

regions where there is a large potential as the growth of food grains output has barely kept pace with population growth since the mid-90s. This also calls for more effective public procurement of food grains at MSP in these regions, as farmers have to often sell their produce immediately after the harvest at prices that are lower than MSP. Therefore, dual pricing system can be sustained only through non-price interventions such as infrastructural support for regional dispersal of growth in food grains output.

The new system requires better market intelligence forecasts as well as concurrent analyses on prices and sales in markets in India and abroad.

- a) What are the two elements of dual pricing system for procuring food grains?
- b) How will the above proposed system benefit the nation?
- c) Mention at least four non food grain item used by the consumer.
- d) What is the result of ecological degradation in the north-western region of India?
- e) Trace words from the passage that are the synonyms of the following :

Extract, Driving force (10)

2. a) Use the following words in meaningful sentences of your own
Environment, Sustainable, solitude, emphasis, organize (5)

b) **Do as Directed ;**

1. My heart is too full for words. (*Change simple to complex sentence*)
 2. Mother was annoyed and left the room. (*Change compound to complex sentence*)
 3. Do not steal. (*Change into passive voice*)
 4. One _____ do one's duty. (*Supply an appropriate verb*)
 5. China is the most populated country in the world. (*Interchange Affirmative into Negative sentence*) (5×1=5)
3. You have been asked to make a speech on Water Pollution in whole world. Develop a speech on the topic according to your views on it. (10)
 4. Write a letter to the manager of a company promoting the sale of computer software of your company. Invent necessary details. (15)
 5. Suppose you as Yogesh/Radha of ABC College. You visited the Exhibition recently. Write a brief report on what you saw, the exhibit you liked most and other special feature of the exhibition. (15)