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**FACULTY OF MANAGEMENT SCIENCES**  
**2024\_2 EXAMINATION**

**COURSE CODE:** CRD 413

**COURSE TITLE:** AGRICULTURAL COOPERATIVE

**TIME ALLOWED:** 2 HOURS

**INSTRUCTIONS:** 1. Indicate your matric number clearly

2. Attempt questions one (1) and any other two questions- three questions in all.

3. Question one (1) is compulsory carries **30 marks**, while the other questions carry **20 marks** each.

**4. Present all your points in coherent and orderly manner.**

1(a). The significant roles played by Agricultural cooperatives in agricultural development cannot be overemphasized. Elucidate. **10 marks**

1(b). Discuss in details How Agricultural Cooperatives can be used for the Promotion of Environment Friendly Farm Practices. **10 marks**

1(c). Discuss three (3) types of agricultural cooperatives society known to you. **10marks**

2(a). Highlight at least any five (5) functions of agricultural production cooperatives. **5marks.**

2(b). Explain supply cooperative society. **5marks.**

2(c) Enumerate any six (6) practicable solutions to the problems of agricultural production cooperatives in Nigeria. **10marks**

3(a). Discuss land tenure policy as it relates to agricultural cooperatives society in Nigeria. **5marks.**

3(b). Even though government intervention in agricultural cooperative society development is highly welcomed, it is not without some problems. Discuss at least five (5) of those problems. **10marks**

3(c). Discuss any two roles of the non-governmental organizations (NGOs) in agricultural development in Nigeria. **5marks.**

4(a). Credit facility is vital to the growth and development of any cooperative society. Highlight and discuss four (4) types of agricultural credit cooperatives in Nigeria. **10marks.**

4(b). Discuss the functions of storage in the growth of the Nigerian economy. **5marks.**

4(c). Discuss briefly what do you understand by agro input supply cooperative? **5mark.**

5(a). Discuss the four (4) ways in which cooperative societies play important roles in agricultural insurance. **10marks.**

5(b). Outline at least two aims and objectives of the National Directorate of Employment. **5 marks**

5(c). Select one of these countries (Ireland, India and USA) and discuss what you know about their agricultural cooperatives. **5marks**