**EEC-14** 

# Bachelor's Degree Programme (BDP)

# ASSIGNMENT For July 2012 and January 2013 Sessions

Course Code: EEC-14
Title of Course: Agricultural Development in India



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# EEC-14 AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT IN INDIA 2012-13

## Dear Student,

As per the current pattern of assignments, you will have to do one assignment for this elective course EEC-14. The assignment is of 100 marks which contains 3 sections. Section I contains two questions of 20 marks each; Section II contains four questions of 12 marks each; and Section III contains two questions of 6 marks each.

#### **Submission**

Completed assignments should be submitted to the coordinator of your study centre by:

For students of July 2012 cycle: 31.3.2013 For students of January 2013 cycle: 31.9.2013

#### **EEC-14: AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT IN INDIA**

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Assignment Code: EEC-14/AST/TMA/2012-13

**Maximum Marks: 100** 

### Answer all the questions

## A. Long Answer Questions (word limit-500 words)

 $2 \times 20 = 40 \text{ marks}$ 

- 1) Explain the trends in the land tenure structure and pattern of agricultural growth during the post-independence period in India.
- 2) Make an assessment of forest-agriculture inter-linkages.

## B. Medium Answer Questions (word limit-250 words)

 $4 \times 12 = 48 \text{ marks}$ 

- 1) Evaluate the environmental effects of irrigation projects.
- 2) Outline the major features of HYV seeds.
- 3) Contrast the two scenarios of public and private sector investments in agriculture.
- 4) Write a note on the types and effects of taxes in general.

#### C. Short Answer Questions (word limit 100 words)

2x6=12 marks

Write a note on:

- 1) Importance of fisheries.
- 2) Cropping intensity.