

गाउँ कार्यपालिकाको कार्यालय





लुम्बिनी प्रदेश, नेपाल

कृषि स्नातक अधिकृत छुठु तहिको पाठ्यक्रम

प्रथम चरणः लिखित परीक्षा

पत्र	विषय	खण्ड	प्रश्नको प्रकृति	प्रश <u>्</u> र संख्या	अंक भार	समय	पूर्णांङ्क	उत्तीर्णाङ्क
प्रथम	सेवा सम्वन्धी जानकारी	खण्ड (क)	बस्तुगत बहुवैकल्पिक (Multiple Choice)	900	900*7=	१ घण्टा ३० मिनेट	900	80

द्वितीय चरणः अन्तर्वार्ता (Interview)

विषय	पूर्णाङ्क	परीक्षा प्रणाली	समय
अन्तर्वार्ता	२०	मौखिक (Interview)	

खण्ड (क) सेवा सम्बन्धी जानकारी

- 1. History and Current Status of Agriculture Sector in Nepal (10 marks)
 - History of agricultural research and development in Nepal
 - Overview of Nepalese agriculture: Current status and scope
 - Institutional arrangement of agricultural research, extension and education in Nepal
 - Agriculture Perspective Plan (APP) and its impact in Nepalese agriculture
 - Devolution of agriculture extension system and its impact in agricultural development
- 2. Agriculture Research, Extension and Education (12 marks)
 - Role of agriculture research in contemporary agriculture
 - Nepal Agricultural Research Council (NARC) and its vision
 - Agricultural education systems in Nepal
 - Academic institutions such as AFU, PU,TU
 - Non-academic institutions (CTEVT) and its allied institutions)
 - Major functions of agriculture research, extension and education in Nepal
 - Linkage and coordination among research, extension and teaching in Nepal
 - Public, private, NGOs, CBOs, agricultural co-operatives and farmer groups involvement in research, extension and education
 - Participatory technology development, participatory planning, monitoring, evaluation and feedback
- 3. Natural Resource, Environment Conservation, Climate change and Disaster-Risk Management (20 marks)



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- Importance of natural resources conservation, utilization and management w. r. t. food security, employment generation and livelihoodimprovment in Nepal
- Bio-diversity and agro-biodiversity: Conservation and utilization for sustainable agriculture development
- Use of fertilizers and pesticides in agriculture and their implications to environment
- Integrated pest, crop, and plant nutrient management systems (IPM, ICM, IPNM) and Good Agricultural Practices (GAP)
- Environmental issues and sustainability of Nepalese agriculture
- Organic agriculture, and organic products for export promotion and food safety
- General climatic conditions of Nepal
- Weather observation and instruments use in Nepal
- Climate change and its impact in agriculture sector
- Climate change adaptation and mitigation strategies of Nepal
- Disaster (landslide, drought, flood, cold spell, earthquake, pest outbreak) management in agriculture
- Rapid urbanization and change in land use pattern and their consequences in food security, environment conservation, employment generation and youth migration
- Crop insurance in Nepal: Current policies and status
- 4. Legislations, Plan, Policies, Strategies, and Global Trade in Agriculture (20 marks)
 - Agriculture sector in current constitution
 - Concept, goals, target and strategies of current periodic plan
 - Planning, implementation, monitoring and evaluation of agricultural projects
 - Local governance and its role in agricultural development
 - National Agriculture Policy, 2061 (2004)
 - Agro-biodiversity Promotion Policy, 2063 (2007) (first amendment, 2071)
 - Agri-business Promotion Policy, 2063 (2006)
 - Agriculture Development Strategy (ADS), 2015-2035 AD: vision, mission, target, components and its salient features, implementation status of ADS, supporting projects and institutional arrangement
 - National Seed Vision, 2013- 2025 and its implementation status
 - Nepal Trade Integration Strategy (NTIS), 2016 Agricultural commodities
 - Agricultural Extension Strategy, 2061 (2003)
 - Seeds Act, 2045 (1988) and Seeds Rules, 2069 (2013)
 - Plant Protection Act, 2064 (2007) and Plant Protection Rules, 2066 (2010)



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- Pesticides management Act, 2076 (2019) and Regulation
- Fertilizer Control Order, 2055
- Food Right and Food Sovereignty Act, 2076 (2019)
- Food Safety Policy, 2076 (2019)
- World Trade Organization (WTO), Agreement on South Asian Free Trade Area (SAFTA): their implication and impact in Nepalese agriculture
- Comparative advantage, agriculture commercialization and trading of Nepalese agricultural products.
- Implication of Sanitaryand Phto-sanitary (SPS) measures in Nepalese agricultural trade
- 5. Agricultural Technology and Management (30 marks)
 - Importance of technology generation, verification and dissemination in crop production and management
 - Seed quality assurance: Seed production, laboratory testing, processing, handling, marketing and storage
 - Variety release and registration system in Nepal
 - Food and nutrition security: Concepts, status and dimensions
 - Importance of pests and pesticides management
 - Integrated Pest Management (IPM) concepts and strategies/ practices
 - Roles of pollinators in crop production
 - Importance of microbial agents (fungus, bacteria, nematodes and virus) in plant protection
 - Importance of crop diversification and commercialization in Nepal
 - Precision and protected agriculture: Concepts and technologies
 - Agricultural crops for agro-forestry and environmental protection
 - Strategies for commercialization of high value low volume commodities
 - Concept of soil fertility and productivity
 - Essential plan nutrients and their sources (manures and fertilizers)
 - Soil reaction (pH) and soil reaction improvement
 - Concept of Integrated Plant Nutrient Systems (IPNS) and its significance
 - Contemporary agricultural extension practices in Nepal (plant clinic, mobile service, training and demonstration farm, farmer to farmer extension and pluralistic extension)
 - Role of information and communication technology (ICT) in agriculture development
 - Agricultural markets and marketing in Nepal
 - Agricultural Management Information System (AMIS) in Nepal



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- Agriculture Census, 2068
- Linkage of agro-industries with agriculture production and marketing
- Role of cooperatives in agriculture development in Nepal
- Research methodology in agriculture (basic concepts, common designs and their application)
- Trade liberalization and its implication in Nepalese agricultural product
- Value chain development: concepts and practices in agriculture
- Postharvest management of agricultural commodities
- Farming system and sustainable agriculture development
- Gender Equity and Social Inclusion (GESI) and women's role in Nepalese agriculture
- Conservation agriculture: concept, principles and practices
- 6. Miscellaneous (8 marks)
 - About Municipality (Geography, culture, tradition)
 - नेपाली शुद्धाशुद्धि सम्बन्धी
 - English proficiency (Vocabulary, Agreement, tense, parallel structures, clauses)
 - Computer Knowledge (MS- Word, MS-PowerPoint, Gmail)