANSWER KEY**

- 1. (B) 2. (B) 3. (A) 4. (B) 5. (C) 6. (D) 7. (C)
- 8. (D) 9. (C) 10. (D) 11. (B) 12. (D) 13. (A)
- 14. (D) 15. (B)