Minutes of the Meeting

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**Unit 1: MACROECONOMIC POLICIES AND THEIR IMPACT**

Macroeconomic policies and their impact: fiscal policy; financial and monetary policies.


**Unit 2 - AGRICULTURE**

Policies and performance; Production and productivity; credit; labour; markets and pricing; land reforms; regional variations.


2. A. Vaidyanathan (2012), Irrigation, in NOCE.


5. *Shoumitro Chatterjee and Devesh Kapur, (2017), Six Puzzles in Indian Agriculture, India Policy Forum, 13, (1), 185-229


7. *S. Nair and L. Eapen (2015), Agrarian Performance and Food Price Inflation in India, Pre- and Post- Economic Liberalization in Economic and Political Weekly, August 1, 2015*

**Unit 3: INDUSTRY**

**Policies and performance; production trends; small scale industries; public sector; foreign investment, labour regulation**


**Unit 4 - SERVICES AND TRADE**

**Trends and performance; trade and investment policy**

1. Rupa Chanda, *“India’s Service Sector”* Chapter 29 in Uma Kapila (in Uma Kapila (ed.), Indian Economy Since Independence, 28th edition, Academic Foundation, Delhi,


**Note:** Starred chapters (*) are optional and advanced reading material.

**Examination questions will be based on the above readings only.**

It is suggested that the following book be looked into for updates for the next year: “*Deciphering India's Services Sector Growth*” Edited By Shashanka Bhide, V.N. Balasubramanyam, K.L. Krishna, Routledge, India