

WEST BENGAL STATE UNIVERSITY

B.Sc. Honours 4th Semester Examination, 2022

ARDACOR08T-AGRICULTURE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (CC8) AGRICULTURAL TECHNOLOGY AND PLANT PROTECTION

Time Allotted: 2 Hours Full Marks: 40

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Candidates should answer in their own words and adhere to the word limit as practicable.

Answer any *six* questions form the following: 5×6 = 30
 (a) Write a short note on intensive farming.
 (b) Write the production technology of rice.
 (c) What are the different methods of cropping? Describe relay cropping. 2+3
 (d) What do you mean by economic threshold level? Why economic threshold level is important in disease management?
 (e) State the importance of seed technology in agriculture.

- (f) State the water and nutrient management procedures for sustainable agriculture practices.
- (g) What is the importance of post-harvest technology in agriculture product processing?
- (h) Discuss the role of organic manure in sustainable agriculture.

measures that can make agriculture sustainable.

- (i) Describe the importance of sustainable agriculture in terms of food security.
- 2. Answer any *one* question out of the following: 10×1 = 10
 (a) What is IPM? What is the importance of IPM in agriculture? Describe different components of IPM.
 (b) What do you mean by sustainable agriculture? Briefly discuss about different 3+7
 - **N.B.:** Students have to complete submission of their Answer Scripts through E-mail / Whatsapp to their own respective colleges on the same day / date of examination within 1 hour after end of exam. University / College authorities will not be held responsible for wrong submission (at in proper address). Students are strongly advised not to submit multiple copies of the same answer script.

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