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**UNIT-I**

**INTRODUCTION TO FARM MECHANIZATION**

1	a	Define farm mechanization?	[L1][CO1]	[02M]
	b	Explain in briefly about tractor and custom hiring?	[L1][CO1]	[10M]
2		Explain in briefly about heat treatment of steel	[L5][CO1]	[12M]
3		Explain about objectives of farm mechanization and classification of farm machines	[L1][CO1]	[12M]
4		Explain in briefly about selection of tractor	[L1][CO1]	[12M]
5		Discuss about cost calculation of farm tractor by using straight line method	[L6][CO1]	[12M]
6		Distinguish benefits and limitations of farm mechanization	[L4][CO1]	[12M]
7		Illustrate about materials of construction of agricultural implement	[L2][CO1]	[12M]
8		What are the different sources of farm power? Explain them	[L1][CO1]	[12M]
9		How do use discuss about scope of farm mechanization?	[L1][CO1]	[12M]
10		What are the merit and demerits of source of farm power?	[L1][CO1]	[12M]

**UNIT-II**  
**TILLAGE**

1	a	Define tillage?	[L1][CO2]	[02M]
	b	Explain in briefly about different harrowing and harrow?	[L1][CO2]	[10M]
2		Explain in briefly about classification and types of tillage	[L5][CO2]	[12M]
3		Solve the problem consists of a three bottom 40 cm MB plough has a working depth of 15 cm and draft is 1600 kg. field efficiency is 70% and working speed is 4 km/h. Find i) Unit draft ii) Power required iii) Actual field capacity	[L6][CO2]	[12M]
4		Explain in briefly about accessories of mould board plough	[L1][CO2]	[12M]
5		Discuss about spring tooth harrow and spike tooth harrow?	[L6][CO2]	[12M]
6		Distinguish between mould board plough and disc plough with neat sketches	[L4][CO2]	[12M]
7		Illustrate about advantage and disadvantages of disc plough?	[L2][CO2]	[12M]
8		Where do you use disc harrow? Explain about different types of disc harrow	[L1][CO2]	[12M]
9		Distinguish between standard disc plough and vertical disc plough	[L4][CO2]	[12M]
10		What are the functions of mould board plough? Describe its different parts with the help of neat sketch	[L1][CO2]	[12M]

**UNIT – III****EARTH MOVING EQUIPMENT**

1	a	Explain in briefly about fluted feed type metering mechanism?	[L1][CO3]	[10M]
	b	Define draft and unit draft?	[L1][CO3]	[02M]
2		Explain in briefly about operation of scraper and mention their parts	[L5][CO3]	[12M]
3		Solve the problem: The following results were obtained while calibrating a seed drill. Calculate the seed rate per hectare a) Number of furrows = 10 b) Spacing between furrows = 20 cm c) Diameter of drive wheel = 1.5 m d) Speed = 500 rev/min e) Seed collected = 20 kg	[L6][CO3]	[12M]
4		A farmer purchased a tractor of 25 kW power at a total cost of Rs. 500000 and a three bottom plough of 30 cm bottom width at Rs. 30000/- only. The fuel consumption of the tractor was 6 ltr/h at the ploughing speed of 5 km/h. Calculate the area ploughed per hour and determine the cost of ploughing per ha. Make necessary assumptions if any.	[L5][CO3]	[12M]
5		Discuss about different towed scraper and motor scraper	[L6][CO3]	[12M]
6		Distinguish between wheel type and ladder type trenching machines	[L4][CO3]	[12M]
7		Illustrate about rimpull and drawbar power?	[L2][CO3]	[12M]
8		What is the earth moving equipment's commonly used for handling of earth? Explain about trenchers	[L1][CO3]	[12M]
9		How do you differ excavator and bulldozer? Explain about shovels	[L1][CO3]	[12M]
10		Where do you use scraper? Explain in briefly about different types of scraper	[L1][CO3]	[12M]

**UNIT – IV**  
**SEEDING METHOD**

1	a	Define sowing?	[L1][CO4]	[02M]
	b	Explain in briefly about different methods of sowing	[L1][CO4]	[10M]
2		Explain in briefly about fluted feed type seed metering mechanism with neat sketch	[L5][CO4]	[12M]
3		Explain in briefly about different types of seedling mat transplanter	[L1][CO4]	[12M]
4		Explain in briefly about different types of seed metering mechanism	[L1][CO4]	[12M]
5		Distinguish between seed drill and seed cum fertilizer drill	[L4][CO4]	[12M]
6		A five tyne cultivator having tine spacing 8 cm, working depth of 5 cm and speed is 3 km/h. turning loss is 10%. Soil resistance is 0.6 kg/cm <sup>2</sup> . Width of each furrow is 5 cm. calculate a) Time to cover one ha, b) Maximum draft, c) Required power	[L4][CO4]	[12M]
7		Illustrate about different intercultural equipment's	[L2][CO4]	[12M]
8		What are the functions of furrow openers in seed drill? Explain in briefly about different types of furrow openers	[L1][CO4]	[12M]
9		Explain about seed cum fertilizer drill	[L1][CO4]	[12M]
10		Define calibration of seed drill? Explain in briefly about calibration of seed drill	[L1][CO4]	[12M]

UNIT – VPLANT PROTECTON EQUIPMENT

1	Explain about different types of duster	[L1][CO5]	[12M]
2	How do use discuss about calibration of sprayer? Explain in briefly about calibration of sprayer	[L5][CO5]	[12M]
3	Solve the problem: Line of pull of a MB plough is $15^\circ$ with the horizontal & is in a vertical plane which is at an angle of $12^\circ$ with the direction of travel. Calculate a) required pull if draft of plough is 1000 kg & b) side draft (given $\cos 15^\circ=0.96$ , $\cos 12^\circ=0.97$ & $\sin 12^\circ=0.20$ )	[L6][CO5]	[12M]
4	A farmer purchased a tractor of 35 kW power at a total cost of Rs. 500000 and a three bottom plough of 30 cm bottom width at Rs. 30000/- only. The fuel consumption of the tractor was 6 ltr/h at the ploughing speed of 5 km/h. Calculate the area ploughed per hour and determine the cost of ploughing per ha. Make necessary assumptions if any.	[L5][CO5]	[12M]
5	What are the functions of sprayers? Explain its application	[L1][CO5]	[12M]
6	Discuss about nozzle of sprayer	[L6][CO5]	[12M]
7	Illustrate about different types of sprayer	[L2][CO5]	[12M]
8	Differentiate between knapsack sprayer and power sprayer	[L1][CO5]	[12M]
9	Explain in briefly about different types of fertilizer application equipment	[L1][CO5]	[12M]
10	Explain in briefly about fertilizer metering mechanism	[L1][CO5]	[12M]

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