

**AADHAVAA SOCIALSCIENCE – 2023-24****UNIT TEST – 8 (GEOGRAPHY)****3.INDIA - AGRICULTURE****TIME : 40 MINUTES****MARKS: 25****I. Choose the correct answer:****3x1=3****1. The soil which is rich in iron oxides is \_\_\_\_\_.**

- a) Alluvial                      b) Black                      c) Red                      d) Alkaline

**2. The soils formed by the rivers are \_\_\_\_\_.**

- a) Red Soils                      b) Black Soils                      c) Desert Soils                      d) Alluvial Soils

**3. Black soils are also called as \_\_\_\_\_.**

- a) Arid soils                      b) Saline soils                      c) Regur soils                      d) Mountain soils

**II. Consider the given statements and choose the right option given below. 1x1=1****4. Assertion (A): Alluvial soil is formed by the deposition of eroded and decayed materials brought by the rivers.****Reason (R) : Paddy and wheat are grown well in the soil.**

- a) Both (A) and (R) are true and (R) explains (A)  
 b) Both (A) and (R) are true and (R) does not explain (A)  
 c) (A) is correct (R) is false  
 d) (A) is false (R) is true

**III. Pick the odd one out:****2x1=2**

5. a) Wheat                      b) Rice                      c) Millets                      d) Coffee  
 6. a) Khadar                      b) Bhangar                      c) Alluvial soil                      d) Black soil

**IV. Match the following:****5x1=5**

	<b>I</b>	<b>II</b>
7	Sugar Bowl of India	Mahanadi
8	Coffee	Golden Revolution
9	Tehri	Karnataka
10	Hirakud	Uttar Pradesh and Bihar
11	Horticulture	Highest dam in India

**IV. Give reason:****1x1=1**

12. Rain water harvesting is necessary.

**V. Distinguish between:****1x2=2**

13. Marine fishing and Inland fishing.

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**VI. Answer in brief:****3x2=6**

14. State any two characteristics of black cotton soil.
15. Name the seasons of agriculture in India.
16. What do you mean by Livestock?

**VI. Answer in detail:****1x5=5**

17. Examine the geographical condition favourable for the cultivation of rice and wheat.