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## CELEBRATION AND OBSERVANCE OF MAY 2021 AS AGRICULTURE MONTH

Webinars organized by

### National Agriculture Task Force, The Institute of Cost Accountants of India

In line with the noble objective of the Government of India of Augmenting Farmers' Income, the Institute has constituted an Agriculture Task Force for the purpose of evolving ways and means of Augmenting the Farmers' Income through 'Strategic Agri Cost Management'. The Institute, thus, looks forward to extend its whole-hearted support to the Government in terms of preparing Concept Papers on Agricultural Costing and Pricing, conducting awareness programmes, and arranging discussion sessions on PAN India basis to analyze the current situation and advising on the steps to be taken in order to achieve the objectives set by the Government for the welfare of the farmers.

In this direction, the Institute has decided to celebrate May 2021 as 'Agriculture Month'. The Institute will be organizing a series of four National Webinars and several local webinars across the country covering multiple

topics relating to "Augmentation of Farmers' Income".

The first National Webinar is being organized in coordination with **Nagpur Chapter of Cost Accountants, ICAI** on the theme "Agri Financial Institutions facilitating Augmentation of Farmers' Income" wherein **Dr. G.R. Chintala**, Chairman, National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (NABARD) has kindly consented to grace the event.

We have requested **Shri Narendra Singh Tomar, Hon'ble Union Minister for Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, Rural Development, Panchayati Raj, Food Processing Industries, Government of India**, for his kind consent to be the Chief Guest in the final Webinar of Agriculture Month scheduled on 25th May 2021 on the theme "Agriculture Cost Management".

All the events will be streamed live through the official YouTube channel of the Institute to reach the students, members and all stakeholders of the Institute.

Lists of Webinars

Date	Theme	Time	Speakers – Key Note Address by:
04.05.2021	Agri Financial Institutions facilitating Augmentation of Farmers' Income	5.00 pm - 7.30 pm	<b>Dr. G. R. Chintala</b> , Chairman, National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (NABARD)
11.05.2021	Rural Development & Augmentation of Farmers' Income	5.00 pm - 7.30 pm	<b>Dr. G. Narendra Kumar</b> , IAS, Director General, National Institute of Rural Development and Panchayati Raj
18.05.2021	Academic Institutions Catalyzing the Augmentation of Farmers' Income	5.00 pm - 7.30 pm	<b>Prof. Nageshwar Rao</b> , Vice-Chancellor, Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU)
25.05.2021	National Webinar on "Agriculture Cost Management"	5.00 pm - 7.30 pm	<b>Prof. Vijay Paul Sharma</b> , Chairman, Commission for Agricultural Costs & Prices, Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, Government of India

#### Key Note Speakers



**Dr. G R Chintala**  
Chairman  
National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (NABARD)



**Dr. G. Narendra Kumar, IAS**  
Director General  
National Institute of Rural Development and Panchayati Raj



**Prof. Nageshwar Rao**  
Vice-Chancellor  
Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU)



**Prof. Vijay Paul Sharma**  
Chairman  
Commission for Agricultural Costs & Prices  
Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, Government of India



**CMA Biswarup Basu**  
President, ICAI



**CMA P. Raju Iyer**  
Vice President & Chairman  
National Agriculture Task Force, ICAI



**CMA Chittaranjan Chattopadhyay**  
CCM & Chairman  
Indirect Taxation Committee and  
BFSI Committee, ICAI



**CMA Vijender Sharma**  
CCM & Chairman  
Professional Development Committee &  
International Affairs Committee, ICAI



**CMA (Dr.) K Ch A V S N Murthy**  
CCM and Chairman  
Journal & Publications Committee and  
Regional Council & Chapters Coordination Committee, ICAI



**CMA Neeraj D. Joshi**  
CCM and Chairman  
Management Accounting Committee, ICAI



**CMA P V Bhattad**  
Past President, ICAI



**CMA (Dr.) Sreehari Chava**  
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