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M.A (PREVIOUS) EMAMINATION 2000

“ECONOMICS” PAPER-V-A.

(AGRICULTURAL ECONOMICS)

Time allowed: Three Hours.

Max. Marks. 100

Instructions: 1) Attempt any FIVE questions.

2) All questions carry equal marks.

1-a) Define the concept of Agricultural Economics.

b) How Agricultural Economics is helpful in the Economic Development of a Nation?

2. In the Classical production function, how would you segregate the relevant area from the irrelevant area of production?

Present graphically and give theoretical arguments in support of your answers

3. Critically examine the effects of “PRICE CELLING” policies on the middle and small farmers.

4. How the Agricultural Productions effect the International Trade of Pakistan?

5. Farm Mechanization policies are suitable for a labor-surplus economy. Discuss with reference to Pakistan.

6. What policies can be adopted by the Government of Pakistan to bring structural changes in the agriculture sector?

7. Write short notes on any TWO of the following:-

a) Problems of Agricultural Wages.

b) COB-WEB Theorem.

c) Land Tenure System in Pakistan.

d) Main sources of Rural Credit.

8. Low Productivity is a typical feature of Pakistan’s Agriculture. Suggest various measures to overcome this problem.