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Previous Year Questions

Food Processing Industries — GS-III

Previous Year Questions (verbatim, official syllabus)

10 Questions

Year range: 2013–2025

Verbatim from official UPSC papers

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Food processing — scope, significance, location

2025 GS-III 15M · 150W

Q7. Examine the scope of the food processing industries in India. Elaborate the measures taken by the government in the food processing industries for generating employment opportunities.

2022 GS-III 10M · 150W

Q5. Elaborate the scope and significance of the food processing industry in India.

2020 GS-III 10M · 150W

Q7. What are the challenges and opportunities of food processing sector in the country? How can income of the farmers be substantially increased by encouraging food processing?

2019 GS-III 15M · 150W

Q8. Elaborate the policy taken by the Government of India to meet the challenges of the food processing sector.

2017 GS-III 10M · 150W

Q7. What are the reasons for poor acceptance of cost-effective small processing unit? How the food processing unit will be helpful to uplift the socio-economic status of poor farmers?

2013 GS-III 10M · 200W

Q6. India needs to strengthen measures to promote the pink revolution in food industry for ensuring better nutrition and health. Critically elucidate the statement.

Upstream and downstream requirements, supply chain management

2025 GS-III 10M · 150W

Q6. Elaborate the scope and significance of supply chain management of agricultural commodities in India.

2022 GS-III 15M · 150W

Q6. What are the main bottlenecks in upstream and downstream process of marketing of agricultural products in India?

2018 GS-III 10M · 150W

Q8. Examine the role of supermarkets in supply chain management of fruits, vegetables, and food items. How do they eliminate number of intermediaries?

2015 GS-III 12.5M · 200W

Q19. What are the impediments in marketing and supply chain management in developing the food processing industry in India? Can e-commerce help in overcoming these bottlenecks?

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