

RDL705 Minor II  
Rural Resource and Livelihood

Total Marks: 20

Part A (15 Marks)

1. What do you mean by horticultural crop? Discuss the post-harvest processing of spice crops for employment generation in rural area. (4)
2. What are vegetable fibres? How vegetable fibres can be utilized for production of eco-friendly products in village industries. (4)
3. Explain the importance of medicinal and aromatic plants for sustaining livelihoods in the Tribal area of India. (4)
4. Write a short note on any two of the following, (1.5 x 2 = 3.0)
  - a. Small scale silk production.
  - b. Processing of aromatic plants.
  - c. Role of livestock in agricultural production.

Part B (05 Marks)

1. Discuss how migratory birds can be a resource of local villagers. (1.0)
2. Discuss the different factors affecting climate of India. (2.5)
3. Write a note on "how continental drift affected natural resource distribution". (1.5)