

NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA 91, CADASTRAL ZONE, UNIVERSITY VILLAGE, JABI, ABUJA FACULTY OF MANAGEMENT SCIENCES **DEPARTMENT OF ENTREPRENEURIAL STUDIES NOVEMBER EXAMINATION 2019 EXAM QUESTIONS**

COURSE CODE: CRD 413 CREDIT UNIT: 2 COURSE TITTLE: AGRICULTURAL COOPERATIVE TIME ALLOWED: 2 HOURS **Instruction:** 1. Attempt question number one (1) and any other two (2) 2. Question number one (1) is compulsory and attracts 30 marks, while any other two questions attract 20 marks each

3. Present your answers to each question in a clear and orderly manner

QUESTION 1:

- (a) Over the years the Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs) both from foreign (International and local levels have been playing significant roles involving agricultural development in Nigeria. Explain the specific roles played by NGOs towards the development of agricultural sector in Nigeria. [9 marks]
- (b) Highlight the challenges hindering the agricultural development roles of these local and international NGOs in Nigeria .[21 marks]

QUESTION 2:

Agricultural credits available to cooperatives in Nigeria are powerful tools that influence agricultural development. Credit has become as important as other factors of production because it enables the farmer to acquire and adopt appropriate technology and increase income by enhancing the level of production. In this regard discuss the types of agricultural credits that are available and accessible to agricultural cooperatives in Nigeria. [20 marks]

QUESTION 3:

- a. In what ways can Agricultural cooperative societies key into operations of Nigerian Agricultural Insurance Corporation (NAIC) [10 marks]
- **b.** Explain how aggrieved clients of Nigerian Agricultural Insurance Corporation (NAIC) seek for redress if they are not satisfied with the conducts of the staff or poor service delivery

[10 marks]

OUESTION 4:

- (a) Highlight the need to store our crops And List four (4) different types of storage systems you know. [7marks]
- (b) Highlight four (4) factors that influence the Storage of Agricultural Products.[4marks]
- (c) List four (4) benefits of processing agricultural products[*4marks*]]

OUESTION 5: The under listed are some of the agricultural development programmes that existed in Nigeria

- a. NACMO
- b. FEAP

Write their

- full meaning i.
- ii. Aims and objective
- iii. Challenges they encountered in Nigeria