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Q3

Explain the factors influencing the decision of the farmers on the selection of high value crops in India.

UPSC Civil Services Mains 2025 · GS III · 10 marks · Crops, Irrigation and Marketing

Major crops - cropping patterns in various parts of the country; different types of irrigation and irrigation systems; storage, transport and marketing of agricultural produce and issues and related constraints; e-technology in the aid of farmers.

Facts & figures for this PYQ only.

Numbers move. Confirm the latest Budget, Economic Survey or census round. This sheet is for revision, not a substitute for the model answer.

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Horticulture tonnage

India's horticulture production has in recent years exceeded foodgrain output in million tonnes, led by vegetables and fruits.

MIDH

The Mission for Integrated Development of Horticulture, a public support line for orchards, nurseries and post-harvest.

Nashik grapes

A cluster where export price, drip irrigation and contract knowledge pulled farmers into a high-value perennial.

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